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FREE TRADE WOULD RUIN DOMINION INDUSTRIES PREMIER MEIGHEN SAYS IN BRILLIANT DEFENCE OF POLICIES

Answers Charge That Government is the Friend of the "Big Interests" by Declaring That Canadian Taxes on Large Incomes Are Largest in the World and Were Placed There by Present Administration.

CANADA CANNOT DEPEND UPON ANY TRADE POLICY ENACTED BY THE UNITED STATES

Raw Materials of Dominion Would be Returned in Finished Products to be Sold at Prices Determined Only by the Greed of Vendors, a Condition the Government Would be Unable to Control.

Special to The Standard.

Fredericton, May 24.—An audience estimated at about three thousand people heard the Right Hon. Arthur Meighen, Premier of Canada, deliver a great address in defence of the policy of the Government, in the Grand Theatre here last night. In the afternoon in the Opera House he spoke to a large number of ladies. The two speeches were the same although in the evening he elaborated on the main points of his address. Mr. Meighen was in excellent form. His address was argumentative from the beginning and intended to answer the attacks of the Farmer party. He denied that the Government was the friend of the "big interests" citing in support of his position the enormous income taxes it had imposed upon the wealthy; he claimed that free trade would result in the ruin of Canadian industries and would leave Canada at the mercy of the great industries of the United States; he recalled the experience of the Dominion in the wheat and potato deals with the Americans; Canada had less unemployment than any other nation in the world while her defence bills were the smallest known; and he admitted there was a large number of lawyers in the Commons, but he thought that men who were trained in the law were well qualified to have a part in their making.

He was accompanied by Mrs. Meighen, who was presented with a magnificent bunch of roses in the Council Chamber at the civic reception, and with a great basket of flowers at the close of the afternoon meeting. At all places Mr. and Mrs. Meighen greeted all who came to the front of the hall; the Premier, in particular, met many old friends in this way, for he had visited the city before.

Arrival at City.

As the Premier and Mrs. Meighen stepped out of their private car they were greeted by the strains of the National Anthem, played by the Fredericton Brass Band, and welcomed by Mayor Reid, City Clerk Perkins and board of aldermen, as well as a crowd of several hundred people. Headed by the band, a parade was soon formed up and proceeded to the City Hall, where an address of welcome was presented to the Premier by the City Council. The address was read by Mayor Reid, who presented a beautiful bouquet of flowers on behalf of the citizens of Fredericton.

The address of the Mayor to Mr. Meighen was as follows:

The address.

On behalf of the people of Fredericton, the citizens of this city, and the honor of extending to you, the Prime Minister of Canada, and Mrs. Meighen, their most hearty welcome to our city.

We understand that this is not your first visit to Fredericton and, therefore, it is not as an entire stranger that we welcome you to this city. The honor of your visit on the present occasion, however, is enhanced by the distinguished position which you have held in the service of the Dominion of Canada.

It is not our purpose to eulogize the splendid qualities of mind and the industry and perseverance which have marked your professional and public career. The high office to which you have attained, when still a young man, is sufficient evidence of your energy and ability, and the Province of New Brunswick, we have the pleasure and honor of extending to you, the Prime Minister of Canada, and Mrs. Meighen, their most hearty welcome to our city.

We congratulate you most sincerely on your attainment to the high and honorable office of Premier of Canada. From Confederation to the present time Canada has been most fortunate in the character and spirit of her first ministers. We believe that you will carry forward this record of service with satisfaction to the people and credit to yourself.

We are honored by your presence here today. The citizens of Fredericton unite in offering you a genuine welcome and the sincerest of congratulations. We trust that your stay may be most pleasant and that, in few busy times, you may soon take the opportunity to come again.

Dated at Fredericton, N. B., Canada, the 23rd day of May, A. D. 1921.

(Signed) A. REED, Mayor.

The Prime Minister's reply to the civic address was brief, but at the same time most feeling, as he referred to his personal friendships in Fredericton and his wish that he could spend a holiday here, "away from the intense political turmoil." Like the charges that he held under stress it was evident that the Premier was with difficulty restraining himself in recollection of the fact that he was addressing a distinctly non-political gathering. At the conclusion of the Premier's speech an informal reception was held, several hundred of those who had gathered being presented to Mr. and Mrs. Meighen.

Visited Points of Interest.

From the formalities were conducted.

KILLED OR WOUNDED IN MARINE STRIKE

Buenos Ayres, May 24.—A number of persons are reported to have been killed or wounded during fighting today in the port zone when union laborers attempted to prevent non-union workers from unloading ships.

MAY FEDERATE ALL BRITAIN'S WESTERN LANDS

Confederation of Canada and the West Indies With Possible S. America is Mooted.

CONFERENCE MAY BE HELD SOON

Such An Agreement Would Unite All North, Central and South American Lands.

Washington, May 24.—Establishment of confederation of British America, to include Canada and the British colonies of the Bahamas, Barbados, Bermuda, Jamaica, the Leeward Islands, Trinidad, the Windward Islands and possibly British Honduras and British Guiana, was reported here today in official circles to be under consideration in the British Dominions and possessions of North, South and Central America.

The idea of a united commonwealth of British America was represented in the report as a further development of the union which began with the confederation of the four provinces of Canada in 1867.

Former Conference.

Reference was had to the conference which was held in Ottawa in June, 1920, and attended by representatives of all the British colonies of the Americas for the purpose of drawing up a trade agreement secured by a majority of the colonies concerned.

Efforts to convert the trade federation into a political one beginning with the British West Indian colonies and British Guiana was said to have been made recently at a meeting in Georgetown, British Guiana, where the proposal for a universal currency was launched. It was also reported that the idea of a political federation between the West Indies and British Guiana was impracticable on account of the wide differences between the problems confronting the various colonies.

WESTERN BISHOP AT ST. STEPHEN

Archbishop Casey to Spend the Summer Visiting Two Brothers of the East.

Special to The Standard.

St. Stephen, N. B., May 24.—His Grace Archbishop Casey has arrived here from his diocese in British Columbia and is cordially welcomed by many friends in his old home town who are pleased to find him very well after his recent serious illness. He is expected to spend much of the summer in the east and with his brothers, Patrick and Thomas Casey, in St. Stephen.

Frank C. Murchie, prominent lumberman and chairman of the track committee of the Agricultural Society, returned Monday from Boston where he went for treatment. Greatly to the gratification of his many friends the specialists there found no organic trouble of any kind and no signs of paralysis. They express confidence that in a short time Mr. Murchie will have regained his accustomed health and vigor.

Rev. Dr. Symonds Dead in Montreal

Montreal, May 24.—Following a mild attack of pneumonia supervening on a serious operation performed here three weeks ago, the Rev. Herbert Symonds, vicar of Christ Church Cathedral, died tonight in the Montreal General Hospital. He was born in 1860 in Suffolk, England. He graduated at Trinity College, Toronto, in 1886. He was ordained priest in 1887 and lectured at Trinity for five years. In 1892 he became rector of St. Luke's, Toronto, and 1901 took the headmastership of Trinity School, Port Hope. He was appointed vicar of Christ Church Cathedral in 1908. He was a past Grand Chaplain of the Grand Lodge of Quebec.

The Premier

BRITISH WILL SEND TROOPS INTO SILESIA

Four Battalions to Leave Rhine Area at Once for Scene of Trouble.

GERMANY PUTS BIG FINE ON RECRUITERS

Upper Silesian Frontier is Entirely Closed—Miners Have Gone on Strike.

Paris, May 24.—The Chamber of Deputies this evening took an adjournment until Wednesday afternoon without having voted on the question of confidence of the government of Premier Briand, with regard to its attitude toward Germany.

