

# MEIGHEN SHATTERED FOINDEST HOPES OF THE PROGRESSIVES

### Former Premier's Budget Speech Altered the Whole Parliamentary Situation.

### SAID PARTY WOULD VOTE AGAINST BUDGET

### This Was Surprise to Govern- ment and Caused Discom- fort to Progressives.

#### Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, June 6.—Mr. Meighen's speech on the budget, today, altered the whole parliamentary situation. Up to today the Progressives had banked on the Conservatives voting for the main budget resolution.

They assumed that Mr. Meighen having voted for the Drayton amendment and thus expressed his disapproval of the Government's betrayal of its pledges, would support the budget resolution itself because in character it is protectionist. Accordingly, they decided that they would vote against both the Drayton amendment and the budget resolution, reasoning that the Government would thus be enabled to defeat the amendment and the budget resolution, and in other words, that their tactics would ensure against a government defeat and consequently against possibility of an election.

#### Upsets The Dope.

Mr. Meighen today upset this plan. He declared that his party would vote against the budget, much to the surprise of the Government and to the complete discomfiture of the Progressives.

The result is that the Progressives, publicly pledged to vote against the budget, will be compelled to line up with the Conservatives against the Ministry which, being in the minority of one in the House, will depend upon the vote of two British Columbia members, one Mr. Neil, returned as an Independent, and the other, Mr. McBride, a Progressive of Liberal lineage. Should these two vote with the Ministry it will be sustained by a majority of one to two, but, on the other hand, should they decide to bolt the defeat of the Government will be inevitable.

Mr. Meighen's speech today was a performance of exceeding brilliance. For an hour and a half he held the crowded House and galleries in the hollow of his hand, as with merciless thrust and sally he dissected the alleged Liberal betrayal of its platform, and the Progressive failure to indict the party's treason.

His greatest achievement, perhaps, certainly the most dramatic incident of the day, was when he drew the veteran Fielding to his feet with a specific and astonishing repudiation of the Liberal tariff platform. Mr. Meighen was citing the tariff plank as having been subscribed to by the Minister of Finance when Mr. Fielding, to the almost consternation of his colleagues, arose and said: "My Rt. Hon. Friend has no authority for that statement. I tell him he is mistaken. I never voted for the tariff items of the Liberal platform, and never concealed the fact that I did not approve of the platform in that respect."

Mr. Meighen—"I venture to say that this is the first time any one outside the four walls of the convention itself knew that the Minister of Finance objected to the tariff plank being enacted."

Mr. Fielding—"My Rt. Hon. Friend is the first one to make such a statement (that Mr. Fielding had subscribed to the tariff plank) and I merely desired to correct him."

Mr. Meighen—"But did not my Hon. Friend go before the convention as a candidate after it had adopted that platform?"

Mr. Fielding—"That is hardly correct, but we shall deal with it later." The House, having tended to strange incidents, was staggered by the Minister's declaration. In one sentence Mr. Fielding had utterly repudiated, not only his party and its platform, but the cabinet colleagues who sat around him and with whom he is supposed, by long tradition, to have collective responsibility.

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## FRENCH OLYMPIC COMMITTEE MET

Paris, June 6.—The French Olympic Committee with 25 federations represented, held a meeting today to proceed with the organization of Olympic games for 1924.

## "CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTORS HAVE NO RIGHT TO CIVIL SERVICE POSITIONS

### British Legion Regard It As Flagrant Injustice to Ex-Ser- vice Men to Keep Such in Government Employ.

London, June 6.—(By Canadian Press Cable)—At the resumption here today of the first national conference of the British Legion, which was opened on June 5, under the chairmanship of Lord Haig, a resolution was passed to the effect that the reinstatement of conscientious objectors in the civil service was a flagrant injustice to ex-service men, as long as the conscientious objectors were retained in the service and called upon the government to find employment for the ex-service men.

## WILL RESUME IRISH PARLEY IN LONDON

### It Is Understood Discussion Will Centre on the Draft of Constitution.

## COLLINS-DE VALERA PACT SECONDARY

### Intimated That Constitution Has Been Altered Since Collins Returned to Dublin

Dublin, June 6.—Arthur Griffith, president of the Dail Eireann, left Dublin for London tonight to resume discussions with the British Government at a conference to be held in Downing Street at 11.30 tomorrow morning. Michael Collins, head of the Provisional Government, remains in Dublin awaiting the cold contact during his strenuous activities of the past week.

It is understood that the London Conference will center on the draft of the constitution, the Collins-DeValera pact being considered a subsidiary issue. It is not known whether the constitution has been altered materially since Mr. Griffith returned to Dublin, but it is certain that the draft is being taken to London to be submitted again to the British ministers.

#### Gives Hope

The publicity department of the Republican party, led by Eamonn De Valera, today sent the following cable to the secretary of the American Association for Recognition of the Irish Republic, who is in Washington:

"Stephen O'Mara, mayor of Limerick, speaking at Limerick, said the Irish troops continued to aid and abet the Orangemen of the North in their murder campaign, and as long as war was the British alternative to acceptance by Ireland of the Free State treaty, the organizations friendly to Ireland are certain to hold the balance of power in the Congressional elections next November."

Mayor O'Mara recently represented De Valera party on a mission to the United States.

## FREDERICTON MAN BECOMES SUICIDE

### Well Known Young Man of Capital City Takes Carbol- ic Acid.

Special to The Standard.  
Fredericton, June 6.—R. Trimpe Donohoe, a well known young man of this city, took his own life by taking carbolic acid. He did this in the Central House Station, King St., about 5 o'clock as far as known, but the driver of the car did not see the act. Donohoe, telling them of it, Medical aid was summoned at once and first aid measures applied before the man was rushed to the Victoria Hospital where he was found impossible to save the young man's life and death came at about 6.30.

The deceased left a note at his home stating that he was going away. At the home station he spent some time during the day and tried to induce several persons to purchase carbolic acid for him. He did this in a joking manner, however, and was not taken seriously. After securing a phial of the poison he frustrated an attempt to take it from him by laughing and saying that he was going to use it as a disinfectant.

Deceased was about 25 years of age and lived here and in various other places in the Province as a trained nurse. Although he seemed to be in good spirits today it is believed that his health inspired the act.

## HALIFAX TO HAVE CARNIVAL WEEK

### Many Sporty Features for the Entertainment of Visi- tors August 7-12.

Halifax, June 6.—The dates of August 7 to 12 have been set for the proposed Halifax carnival week. Features will include a race of show fishing schooners, horse races, regattas, athletics, etc. A United States naval squadron of three ships with hundreds of midshipmen in training on board will, according to the present schedule be here.

