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FAVORS BETTER CONDITIONS FOR SCHOOL TEACHERS

Surveyor General Grimmer Advocates More Holidays and Pensions.

Solicitor General McLeod Would Have Better Salaries --Provincial Institute Opened Yesterday With Record Attendance--Valuable Papers and Addresses by Prominent Educationists.

(Special to The Telegraph.) Fredericton, N. B., June 25.—The school teachers of the province, 450 strong, invaded Fredericton today. They are here to attend the biennial meeting of the New Brunswick Teachers' Institute and incidentally to renew old acquaintances and appear to be thoroughly enjoying their stay.

The attendance at the institute meeting breaks all records. The programme is an exceptionally good one and the interest is being taken in the proceedings by the teachers.

Dr. Inch and Chancellor Jones were the principal speakers in today's sessions and this evening a successful public meeting was held in the Opera House, being addressed by Surveyor General Grimmer, Solicitor General McLeod and Professor Locke of MacDonald College.

Afternoon Session. At the afternoon session Chancellor Jones delivered an able address on the Relation of the University to the Common Schools. He went into the subject very fully and showed that the university being the apex of the educational system, was entitled to the support of the school.

Dr. Inch thought that a remedy might be found by having a professional course at the university.

Miss Edith Davis, of the Moncton school staff read a well written paper on the subject of schools.

Inspector Carter in discussing the paper pointed out that the Normal School more attention should be paid to the training of teachers for the work of handling ungraded schools.

Professor Locke also discussed the question and advocated a remedy for normal school students and pointed out that it had been successful in Quebec.

The public meeting at the Opera House this evening under the auspices of the Teachers' Institute was well attended and very successful. Dr. Inch presided and Messrs. Chestnut, Chancellor Jones, Surveyor General Grimmer, Solicitor General McLeod, Dr. Atherton, Dr. Bridges and Professor Locke.

In opening the meeting the chairman expressed regret at the unavoidable absence of Governor Tweedie and Premier Hazen but was glad to announce that the board of education was represented by the surveyor general and solicitor general.

Mayor Chestnut, who was introduced as the first speaker, heartily welcomed the teachers to the city.

Favors Pensions. Surveyor General Grimmer, who was next introduced, responded with a rattling

WANT COLE BROS. CIRCUS HELD

Coroner's Jury Asks That Former Employee's Death Be Investigated

STARTLING EVIDENCE

Witness Swears That He Saw a Man Beaten and Thrown from the Show Train, and Was Threatened Himself So He Quit--Says Open Bar Is Run, Too.

(Special to The Telegraph.) Haileybury, Ont., June 25.—The inquest on a body of an unnamed man found yesterday morning at Mileage, 87 1/2, was held by Coroner Codd at Latchford yesterday.

Tom Kelly, an employe of Cole Bros. circus, testified that he had chummed with the deceased and both decided to quit at Haileybury. Deceased had joined at Toronto, but he did not know his name other than that he was called "Fatty."

Witness said when he asked for his pay he was told to "wait until we get to North Bay." Kelly told him not to go to North Bay with the circus or else they would "ditch" him as they had done another fellow on Sunday near North Bay.

W. J. Lawler, another circus employe, who had quit at Haileybury, told of seeing the deceased about 6 o'clock Monday evening and advising him not to go back near the circus once he quit. He also told of seeing a fellow being thrown off a train at Woodlands flag station on the T. & N. O. R. Y. on Sunday morning.

This fellow was seen as being thrown off a train at Woodlands flag station on the T. & N. O. R. Y. on Sunday morning. Witness interfered and was told he would be the next one, hence his reason for quitting the circus.

Another piece of information in his evidence was that a commissary van was kept by Cole Brothers, whereby any employe or railroad men could get whiskey and other liquor on any day or any time, providing he had the price.

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HARTLAND FARMERS MAKE SUGGESTIONS

Successful Poultrymen Recommend Government to Aid in Pure-bred Fowls

HORSES PROFITABLE

Percherons and Clydes Recommended as Being Most in Demand--Scrub Stallions Should Not Be Permitted--Information About Decline of Sheep Industry.

Hartland, June 25.—The second meeting of the Agricultural Commission was held at Hartland on Wednesday. Hon. J. C. Fleming presided, and among those present were David Keswick, Geo. Burt, Amos Ridout, C. W. Hurst, G. G. Gray, H. M. Boyer, Samuel White, Rev. J. B. Daggett, J. T. G. Carr, David Morgan, Hector McLean, Chas. Wallace, M. L. Hayward, C. J. Connolly, Enoch Phillips, Frank Abright, Herbert Oliver, and many others.

As Hartland is the centre of the new poultry industry movement, poultry raising was the first subject discussed. Mr. Daggett told of his experience in raising purebred fowls, and the sale and shipping of eggs. There was, he said, an apparently unlimited market for poultry and eggs of the required quality.

The demand in every market for well-fattened birds and guaranteed fresh eggs seemed to be continually increasing. He found as a result of sending a small sample shipment to Montreal, the case containing his guarantee of freshness and a short description of the way the fowls were fed and cared for had resulted in securing him an order of a case every ten days from one customer. He had put fifty specially fattened birds on the Fredericton market last winter, with the result that there had been a constant enquiry since for more fowls of the same quality.

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Mr. Hurst agreed with Mr. Daggett's recommendations in regard to the government giving some attention to and spending money for the development of the poultry industry.

Sheep Industry. In discussing the decline of the sheep industry, a number of the farmers present expressed their views. In some cases it was on account of the ravages of dogs; in others the difficulty of fencing; and some men while they admitted that not half the sheep were kept that formerly were, had no explanation to offer.

Frank Morgan said that some half a year ago and yet the price for lambs was double, good lambs bringing \$4 per head, where a few years ago \$2 was the average price.

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CENTRAL RAILWAY INVESTIGATION BEGUN

Commission Hears Provincial Officials Tell of Lavish Aid to Road.

Constant Drain of Government Money From Its Inception --Some of the Subsidies Went to Banks and Some to Private Individuals--Minto Branch Got \$77,000 Cash Besides Guarantees.

(Special to The Telegraph.) Fredericton, June 25.—The Royal Commission appointed under the act of assembly to investigate all the matters in connection with the Central Railway and the New Brunswick Coal and Railway Company, held a session this morning in the opposition caucus room of the parliament building. All the commissioners were present and also H. A. Ketchum, government counsel, and T. C. L. Ketchum, official stenographer.

Chairman Landry had down the matter that commission should adopt such methods as would make its work absolutely clear to the public. He wanted to know if Mr. Powell had mapped out any particular course and the latter replied that he had decided to first ascertain the legal status of the company.

He said that an act incorporating the Central Railway Company had been passed in 1871 and there had been acts relating to it passed at intervals down to 1902 when the government took over the property. Mr. Powell then produced copies of all the acts having to do with the Central Railway and the New Brunswick Coal and Railway Company and with the assistance of Judge Landry dictated a synopsis of each to the stenographer for future reference. It was shown that the original act passed in 1871 was amended in 1874 and in 1882 a subsidy was voted the company under the Lobster Act.

The following year another act was passed changing the route of the proposed line and in 1887 the company was given permission to build from Newcastle to Doaktown on the line of the North and Western. Other acts concerning the company were passed in 1888, 1893, 1897, 1901, and 1904.