BOMB EXPLODES; ONE BOY KILLED, FOUR ARE HURT

Youngsters Find Deadly Device in Heap of Debris and Light the Fuse.

CELEBRATORS ARE UNDER SUSPICION

West New York Italians Believed to Have Left Explosive Behind After a Party.

New York, May 24.—James Fallon, Jr., 15, of Tenth and Jackson streets, West New York, N. J., while playing yesterday afternoon in a vacant lot, picked up a bomb believed to have been left after an Italian celebration on Thursday night. Several companions were with the boy and for some time they couldn't decide what to do with the bomb.

At length James decided to find out there was a fuse attached to it and it seemed certain to him that this was meant to be lit. He got an old tin can from the refuse of the celebration and then put the bomb into the can so that the fuse stuck out the end. Some one in the crowd had a match and lit the fuse.

Half Dozen Watch It.

Half a dozen boys gathered around to watch, intensely interested in the burning fuse. Finally it burned down flush with the bomb and then the fire began to creep inside the metal can.

The bomb exploded, blowing the can and the iron container of the bomb truck four others were injured, three of them badly. They had to be taken to the North Hudson Hospital. They are Victor Sereno, 12, of 405 Jackson street; Paul Granger, 13, of 59 Jackson street; Thomas Dimiro, 13, of 580 Arthur place, all of West New York, and one other whose name was not learned by the police.

Workers Were Hit By Winnipeg Strike

Tom Moore Says It Acted Like a Boomerang Upon Those Who Quit Work.

Brandon, Man., May 24.—Favoring constitutional methods to right wrongs and conciliation between capital and labor as a solution to present day problems, Tom Moore, president of the Trades and Labor Council of Canada, in an address here last night, stated that governments are largely what the people make them and that it is up to the electors to see that the best men are chosen. The speaker stated that he tried his best to stop the Winnipeg strike, which he characterized as unreasonable and cruel and rebounded like a boomerang upon the misled worker.

Mr. Moore stated that the efforts of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada were toward improving conditions for humanity. Speaking of his appearance in Winnipeg recently when he was howled down, Mr. Moore likened the capital to passing through the fiery furnace.

SIR EDWARD CARSON LORD OF APPEAL

London May 4.—Sir Edward Carson, who for many years has been the leader of the Ulster forces in Parliament, has been appointed Lord of Appeal in Ordinary, in succession to Baron Moulton who died in March.

World News Today

CANADA

Three thousand people heard Premier Meighen at Fredericton, N. B. in the York-Sunbury by-election contest.

BRITISH ISLES

Many riots in Ireland as a result of the elections that were held yesterday.

EUROPE

German tell Allies they will be strictly neutral in the Upper Silesian struggle.

ILLEGAL VOTING IS VERY COMMON IN IRISH FIGHT

Impersonation Claimed in Extensive Manner by Both Sides to Contest.

START TO COUNT BALLOTS TODAY

Fights Begin in Belfast as Soon as Police Quit the Streets.

SINN FEIN FLAG STARTED FIGHTS

One Raised in Protestant Church in Belfast Responsible for Row.

MURDERED BY ORDER OF IRISH LEADERS

Forty Armed Men Took Shoemaker from His Home to Death Without.

Acadia University Closing Exercises

Special to The Standard.

Wolfville, N. S., May 24.—The closing exercises of Acadia University were held on Sunday with the preaching of the baccalaureate sermon by Rev. A. N. Marshall, D. D. of the First Baptist Church, Ottawa, Ont. The Acadia Dramatic Society presented the excellent comedy "Nothing But the Truth" on Monday evening. On Monday morning the coeds gave an exhibition of swimming and aquatic sports in the Acadia Memorial Gymnasium and showed great skill in the water. The afternoon brought the graduating day exercises of the seminary graduating class owing to the burning of College Hall last December the closing exercises are being conducted in the Baptist church. The building was filled to capacity at two o'clock. The class marched into the strains of the "senior march." President Miss Mabel Polard was in the chair. Class officers are: President, Alice M. Follis; vice-president, Alice Laird; secretary, M. Hortense Griffin; treasurer, Irene M. Brown of St. John.

LACK OF CASH BREAKS COAL MINE STRIKE

Signs Are Numerous That Big Walk-Out in British Isles is Near End.

NEGOTIATIONS ARE STILL IN PROGRESS

One Branch of the Union is Already 300,000 Pounds in Debt.

London, May 24.—Extreme caution is being observed respecting the miners' dispute, and Premier Lloyd George did not make the expected statement in the House of Commons today. Negotiations for a settlement however, are still proceeding, and it is expected that a conference will be held this week. The cabinet discussed the matter today.

COLLAPSE AT HAND

Signs are not wanting that in the absence of an agreement a partial collapse of the strike is imminent as the miners are said to be short of funds and are eager to resume work. A typical example of the cost of the strike is shown in Yorkshire. There the men's unions have paid out 400,000 pounds directly out of union funds in addition to an issue of one million credit coupons in various amounts, while the union is about 200,000 pounds in debt.

ALLIES ACCEPT GERMAN ANSWER

Former Enemy Will Take Vigorous Action to Preserve Neutrality in Silesia.

Paris, May 24.—Premier Briand, questioned by a group of deputies before the meeting of the chamber today said there was no reason for the occupation of the Ruhr region, because the aspect of the Silesian question had been changed, and if the Ruhr were occupied without the support of the Allies it would be equivalent to abandonment of the treaty of Versailles.

GERMANS TAKE ACTION

Paris, May 24.—Germany replied today to the French communication of yesterday on the Silesian situation, the reply declaring in effect that Germany had taken the most vigorous measures towards closing its frontier with Upper Silesia and obliging the volunteer corps to disband.

The French communication was made by Premier Briand, last night to the German ambassador, Dr. Mayer, who was requested to ask his government, it was understood, to end definitely all attempts at aggression in Silesia, if Germany did not wish to expose herself to reprisals by the Allies.

Bandit Gang Is Caught By Police

Five Men and One Woman in Northern Ontario Are in Custody.

Timmins, Ont., May 24.—A gang of alleged bandits, comprising five men and one woman is in custody here following a midnight raid by town, township and provincial police. They are being held for appearance before the magistrate on Thursday next. The prisoners are believed to have been responsible for a series of hold-ups and robberies committed here lately, and when arrested they were planning, it is said, to break into a hardware store and a bank at Schomacher. The woman when arrested was wearing soldier's clothes. The prisoners are Italians. Goods to the value of \$500 have been recovered.

Block the Booths

This occurred in many places where one side or the other was the stronger, and it was evident much personal violence was going on. One woman who arrived at a polling station half an hour after it opened found her vote had already been cast. There also was a large number of child voters whose votes could not be refused. They ranged in age from a child of two and a half years, who was just able to say, "I vote for Moore" a male child in south Belfast, to boys and girls of sixteen and seventeen years.

Count Votes Today

The people had been appealed to by their leaders to vote early to "prevent impersonation" and at most of the polling booths crowds were waiting at eight a.m. the opening hour. For either side to bring in impersonators would not be difficult as in such districts as Bellmullet the Nationalists will not even have watchers, as they say they are afraid to enter the polling booths here. The Unionists on the other hand, would not feel comfortable in Falls Road, although there were plenty of police and military in all districts to protect would-be voters.

Count Votes Today

Counting of the votes will not commence until five o'clock Wednesday morning and will continue until six o'clock in the evening at which time it will be adjourned until Thursday. It is possible the Belfast results will be known Wednesday night.

Fight in Belfast

As soon as the military were withdrawn from the streets at five o'clock this morning, when the curfew ended, the rival factions appeared at the doors of their homes with their womenfolk to proceed to the polls. Bricks and stones commenced to fly across the streets and a few shots were fired before the police arrived to disperse the disputants. One constable was seriously injured by being hit with a brick.