## PREMIER LENINE HAS GASTRITIS

Riga, June 6.—M. Yureneff, Russian Soviet ambassador to Latvia, announced today that Premier Lenin was suffering from acute gastritis with a high temperature following an attack on May 28. An official bulletin issued today says the Soviet Premier's condition shows some improvement.

## HELD BLAMELESS BY CORNER'S JURY

Sydney, N. S., June 6.—August MacDonald, of this place, was today formally absolved by a coroner's jury of all blame in connection with the death of Miss Elsie Northam four years old, who was run down by MacDonald's car at Westmount, recently, and who died of her injuries.

## GENERAL RILEY AND MEN SHAKE DUST OF OTTAWA

### Leave the Nation's Capital Displeased With Results of Visit.

## HANDED SANDWICH FOR GRATUITY

### Says He Will Return to Cap- ital With An Army of Thousands.

Ottawa, June 6.—General Frank Riley and his army of unemployed veterans said good-bye to Ottawa today when they left for Toronto by train. The change of plans by the General came after the men had spent some hours in the rain on their first stage of what was to be the return trip to Toronto.

"I am leaving now, but I am coming back with an army of thousands. After all we are the real veterans. The G. W. V. A. and the G. A. U. V. will be disbanded, and it is up to us to go back to Toronto and to organize the only real veterans' association in existence. We have been handed a sandwich. These sandwiches are the Government's gratuity to the men," were Riley's parting words.

Toronto, June 6.—General Riley and his band of unemployed veterans arrived at a suburban station at 7 p.m. tonight, and detouring paraded to Queens Park, where demolition will take place.

## TWO NEW MEMBERS OF MANITOBA GOVT

### Robert Jacob Becomes At- torney General, John Williams Minister of Agriculture.

Winnipeg, Man., June 6.—Robert Jacob, of Winnipeg, and John Williams, of Port Arthur, today at noon took oath of office as Attorney General and Minister of Agriculture, respectively, in the new government headed by Hon. T. C. Norris.

Mr. Jacob, a well known Winnipeg lawyer and a former member of the Legislature, succeeds Hon. T. H. Johnson, and Mr. Williams, present member for Port Arthur Constituency, takes the place vacated by Hon. Geo. Macdonald. Both Mr. Johnson and Mr. Malcolm announce that for the present they are quitting public life.

Mr. Jacob will be a Liberal candidate in the forthcoming election. Mr. Williams will seek to retain his seat in Port Arthur. In the reorganization of the Norris Cabinet the place made vacant by the resignation of Hon. J. W. Armstrong, Provincial Secretary, remains to be filled. Reports that the resignation of Hon. Edward Brown, provincial treasurer would precede the election have not been verified as yet. It is expected that the election will be held about mid-July.

## TOUCHED LIGHTED MATCH TO DRESS

### From Resulant Burns Ten Year Old Montreal Girl Dies.

Montreal, June 6.—Fatally burned, when her clothing was set on fire by a little cousin with whom she was playing on June 4, Louise Emily Stephen, ten years old, 15 Torrance street, died at her home this morning.

Coroner McKelban returned a verdict of accidental death when assured by the father of the dead child that he did not blame the other for the tragedy. Evidence submitted was to the effect that the girl was visiting her aunt, Mrs. Patrick Kieran, 24 Torrance street, when her dress was set on fire by her aunt's little son who held a match to her dress "in fun."

## FRIENDLY RELATIONS ARE ADVOCATED

### Suggested in Appeal to Pales- tine Distributed by Moslem Masons.

London, June 6.—(By Mail)—Friendly relations between Arabs and Jews are advocated in an appeal to the population of Palestine which has been distributed all over Palestine by the Moslem Masonic Lodge of Egypt on the occasion of the Nebi Musa Festival.

It is addressed in the name of Liberty, Equality and Fraternity by the Grand National Lodge of Egyptian Arabs to Imams and the depositaries of the Holy Law, to spiritual heads of all other religions, Christians, Jews, etc., without any distinction of race or faith, to the whole people of Palestine, great and small, and to men and women without distinction of nationality or religion. It calls to all in the name of Freemasonry and Humanity to remember that the Jews are "our brothers and cousins who have been expelled from their country, and who have obtained success and prosperity."

The appeal refers to Canada and Switzerland as countries occupied by peoples of diverse races who live together in unity to their mutual advantage.

## MUCH DEPENDS ON ACTION OF COMMISSION

### Reparations and War Debts Closely Allied, According to French Viewpoint.

## AMERICANS READY TO DISCUSS PAYMENTS

### French Attitude Governed Largely by Decision of Commission on German Reparations.

Paris, June 6.—Notification from Washington that the United States government was ready to discuss the settlement of war debts was presented to the foreign office this afternoon by Sheldon Whitehouse, Chancellor of the United States Embassy. The fact that the settlement of war debts is understood, in official circles, as a reply to Premier Poincare's note to the Debt Commission informing it that a French mission, headed by Jean V. Parmentier, had been appointed and was ready to proceed to the United States whenever the commission deemed it advisable. M. Parmentier is only awaiting the word from Premier Poincare. It was explained at the Ministry of Finance this afternoon. While the foreign office is reticent, pending the Premier's decision, which may be delayed until the Bankers' Commission and the reparations commission finish their work or arrive at a point where it may be foreseen with some certainty what the results will be.

## REPARATION AND WAR DEBTS ALLED

The payment of reparations and the payment of war debts are closely allied in the French viewpoint, and it is held that M. Poincare, in opposing any reduction of the total due from Germany, is really protecting the interests of the creditors of France, whose capacity for payments is affected by any reductions or postponements of payments by Germany. Consequently, it is thought that final instructions to M. Parmentier may be modified by any action of the Reparations' Commission tomorrow.

The secret of today's deliberations of the commission is closely guarded; the delegates are dumb as to what action they are likely to take at the official meeting in the morning. It is forecast in well-informed quarters, however, that the French attitude will be sustained so far as it concerns the reduction of Germany's reparations debt.

## WARSAW UNIFYING ITS ARMAMENT

### It Will Involve Scrapping Bulk of Material Gathered in Past Four Years.

Warsaw, June 6.—The Polish republic has begun the unification of its armament which, it has been found, will involve the scrapping of the bulk of the material accumulated from various sources during the past four years.