The act of 1901 authorized the government to guarantee the bonds of the company building a road from Chipman to the People's Bank, and the balance of \$77,000. Of the first payment, \$32,500, the People's Bank was paid \$12,000, G. G. Scoville received \$1,650, and the balance went to George W. Allan, secretary-treasurer of the company. Of the payment of \$44,500, the sum of \$24,500 in bonds went to the People's Bank; \$14,118.33 to the Bank of Nova Scotia; \$5,880 to the Bank of New Brunswick; and the balance of \$23,375 was paid to George W. Allan.

Total Subsidy \$234,000. The total subsidy payments to the old and new companies by the local government was \$224,000.

Mr. Powell opened the proceedings by pointing out that the late government's method of selling bonds to provide a sinking fund for the redemption of the bonds previously sold. He regarded such a system as nothing less than a farce.

Mr. Babbitt pointed out that the present was followed by every government. Judge Landry stoutly defended the system, while Mr. McLaughlin was inclined to agree with Mr. Powell that it was wrong in principle.

Mr. Powell admitted that the system was advantageous to the province but not to the investor.

He intimated that he was anxious to get through with investigation as soon as possible.

This concluded the enquiry for the day and adjournment was made until 9.30 tomorrow.

Commissioner Teed expressed a willingness to hold evening sessions, but Chairman Landry thought it was unnecessary.

(Special to The Telegraph.) Ottawa, June 25.—Beginning next week the house will sit on Saturdays till the end of the session. It is now expected that prorogation will take place about July 25. There will be no sitting on Dominion Day.

Mr. Fisher's civil service reform bill was discussed the greater part of today. The minister himself spoke nearly three hours, giving a history of the reform in England and the United States and then dealing with the principal features of his bill, which he explained on its introduction.

R. L. Borden spoke less than ten minutes in expressing his approval of any measure that would deal with defects of the civil service. He had gone on record in favor of a system of competitive examinations, but there was nothing in the act to show what the nature of the examinations was to be.

Speaking of the independent commission to be appointed, Mr. Borden did not think that it was independent of government control, inasmuch as it was proposed that the commissioners were to hold office during the pleasure of the government. They were on the same footing as deputy heads of departments who were expected to carry out the policy laid down by the government and it would not be said that the auditor-general occupied an independent position if he were subject to dismissal by the government of the day.

As to the outside service, every argument of Mr. Fisher for the purpose of flagging on all consular buildings throughout the world shall be half-masted for a period of thirty days, as a mark of national respect to ex-President Cleveland, whose death occurred on Wednesday.

U. S. Consul Wilbur, of Halifax, was notified by telegram today of this order and was instructed to inform the consulates in New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island, Newfoundland and St. Pierre.

WILL RESUME PROBING OF OFFICIALS' ACCOUNTS

Auditors Return to Task at Fredericton--Sunbury County Court.

(Special to The Telegraph.) Fredericton, June 25.—The trial of Charles Cochran on a charge of seduction was continued at Burton today. The complainant, Bessie Patchell, was subjected to a severe cross-examination at the hands of A. J. Gregory, but her direct testimony was unshaken.

Her father, Alfred Patchell, was next called and swore that his daughter was seventeen years of age. Other witnesses examined for the crown were Glover Patchell, M. Duplissa and F. J. Cochran.

This afternoon the defendant took the stand in his own behalf and while admitting that he had been on terms of intimacy with complainant, denied that he had promised to make her his wife.

HARVARD ROWS YALE TO A STANDSTILL AND FINISHES ALONE

New London, Conn., June 25.—Harvard, rah, rah, rah, Harvard. With a deafening din of steam whistles and horns and the frenzied shouts of college men the Yale Varsity eight shot their boat over the finish line tonight, winning from the crippled and distanced Yale crew that classic of American collegiate aquatic, the Harvard Yale varsity boat race. But instead of a race Harvard finished the last mile and a half alone while far behind Yale limped along with but seven men at the oars, with Griswold, the stroke—the man who had been relied upon to set the winning pace—bent forward, limp and spent with the terrific strain of the opening two miles. Up to this unexpected climax it had been a stirring struggle, worthy of the best traditions of the old oarboat.

TOOK SAFE IN SUSSEX RAID

Scott Act Party Haul Away Two-Ton Receptacle on Suspicion

(Special to The Telegraph.) Sussex, N. B., June 25.—Soldiers finding Sussex somewhat dry this summer owing to the effective Scott act crusade waged here during the past few months. A raid which possessed sensational features was made on Tuesday evening when George Doherty's place of business on Main street was entered by five constables and about ten citizens among the number being Messrs. Kennedy and Orman. The party found a bar-room, where a bar had previously been, containing nothing but a new safe weighing between one and two tons. As this seemed to be the only receptacle for liquor the safe was lifted bodily from the room and placed on a sledge by a large crowd of soldiers and citizens who followed.

The man in charge of the place refused to open the safe and the raiders carried it off and placed it in Rev. Mr. Kennedy's barn. Here it has remained since and developments are being awaited with interest.

Rev. Mr. Kennedy said yesterday that he felt assured the liquor was in the safe. Late this evening it was reported that there were further developments but the temperance people declined to make any statement. An expert has been sent for to open the safe.

SIMPLE FUNERAL FOR GROVER CLEVELAND

Princeton, N. J., June 25.—The funeral of Grover Cleveland tomorrow will be marked by extreme simplicity. Although twice elected president of the United States no pomp or splendor will have a place in the ceremony. There will be no bands to play mournful dirges on the way to the old Princeton cemetery, no military escort, no display of pomp or splendor.

The half mile of thoroughfare through which the cortege will pass from "Westland," the Cleveland home on Day Shore, to the cemetery will be policed by mounted troops and blue-coated soldiers, but they will be there for police duty and as a measure of precaution in protecting the living president, rather than as an element of display in paying tribute to a department chief executive.

It has been Mrs. Cleveland's wish to avoid a display of a military nature at the funeral and it was only when the necessity of guarding President Roosevelt, who is to be in attendance was borne upon her by those in charge of the funeral arrangements that she consented to the presence of troops in a police capacity.