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Today

IMPERIAL—Will Rogers in the Gaiety Production "Honest Hunch" and Buster Keaton Comedy.

OPERA—Amaranth Sisters—Marcelle Fallette, and three other good Grandville features and Wm. Duncan Serial Drama.

QUEEN SQUARE—Gladys Brook well in "The Sage Hen."

STAR—"Dancing Fool," Famous Lasky Picture.

EMPRESS—George Arliss in "The Gaiety."

Apply For Privilege For Fuel Oil Depot

Brussels St. Delegation Appears Before Council - Asphalt Tenders Lower.

Tenders for asphalt which were opened at the City Council meeting Monday were considerably lower than those submitted a couple of months ago and the city will save quite an amount by waiting.

A delegation from Brussels street was present and given a hearing in regard to the paving of that street, and Commissioner Bullock presented a request from the Imperial Oil Co. for permission to provide facilities for bunkering vessels with oil at this port.

Mayor Schofield presided, and Commissioners Bullock, Jones and Frink were present.

Tenders for asphalt were opened and referred to the road engineer as follows: Carrite Co., \$34 per ton; Barrett Co., \$41; Baskin Asphalt Co., \$47 in barrels and \$37.64 in cars; Imperial Oil Co., \$34.

Brussels Street Paving. The delegation from Brussels street was introduced. Edward Walsh said they had come to strengthen the hands of the city fathers in dealing with the Power Co. in the matter of paving and suggested if the Power Co would not renew the resis that the sides of the street be paved.

The Mayor suggested that it was not necessary to take the time of the Council as it was intended to take this matter up next. W. E. A. Lawton, Rev. O. R. Brown and Daniel Twiss spoke, asking that definite assurance be given that the work would be undertaken this season. Mr. Lawton suggested that the city take over the Power Co.

H. L. MacGowan presented a request from a number of ratepayers for the extension of Paddock street through Waterloo to Brussels street, to relieve the congestion on Union between Brussels and Waterloo streets.

Commissioner Frink said the engineer would bring in the plans and specifications for this work on Thursday morning and at the same time call attention to the need for a long retaining wall on that street.

Proposed Oil Depot. Commissioner Bullock presented a request from the Imperial Oil Co. for the privilege of erecting at the head of Rodney slip a steel barge to hold 30,000 gallons of oil, and permission to run a pipe line to berth 3, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

A communication from the Canadian Manufacturers' Association for the conference to be held in Ottawa, June 1, on Maritime freight rates was received and Mayor given power to name delegates to attend.

R. J. Wilkins appeared in reference to damages done a building at the corner Marsh street and Haymarket square which he claimed was caused by a leak in the water main - referred to the commissioners of public works and water and sewerage.

CORNS

Lift Off with Fingers



Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little 'Freezone' on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then shortly you lift it right off with fingers. Truly, your druggist sells a tiny bottle of 'Freezone' for a few cents, sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, corn between the toes, and the calluses, without soreness or irritation.

SEAMEN HAVE FEVER.

Quebec, May 24—Three British seamen, members of the crew of the steamer Oristano, inward bound from Rotterdam for Montreal, have been detained at Grosse Isle, suffering from typhoid fever. The Oristano was permitted to continue her course after the seamen had been removed.

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Turks Driven Back With Heavy Losses

Hellenic Forces Are Victors in Many Engagements With Regulars and Bandits.

Athens, May 24—Attacks against Greek lines in northern Asia Minor by Turkish Nationalists have been repulsed with heavy losses, says an official statement issued at the war office. Further south bands of irregular Turkish soldiers have been driven out of positions which they have held in front of the Greek lines.

Create Much Disorder. The statement declares that bands of Turks have arrived at towns on the southern coast of the Black Sea, and are attempting to reach Turkish Thrace, where there have been serious disorders recently. Many Thracian villages have been entered by outlaws who have killed many persons and committed all sorts of excesses. The Turkish Nationalist government is said to have sent a communication to Belgrade, asking that Jugo-Slavia send a force to the Bulgarian frontier to take part in action against Bulgarian bands.

DIED. MELVIN—Suddenly at Lawrence, Kansas on May 23rd, Alice Melvin, eldest and beloved daughter of Dr. Geo. G. Melvin, of Fredericton, N. B.

OBITUARY. Wm. H. Keltie. Another well known citizen, Wm. H. Keltie, passed away at 8:30 o'clock Monday morning. Deceased was stricken with paralysis on Saturday morning. He was the son of the late Wm. H. and Jessie McEwen Keltie and was born in Glasgow in 1842. He was employed for many years in the Customs Department in this city, and latterly with the Board of Health and made many friends both in his business and social life, few men about the city being more widely known or universally respected than he. He leaves his wife and one brother, Robert, of Sussex, N. B., to mourn. The funeral will take place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the residence of R. S. Ritchie, 9 Peters street.

Mrs. John McIntyre. The death of Mrs. John McIntyre occurred Saturday, May 21, at the home of her son, M. B. McIntyre, West Somerville, Mass., following a short illness. She had been in failing health for the last two years, but survived by one son, M. B. McIntyre, connected with the Inter-Coast Steamship Co., Boston, Mass., and one stepson, Alex. McIntyre, night watchman for R. P. & V. Starr. Interment will be made in the family lot in the cemetery at Kars, Kings county, this Wednesday afternoon.

DIED ENROUTE TO TRAIN. Montreal, May 24—Dying suddenly in the automobile 25 he was driving towards the Ile Perrot Ferry, Saturday afternoon, W. Pilon, 41, of that place, was carried in his car through several wire fences, while his wife was in the machine with him, and had a narrow escape, on the arrival of a doctor, called by Mrs. Pilon, her husband was found to be dead.

He had been ill for some time, but was apparently in fairly good health when he started out on the trip.

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GIN PILLS FOR THE KIDNEYS THE WORLD'S BEST REMEDY FOR ALL KIDNEY AND BLADDER TROUBLE

Browns Flats

Brown's Flat, N. B., May 24—The young people of this place held a very successful minstrel show and picnic at Kitchener Hall, on Wednesday evening. The programme opened with Jas. Rankine acting as chairman.

Opening chorus, Old Black Joe, Sam and Harry in The Knocking Boots—Thane Belyea and William Waite; "Oh, Dem Golden Slippers"—Frank Short.

Not Opposed to Marriage—Wife Hunting Jew, William Waite; Widow's Little Boy, Kent Fowler.

Mr. Finley Campbell, Tabloids, "The Dead Nigger"—Thane Belyea, Harry Waite, Whitney Short, Arnold Brown and Jas. Cochrane.

"Massa's Gone Away"—Frank Short. Negro farce, The Masonic Lodge; characters: Mrs. Barrake—Sadie K. Duro, Topsey Barrake—L. A. Rankine, Araminta Barrake (bride)—Ruth Williamson.

Mr. Barrake—Wm. Waite. Miss Josephine Dea officiated at the organ, accompanied by Thane Belyea with his accordion. Mrs. Ernest Waite accompanied Mr. Campbell in his solo and Harry Campbell, who is a returned soldier and is summing here, kindly volunteered to help out with the programme, and his singing was greatly appreciated by all present. Mr. Campbell is in training for grand opera.

The proceeds, which amounted to \$104.50, will go toward the completion of the new hall. Many remained to enjoy the dance which followed the picnic social.

Mr. Wilson, of Contreville, has been the guest of his sister, Miss Nea Wilson, at Mrs. M. Brown's, for the past few days.

Mrs. Willet Loeb, of St. John, is visiting Mrs. J. E. Rankine, of Greenfield Hill, is at present the guest of Mrs. H. A. Wallace.