The renewed equipment will be one more step in the transformation of the Polish emergency force to a methodically organized national body. Purchases are being made principally in France to replace that part of the old material that cannot be used for the equipment of the new army which, on a peace basis, was fixed at 250,000 men in the last budget.

French officers are helping in the reorganization of the army, but in much smaller numbers than served during the campaign against the Bolsheviks. There were then 1,986 French officers in the field; there are now 66, all told, attached to the army as instructors in the Polish military school.

## CHARGED WITH MANSLAUGHTER

### Sydney Youth Held in Con- nection With Death of 12 Year Old Boy.

Sydney, N. S., June 6.—Fraser Cunningham, 18, of Sydney, charged with manslaughter in connection with the death of Johnny Scott, 12, Glace Bay, has been released on bail and will be given a preliminary hearing before Magistrate McCulloch Thursday.

The Scott boy was run down last Thursday at Glace Bay by an automobile driven by Cunningham and died Monday in the general hospital.

## SUN YAT SEN NOT TO RESIGN OFFICE

### Says Canton Administration Represents Only Legal Gov't in South China.

Peking, June 6.—Sun Yat Sen, president of the Republic of South China, will refuse to resign and thus clear the way for Wu Pei Fu's plan to reunite under one Government, according to advice received from Canton. Sun contends that the Canton administration represents the only legal Government in China.

## PRIME MINISTER AND MEIGHEN CLASHED IN THE BUDGET DEBATE

### MORE SURVIVORS ARE LOCATED FROM S. S. VILLA FRANCA

Buenos Aires, June 6.—Discovery of additional survivors from the wreck of the steamship Villa Franca on the Parana river has brought the estimated death list from eighty to thirty-four, according to advices to La Nación, from Posadas near the scene. It is believed the figure will be still further reduced by a search of the more remote spots on the Paraguayan shore.

## RECOVERY OF MYLES IS NOW ANTICIPATED

### Two Warrants Have Been Issued for His Arrest on Recovery from Wounds.

Halifax, N. S., June 6.—Ralph Myles, the young soldier who was found apparently mortally wounded beside the dead body of his sweetheart, Florence Miles, here on Friday last, was able to sit up and take nourishment today at the Victoria General Hospital and his recovery is anticipated.

Myles faces, on his recovery, two arrest warrants. One charges him with procuring and counselling Florence Miles to commit suicide, for which offence a maximum penalty of life imprisonment is provided. The second charges him with attempted suicide, which, if proved, would make him liable to two years imprisonment. Medical examiner W. D. Finn, filed a report today on the death of Florence Miles in which he called for an inquiry before a city magistrate into the facts of the case. He found that death was due to a bullet wound, but whether or not as the result of suicide he was unable to determine. Myles has stated that the double shooting followed a suicide pact and has maintained that he does not wish to live.

## HELICOPTER HAS NOT YET BEEN TRIED

### The Machine Has Not Been Taken Out of Shed, Says Inventor.

London, June 6.—Louis Brennan, in an interview with the Evening News today, said reports appearing in other English newspapers regarding the success of the inventor's Helicopter were unfounded. "The simple truth is that the machine has not been out of its shed," he was quoted as saying. "We cannot tell from experiments with the machine, he said, whether the full size machine will answer the conditions. My big machine will not be tested until autumn."

A responsible official of the air ministry declaring this afternoon that the printed claims made regarding the helicopter were exaggerated saying the ministry proposed a prize of £50,000 would remain open.

## CRERAR AMENDMENT WAS OUT OF ORDER

### Speaker Lemieux's Ruling Sustained by Vote of 122 to 65.

Ottawa, Ont., June 6.—By a vote of 122 to 65, a majority of 57, the ruling of Speaker Lemieux declaring the Crerar sub-amendment out of order was sustained. Liberals and Conservatives voted together in support of the Speaker's ruling. The Progressives voted solidly in opposition to it. Hon. A. B. Hudson, Independent Liberal member for Winnipeg, South, voted with the Progressives.

## ESCAPED BY ROPE WEAVED FROM TWINES

St. Johns, Nfld., June 6.—Weaving a rope out of the twines which he used in the making of brooms, Kitchener Edwards, of Change Islands, escaped from the penitentiary here, the first to perform that feat in ten years. He had served one month of a twelve months sentence for larceny.

## GRIFFITH AND COLLINS WILL HAVE TO FIGHT FOR THEIR SEATS IN DAIL

### Hostile Crowd Forces Farmer Candidate for Waterford and East Tipperary to Withdraw from Contest.

Belfast, June 6.—Donaghy will not have an election, all of the former six members of the Dail being named without contest. Arthur Griffith must fight for his seat for Cavan, as well as Michael Collins for South Cork.

A Waterford report says that a crowd approached the home of D. J. Green, farmer candidate for Waterford and East Tipperary, on Saturday. Believing them to be hostile he opened fire which was returned. Green being wounded in the arm. Since then he has withdrawn as a candidate.

### Ex-Premier Denounced Lib- erals for Failure to Imple- ment Their Pre-Election Pledges.

## PREMIER KING DEFENDED BUDGET

### Renewed Declaration He Re- garded 1919 Platform As Chart to Guide His Party.

Ottawa, June 6.—(By Canadian Press.)—The Prime Minister and leader of the opposition clashed in the budget debate, and the galleries filled anew with people who suffered the discomforts of a sultry day to listen to the sounds of verbal battle. It was one of the most interesting days which the debate has brought forth, and, coming after several days when the House was almost in the doldrums, it was a welcome change.

When the House opened, Mr. Speaker or Lemieux ruled out of order the sub-amendment offered by Mr. Crerar yesterday.

Mr. Crerar appealed from the ruling, but the Speaker was upheld in a vote of 122 to 65. Hon. A. B. Hudson of South Winnipeg, who was returned as an Independent Liberal, voted with the Progressives and against the ruling.

#### Meighen in Action.

Then with the decks cleared, Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen came into action. Mr. Meighen defended the principle of protection, urged that it would be unsafe to leave Canadian manufacturers at the mercy of their American competitors, and denounced the Liberals for having failed to implement their pre-election promises to the electors. The Liberals had promised to place 17 classes of commodities on the free list at that time 10 were free and seven dutiable. Now the figures are reversed and only seven were free. The only articles made free under the budget were porcelain parts for pumps.

The Prime Minister, who spoke briefly, renewed his declaration that as an Independent Liberal, he was not bound by the Liberal platform and did not approve them.