NOTABLE MARK OF RESPECT TO CLEVELAND

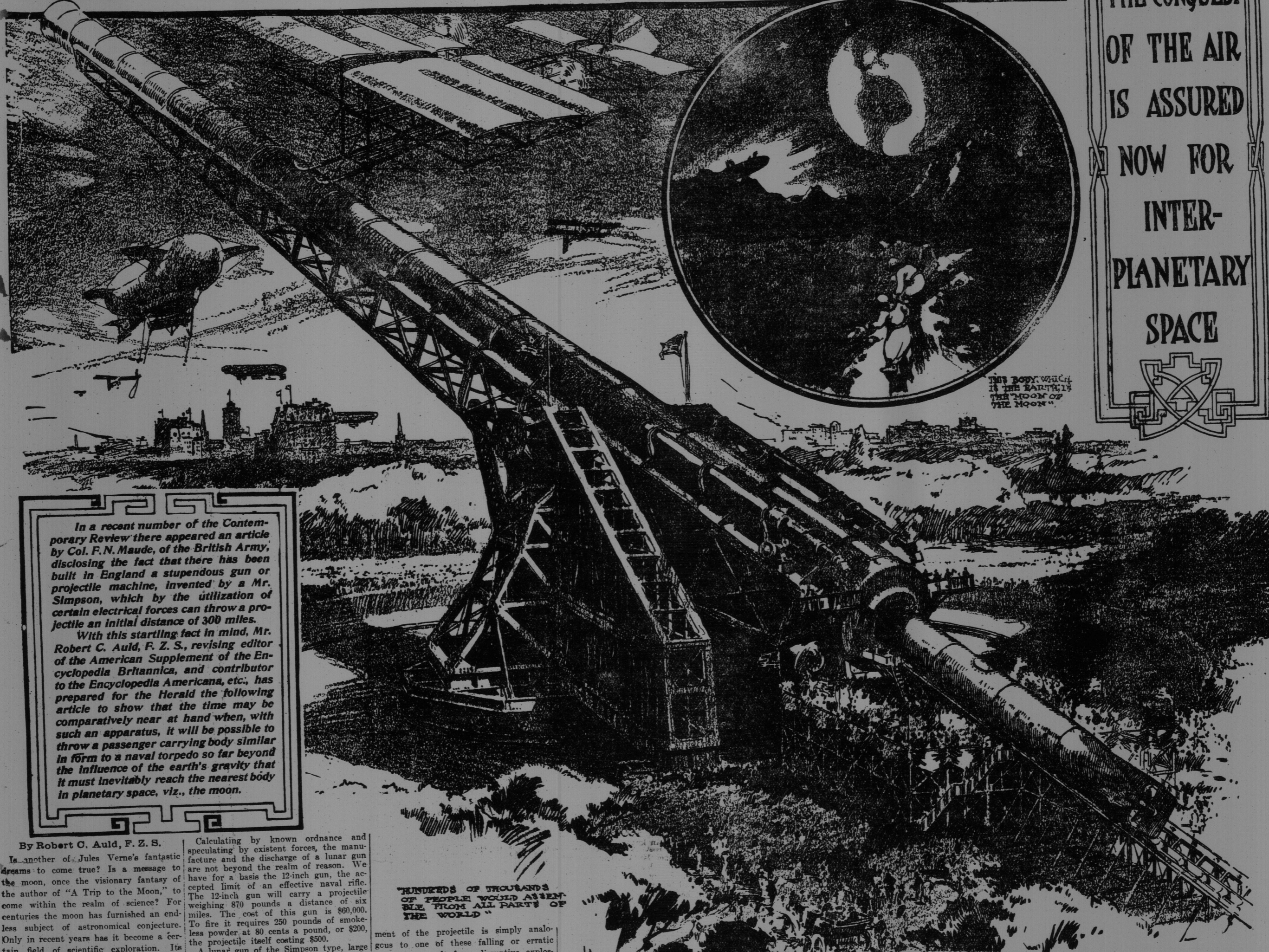
United States Orders Consulate Flags All Over World Half Masted for 30 Days.

(Special to The Telegraph.) Halifax, June 25.—The United States department at Washington, has directed that flags on all consulate buildings throughout the world shall be half-masted for a period of thirty days, as a mark of national respect to ex-President Cleveland, whose death occurred on Wednesday.

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ALL ABOARD FOR THE MOON!



THE CONQUEST OF THE AIR IS ASSURED NOW FOR INTER-PLANETARY SPACE

In a recent number of the Contemporary Review there appeared an article by Col. F.N. Maude, of the British Army, disclosing the fact that there has been built in England a stupendous gun or projectile machine, invented by a Mr. Simpson, which by the utilization of certain electrical forces can throw a projectile an initial distance of 300 miles.

By Robert C. Auld, F. Z. S.

Is another of Jules Verne's fantastic dreams to come true? Is a message to the moon, once the visionary fantasy of the author of "A Trip to the Moon," to come within the realm of science? For centuries the moon has furnished an endless subject of astronomical conjecture. Only in recent years it has become a certain field of scientific exploration. Its volcanic cones and craters, its dead river beds and verdurous mountains have all come within accurate geodetic survey. It is only the intervening 239,000 miles of ether that separates it from the world that staggers the imagination of the scientists and laymen alike, but if the claims of a London inventor, A. S. Simpson, are true, even that vast space may be traversed with assurance and safety. Mr. Simpson has invented an electrical gun which he asserts will carry a projectile of 2,000 pounds at the rate of 30,000 feet a second for three hundred miles. The actual test has not been made, but military authorities have endorsed the plans, and scientists may rejoice.

Calculating by known ordinance and speculating by existent forces, the manufacture and the discharge of a lunar gun are not beyond the realm of reason. We have for a while the 12-inch gun, the accepted limit of an effective naval rifle. The 12-inch gun will carry a projectile weighing 870 pounds a distance of six miles. The cost of this gun is \$90,000. To fire it requires 250 pounds of smokeless powder at 80 cents a pound, or \$200, the projectile itself costing \$300. A lunar gun of the Simpson type, large enough to hurl a projectile through the zone of gravity, would need to be three or four times more powerful than the naval rifle. The amount of steel required in its manufacture would be greater than that used in the largest battleship in the world, and would be equal to that used in the Metropolitan Life Building, in Madison square, New York. In fact, the lunar gun required would be about the size of the Metropolitan Building, which is more than two hundred feet square and seven hundred feet high. The gun would cost \$2,000,000 a paltry sum in these days to devote to such an experiment. The cost of firing the lunar gun would not be great, in consideration, if smokeless powder were used, which, however, is not anticipated, as will be seen later.

The recoil of a 50-ton gun would lift the Lusitania out of the water, which would render the discharge by explosion of the lunar cannon of the size described almost impossible, but assuming the recoil of the electrical explosive power suggested by the Simpson gun, that knotty feature of the problem is eliminated. The explosive power is figured out that the recoil is so distributed and confined that it imparts the full force of the carrying power to the projectile, and therein must lie the secret of the possibility of a lunar gun that will hurl a huge projectile across the limit of the earth's gravity.

The direction of the projectile once successfully launched is a vital element to control. In projecting a missile to hit an objective point on earth, the parabolic curve must be calculated, but in fixing the moon as a target the missile would be fired altitudinally in direct diametrical line away from the diametrical line of the earth.

Where there is no atmosphere there is no vacuum as far as air is concerned, but not in so far as ether is concerned. But there is a vacuum gravitally at such a distance from earth loses its place. But a distance from one thing and gravitation is another. Gravitation is universal. It is a mysterious, unknown force, that steers them through the ambient ether at the slow rate of twenty knots a second.

The projectile once beyond the earth's gravity, how would it act? What analogy in nature have we for supposing that such a body so intruded into the ether itself in an orderly manner in its course? Will the projectile sink or move through this ethereal jelly ocean without obstruction, while the earth, moon and stars are rushing through the ether at a hundred thousand feet per second?

Gravitation is a thing not of earth, but really of ether itself. Gravitation depends on mass and motion, which would render the projectile actually under control by the laws of nature. The movement of the projectile is simply analogous to one of these falling or erratic stars that result from disruptive explosion and which become visible only when being set on fire as they strike the friction element of the atmosphere of earth in falling.

HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE WOULD ASSEMBLE FROM ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

THE BODY WHICH IS THE BATTLEFIELD OF THE MOON

KING AND QUEEN AT AMERICAN GIRL'S WEDDING

London, June 23.—In the presence of King Edward, Queen Alexandra, and a brilliant gathering of royal and distinguished personages, Miss Jean Reid, daughter of the American ambassador and Mrs. Whitelaw Reid, was united in marriage today in the Chapel Royal, St. James' palace, to Hon. John Hubert Ward, a brother of the Earl of Dudley. The Bishop of London, assisted by the Rev. Dr. William M. Grosvenor of New York, performed the ceremony.

A Sure Cure.

(Toronto News.) "No drugs, plenty of rest, and simple food." That is the prescription which Sir Wilfrid Laurier says eminent physicians gave him five years ago. To this wholesome advice he attributes the fact that he is still capable of hard work.

A Highland Wooing

BY IDA DE THAËL

(Conclusion.) HE spoke authoritatively, and Iona understood that she was lost if she appeared to hesitate, so she answered: "I accept thy kind offer and will accompany thee. Show me the way."

Without further parley they turned round and followed by the girl walked quickly away. The sun had risen when they reached the castle of Doneldhu. Then Iona almost cried aloud in surprise as she saw Ronuk's banner floating on the highest tower. She understood that that very night he had given an assault, and the besieged, disheartened by the death of their chief, had offered but a weak resistance.

It was with evident surprise and delight that Robert of Ronuk greeted her. "What has happened, lady?" he asked. "How is it that thou art here alone?" "I have lost my way in the fog and have wandered far. They men found me and advised me to seek thee."

"They did well; they did their duty," he replied, warmly. "Thou lookest tired. Come and rest." When Iona had eaten some food and rested a little in the tent where he himself led her she felt decidedly better and inclined to see things more cheerfully.

Why should she fear Robert Ronuk? He had always shown himself courteous toward her. And probably the only reason why she did not like him was that her heart was taken by another. She did not see him until the evening. A repast had been served to her, and at the end of it Robert came in. "I must thank thee, my lord, for thy generous hospitality," she was beginning, when he interrupted her.

"Do not thank me. I am too happy that thou hast found refuge here. Dost thou feel better?" "Yes, indeed. I am completely rested and quite ready to resume my journey." "Surely there is no hurry?" "Sitting down by Iona's side, Robert began talking. His attitude, his words, quickly roused in Iona a vague feeling of distrust. They were not respectful and reserved as formerly. There was in his manner an assumption of authority, even of ownership.

"What does this hag mean? She lies or is mad!" Robert exclaimed furiously. "Nay, I speak the truth! Hear me all! He wanted to force Iona to marry him!" Mad with rage, Robert sprang toward the old woman. "Throw her into the river, the foul speaking witch!" he cried to the two men who were holding her. "But the gypsy's struggles were so violent that in spite of their strength the two men were unable to obey the order. Still did her voice rise, shrilly denouncing Robert, while Iona, held back by some soldier, vainly strove to free herself and rush to her help.



LOCKED IN A DEADLY EMBRACE, THEY FELL FORWARD.

when she found herself outside of the castle she stopped. Where could she go surrounded on all sides by enemies? Besides, why try to live when Duncan was no more? Rather die, and she almost repented the instinctive movement that had made her fly a few moments before. The rapid gallop of a horse aroused her from her uncertainty. She turned around hardly knowing herself what she feared or hoped.

The figure of the man who was coming toward her seemed singularly familiar. But though her heart was beating loudly, yet she refused to believe her own eyes. "Duncan! Duncan!" she murmured. "Could it be his ghost coming back from the Land of Shadows to take her because she could not live without him? Was it but a phantasmal vision, borne toward her by that foam-covered, panting steed? Suddenly, when it was but a few steps from her, she sprang forward, stretching out her arms and crying wildly: "Duncan! O, come! Take me! It was no dream, no vision. It was Duncan, indeed, living and well, and, springing from his horse, he took her and strained her to his heart. "I thought you were dead!" she sobbed in his arms. "And I thought I would be too late!"

In some few words he related how he had been found unconscious by some of his men. Though severely bruised, he had no dangerous wounds, and quickly recovered. Then the old gypsy woman had come to warn him that Iona was a prisoner in Robert's hands, and he had rushed off, followed more slowly by some of his men whose steeds were not as fleet as his. "Where are we going now?" Iona asked at last. They had been riding for some time, she mounted behind him, but in her happiness of being together she had forgotten to ask where he was taking her. "To the further end of the glen, to the cave where the saintly hermit dwells. There I left some of my men, who, having no horses, were unable to follow me. The way was a long one, yet the gallant brute did not slacken speed until they had reached their goal. A narrow foot-path led through the underwood to the cave that stood some way up the hill. Tying the exhausted horse to a tree, Duncan and Iona slowly walked on. They stopped as they heard voices—loud, agitated voices very different from the humble prayers that usually the echoes softly murmured back.

"Thou art a witch!" Robert hissed in her ears. "Thou art the disciple and friend of that wicked old hag whom I discovered yesterday trying to gain admittance here—probably to practice with thee her wicked arts. If thou wilt become my wife I will save thee from the punishment thou deservest. Refuse and I will have thee burned for witchcraft. Choose!" Iona's head swam, she had to lean for support against the wall, but, feeling Robert's burning eyes fixed on her, she soon raised her head again. She shuddered with loathing as she thought that he was perhaps the murderer of her lover. "Would she listen to the man who wooed her with threats, who had told her she must either die a horrible death or submit to his caresses?" Her throat was dry, yet a queer smile came on her lips as she replied: "I have chosen. It is death."

A livid hue overspread Robert's face. His breath was coming fast as he repeated: "You can't mean it! Impossible!" "Don't you understand that I hate you now? Kill me, I care not!" "For one brief instant, trembling with passion, the young man hesitated, but his resolve was quickly taken, and pushing her forward, he cried violently: "Very well, go to thy death!" Proudly, he held erect, the girl walked forward. She went as in a dream hardly conscious of her surroundings, and she could not repress a slight start as a voice whispered in her ear, "Hope still! Help is coming!"

The old gypsy woman! How was she there? Iona had no time left for reflection. She found herself standing in the middle of the courtyard surrounded by an excited, hostile crowd. Then Robert addressed his men. Iona, he declared, was a witch, the accomplice of the gypsy. The old woman had tried to be admitted to the castle in order to on Easter Day hold with the girl a sabbath.

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Frenzied by the delay, Robert pushed off the soldiers, seized the gypsy by the arm and dragged her to the very edge of the rock. With an abrupt gesture he tried to fling her over the edge of the abyss. Robert saw her eyes gleaming with fiendish hatred, felt the nervous, snake-like arms locked around his neck. She laughed a diabolical laugh, then together, locked in a deadly embrace, they fell forward. Two terrible cries rang out as the bodies struck the sharp rocks, then they disappeared in the rushing waters. One red stain soiled the purity of the white foam, but it quickly vanished, and in the gay sunlight the waves again sparkled and danced. Taking advantage of the tumult and dismay, Iona succeeded in escaping. But

"Bring forth the gypsy woman," he said at last. She stood before them all, and Iona gazed anxiously at her as Robert continued: "Thou hast led thy sin frankly thy life will be spared." "I will speak the truth and every one will hear it," she replied calmly. "This girl is innocent! To revenge himself the Laird of Ronuk bribed me to say that she was a witch and wanted to hold on this day a sabbath. It is not true!"