Mrs. Charles Strothard has been spending a few days with relatives in St. John.

Several of the people who locate at Beulah Camp for the summer months have already arrived and are occupying their cottages.

W. T. Harvey, a former resident of this village, after an absence of four years, has returned and will engage in farming here.

S. T. Belyea left for St. John on Friday, on route to Sussex on a business trip.

IF YOUR EARS RING WITH HEAD NOISES

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NEW PORTUGUESE CABINET.

London, May 24—Barros Quieres, former Portuguese minister of finance, has formed a cabinet to succeed that headed by Bernardino Machado, which resigned on Saturday, says a Lisbon despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company. Senhor Quieres is a leader of the Liberal party in Portugal.

spending a few days with relatives in St. John.

Several of the people who locate at Beulah Camp for the summer months have already arrived and are occupying their cottages.

W. T. Harvey, a former resident of this village, after an absence of four years, has returned and will engage in farming here.

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GAS IN THE STOMACH IS DANGEROUS

Recommends Daily Use of Magnesia To Overcome Trouble—Caused by Fermenting Food and Acid Indigestion.

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Trouble in Egypt

London, May 24—A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Cairo says there has been a slight recurrence of the trouble in Alexandria, and that a demonstration has now been begun in the province. The message adds that the casualty lists show eleven more Egyptians dead.

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A PAGE OF NEWS ABOUT THE MARITIME

FREE TRADE WOULD RUIN DOMINION INDUSTRIES PREMIER MEIGHEN SAYS IN BRILLIANT DEFENCE OF POLICIES

Answers Charge That Government is the Friend of the "Big Interests" by Declaring That Canadian Taxes on Large Incomes Are Largest in the World and Were Placed There by Present Administration.

CANADA CANNOT DEPEND UPON ANY TRADE POLICY ENACTED BY THE UNITED STATES

Raw Materials of Dominion Would be Returned in Finished Products to be Sold at Prices Determined Only by the Greed of Vendors, a Condition the Government Would be Unable to Control.

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country, just in the second election pack, and opposed a candidate who was out, supporting the government, who was perhaps the most prominent farmer in the country. They had, of course, to raise other arguments in that case, but they didn't hesitate to do so.

Membership in House.
"We have in the house more lawyers than farmers—I think 71 by actual count, 43 of the agricultural profession. I do not think there is a legislature in the world today of the standing of the Canadian legislature where the proportion is less than that. I doubt if there is. It is a fact that a very considerable advantage accrues to a man in public life because of legal training. It would be indeed strange if a man were not better qualified because he understood the laws that exist, to interpret those laws in parliament and to seek to improve them. Ordinarily he would be better qualified on that account for what we find in our parliament is in every parliament in the world. I venture to say in the British parliament today, the proportion to those who are lawyers is larger than ours. In the United States undoubtedly it is so, and I believe that every president of that republic, save three, in the 131 years it has existed, has been in that profession. A man is a man, no matter what his calling, who seeks to make an enemy of him because of the mere fact that he follows a certain profession; all that can be said is that he is not fit to discuss public questions before any audience.

Tribute to Late Col. McLeod.
"Now, I am sorry this election is necessary. The member who represented this constituency until the vacancy was a very close and long-standing personal friend of mine. It was indeed a shock to me when I learned of the death of Col. Harry McLeod. We suffer those things in life very often, but seldom have I felt the loss of a friend more than I have of him who through dark days and through light, under all circumstances, stood by my side; who was a friend of this constituency as he was a friend of the government to which I belong, and who at all times was loyal to his friends. A word of sympathy goes from the heart of me at this time to his widow, and I know that that word and that feeling is shared by all, of all classes in this city.

Unrest in World.
"Now, it has generally been conceded, at least it is on the tongue of almost all of us that there is at this time very considerable unrest, much discontent, a great habit of fault-finding and complaint on the part of certain classes—sometimes of labor, sometimes agriculture, sometimes merchants, sometimes other classes—that he is not getting a fair deal from the administration or government, and consequently that the government must answer for that. Now, my first remark is this, you read the papers, you read books, you read dispatches from the world as they come to you every morning. Do you know a country on the face of this globe today where there is no discontent, where we have so little labor trouble, rural trouble, any trouble at all? Where the

evils that have followed the war are less marked than they are in this Dominion? We have unemployment here, it is true. We think it runs up now to about 100,000, likely more, and it is most unfortunate, and everything must be done and every policy must be pursued to reduce that unemployment.

Unemployment Small.
"We always will have some unemployment. We now have more than usual and every effort of the people should be made in parliament and out of it to keep that unemployment down to the lowest possible limit and to get rid of it altogether if we can. Do you know of any country with as little as we have? Is unemployment due to the tariff policy we are pursuing in this country? Well, look across the water. Where is the nation today with the biggest unemployment percentage? Well, if it is not Italy, it is Great Britain, where I am pretty sure there are between two and a half and three millions walking the streets unemployed, and not because of the millions out of work because they can't get it. Now, if we had the same percentage, what would we have? We would have about one-fifth of that, or 500,000. Go to the United States. There we find a country who suffered less from the war than any country. The proportion of unemployed there today is bigger than it is in Canada by about 25 per cent.

Best in Canada.
"Just reason the thing out yourselves. We have better conditions from the point of view of this session's unemployment and the evils that follow the war, than any of the larger nations of the world today. Have you heard anything about the enormous cost of war ships and air ships? I know there are people who scatter themselves through the country and see anything in the world, that they must complain about it. Well, no nation can get on and abandon all defence, if not anywhere else. You have got to have a strong arm somehow to take care of the law-breakers if any are found, but I tell you that the weight of defence, whether it is air defence, naval defence or militia defence, the weight of the whole cost on the people of this Dominion is less than it amounts, if our population is nine million, and it is nearly that, to \$159 a head, the whole three of them put together, and you can't find a country, big, small or in between, that has anything like so small a cost as that. Indeed you can't get it less, unless you throw it away altogether.

Big Interests.
"What else is charged against us? Well, I have heard it said that this government is the creature of what they call 'big interests'; that we do the bidding of what they call high finance, rich people, big men, and I know that is a very insidious thing. How it reaches the ears of those who are not getting along as well as they would like, and perhaps they are worthy; those who try to tell you that all you suffer is because the government is doing the bidding of the rich men, catering to the rich, instead of passing laws to suit you. I know that is insidious and I know more. I know

that just as long as this is a country you will hear that talk against any government that is in power, no matter what it is. Just as long as there is a cheap demagogue in this country that is what he is going to say, and no matter what any government in this world does.

Taxation of Rich.
"I know this government does not deserve that. I say to you that the laws, particularly the taxation laws put on the statute book and enforced to the letter by the present government are the most stringent and exacting against the wealthy people of Canada, than any nation in the world over. Now, in that sense I mean the very richest. Those of moderate wealth do not pay as much as they do in Great Britain, Australia or New Zealand, but they need to be men of very moderate means indeed to be better off. But those of great wealth pay more in this country in every form of taxation, no matter whether you take the income tax, war profits tax or any other form of tax, more than they do in any other nation of the world today, except possibly Germany. A man with a large income, say one, two or three here in this country, that man would save \$150,000 in income tax alone if he went to live in England, and the British people have a debt just about four times as big as ours in proportion to the population.