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## STRIKE VOTE BY RAILWAY WORKERS

### 1,200,000 Men to Pass on Re- jection or Acceptance of Wage Reductions Ordered.

Cincinnati, June 6.—A strike vote of approximately 1,200,000 railway workers of the United States will be taken by the individual unions affected by Railroad Labor Board wage reductions recently ordered and pending. It was decided at a conference of union leaders here today. The vote, in each organization, will be returnable within thirty days after the Board announces a wage cut for that class of employees, the vote of the shop crafts, whose reduction was ordered by the Board today, being returnable June 30.





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WHAT OTHERS SAY
Public Ownership in Germany.
(Ottawa Journal.)

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winning the war should have brought, was thrown away as a result of the lenient treatment accorded to the Germans by the Allies in the war negotiations.

more or less clandestine and secret private agreements, and between these two the balance of public interest is enormously in favor of the former.

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THE NEW GAME FOR STATESMEN.
(Cleveland Plain Dealer.)
Lloyd George is a man of the people who does not maintain the economic aspect, but he rather cratically keeps the issue of war or peace constantly in the minds of his hearers.

THE BRIDGE OF SIGH.
Tom (sighing)—Yeah, there were several men present with rather winning personalities—Judge.

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FROM HAMBURG TO THE PERSIAN GULF.
Appropos of Hon. Mr. Baxter's remarks regarding Germany, the following article from the London Free Press is worth noting:

THE KING AND THE EMPEROR.
The British Empire seems at times too vast and shapeless to be real, and sometimes the imagination wanders and follows before its dividing soul.

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MR. BAXTER ON GERMANY.
There is not the slightest need for Mr. Baxter to display the least reticence about announcing the views he holds regarding the treatment accorded to Germany by her former adversaries.

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(London Daily News.)
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# THE STANDARD'S FINANCIAL SECTION

## Further Confusion In Prices Created On N. Y. Exchange

Divergent Speculative Opinions Produced Uncertain Trend to Trade—Independent Steel Loses.

New York, June 6—Divergent speculative opinions, as indicated by buying and selling orders in the same issues, created further confusion of prices in the stock market today. Dealings slackened visibly from recent active periods, sales barely exceeding one million shares.

Independent steel sustained additional losses in consequence of the action of the federal trade commission in the Bethlehem-Lackawanna Steel merger. Lackawanna fell four points and gross declines of 1 to 2 points were made by kindred shares.

United States Steel, which has shown especial strength since chairman Gary's recent appearance before the Lockwood committee, rose to within a fraction of its high record made yesterday, but closed at a nominal reaction.

Speculative Group  
Favorites of the oil, motor, equipment and metal groups were under steady pressure, final prices in a majority of instances showing moderate losses. Investment funds repeated their laudable movements of the past few weeks but minor or speculative transactions developed sudden activity and strength on heavy buying of Toledo, St. Louis and Western common and preferred, Peoria and Eastern; Lake Erie and Western common and preferred, Western Maryland Pacific common and preferred, Pittsburgh and West Virginia and New Haven.

Final prices in these varied issues showed net gains of one to six 1/4 points. Declaration of full dividends for the year on "Nickel Plate" second preferred provoked favorable criticism.

Better business conditions were reflected in the higher schedules posted for structural steels, textiles, refined copper and raw and refined sugars.

The opening of four per cent for all loans soon gave way to 3 1/2 per cent, most of the day's money being placed at the lower quotation.

## N. Y. Quotations

(Compiled by McDougall and Cowan 58 Prince Wm. St.)  
New York, June 6  
Open High Low Close  
Alhed Chem. 70 71 70 71 1/2  
Am Bosh 46 46 46 46 1/2  
Am Loco 116 115 115 115 1/2  
Am Int Corp 48 48 48 48 1/2  
Am Sugar 79 79 79 79  
Am Wool 94 94 94 94  
Am Smelters 84 84 84 84  
Am C and F 168 168 168 168  
Asphalt 65 65 65 65  
Am Tele 123 123 123 123  
All Gulf 43 43 43 43  
Anaconda 56 56 56 56  
Am Can 50 50 50 50  
Atchafalpa 99 99 99 99  
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Northern Pac 75 75 75 75  
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Pierce Ar 19 19 19 19  
Pacific Oil 45 45 45 45  
Pure Oil 34 34 34 34  
Panta Sugar 48 48 48 48  
Pere Mar 38 38 38 38  
Reading 74 74 74 74  
Rock Island 44 44 44 44  
Ry Dutch 65 65 65 65  
Re Sires 65 65 65 65  
R I and S 73 73 73 73  
St Paul 27 27 27 27  
South Ry 24 24 24 24  
South Pac 89 89 89 89  
Sudabaker 125 125 125 125  
Trans Ry 18 18 18 18  
T F C and O 31 31 31 31  
Utah Opr 67 67 67 67  
Union Oil 24 24 24 24  
Union Pac 188 188 188 188  
U S Rubber 85 85 85 85  
Westing 65 65 65 65  
Sterling 45 45  
N Y Funds—1 p.c.  
Total sales—1,155,600.

## Trading Less Active And Narrower List On Montreal Market

Losses Exceed Gains, But Were Insignificant—Canada Cement Most Active.

Montreal, June 6—Irregularity in matter of strength, and a falling off in activity, with a slightly narrower list was apparent in today's dealings on the local stock exchange. Losses exceeded gains, but were, with one exception, insignificant while a number of the advances were considerable.

Canada Cement led the market and closed firm at 93. Lake of the Woods continued the milling issues strength by gaining 3 1/2 points at 167 1/2. The two other most active issues were weak, Toronto Railway closing down 1/2 at 72 1/2 and Breweries was off 1/2 at 55 1/2.

On its first appearance in over two years, Canada Forgings, preferred, showed a net loss of twenty-two points on the turnover of a board lot at 60. On the other hand, Dominion Textile preferred also with only a board lot sold, closed at a new high of 112 for a net advance of 2 points while the common was up a point at 165.

Papers Quiet  
The papers were again quiet. Abitibi was off 1/4; Brompton up 1/2; Laurentide was unchanged and Spanish preferred was up 1/2. Riordon sold up 1/2 points.

Canadian General Electric was off 1/2 at 80. Steamships was off 1/2 at the preferred issue off a point. St. Lawrence Flour touched a new high of 88 and closed at 86 for a net gain of a point. Twin City closed up 1/2.

Bond activity was about as yesterday with only a narrow list appearing. Total sales: listed 8,432; bonds \$128,500.