HE HAD STOPPED A FEW SECONDS WHEN A HUGE BLOODHOUND BOUNDED ON HIM.

THE MAN WHO WAS DEAD

BY ARTHUR W. MARCHMONT

CHAPTER XIII.—(Continued.)

This produced the effect I desired. I divided them. Voebach was for hearing all I had to say and Thelberg was with him. They were after money, but Grundehof and his friend had been frightened by my threat.

too urgent for him to sit idle for a week with no definite plan at the end of that time. It was far more probable that the pair had concocted the story of the proposed delay in order to mislead Voebach and myself, and that they would use the time to carry out a plan by themselves.

will accept my apologies for a manner which, I am aware, must have been intolerably provoking. I have to play many parts, prince, and at times make serious blunders."

He waved his hand as if to dismiss the whole subject, but then he considerably disconcerted me with the sudden question: "Will you tell me what were your relations toward the Princess Norma in Belgrade, monsieur?"

Relations? Is not exactly the term I should use. I did not then know she had any claims as a member of the Obrenovic family. I was of some little service to her, as the baroness told you; but she believed me to be the Englishman, Guy Perston, and I was, of course, her contempt. She made that unmistakably plain on the night of the ball at the Black House.

When I saw you last you despaired of success even at any time; and now when we know you expect everything on the instant. "You know I am unreasonable. But—"

"I am not unreasonable. But—"

COMMISSION BEGINS AGRICULTURAL INQUIRY

Carleton County Farmers and Breeders Make Many Suggestions

Would Have Sales of Pure-bred Stock of Local Men Conducted Under Government Auspices—Bonuses Might Be Given to Aid Potato Storage and Purchase of Fertilizers—Dr. Landry Outlines What His Department Proposes.

Woodstock, N.B., June 23.—The new agricultural commission, Hon. D. V. Landry, Geo. E. Fisher and W. H. Hubbard, were in Woodstock today for the purpose of meeting with farmers, producers and everyone interested, to take evidence as to the resources, conditions, needs and possibilities for agricultural and industrial development throughout the province.

METHODIST CONFERENCE FINISHES ITS BUSINESS

Moncton, June 23.—The Methodist conference closed this afternoon. The camp ground session was discussed.

At the opening of the conference the St. John district had purchased a tract of thirty acres on the St. John River, easily accessible by the C. P. R., on which it was proposed to build for the purpose of holding future conferences. The afternoon was occupied with reception of reports.

Discussing the question of apple growing, C. L. Smith said the trouble was to get an apple tree that will stand the rigors of our climate. If the commission could do to not cultivate extensively our farmers. The New Brunswick Fairness and Crispness Beauty apples are produced in the province.

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CONSERVATIVES WIN ANOTHER MONTREAL SEAT IN RECOUNT

Montreal, June 23.—The recount in St. Ann's division, Montreal, ended today with the return of Tansey, Conservative, by three votes.

On polling day, June 8, Walsh, Liberal, had eight majority. Several polls were thrown out owing to bungling by the deputy returning officers. The change will give the Opposition seventeen seats in the Quebec legislature.

Advertisement for Absorbine, featuring the text 'You Can't Cut Out Absorbine' and a picture of a person in distress.

WANTED DOCUMENT

WANTED

Second class teacher for school district No. 7, parish of Perth, Victoria county, to commence teaching the first of September. Apply to H. H. Moore, secretary to Trustees, Victoria county, N. B.

WANTED—A second class female teacher for school district No. 8, parishes of Sussex and Hammond, district rated poor. Applicant must be a native born, and must be a member of the Roman Catholic Church. Apply to W. H. McFarland, Secretary to Trustees, Marchmont, N. B.

WANTED—A first class plain cook, no washing, good wages. Apply by letter or in person, Mrs. T. E. O. Armstrong, Robbsey, Kings, N. B.

WANTED—A capable and experienced bookkeeper and cashier with good references. Apply to H. E. Laing, Secretary to Trustees, Holderville P. O., Kings, N. B.

WANTED—First or second class male teacher for district No. 14, parish North York, N. B. Apply to G. G. Gould, starting salary. Address Forest City, York Co., N. B.

WANTED—A second or third class female teacher for school district No. 15, parish of St. John, N. B. Apply to H. E. Laing, Secretary to Trustees, Holderville P. O., Kings, N. B.

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SOLDIER BOYS ARRIVE IN FORCE AT SUSSEX CAMP

Everything in Readiness for Annual Drill Today—Special Instruction to be Given in Use of Ross Rifle—Precautions Against Smallpox—Nearly 3,000 Men Under Canvas.

Sussex, June 23.—Night closed down on a scene of animation at Camp Sussex this evening and all is in readiness for the beginning of the actual drill tomorrow. Though the marching lists have not yet been made up it is expected that an average number of 2,800. Four regiments of infantry are encamped on the ridge forming the highest point of the military grounds, three field batteries on the lower ground between the ridge and the river; detachment of regulars from the company of the R. C. R., Fredericton and the 8th Hussars are encamped about the sheds to the right of the approach to the grounds. No. 7 Army Service Corps from St. John and the hospital staff tents are placed in the spread of canvas which will cover nearly 3,000 men during the next two weeks.

This evening the 74th regiment paraded and a bridge guard and picket were drilled for duty. The 73rd band under the direction of Bandmaster McLean, played selections in front of the officers mess. The 74th regiment will take their turn tomorrow.

Major O. W. Wetmore of the 74th, who is the officer of the day and Major F. Morrison is the next named for duty. Capt. H. Carvell has been assigned to the duty of quartermaster.

The following officers have been granted leave: Capt. E. A. Williams, of the 19th battery; Capt. S. Wetmore of the 74th; Lieut. R. A. March and Lieut. Y. D. Duhaime, of Halifax, has been promoted to the rank of brigade major in the 13th.

Special attention is to be paid to the instruction of the militia in the use of the new Ross rifle. After preliminary instruction tomorrow with the use of the sub-machine gun and other devices, the 67th and 71st regiments will be taken to the range and put to work at long distance firing.

The special instructors have arrived from Kingston, Slade, Eggleston and Penick. Three members of the Canadian Dragoons, Lieut. St. John, (Que.), will assist in cavalry instruction. The officers of the 8th Hussars report well filled ranks. It was found necessary to refuse applications, so great was the rush for enlistment.

Special precautions will be taken to prevent an attack of smallpox during camp. Each morning at 6.30 o'clock all men who have their homes in the infected district of Montreal, Quebec and Gloucester counties will be marched to the tent of the administrative health officer and be subjected to a thorough examination. The hospital tent will be in readiness though no patients have as yet appeared.

The special trains with the militiamen on board were arriving at all hours today and the streets have been thronged with soldiers wearing the king's uniform. The schools about deserts as the children have either been admiring the soldiers or have been called upon to help in the work and business rush which has formed in a day, this quiet town into a bustling and warlike camp. As a rule the soldiers were orderly. While there were some isolated cases of drunkards about the grounds this evening the majority of the men were content to hilly in the tents repatriating from their journey or spend the evening in less questionable amusement. Two base ball games proved an attraction for a large number and there were also some boxing glove contests.