What They Pay.
"Now, did you know that before? If a man has an income of \$5,000 he pays the same tax here that he would pay in the United States. He pays less here than in England, New Zealand and Australia. If he has an income of \$10,000, he would pay \$700; if \$20,000, he would pay a tax here of \$1,500, or about ten per cent of his income. If he has \$30,000, he would pay nearly \$3,000, or about ten per cent of his income; that is nine per cent, and we are charged with doing the bidding of rich men, or whose income is \$100,000, he would pay \$97,000 or just about one-half of his income, or he would save \$3,000 by going anywhere in the world than here—and we are charged with doing the bidding of rich men, or whose income is \$1,000,000, he would pay \$999,545 or virtually seven-tenths of all, and besides all that he has to pay his income tax, and he has to come tax to his municipality and the other taxes as well. And that is charged upon upon wealth, not one dollar of which is collected before the government of 1911 came into office.

Farmers Do Nothing.
Now the farmer party has a government. They talk about putting the burden on the rich. They have not touched the income tax. They talk about economy. I think they have a debt of from thirty to forty millions more than they did when they went into power two or three years ago.

Don't Care About Factories.
"They don't care a whit what becomes of industries that depend upon the tariff, not a whit. I would like some of you to go and talk on that line. I want to ask you, and I will follow this very closely and carefully for perhaps half an hour, if you are ready to attend. I want to ask you whether you want by your vote next Saturday to tell the Dominion that the City of Fredericton wants the Farmer Parliament in power.

Their Programme.
"What is their programme? Well, I have it here, if anyone wants to read it. He read the paragraphs relating to reciprocity and demobilization, and then continued: 'Place all foodstuffs on the free list.' That is to be done at once. Then, next, agricultural implements, farm and household furniture, vehicles, etc. I may tell you that gasoline they call for, to be free, is free already; that lumber is free, all except dressed lumber, and some other things are free.

For fear of spoiling the side-splitting show



Unless he removes his shoes and is properly gagged no one is allowed to go up and listen to the proposal of marriage that Brother Ed has been practising.

Free Foods.
I am going to enquire whether you want by your vote to allow this. In the first place, putting all foodstuffs on the free list, and you can't keep other things on the tariff list at all, because the makers of these foodstuffs could not possibly live in this country if their goods are to be free, and other goods not.

Must Protect Canada.
"What we say is this; that it is not in the interests of this Dominion to put ourselves in a position where we are helpless in the hands of the United States Legislature. We would like to sell them all the goods we can, but we are not going to adopt a tariff policy that puts us at their mercy whenever they decide to put their tariff barriers up. I was explaining to you that there was considerable reason for that. Just run your mind back over the last few years. About ten years ago they were anxious for reciprocity in natural products, and they thought the time had come for that. They could get our natural products, get up finished articles and sell them and make a profit on them. They felt they had everything to gain by taking the barriers down, and we had everything to lose. Fortunately, we rejected that proposal.

Cannot Depend On It.
The presidential election takes place in four years, and up goes the tariff. We are a smaller nation than they, with eight or nine million, as compared with the 110 million over there. Their industrial plants are far larger than ours and are bound to be larger. If we could depend upon free trade forever, with them and they were ready to talk that, then there would be an argument for it; but if you can't depend upon it, except until the next presidential election, is it not better for us to see that our people here have the same advantages here in our markets than their people? Just take your barriers down at the behest of the United States and your trade will adjust itself accordingly.

Raw Material Vanishes.
"Your raw material will go there to finish goods. Perhaps you will have some advantages while they keep the barriers down, and then if they put the barriers up, what is

the state of this country? Just where it was in 1862 when the same thing was done. That is what we mean when we say we become in time subservient to the industrial system of the United States.

Crush Small Business.
"You open your doors to them and you put them in a position at once—even supposing they were doing the same for us—to crush the smaller industries of this country. After that, they could charge the people of this country that they like and the government of this country could not help you, because they have no jurisdiction over what is charged by sellers of goods across the line.

The Wheat Case.
"What on the free list. This spread like fire through the Western Provinces. I was a member of the government that put this on the free list. What has happened? They put wheat and flour on the free list—then the war came on in a very short time. We could not possibly allow this during that time, but that time was over last fall. Free wheat and flour went into effect about last September and it just took, I think, five months or four, until the Fordney-Young bill was introduced to put 35 cents duty on wheat and 25 cents on flour, and the United States proposes to put the bill through and virtually drive this wheat and flour out of the United States. That is as long as you can depend on them. What is the result?

Hunting Another Market.
"We now have to find another market for our flour, and deliver right to the ultimate consumer. Fortunately, it didn't last long for us. The longer it lasts the worse. Now we have to find our own market and get our wheat to the man who needs the wheat. We will treat with the consumer public direct. Don't you think

it is the better way now to do that? As to the Fordney tariff, it is to be put in effect very shortly now. It is a temporary measure, it is true, but the man is very optimistic indeed who imagines that it is not permanent.

"A while ago they offered us free potatoes if we would give them free potatoes, and that lasted about two and a half years, and now we have the Fordney bill and the barriers up. "Here are our markets today where products of every kind come over the line into Canada. Here is a barrier up against the farmers selling over there, and what is the farmers' programme that you are asked to support? Free foodstuffs for the Dominion of Canada. That is what you are going to vote for if you vote for Mr. Stairs. The tariff against everything you send over there, and so you let their goods come into Canada free? Is there anybody wants to do that?

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**Rotary Attains
Seventh Birthday**

Former President Dykeman Gave Interesting Sketch of Club's History.

The weekly luncheon of the Rotary Club on Monday, was the anniversary meeting, the Club having been formed on 22nd May, 1914. Rotarian Chas. W. McKee was chairman for the occasion, but the holiday made some little difference in the attendance.

President Spangler urged upon members the absolute necessity of attending each weekly meeting, if the Club was to maintain its excellent position among the several clubs in the district in the matter of attendance. Some few members had become very slack in this respect, and their absence pulled down the weekly average.

Rotarian Weyman reported that he was in receipt of a letter from the Provincial Treasurer of the Boy Scouts, thanking the Club for the valuable assistance rendered by it to the Scout movement.

The suggestion of the committee that each member as his birthday came round should make a donation to a special fund to be offered to Child Welfare or such other object as should be decided on, was adopted by the meeting.

Rotarian Dykeman then gave a very interesting sketch of the Club since its inception seven years ago. It commenced with twenty-eight charter members, of whom, however, only Rotarian F. A. Dykeman, H. W. Ring, H. G. Marr and A. G. Everett are still with it. Much of the success which the Club has since achieved is due to the good work done by its first members, and particularly the energetic secretary, Arthur M. Philips, who later went overseas. Many members of the Club followed his example, who therefore became lost to Rotary. Since its inception, the Club has broadened and taken on new ideals, and now has a membership of ninety-eight.

**FREE TRADE
WOULD RUIN
THE DOMINION**

(Continued from page 3.)

"Do you know that in this country today, take it on the average—and we have had it investigated—our farmers are getting their implements just as cheaply as in corresponding points in the United States. Does anybody think that we ought to pursue a policy in this country that is going to bring into effect termination of the farming industry of this Dominion by the great price of the U. S. Do you think we should do that, even if we reduced by a dollar or so the price of farming implements here?"

Situation is Critical

"But in the next place do you want this country to be in the position it is sure to be in a very short time; if you throw all these articles on the free list? Take the countries of the world. You won't find one of them where implements can be bought as cheaply as United States and Canada, and in both of these countries the industries have been built up under a protective tariff. Let me deal with it in just a little wider way. I mention the Fordney-Young tariff that is now going into effect in the United States. It is against the whole world. It is just against Canada. They are doing this because they think it is best for them. There are those who try to preach to you that it is best for us to have reciprocity with them. Not so, they are punishing every country as well as us. It is not to punish anybody; it is to help themselves. Do you know the conditions of trade to you, Canada, and the United States. Do you know we are buying more from that country than they are from us? This last year we bought \$28,000,000 worth of goods from that country and we sold them \$24,000,000 worth.