## Montreal Sales

(Compiled by McDougall and Cowan 58 Prince Wm. St.)  
Montreal, June 6  
Open High Low Close  
Abitibi 51 51 50 50 1/2  
Asb Com 56 56 56 56  
All Sugar 25 25 25 25  
Brompton 30 30 30 30  
Brazilian 48 48 48 48  
Bell Tele 110 110 109 110  
B E 2nd Pfd 35 35 35 35  
Peter Lyall 40 40 40 40  
Can Conv 82 82 84 82 1/2  
Can S S Pfd 53 53 52 52  
Can Gen Com 28 28 28 28  
Can Cef Pfd 56 56 56 56  
Can Gen Com 69 70 69 69  
Can Cem Pfd 94 94 94 94  
Dom Bridge 73 73 73 73  
Gen Electric 80 80 80 80  
Mon Power 81 81 81 81  
Nat Breweries 56 56 55 55  
Laurentide 87 87 87 87  
Riordon 11 11 11 11  
Span R Com 87 87 87 87  
Span R Pfd 96 96 94 94  
Steel Canada 75 75 74 75  
Quebec Ry 27 27 27 27  
Quebec Bds 71 71 71 71  
Shawinigan 105 105 105 105  
Smelting 24 24 24 24  
Toronto Ry 74 74 72 72  
Textile 164 165 164 165

## Raw Sugar Futures Market Active And Prices Higher

Market for Refined is Higher With Good Inquiry Reported.

New York, June 6—The early raw sugar market was firm with June and July shipment Cubas quoted at 2 1/2 cents cost and freight, equal to 4.33 for centrifugals, with Porto Rico and Philippines Islands spot quoted at 4.31. The only sale reported was 5,000 bags of Porto Rico for second half July shipment to an operator at 140.

The raw sugar futures market was active and prices were higher on trade and commission house buying, prompted by the strength in the spot market. Values at midday were 5 to 7 points net higher.

The market for refined was firmer and prices were unchanged to ten points higher with a good inquiry reported. Fine granulated is listed at 5.70 to 5.80. Refined futures nominal.

## Lumbermen Heard On Crow's Nest Pass Rate Agreement

All Opposed to Bringing It Into Effect As It Would Injure Other Sections.

Special to The Standard  
Ottawa, June 6—A. Clark, representing the Canadian Lumbermen's Association, composed of the manufacturers of lumber and wholesale dealers in all the provinces, except Prince Edward Island, told the committee on transportation rates this morning that, accepting the statement of the railways as to the effect of the return of Crow's Nest agreement, they were unalterably opposed to such return. The lumbermen were also opposed to the agreement on the ground that, in the opinion of transportation interests, its return would mean the preventing of reductions on basic commodities. They suggested that the latter should be secured and that the suspension of the agreement be continued, pending the conducting of a thorough inquiry by the Railway Commission into the entire rate structure with a view to reduction and the removal of alleged discriminations.

T. Marshall, representing the Toronto Board of Trade, stated his organization took the position that if the reinstatement of the rates under the return of Crow's Nest agreement were the result, as was stated, in the depletion of the railways revenues to such an extent as to withhold a general reduction in rates, then the interests of the whole of Canada would, in his opinion, be best served by the further suspension of the agreement, in order that all traffic, the rates on which have been advanced, might share in the readjustment. This position was taken also on the ground that all traffic throughout the Dominion since 1918 had borne heavy increase in rates, and was looking forward to relief therefrom and should receive consideration.

## Chicago Market Opened Firm But Gave Way Later

Drop in Prices Due to British Offer to Re-sell Less Than Chicago.

Chicago, June 6—Although the wheat market here showed firmness the greater part of the time today, prices gave way at the last owing largely to reports of British offers to resell wheat at two cents less than Chicago was asking. The close here was heavy at 1 1/2 to 2 cents net lower, with July and September both at 1 1/2 to 1 1/2 1/2. Corn finished unchanged to 1/2 cent lower and provisions up 1/2 to 62 cents.

Closing Quotations  
Wheat, July 1 1/2; September 1 1/2; December 1 1/4.  
Corn, July 60; September 63; December 61.  
Oats, July 36; September 38.  
Pork, all blank.  
Lard, July 11 5/8; September 11 7/8.  
Ribs, July 12 7/8; September 12 3/4.

## Montreal Produce

Montreal, June 6—Oats, Canadian Western, No. 2, 65 1/2 to 66.  
Oats, Canadian Western, No. 3, 62 to 62 1/2.  
Flour, Man. Spring wheat patents, \$3.90.  
Rolled oats, bag 90 lbs, \$3.20 to \$3.25.  
Bran, \$28.25.  
Shorts, \$30.25.  
Hay, No. 2, per ton, car lots \$39.00 to \$40.00.  
Cheese, finest easterns, 13 1/4 to 13 1/2.  
Butter, choicest creamery 30 1/2 to 31.  
Eggs, selected '24.  
Potatoes, per bag, car lots, 85.

## Toronto Board of Trade Quotations

Toronto, June 6—Board of Trade quotations: Manitoba wheat, No. 1 northern 1.39 1/4; No. 2 northern 1.37 1/4; No. 3 northern 1.25 1/4. Manitoba oats, No. 2 c.w. 60; No. 3 c.w. 57; extra No. 1 feed 55; No. 1 feed 57. All of the above cif. bay ports.  
American corn, No. 2 yellow, 75; No. 3 yellow 74.  
Canadian corn, nominal.  
Ontario oats, nominal.  
Ontario wheat, nominal.  
Pesa, nominal.  
Barley, malting, 60 to 64.  
Rye, No. 2, 95.  
Milled, car lots, delivered Montreal, receipts, bags included: Bran, per ton, \$26 to \$30; shorts, per ton, \$30 to \$32; good feed flour, per bag, \$1.70 to \$1.80.  
Hay, extra No. 2, per ton, \$22 to \$25; mixed, per ton, \$18 to \$22; clover, per ton, \$14 to \$16.  
Straw, car lots, per ton, \$12 to \$13.

## SAVANNAH TRADE

Savannah, June 6—Turpentine firm 91 1/2; sales 209; receipts 520; Abitibi 66; stock 1,918.  
Rosa steady; sales 95; receipts 1,689; shipments 819; stock 60,779.

## Prices Easier With Firm Undertone On Wheat Market

Export Business Quiet at Winnipeg, But Fair Domestic Demand Existed.