The soldiers promise to be well entertained during their visit to the town. On Thursday evening a social will be given under the direction of J. A. Kelly, of St. John, and it promises to be the musical event of the season. A garden party on Dr. McCallister's grounds is announced for Friday and on Wednesday, July 1, Father McDermott's annual picnic will be held.

Sussex, N. B., June 24.—Camp Sussex now presents a complete appearance and the customary programme of drill will be under way. Muster roll throughout the day in the different corps, company drill for some, and special musketry instruction for the 67th and 71st regiments took all the day.

Major F. Morrison, of the 74th, was the field officer of the day, and Major G. W. Meserieu is named for tomorrow. The 74th were called upon today to furnish guard and picket and officers' mess.

With the exception of some dashes of rain today the weather has been ideal. Perfect order reigns around camp and though the city is thronged with soldiers until a late hour no unpleasantness of any kind is reported.

The official marching list shows the number of troops in camp to be approximately 2,533, the different units and commanding officers are as follows:—

- 8th Hussars—Lieut. Col. Wedderburn, numbering 228.
- 4th Brigade, C. F. A.—Lieut. Col. F. H. J. Dibble.
- 19th Battery, C. F. A.—Major W. C. Good, 192.
- 12th Battery—Major T. W. Lawlor, 101.
- 10th Battery—Major S. B. Anderson, 104.
- 1st Field Company of Canadian Engineers—Major J. R. Tompkins, 171.
- H. company R. C. R.—Major C. F. O. Picket, 68.
- 12th Infantry Brigade—Lt. Col. McLean, staff only, 5.
- 13th Infantry—Lieut. Col. D. McLean, 603.
- 73rd Regiment—Lieut. Col. J. D. MacKenzie, 320.
- 74th Regiment—Lieut. Col. C. F. Fairweather, 369.
- No. 7 A. S. company—Captain H. Gray, 87.
- No. 8 Field Ambulance Corps—Maj. T. D. Walker, 68.
- Company of guides—Major Sherman, 12.
- Signaling Corps—Captain T. E. Power, 6.
- No. 8 Detachment C. O. C.—Lieut. Col. J. Armstrong, 4.

Today was taken up with muster roll, company drill and musketry inspection. The right half of the 67th regiment spent an hour from 8.30 to 9.30 o'clock, and the left half took their turn an hour later. In the afternoon the 71st were also drilled in the use of the R. C. R.,

SEVENTEEN YEARS WITH THE MORMONS

New Brunswick Home on a Visit After Long Time in Salt Lake City

After twenty-one years away from home, seventeen of which have been spent as a citizen of Salt Lake City, W. S. Farris of White's Cove, Queens county, a second cousin of Hon. L. P. Farris, will be a passenger on the steamer May Queen this morning on a visit to his old home in the shores of Grand Lake. Mr. Farris arrived here a few days ago from Salt Lake City accompanied by George A. Smith of Harvey, York county, (N. B.), who also has made his home in the Utah capital. Both have prospered there. While in St. John Mr. Farris has been visiting his brother, Randolph Farris, in Denver. Mr. Farris expressed his inability to remain home for a visit and Mr. Smith made up his mind to accompany him so they journeyed together, leisurely enjoying the sights of the cities through which they passed. They have been away since June 6 and will return together about five or six weeks from now.

Speaking to a Telegraph reporter yesterday, Mr. Farris said that before going to Salt Lake City he spent three years in Denver. In Salt Lake City he has established himself in the tea, coffee and flavoring extract business, as a manufacturer and is also interested in mining. Mr. Smith is engaged in the transfer business.

Mr. Farris said he was surprised to find prices of groceries, dry goods, boots and shoes and other staple articles higher here than in Salt Lake City. He also was pleasantly impressed with the St. John streets and says there is a striking comparison between them and those of his adopted home. There the streets are paved in the entire business portion and are kept scrupulously clean.

Salt Lake City, he said, has now 100,000 to 110,000 population and is growing rapidly. At present buildings to cost \$20,000,000 are under construction. In five years Mr. Farris believes there will be a population of 200,000. The city is 4,800 feet above sea level, the air is excellent and there is no chance for consumption there. The city depends chiefly on mining and farming and is the trade center of Utah, Nevada and Wyoming. There is a fine street car service.

As to the Mormons, Mr. Farris says they are good citizens. Plural marriage, he says, is no longer practiced, or if any case is found and proved it means penalty. Mr. Farris has been in the control of the city for some years and lately a party known as the American party has captured all the appointments and is in control.

PUGSLEY AND FOWLER IN ANOTHER TILT

St. John Wharves the Subject for Lively Cross-Firing

Ottawa, June 23.—The bulk of the morning sitting of the commons was occupied by Hon. Frank Oliver in explaining the provisions of his bill to consolidate the lands act.

The chief point of difference between the year's bill and that presented last year, he said, is that while under the provisions of last session's measure, home-owners could take up pre-emptions anywhere within the three prairie provinces. Under this year's bill, such a privilege would be confined to what is known as "dry areas," between Moose Jaw and Calgary.

Mr. Oliver also explained, in detail, the proposal which he has on the statute books since 1882 for the granting of 600,000 acres of land towards the Saskatchewan to Hudson Bay. Instead, the sums received from the sale of pre-emptions in the dry areas amounting to about \$2,000,000 are to be set aside to be expended as an aid to the construction of the railway to Hudson Bay.

Continuing his remarks after the afternoon sitting, Mr. Oliver estimated that the Hudson Bay railway would be about 500 miles long and would cost \$30,000,000. The sale of 5,000,000 acres of land at \$3 per acre would provide the total cost upon this estimate. If half of the 28,000,000 acres were pre-empted at \$3 per acre it would furnish \$84,000,000, while as stated the total cost of the railway would only be \$15,000,000. The money received from the sale of pre-emptions, however, would go in the meantime, to the credit of the receiver-general as ordinary revenue.

Mr. Oliver continued that the principle of making land grants direct to the railways.

Mr. Borden observed that Mr. Oliver had certainly shown wonderful versatility in the matter of this proposed legislation. Last year he had stoutly defended the bill then introduced and now he is proposing an equally forcible defence of a measure which was altogether different. Mr. Oliver seemed to confuse Mr. Foster with Mr. Greenway, and Mr. Foster with Mr. Greenway, and Mr. Foster with Mr. Greenway.

Mr. Borden promised that the opposition would give the measure fair consideration. He suggested that suggestions would be received by the government in the same spirit.

Col. Sam Hughes expressed regret that all the land in the North West which the government had provisioned for African and Indian settlement was now to be sold. He suggested that the land should be posted up in every land office showing all the quarter sections taken up together with the names of the homesteaders.

Consideration of the details of the bill was then taken up in committee of the whole.

At 9.30 progress was reported on the bill and the house went into committee on the estimates for harbor and railway in Nova Scotia.

Mr. Crockett took the opportunity of reminding Mr. Pugsley of the promises made during the election campaign by the federal government for wharves on the St. John river.