Trade Experiences

"Do you know what we were buying from them in 1917? In 1917 about the same party was in the power we were only buying \$225,000,000—over \$200,000,000 of an adverse balance of trade between us in one year, and they are putting their tariff up so that they will buy less from us. AND WE ARE SOLEMNLY TOLD IT IS THE THING FOR US TO DO TO TAKE OUR BARRIERS DOWN so that we will buy more than the \$25,000,000. I do not know that we ever sold that country in a single year anything like that. In 1917 we sold them \$110,000,000 and we are 9,000,000, so that every man, woman and child in the United States averaged \$4.40, and every man, woman and child in this country bought \$100.15, and Mr. Irvine and Mr. Stairs say the thing for us to do is to take our barriers down all along the line, so that we will buy more than \$100.15 worth of goods from that country, and we will buy less than \$4.40 apiece from us. Does it sound sane?"

Exchange Case

"Before the war our money was at par because we borrowed the money overseas and paid the United States in their own coin. We were getting into debt. We did not borrow at home, as we do now through the Victory loans, and we did not have to buy American dollars at all. Now everybody knows that, except the Crerar. The only way in the world we can correct this would be to produce more, sell more, and buy less. Last year it cost \$50,000,000 in exchange alone in the United States the way these people are thinking of remedying that is to buy less from the United States by taking down the tariff in order to buy more. I think you are just as capable of reasoning this thing out as I am. Look over the world today; look at France, look at Italy, look at Spain, Belgium, yes, look at Great Britain herself.

All Raising the Tariff

"They are going in about three months to do what the other countries are doing, and in every case the tariff since the war has been raised in those countries in order to stabilize the industries that were shaken and are now being re-adjusted after the war. Take Great Britain herself, which up to now is the only free trading country in the civilized world. What is Great Britain doing? Even in Great Britain they are resorting to other devices to protect their own trade. They are controlling importation—coal, bacon, beef, etc., and seeing to it that the home producer gets a show.

"In the face of all that, we are called upon by this Farmer party to take our tariff barriers down, to let the producers of every other country to have their own home market secured behind tariff and then flood the markets of Canada with their surplus and destroy our whole industrial apparatus. I do not think we are going to do it."

Mr. Meighen closed with an eloquent appeal to the electors to vote for Mr. Hanson if they were satisfied with the progress and the plans of the government. When he closed two little girls slipped across the platform and presented Mrs. Meighen with a huge basket of roses.

No Trace of Scandal

In closing his address in the evening the Premier briefly referred to the work accomplished by the Government he leads during the troublesome times of the war. Every effort had been made, and by the opposition to find some one thing that favored of scandal to use against the Government. They had hunted here and hunted there, but had found every cent of the people's money correctly accounted for.

The former Opposition in the York-Sunbury campaign had not discussed Dominion issues but had resorted to a campaign of misstatements and innuendoes. The addresses have been happily mendacious he said, made to fascinate every voter capable of distinguishing between humbug and common sense to be at the polls Saturday to vote for the candidate of the Government. That would mean a vote to build up and strengthen industries of the country to protect the trade of Canada from being swamped by the powerful interests of the United States. Keep the pulses of the country on true and sound lines then we can compete successfully with any nation.

Mr. Stacey

Mr. Stacey, M. P., from British Columbia, occupied ten minutes and gave his reasons for supporting the Meighen Government although he was a farmer. He said:

"Statement has been made that this country has passed through a great change. We all know it. We now take different outside of trade to our old place a new place in the world. This has all been brought about by the war." He then gave the history of the formation of the Meighen Government as one of the war changes. Continuing he said: "Sir Robert Borden became unpopular in many sections. There were demands that he should resign and give up the reins of office. The demands, however, came from those who were out of sympathy with the war and its prosecution. They were the friends of Germany."

"Peace came in 1919 and it was the duty of every patriotic citizen to consider whether the Union Jack should float over this country or the Red Flag of Revolution. At this crucial time, Mr. Crerar, the Minister of Agriculture resigned from the Cabinet. Time went on and the Conservative and Liberal parties believed the time had come to get together in a National Party. The result was the formation of the Liberal-Conservative party in July and the best possible form of government was evolved. Sir Robert Borden resigned and a new leader was found in the Right Honorable Arthur Meighen."

Opposed to Farmers

"I am opposed to the Farmer movement for two reasons. I object to its principles. I can't believe it is in the interests of the Dominion that any one section of the people should be given political control. The Farmers Party does not represent the farmers of Canada. It represents only the organized farmers. That is a class within a section. They are the people who have brought this predicament upon the people. No one else has any legal, moral or political right to seek control. In sporting games it is team-work that wins. We must work and pull together to bring about prosperity to this country—it must be team-work."

"I object to its policy. Its platform is wrong on its face. The policy it states the goal they have in view is to obtain a free trade agreement with the United States. If you want to make Canada a dumping ground for the United States vote for Crerar's candidate. If you want protection vote for Premier Meighen's candidate which means the protection of Canadian industries. There is no business that is not an industry and that is what the Meighen Government will protect. A tariff is not alone for manufacturers' it is for every legitimate business in the country."

"They say if you vote free trade there are some things you may buy cheaper for a time, but does that appeal to you? Your boys gave their lives for this country. How do you hold their sacrifice? Are you going to sell the country they died to save for a few dollars? Are you going to pander the future of this country for a few cents? You will not, you dare not hold the sacrifice of your boys so cheap."

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The Pageant opened with the showing of slides depicting the Red Cross as "The Greatest Mother in the World," and a reading on Red Cross work by Mrs. Boyle Travers, and the singing of God Save the King. Prologue—The Flag—Miss A. Tait Series of Tableaux of British History and Spirit of History. Miss Mackenzie The Anglo Slaves in Rome. Loyalist Chapter Recitation—Miss V. Roberts How King Alfred Learned to Read. Pundy Chapter Recitation—Miss V. Roberts Richard I... Lady Roberts Chapter Song—Miss Knight Magna Charter... Windsor Chapter The Wooling of Henry. Seven Seas Chapter Henry VIII and Wolsey. Valer Chapter Song—Thos. Guy Queen Elizabeth and Sir Walter Raleigh... Royal Standard Chapter Song—"Plymouth Sound." Master Victor Regan Bonnie Prince Charlie and Flora MacDonald... DeMonts Chapter Nelson Bidding Farewell to His Grandmother... Brunswick Chapter Queen Victoria... Royal Arms Chapter There was a fair attendance and the programme was enjoyed from start to finish, every member being particularly interesting.

PLEASANT SURPRISE PARTY.

The home of Mrs. Nellie Swain was the scene of a happy gathering last evening, when some forty friends gathered there and gave her a surprise party. The evening was spent in games and music. Bounteous refreshments of sandwiches, cake and ice cream were served. During the evening Mr. Lorne Blevie of Glenwood, in behalf of the company gathered, presented the hostess with a mantle clock, to which she replied in a few well chosen words. Mrs. Swain is widow of Captain R. P. Swain, 11th Batt., Royal Sussex Regiment. They purchased a farm here about eight years ago and when war broke out he answered the call of duty. In 1917 he was reported missing and nothing more has been heard of him. Mrs. Swain has but recently left the farm and moved into her new bungalow in the settlement.

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MRS. SOLOMON SAYS:

By HELEN ROWLAND
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 Being the Confessions of the Seventh-Hundredth Wife.

My daughter, upon the highway of Love, the foolish shall receive many jolts; but the wise dandel shall cherish my Proverbs and follow the SHUNNS. And, for her, the Post Road to Matrimony shall be one lone boulevard!