Winnipeg, June 6—Prices were all generally easier on the local wheat market today and while the undertone was firm, a very dull session resulted. Export business was quiet but there was a fair domestic demand. The market near the close followed Chicago in a decline and dropped about two cents in a very short time. July closed 2 3/8 cents lower and October 2 3/8 cents down.

It was reported that American interests were in the local market buying and accumulating large stocks of wheat. There was no pressure of any kind, however, and pit offerings were such that any improvement in buying power would show itself by an advance in values.

Closing  
Wheat, July close 1.25 5/8 bid; October 1.17 3/4.  
Oats, July 53 5/8; October 46 3/4 bid.  
Barley, July 66 1/2 bid; October 61 3/4.  
Cash prices: Wheat, No. 1 hard 1.21 7/8; No. 1 Northern 1.31 5/8; No. 2 Northern 1.27 1/8; No. 3 Northern 1.18 3/8; No. 4 1.08 1/8; No. 5, 97 5/8; track 1.20 5/8.  
Oats No. 2, c.w. 57; No. 3 c.w. and extra No. 1 feed 51 3/8; No. 1 feed 49; No. 2 feed 46 1/8; track 63 5/8.  
Barley, No. 3 c.w. 65 3/4; No. 4 c.w. 64 1/4; feed 63 1/4; track 65 3/4.

## Liberty Issues Reached New High Of 100.10 For 3-1-2

United Kingdoms Rose, But Other Foreign Loans Were Lower.

New York, June 6—A new high price of 100.10 for the Liberty 3 1/2's was among the few striking features of today's moderately active but irregular bond market, most other issues of that group showing trifling reactions at the close.

United Kingdoms of 1922 rose on the new high record for British exchange but most other European loans were lower. Cuban government 4 1/2's hardened, but changes among other Latin-American offerings were slight.

Heavy buying of secondary railway shares was reflected in the bond list, where Peoria and Eastern incomes made substantial gains with underlying issues of other Western and Southwestern roads. Total sales, par value, \$14,873,000.

Prospective underwritings include a Jungo-Slavia \$25,000,000 loan on terms yet to be determined and a city of Monte Video \$6,000,000 seven per cent loan.

## Unlisted Market

Toronto, June 6—Unlisted securities: 905 Mutual Oil at 71 3/4; 500 Porc Crown 26; 20 Montreal Light 91 1/8; 370 B. A. Oil 34 5/8; 10 Can Converters 83 1/4; 110 International Pat. 25 1/2; 175 Lake Shore at 225.

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## LIVERPOOL COTTON

Liverpool, June 6—Cotton futures closed barely steady.  
Closing: June 11.65; July 11.69; August 11.55; September 11.35; October 11.30; November 11.21; December 10.85.

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WELL, YOUNG MAN—WHAT'S THIS YOU HAVE HERE—WHERE'S THAT BATTERY?  
I JUST GOT WNK—THEY'RE GONNA GIVE A CONCERT—I JUST HEARD A FUNNY SONG—GEB IT WAS FUNNY POP.  
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MARINE NEWS

MOON'S PHASES: First Quarter June 2, Full Moon June 9, Last Quarter June 17, New Moon June 25. PORT OF ST. JOHN, N. B. Wednesday, June 7, 1922. Arrived Yesterday: Schooner Marina, 75, Witsell, St. Pierre...

Eastern Steamship Line, Inc. International Line. Resumption of Freight and Passenger Service between St. John and Boston, commencing May 24. Fare \$10 Steamers \$3 up...

France Demands Russia Withdraw Claim For Damage

Paris, June 6.—The French Government has issued a memorandum in which an effort is made to define the objects of the Hague Conference. It has been sent out to all powers invited to the Hague. The memorandum insists that the proceedings must be political in character. The representatives must be experts. There must be no repetition of Genoa.

SOUTH BECOMES PROSPEROUS, BUSY SECTION. NO EFFORT MADE TO STOP DRUG EVIL IN MANCHURIA

Employees of Customs Say That Morphine and Cocaine Come Into the Country from Japan. Harbin, Manchuria, June 6.—With opium selling at from \$30 to \$50, Meas, a pound, and with more than 1000 men engaged in selling it, all banded together into a strong organization, there is little that can be done to suppress the traffic.

Record Sales of Yellow Pine. It may be noted, in this connection, that sales and shipments of yellow pine by members of the Southern Pine Association for the week just ended exceeded all previous records in the history of this organization, not even excepting the maximum reached when the Government in its efforts to win the World War, was allocating orders among producers of yellow pine in a way that smashed all precedents.

Hardwood Lumber Industry. The hardwood industry of the South, too, is taking on renewed life and vigor. Hardwood flooring manufacturers, as well as manufacturers of sash, doors and other finish, are in the market in a big way already and are on a very sanguine outlook.

Hardwood Shipments Increasing. Hardwood lumber shipments are heavier by far than they have been since the earlier months of 1920. Prices are showing a decided upward tendency. The cotton market, too, has recently shown a decided recovery.

Car Loadings Heavier. The movement of traffic of all kinds from the South and Southwest is increasing at a very gratifying rate. Car loadings are heavier than ever, and deposits are mounting in a very satisfactory manner.

Post Offices Receive Shipments. The morphine and cocaine supply comes into this country from Japan. This statement is upon the authority of the employees of the customs office who receive parcel post shipments of these drugs regularly.

Demanded Clear Programme. Mr. Poincare declares the work of the conference at the Hague must be prepared for by a clear and complete plan to which the Soviet authorities must subscribe before negotiations are commenced.

Despatches Soviet Reply. M. Poincare holds that the memorandum is a Soviet document, replying to a memorandum of the inviting powers, and that it would be treated in the same way as the original Russian memorandum since it confirmed the attitude of the Soviet Government with respect to refusal to restore the property of foreigners, indemnity payments for damages sustained, or re-

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THE WEATHER

Toronto, June 6.—The general pressure distribution shows little change. Weather has been decidedly cool and showery in most districts of Alberta and Saskatchewan and much cooler weather with local rains has been prevalent in Manitoba. Weather is fair and warm in Eastern Canada.

AROUND THE CITY

FEWER LICENSES
A total of 790 dog licenses have been issued to date. Last year about 1,200 licenses were recorded.

DIED IN EDINBURGH.
A cablegram has been received by D. W. Ledingham from G. M. Brew, of the Furness, Withy office staff, announcing the death of Mr. Brew's mother at her home in Edinburgh.