Mr. Pugsley did not recall these promises and Mr. Crockett refreshed his memory by reference to the reports of his speeches, whereupon he said he believed the government should spend money on wharves on the Saguenay river and not on the St. John.

Mr. Bristol, Toronto, drew attention to the fact that the St. John river was a navigable stream and should receive consideration as such. It was anomalous that the federal government should spend money on wharves on the Saguenay river and not on the St. John.

Mr. Wilfred Laurier expressed surprise at this treatment of Canadians by officials of a friendly country. The government would ask the British Ambassador at Washington to call the attention of the United States authorities to the matter.

Ottawa, June 24.—In supply all the rates for public works in Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island were passed before the house adjourned at 4 o'clock. In the question of wharves on the St. John river, Mr. Pugsley made a lively attack on the minister of public works, which was the only feature of a dull afternoon. An item for \$40,000 for dredging a channel into Porter's Lake, a harbor of refuge in Nova Scotia, gave Sam Hughes the opportunity to tell the minister that the money was being thrown away.

Mr. Roche (Halifax), gently broke in to the gallant colonel that he was talking about a subject of which he knew nothing. "I know," he said, "the superior knowledge of my honorable friend on subjects of pyrotechnics, military evolutions, gunpowder or any other form of combustibles, but on the subject of dredging he knows no more about it than a child under five."

"When it comes to running a windmill, I give place to my honorable friend," returned Col. Sam.

For the Port Hood harbor, Mr. Ames pointed out that the estimate of the completed work was increasing every year.

Mr. Pugsley explained that wages had increased, but Mr. Ames showed from the auditor general's report that this was not so, the men were paid as little as \$1.25. It was shown that the names of the men whom some is purchased or set down as James, or William or some other Christian name, and the surname is not given.

house was now paying the penalty for the government's negligence. The Land Bill of 1913 classes had not come up for the second reading till the house was new on in its seventh month. The house had not been idle, replied the premier, but progress had been blocked.

After the anti-tobacco for minors bill had been read a third time without discussion Mr. Fielding moved the second reading of his act to extend the lead bounties till 1913.

The bill provisions of which have been explained was given a second reading, put through committee and stands for a final stage. The house went into supply at 12.30.

RAILS LAID ON MONCTON TERMINUS OF G. T. PACIFIC

Moncton, June 24 (Special).—The rails of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway have entered Moncton, and the transcontinental connecting the provinces by the Atlantic, with the Pacific coast is no longer a matter of the future but a present realization. Quietly, without ostentation, the rails of the new cross continent rail were laid on Moncton today and now stretch within a few hundred yards of the I. C. R. depot. Several surveys had recently been made by the G. T. P. engineers, but no one except the railway contractors knew exactly where the new line was to be located. In a single day rails were laid and now the steam shovel has been installed and is rapidly cutting through the ground in readiness for the new line to be located. In a single day rails were laid and now the steam shovel has been installed and is rapidly cutting through the ground in readiness for the new line to be located. In a single day rails were laid and now the steam shovel has been installed and is rapidly cutting through the ground in readiness for the new line to be located.

SUMMER TOURISTS ON THE KENNEBECASIS

The summer tourist business upon the Kennebecasis is beginning to show signs of improvement. There are plenty of people looking for vacant houses at this late date and there are none to be had. Hotels are scarce and it is learned with regret that The Willows will not be open this year. Still those who like this drive need not give up the hope that, for a short distance from The Willows is the summer home of James H. Fawcett, where accommodation may be had. The hotel at Moncton is not yet completed, but there are plenty of places for boarding.

Hillhurst House at Fairville—just above Kennebecasis—is open, and this week James V. Russell and his family will arrive for the summer.

There are new summer residences at Gouda Point, and Moss Glen and Log Island are more popular than ever with the old tenants. Mrs. Diller and Mr. Matthew from New York are already located at the former place.

The steamer Premier is calling at Moss Glen this year regularly and the drive need not suffer. Through connection with the dredged passage between the islands a great convenience. This enables people from the Rosemont to make quick trips to the Intercolonial as Moss Glen is only three miles from the St. John river. Excursion parties from Rosemont to the Intercolonial are planned for Monday and on Dominion Day a big picnic with an evening dance at Clifton is being arranged for. The local ferry steamer brings the east and west banks of the river closer and is encouraging more social life in the community.

I. C. R. SUMMER TIME TABLE

Moncton, June 24 (Special).—The I. C. R. summer time table, bringing with it a number of changes in the running time of trains, comes into effect today. Through connection with the dredged passage between the islands a great convenience. This enables people from the Rosemont to make quick trips to the Intercolonial as Moss Glen is only three miles from the St. John river. Excursion parties from Rosemont to the Intercolonial are planned for Monday and on Dominion Day a big picnic with an evening dance at Clifton is being arranged for. The local ferry steamer brings the east and west banks of the river closer and is encouraging more social life in the community.

TUPPER'S FAREWELL TO POLITICS FULL OF HOPE FOR PARTY

Writes Pictou Conservatives That He Has Full Confidence in His Leader and His Triumph in the Coming Elections.

Halifax, N. S., June 24.—Sir C. H. Tupper has addressed the following letter to the electors of Pictou:

"Gentlemen,—It is with unfeigned regret I have, for personal reasons, to tender my resignation as a candidate at the next general election for the county of Pictou. In fact, I find it is distinctly understood that my retirement is not due to any lack of confidence in my leader, Mr. Borden, his policy or in the success in the campaign. On the contrary, I confidently believe that the Conservatives will triumph throughout Canada. Of this I have not the slightest doubt. The following indications, happily, increase daily.

"In retiring from public life I can assure you that I fully realize the position which I occupy, and I am absolutely certain that you were ready to welcome me back to the county of Pictou, and to my native province. Knowing me, as they do, I am sure they will believe the reasons for the course I am taking are insuperable.

"I sincerely trust that this announcement is given in sufficient time before the election, to enable my successor in the candidature to go into the field without handicap, and I sincerely hope that the Conservatives already won, whomsoever the choice of the convention may fall, will be able to redeem the county of Pictou and bring it into line with the constituencies already won by the Conservatives, and those yet to be won back to the support of the Conservative cause.

ST. JOHN SHRINERS AT FREDERICTON

Initiate Nineteen Members Into the Mysteries of the Order—Teachers' Convention Opens Thursday Morning.

Fredericton, N. B., June 23.—The Ancient Order of Mystic Shriners of St. John held a meeting in Masonic Hall here this evening and initiated nineteen candidates. At the conclusion of the ceremony refreshments were served and a pleasant hour was spent in social intercourse. The visiting party included Charles Everett, W. B. Wallace, Dr. G. A. Hetherington, Dr. L. A. McAlpine, F. A. Jones, and A. McNicol.

It is expected that upwards of 300 teachers will attend the institute meeting which opens here Thursday morning.

The residence of Deputy Receiver General Geo. O. Baber stood before a scene of a happy event this afternoon when his daughter, Margaret, one of the city's most popular young ladies, was joined in matrimony to Allan K. Grimmer, city engineer of Fredericton formerly of St. Andrews. Rev. Suburban Street performed the ceremony in the presence of about forty guests, mostly relatives of the contracting party.