Behold, a man's love blossoms suddenly, with the first glance of the first kiss; but a woman's love feeds upon reflection. So that, by the time her romance hath flowered, his hath, peradventure, begun to fade. But the foolish dandel writeth him a pink note, and calleth him upon the telephone, next morning!

Lo, as sweet as a nut suadee, as perfect as the salad-dressing of a French chef, so is the combination of a moon, a pretty woman, a kiss and a cigarette. But, if ONED of these be lacking, the rest are without flavor. For, unto a man who yearneth for a SMOKE, a kiss is no substitute.

Joy cometh not when it is expected; and when the day and the hour have been set, and the fast prepared, a good time is lacking. But, when thou seekest not Romance, and hast no thought for Adventure, then shalt thou meet them at the first corner. For into delirium to play Santa Claus, and life's sweetest thrills are always surprises.

As antique as side-curis, yet more fascinating than ear-puffs are modesty and discretion in pretty woman. And gentle manners are more becoming than pink tulle on the shoulder and powder on the nose. Yet the Flapper concealeth neither her emotions; and in her vampings, she is as subtle as a Boston terrier, and as reserved as a motor-horn.

Behold, the prin dandel saith, "NO man shall kiss me!" Yet, if no man "PRYETH" to kiss her, she counteth the day LOST. For, it is not in being kissed, but in being thought kissable, that a woman's heart deligheth.

I charge thee, my Daughter, think not to make any man contented. For, the "Restless Sex" is not the vamping sex, but the Roving Sex, which is masculine.

Lo, the Bachelor saith, "All married men envy me, and I am called 'Lucky Devil!'" For, I roam witherover I list, and kiss whomever I please, and I know not the call of the 'dinner hour'; nor the dread of the 'time-to-go-home.' Yet, for a permanent address, and three regular meals a day, and for SOMEONE to greet me at the door, would I give all my freedom and my single blessedness!

Yet, the Married Man saith, "All single men envy me, and I am called 'happily mated.'" Yes, I am settled and well-fed and well cared for. Yet for an occasional 'evening off,' and for a holiday, with nobody at the other end of the telephone, would I sometimes give all that I possess!

And there is no peace IN them!

Verily, verily, in his infancy, Man is a trouble to his mother; and in youth, he is a torment to many women; and in his manhood, he is a trial to his wife.

Yet, life without him, would be as a Flivver without gasoline, a dance without music—a sail without a breeze!

He maketh it "go."

Slah.

PHARMACEUTICAL EXAMINATION.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Examiners of the New Brunswick Pharmaceutical Society will meet for the examination of candidates for registration in the Natural History Society Bldg., in the City of St. John on Tuesday and Wednesday, June 7 & 8 at 9 a.m. Candidates must give notice to the registrar, J. Benson Mahony, at St. John, N. B., in writing of their intention to present themselves for examination. Such notice must be accompanied by the examination fee of \$10.00, and by certificate of the satisfaction of the council that the candidate possesses the qualifications required by the fifth section of the Pharmacy Act. Candidates for re-examination required to pay the fee of \$5.00. No applications received after May 28.

F. W. MUNRO, Secretary.

The Wages of Sin.

"Boredom" exclaimed the preacher as he came across a portion of his flock engaged in pursuing the food of chance. "Don't you all know it's wrong to shoot craps?" "Yes, pahson," admitted one paragon of society, "an' I believe me, Ah' payin' fo' mah sins."

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Some exquisite dresses for graduating and first communion and parties, in delicate work on organdie-dotted muslin and crepe, are being shown in the leading stores. On most of the frocks the picot ruffles made of it with crepe de chine and broad, are effective details, and sashes assume an important part. Coat suits and kilbo tweeds, jerseys and other fine wools are being shown in the ladies' department of many of the larger stores. Mittles are also being shown in a variety of styles.

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Chignecto Team Defeated St. John

In Cricket Match on Barrack Green Yesterday Visited by Green Yesterday Visited Won by Score of 173 to 8

A cricket match was played on Barrack Green yesterday afternoon when a team from the St. John, N. B. Chignecto defeated the St. John team by a score of 173 to 8. Blades w 43; Burrell with 34; Bullen 81; Clark 25, and Purser with 13 were the scores for the visitors, while Young with 21, Snow with 13 were the highest for the locals.

After the match the visiting team were served with refreshments at the afternoon's play was thoroughly enjoyed by all. The scores were as follows:

Name	St. John Score
H. Young—Bowled (Blades)	21
H. Davis—Bowled (Burrell)	13
E. Snow—Bowled (Bullen)	13
K. Mofford—Bowled (Burrell)	8
Hawkins—Caught and Bowled (Burrell)	8
G. W. Stegman—Bowled (Bullen)	8
F. J. Beck—Bowled (Osborn)	8
Krisley—Caught by B. (Bladen)	8
C. L. Mofford—Bowled (Bullen)	8
Parritt—Not out	8
J. R. King—Bowled (Bullen)	8

Extra byes 1
 Grand total 173

Baseball Games With Big League

MONDAY'S GAMES NATIONAL LEAGUE	
All games postponed on account of rain.	
AMERICAN LEAGUE	
At St. Louis—	
New York	6 11
St. Louis	4 6
At Cleveland—	
Cleveland	4 8
Boston	1 4
At Detroit—	
Detroit	6 14
Philadelphia	2 11
At Chicago—	
Washington	9 14
Chicago	5 11
INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE	
At Buffalo—	
Toronto	6 14
Buffalo	6 9
At Rochester—	
Rochester	5 10
Syracuse	3 4
No other games played.	
TUESDAY'S GAMES NATIONAL LEAGUE	
At Philadelphia—	
Philadelphia	3 8
Cincinnati	2 2
At Brooklyn—	
Brooklyn	6 7
Chicago	1 7
At New York—	
New York	5 10
Pittsburgh	3 0
At Boston—	
Boston	7 11
St. Louis	3 7
AMERICAN LEAGUE	
At Chicago—	
Chicago	6 17
Washington	5 11
At St. Louis—	
St. Louis	8 10
New York	4 7
At Detroit—	
Philadelphia	7 11
Detroit	6 10
At Boston—Cleveland, postponed.	
INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE	
At Toronto—First game—	
Toronto	1 7
Rochester	0 7
Second game—	
Toronto	3 11
Rochester	2 2
At Syracuse—	
Syracuse	10 11
Buffalo	3 3
At Reading—	
Reading	7 7
Jersey City	1 1
At Baltimore—	
Baltimore	8 11
Newark	7 11
American League Standing	
	Won. Lost.
Cleveland	22 13
New York	19 18
Detroit	20 17
Washington	17 18
St. Louis	16 18
Boston	13 15
Chicago	13 17
Philadelphia	11 21
National League Standing	
	Won. Lost.
Pittsburgh	25 7
New York	22 11
Brooklyn	19 17
Chicago	15 16
Boston	15 16
St. Louis	10 19
Philadelphia	10 20
Cincinnati	11 24
International League Standing	
	Won. Lost.
Baltimore	20 10
Jersey City	17 15
Buffalo	17 18
Newark	16 17
Toronto	16 16
Rochester	16 16
Syracuse	17 17
Reading	11 20

Chignecto Team Defeated St. John

In Cricket Match on Barrack Green Yesterday Visitors Won by Score of 173 to 85.

A cricket match was played on the Barrack Green yesterday afternoon, when a team from the St. M. B. P. Chignecto defeated the St. John club by a score of 173 to 85. Blades with 43; Burrell with 34; Bullen 21; Clarke 15 and Farrow with 12 were the star bowlers for the visitors; while Young with 21, Snow with 13 were the highest for the locals.