SYDNEY STREET DUMP
Notwithstanding the city's orders to the contrary, Commissioner Frink reports that the area at the foot of Sydney street, is still being used as a dump. The city has offered the site of the dump to the Dominion Government for reclamation purposes.

AWAITING PAYMENT
The federal government is still awaiting the certificate promised by the provincial government in reference to excess costs of work by the city for the relief of the unemployed, and until that certificate is forthcoming Ottawa will not pay over the sum of \$2,000 due the department of public works.

ATTEND CONSECRATION
His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc is expected to leave for Quebec today to attend the consecration of Mr. Marie John Julian Leventoux, vicar apostolic of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, with headquarters at Seven Islands.

GOLDEN WEDDING
Many friends gathered at the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. John H. McRobbie at Pandemonia on Monday to celebrate the golden anniversary of their marriage, which took place on June 5, 1872.

AGREEABLE SURPRISE
Rev. Dr. S. S. Poole and Mrs. Poole were given an agreeable surprise and tangible evidence of appreciation in an informal reception of their twentieth wedding anniversary, held at the parsonage, Germain street, on Monday evening.

FAIR VALE WANTS HYDRO
At a meeting in the Fair Vale Club house, Monday night, E. S. Carter addressed the suburbanites on the proposed establishment of a hydro-electric district at Fair Vale and the adjacent territory, including Quispansis.

NOTICE TO WHOLESALE TRADE
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PUBLIC HEALTH OF NATION IS ITS GREATEST ASSET

Meeting in St. Vincent's Auditorium Presided Over by Lieut.-Governor Pugsley—Addresses by Mayor McLellan, Hon. Dr. Roberts, Dr. Frankwood Williams and Dr. C. J. Hastings, of Startling Importance.

That the public health of any nation is, that nation's greatest asset, and that the time has come when people must realize and are realizing the great need of prevention rather than curing disease, in order that the standard of the nation, from a health standpoint, can be placed on the proper level, were some of the arguments advanced in the addresses, which brought home to the large audience, who almost filled St. Vincent's spacious auditorium, at the public meeting, held last evening in connection with the Canadian Public Health Congress, facts and principles of such startling importance as to cause those present to concentrate, with an undivided interest, on every address.

The meeting was presided over by His Honor Lieut.-Governor Pugsley, who introduced the speakers of the evening. Others on the platform were Hon. Dr. W. F. Roberts, president of the C. P. H. A., who delivered the president's annual address; Dr. Frankwood E. Williams, of New York, director of the national committee for mental hygiene; Dr. C. J. Hastings, medical health officer of Toronto; His Worship Mayor McLellan; Dr. Bernard L. Wyatt, director health services, Laurentide Co., Grand Mere, Que.; and Major William Vassie, M. C. The chairman read a telegram from Col. Murray MacLaren, M. P., wishing the delegates the best of success for the congress. During the course of the evening, solos were rendered in a most sympathetic manner by Miss Blenda Thomson.

Lieut. Governor Pugsley
In rising to open the meeting, Lieut.-Governor Pugsley expressed himself as being strongly in favor of the public health movement that had been inaugurated in Canada, and was being carried on with such excellent results, due in a great measure to the efforts of the C. P. H. A. The campaign of education for the preserving of human life, he considered one of the most important and far-reaching steps ever taken in the history of the nation. He paid tribute to Hon. Dr. Roberts, who has taken such an active interest in this movement for better health; and also to Dr. Hastings, whose fame along these lines is well established. The chairman extended a hearty welcome to Dr. Williams, of New York making reference to the fight which the United States and Canada were making shoulder to shoulder against the decrease of the standard of public health, and paid a tribute to the excellence of the work achieved by Dr. Williams in his sphere of endeavor.

Mayor McLellan
Mayor McLellan said that it was seldom that he was afforded the opportunity of addressing and welcoming such an illustrious assembly, an association seeking to preserve Canada's greatest asset, her public health. He said that no nation should permit any of its citizens to be ignorant of the value of public health as its greatest asset, and that an increase of activity along these lines was essential in order that people might realize that their health was of more value than their property. The campaign of public health should be supported both financially and by public administration. He paid a tribute to the delegates, men and women of sterling worth and fixed integrity, whose ideal service to humanity, should be an inspiration to all of us. The speaker said that it was a great honor to extend the word of welcome to them, his only regret being that the city was not entertaining them at the congress, which he hoped would be most successful.

Hon. Dr. Roberts
Hon. Dr. Roberts, president of the C. P. H. A., in delivering the annual address, took occasion to thank the chairman, Dr. B. McLellan, for his co-operation, and also Dr. William Warwick and the efficient committee of ladies and gentlemen of this city, who have entered the arrangements in connection with the programme of the congress. In his formal address, he called attention to the great necessity for public health, mentioning the keynote that to cure a voice of the past to prevent is the demand of the present. This century was the one in which the principle of public health had come into its own, the great work that had obtained for centuries, and now all provinces, states and nations were rallying to the cause of a better standard of public health.

Dr. Frankwood Williams
Dr. Frankwood Williams, of New York, speaking of mental hygiene, presented an exposition of the strides made in the United States in connection with this problem and outlined some phases of the situation, which proved of consuming interest to his hearers. He made the startling statement that, in the United States there were as many beds for the insane in the hospitals as for all other diseases combined, and that 70 per cent of all the hospitals in the United States with a capacity of over 500, were insane hospitals.

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Some of the patients in these hospitals, who were suffering from mental and nervous diseases, recovered and returned to business and social life, but the great majority do not. The reason for the latter case were, first, the patients have to be so frankly mad that a lay judge can see it and will send them there—not treatment—but care and to protect others; and secondly, the hospitals have not had the proper facilities for the treatment of these patients.

The speaker said that the authorities were trying to rectify these conditions and now voluntary patients could go to the hospitals for advice and treatment, without having to wait for a judge to send them there when they were practically incurable. An effort had been made in the United States to raise the standard of care, the hospitals being better staffed and better equipped so that those suffering from nervous and mental diseases can secure the proper treatment before it becomes necessary to admit them as insane patients.

Dr. C. J. Hastings
Dr. C. J. Hastings of Toronto, speaking on "The role played by Pure Milk in Public Health," brought a message which was strikingly impressive on his audience. In opening his remarks, he quoted Disraeli as having stated, 75 years ago, that public health is the foundation on which rests the happiness of the people. Lloyd George, in 1918, said, had Great Britain looked after the health of the nation properly during the 25 years preceding the outbreak of the war, another 1,000,000 men in the field during the war. Therefore too much emphasis cannot be laid on the importance of public health, and pure water and pure milk were essential in this connection. If we want a nation that is physically fit, we must start early, said Dr. Hastings, and the only way to do this is through the medium of school clinics, school-doctors, nurses and teachers, who should have some knowledge of the laws of mental hygiene. His address, which is being sketched here, carried a strong message to the people of any nation and evoked considerable applause at different times.