The drawing-room was prettily decorated with flowers and a table beneath a floral bed of snowballs and simlax. There was no bridesmaid but Marjorie Babbitt the bride's niece was flower girl and carried a basket of pink carnations. The bride wore a white dress and a bouquet of white roses while the flower girl wore embroidered mule over pink and carried a basket of pink carnations. The bride was the recipient of many handsome presents in silver, ware, cut glass and china, etc.

The groom's present was a hoop of pearls and to the flower girl he gave her brooch and to the best man a pearl pin.

The gift of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Grimmer, was a case of silverware. The happy couple will go west by the evening train on their bridal tour to be absent about a fortnight.

Local companies of the Seventy-first regiment in command of Major Grey left here this morning for Camp Sussex. The companies were well up to strength and the men made a good appearance in their new uniforms and paval caps.

The city schools will close at noon tomorrow for the summer holidays. The high school graduates number twenty-nine and the University of New Brunswick captured the governor general's bronze medal for English. Other prizes included Douglas Medal, Grace Machum; Coulthard Medal, Harry R. Munroe; Mathematical prize, presented by the University of New Brunswick, George E. Smith; Class of '07 prize for French, Hazel S. Cook; Class of '07 prize for history, Elizabeth J. Kelly; Mr. MacNutt is a son of L. C. MacNutt, editor of the Herald.

In London the tea-tables are used by all classes of people day and night, and the uniform rate of 1s. 6d. is charged. All present a most attractive appearance in chocolate, blue, yellow, red and green hues, with chauffers in the brightest and smartest liveries.

Lightning Killed Man While Reading.

Toronto, June 23 (Special).—John Patterson, of Yarmouth Centre, a M. C. R. foreman was struck by lightning and killed, while reading a paper in his front yard.

The Last Resort

"No, Grant, you are not going to have any more chocolate, and you mustn't go out in the rain, and you can't have the cuckoo clock to play with, and you mayn't have that little white doll."

"Then, please, mummy, may I cry?"

"Punch."

Is the Danger Realized?

How few people realize the vast amount of ill-health that arises from the absorption of Catarrh of the Bladder. This disease is a frequent cause of the various ailments which are usually ascribed to the kidneys, and it is the only one which can be cured by the use of the "Bladder Cure" which is sold by the "Bladder Cure" Company, 1014-1015-1016-1017, Ont. Can. Ad. 1014-1015-1016-1017.

Black Watch

The Smoking Tobacco

Quality

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HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO ESTABLISHED 1867
B. E. WALKER, President
ALEX. LAIRD, General Manager
Paid-up Capital, \$10,000,000
Reserve Fund - 5,000,000

If You Have a Bird Wash To Do
tell your husband he must get you a
"Putman"
Reacting Washing Machine

HARTLAND FARMERS
MAKE SUGGESTIONS
(Continued from page 1.)
The decline of the dairy industry...

BORDER MASONS IN
DISTRICT CONVENTION
Seven Lodges Met at St. Andrews,
and Banquet at the Algonquin.

ST. MARY'S CONVENT,
NEWCASTLE, CLONING
Newcastle, June 25—The annual closing exercises...

BIRTHS
MARCHI—At Hampton Station, Kings county...

MARRIAGES
TUPPER-VIETS—At Holy Trinity Church,
June 24, by the rector, Rev. Wm. Driffield...

DEATHS
MACKAY—In this city, on the 23rd inst.,
Annie Young, 42-year-old daughter of
James Mackay...

JUNE WEDDINGS

Stenhouse-Neivins.
At 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon Miss
Vera Neivins was united in marriage to
Charles Stenhouse...

Ross-White.
A very pretty wedding took place Wed-
nesday afternoon at the residence of the
bride's father...

Robertson-Bonell.
Gordon A. Robertson of Queens County
(P.E.I.) and Miss Jennina Jane Bonnell...

Waring-Allen.
An interesting nuptial event took place
in Trinity church Wednesday morning at
6 o'clock...

Hamilton-White.
A pretty wedding took place Wednes-
day at 8:30 o'clock at the residence of
Harry F. White...

Andrews-Mason.
A quiet but pretty wedding took place
Wednesday at 6 o'clock at the residence
of Alfred E. Mason...

Wilson-Dingee.
The home of Captain John Dingee, 106
Melrose street, was the scene of a pretty
wedding Wednesday at 8 p. m. when his
daughter, Miss Lucy E. Dingee...

Thomson-Powers.
A very pretty wedding and one which
has been looked forward to with interest
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Woodcock News.
Woodstock, June 25—John Harley died
at his residence, Trace Mills, on
Tuesday in the presence of his wife and
two sons...

A Good Nerve Tonic.
Will act, not so much directly upon the
nerves as upon the digestive functions and
the abundant formation of red, vitalizing
blood...

OBITUARY

Dr. Robert Boyd.
Dr. Robert Boyd, of Houlton, died Sun-
day at his home in Lunenburg...

Arthur Sutherland.
Died, June 24—Arthur Sutherland,
youngest son of the late Joseph Suther-
land, died at his home in Westport...

Mrs. Hannah S. Northrup.
The death of Mrs. Hannah S. Northrup,
widow of Daniel D. Northrup, occurred
at Kingston, Kings county...

John Hazen's Funeral at King-
ston.
The closing of the Consolidated School
at Kingston was postponed from Tuesday
until Wednesday, because of the wish of
survivors...

MEN'S SUITS

We have the most complete stock of Men's Suits at Low
est Prices ever shown in the city.
Men's Suits, S. B. and D. B.
\$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$10.00

ST. JOHN MARKETS

Table with market prices for various goods including flour, sugar, and other commodities.

BOY KILLED BY FALL INTO QUARRY

Four-year-old Lad Down Steep
Cliff at Brookville to
Death
Frank Adams, the four-year-old son of
Harold S. Adams, clerk in the office of
R. G. Dun & Company here, was killed
in an old quarry near his father's home
at Brookville Thursday afternoon...

ANTI-TOBACCO BILL FOR YOUTH'S PASSES HOUSE

Ottawa, June 21—The bill to restrain
the use of tobacco by young persons
which passed the house of commons in
the case for its main provision the fol-
lowing:
"Everyone is guilty of an offence and
liable on summary conviction in the case
of a first offence to a penalty not exceed-
ing \$10 and in the case of a second offence
to a penalty not exceeding \$25, and in the case
of a third or subsequent offence, to a
penalty not exceeding \$100, who directly or
indirectly sells, gives or furnishes to a person
under the age of eighteen years any cigarette
or cigarette papers, whether for his own use or
not, or sells or gives to such a person tobacco
in any form, other than cigarettes, which
tobacco he knows or has reason to believe
is for the use of that person."

LANCASTER NO. 1 SCHOOL MEETING

An annual meeting of the rate payers
of school district No. 1, in the parish of
Lancaster, was held last Saturday evening
in the Tower schoolroom, when trustees
were elected for the ensuing year. The sum
of \$1,000 was voted for school purposes
and considerable routine business was
transacted. John Montgomery was
chairman of the meeting.

Overpowered With Headache

Nothing is so sure and so good as a
good dose of Novium—simply a natural
digestion of the best wheat germ. It
proves, in a few minutes, the most
thoroughly effective remedy for
overpowered with headache.