Milk as sold in the average way had been responsible for more deaths than any other article of food, on account of contamination from communicable diseases. Since the campaign for clean milk had been instituted in Toronto in 1911, there had been 2,000 less deaths per annum in that city. He advised the people of this province to demand clean milk, free from barnyard contamination, made clear of bacteria by scientific pasteurization.

BLASTING ACCIDENT
John Joseph, of 55 Brunswick street suffered a bad cut on the side of the face, and another over the eye, when struck by a flying section of rock, while working near some blasting operations on the old Hazen estate near the One Mile House yesterday. The accident was said to be due to the man's neglecting to move far enough away from the blasting zone. The accident occurred at about 8 o'clock in the morning. Joseph was shortly afterwards taken to the General Public Hospital, where he is reported to be resting as comfortably as can be expected, and with chances of recovery good.

INVESTIGATING FIRES
Hunt H. McLellan, fire marshal for New Brunswick, has just completed a tour of the North Shore, after holding investigations of fires at 17th Street, Black Point, Bayview, Bala de Vin, Campbellton and Chatham. In the latter town he discussed better fire protection with the town council.

Common Council Regular Meeting

Tax on Cheques by Government Discussed—Delay on Action of Land Sale to Orphans' Home.

A considerable amount of business was transacted at the meeting of the City Council yesterday afternoon, among other matters discussed being the tax on cheques by the Government which was characterized by the mayor as the biggest steal for the banks ever put over. It was decided to delay action on the sale of land to the Protestant Orphans' Home until a definite assurance had been received that the valuation of the lots would be taken off by the Lancaster assessors when making up the city tax bill. Commissioner Thornton gave notice that he would move for the repeal of the by-law recently passed, which allowed an increase in the height of buildings in fire district No. 2 as the fire underwriters had reported that it would mean an increase in rates. Commissioner Wigmore advised that an automobile in his department had been destroyed by fire and was given authority to purchase a new one. An application for the exhibition building on the proposed arena in North End was received and a communication in regard to the payment of the Federal portion of the excess cost of work done during the winter to relieve unemployment.

Mayor McLellan presided and Commissioners Wigmore, Thornton, Frink and Bullock were present. The Commissioner of Finance and Public Affairs reported payments for the month of May last amounting to \$74,836.73 and recommended payment of the following departmental accounts: Treasury department, \$574.73; Public safety department, \$2,783.76; Water and sewerage department, \$4,093.85; Harbors, ferries and public lands department, \$2,378.05. Adopted.

The committee of the whole recommended that W.E.A. Lawton be notified that under the present building law his request in connection with the "Harding property" could not be granted; that the "Gore Lot" at Bedford be leased to Daniel E. Campbell at \$25 per year; that a lot at Milford be leased to A. J. J. Muller for garden purposes at \$15 per year; that 13 1/2 acres in the Town Planning area, Park Place, Lancaster, be sold to the New Brunswick Orphans' Home for the sum of \$2,500, on condition that the buildings be completed in two years; that the commissioner of public safety be authorized to make necessary repairs to the exhibition building and that a by-law be passed providing for a lower top wharfage on salt and fire brick. The report was taken up section by section and adopted with the exception of the section dealing with the sale of land to the Protestant Orphans' Home.

Commissioner Bullock said he had been instructed to make the term for the completion of the buildings five years instead of two and reported that he had been informed by the county secretary that the Lancaster council had given assurance they would have the valuation of these lots taken of the city's valuation for taxation purposes by the parish.

Commissioner Thornton said he did not think the rates were made very much and he moved this section be referred back for further consideration and information. This was seconded by Commissioner Frink and carried. The by-law providing for the reduction in top wharfage on salt and fire brick was read and passed and adopted.

A communication from the New Brunswick Board of Fire Underwriters, to the effect that the height of buildings in fire district No. 2 was raised there would be an increase in rates, was read and Commissioner Thornton said in view of the communications he would give notice that he would move for the repeal of the by-law, recently passed, as he did not intend to give insurance men any excuse to raise their rates. Mayor McLellan remarked that he was gathering information and expected soon to start the citizens after a reduction of 25 cents which had been promised when the Loch Lomond extension was made, but never given the people.

A telegram from Ottawa in connection with the payment of the Federal part of the excess cost of work done that winter to relieve unemployment, that the province must first pay its share, was read Commissioner Frink said the matter had been taken up with the Provincial Premier and he had promised to pass the necessary order. It was stated the amount of excess was about \$5,000 and of this the Federal Government paid one-half, the city and province dividing the other half. The communication was ordered received.

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Co. for permission to install a 100-gallon gasoline tank under the sidewalk on Clarence street was referred to the commissioner of public works for a report. On motion of Commissioner Thornton the tender to B.H. Williamson of \$300 for the painting of No. 6 fire station was accepted. Commissioner Frink moved that the tender of B. Mooney and Sons to supply 1,875 lineal feet of curbing at \$1.25 for straight and \$1.65 for circular be accepted. Carried. Commissioner Wigmore reported that one of the automobiles belonging to his department had been burned during the morning and he was given authority to purchase a new one at a cost not to exceed \$2,000. The accident happened at Lake Lettimer and there was \$1,500 insurance on the car. A communication was read from J. King Kelley, K.C., county secretary, that his department had been burned from the councillors of the parish of Lancaster that they would see that the valuation of the city lands for taxable purposes, was reduced by the value of the land granted the Protestant Orphans' Home and stating that the building of the new Home would be exempt from taxation. This was referred to the committee of the whole. TOURIST ASSN. ISSUES BOOKLET
The new Tourist booklet, issued by the Tourist Association, has made its appearance and is a most attractive publication. It deals with the entire province, setting forth the many points of interest to the tourist and what he may expect in the way of hunting and fishing. A splendid road map is one of the features, which will appeal to the motorist. There is also a copy of the game laws of the province, as well as a list of the hotels and golf courses. The book is nicely illustrated with views of provincial scenery. Clifton House, all meals, 50c.
Dr. Frank Boyaner has moved his office from 74 Germain street to 10 Germain street, between King and Union.