After the match the visiting team were served with refreshments and the afternoon's play was thoroughly enjoyed by all. The scores were as follows:

St. John Score	
Name	Total
H. Young—Bowled (Blades)	21
R. Davis—Bowled (Burrell)	4
E. Snow—Bowled (Bullen)	13
K. Mofford—Bowled (Burrell)	1
Hawkins—Caught and Bowled (Burrell)	0
G. W. Stegman—Bowled (Bullen)	13
P. J. Beck—Bowled (O'Regan)	4
Krisley—Caught and Bowled (Burrell)	2
C. L. Mofford—Bowled (Bullen)	4
Parrott—Not out	3
J. R. King—Bowled (Bullen)	1
Extras	95
Grand total	173

Baseball Games With Big Leagues

MONDAY'S GAMES NATIONAL LEAGUE

All games postponed on account of rain.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At St. Louis—

New York	6	1
St. Louis	4	11

At Cleveland—

Cleveland	4	8
Boston	1	4

At Detroit—

Detroit	6	7
Philadelphia	2	11

At Chicago—

Washington	9	14
Chicago	5	11

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

At Buffalo—

Toronto	6	10
Buffalo	6	9

At Rochester—

Rochester	5	10
Syracuse	3	4

No other games played.

TUESDAY'S GAMES NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Philadelphia—

Philadelphia	3	8
Cincinnati	2	6

At Brooklyn—

Brooklyn	6	7
Chicago	1	7

At New York—

New York	5	10
Pittsburgh	3	6

At Boston—

Boston	7	8
St. Louis	3	7

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Chicago—

Chicago	6	13
Washington	6	9

At St. Louis—

St. Louis	8	10
New York	4	7

At Detroit—

Philadelphia	7	14
Detroit	6	10

At Boston—Cleveland, postponed, rain.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

At Toronto—First game—

Toronto	1	7
Rochester	0	4

Second game—

Rochester	3	13
Toronto	2	4

At Syracuse—

Syracuse	10	17
Buffalo	3	9

At Reading—

Reading	7	9
Jersey City	1	6

At Baltimore—

Baltimore	8	14
Newark	7	10

American League Standing

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Cleveland	22	13	.629
New York	19	13	.594
Detroit	20	17	.541
Washington	17	18	.486
St. Louis	16	18	.471
Boston	13	15	.463
Chicago	14	17	.450
Philadelphia	11	20	.344

National League Standing

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Pittsburgh	25	7	.781
New York	22	11	.687
Brooklyn	19	17	.525
Chicago	15	14	.517
Boston	15	16	.484
St. Louis	10	19	.344
Philadelphia	10	20	.333
Cincinnati	11	24	.314

International League Standing

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Baltimore	29	10	.697
Jersey City	17	15	.528
Buffalo	17	19	.471
Newark	16	17	.484
Toronto	16	16	.500
Rochester	16	16	.500
Syracuse	17	17	.500
Reading	11	20	.350

Holiday Races In Border Towns

Four Classes on St. Stephen Track—Street Sports at Milltown—Baseball Match.

Special to The Standard. St. Stephen, N. B., May 24.—The holiday was well observed in the border towns with large crowds participating and ideal weather conditions. Milltown had a parade, street sports, horse racing and baseball. In St. Stephen the afternoon was given to horse racing and baseball at the park under the auspices of the G. W. V. A. The ball game was won by St. Stephen with a score of 14 to 7, from Woodland. Excepting on one inning when the locals ran in seven scores, the game was well contested.

The horse racing was held on the track and resulted as follows:

Class A.

Little Giller (Ed. Gilman)	2	1	2	1
Hanks Billard (E. B. McKay)	1	3	1	2
Zelma Strong (W. H. Keys)	3	2	3	2
Time, 1:13, 1:07, 1:09, 1:06.				

Class B.

Seldom (C. H. R. Halsey)	1	1	1	1
Randall (W. C. B. McKay)	4	2	4	2
College Fleet (R. L. Todd)	2	4	2	4
Tornado (D. Groves)	3	3	3	3
Peter Moore (B. McBride)	5	5	5	5
Time, 1:10, 1:09, 1:09.				

Class C.

Dazzle Medium (W. A. Hyslop)	1	1	1	1
Lady K. (E. Peacocks)	2	2	2	2
Aristo (G. Walker)	3	3	3	3
Cassio (W. R. E. Hyslop)	4	4	4	4
Rose Lumps (A. F. Johnson)	4	6	4	6
Marion Todd (W. Sampson)	5	6	5	6
Time, 1:13, 1:10, 1:08 1/2.				

Class D.

Lilly Patchen (C. W. Hanley)	3	3	1	1
Harry Hal (E. Medill)	1	1	4	2
Chiefs	1	1	4	2
Iowa Lou (C. Trimbles)	4	4	2	3
Benbourbon (A. Forbes)	3	3	3	3
King George (W. L. Agans)	5	5	5	5
Time, 1:13, 1:14, 1:16, 1:13 1/2, 1:15.				

Robt. M. Webber was starter and gave excellent satisfaction. The day closed with a band concert and dance in St. Stephen and a dance in Milltown.

Large Crowd At The Woodstock Races

College Swift, Leonora McKinney and Lady Ashbrooke Were Winners.

Special to The Standard. Woodstock, N. B., May 24.—The races on the parlor track today were largely attended. There were about 1,200 paid admissions, and 600 of these were in the grand stand. The track was faster than at any time since it was laid, and the weather was ideal. While there was a disposition on the part of the drivers not to shove their horses to the limit, the time made was considered satisfactory for so early in the season with the exception of the 2:20 trot and pace.

Although the races were won in straight heats, best two in three, the finishes were close; an extra heat in the 2:30 pace was a consolation heat. General satisfaction was expressed with Mr. Tweedie as a starter. The following is the summary:

College Swift (Shuman) Woodstock, N. B., May 24.

Amy (Mason) Providence, R. I.	2
Lucky Strike (Hamilton) Woodstock	3
Time—2:29, 2:25 1/2.	

2:20 Trot

Leonora McKinney (Carr) Houlton	1
Togo M. (Shuman) Woodstock	3
Countess Petress (Mason) Providence	3
Time—2:35 1/2, 2:36 1/2.	

2:20 Trot and Pace.

Lady Ashbrooke (Gans) Woodstock	1
Sis Peters (Hamilton) Woodstock	2
Merry Wise (Poole) Woodstock	3
Queenin Patchen (Dewitt) Woodstock	4
Time—2:33 3/4, 2:37, 2:36.	

Officials—Fred Tweedie, starter; Fred Tweedie, Jimmy Boutiller, Dr. McIntosh, judges; J. Gardiner, Billy Brickley, James W. Gallagher, timers; Roy C. Tait, clerk.

St. Peter's Team Won The Opening Game

Two Thousand People Witnessed Saints Defeat Commercial by Score of 10 to 1.

Over two thousand fans were present at St. Peter's grounds yesterday afternoon and witnessed the first game held in the Senior City League. The City Cornet Band rendered a programme of music. The championship flag won by St. Peter's last year was raised amid loud applause, and the Saints walked away with the first game from the Commercial by a score of ten to one.

The Commercial were not as steady as the winners, having several costly errors, and for the first part of the game their pitching was off. Features of the game were home runs made by Gorman and O'Regan. The official box score and summary follows:

Commercial

AB.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Marshall, rf.	3	0	0	2	0
MacGowan, ss.	4	0	1	2	1
Gorman, 3b.	4	0	1	0	0
Garnett, cf.	4	0	1	0	0
Latham, lb.	4	0	0	1	0
Howard, if.	4	1	1	0	0
Brittain, c.	3	0	3	0	0
Nichols, 2b.	0	0	0	0	0
Henderson, p.	1	0	1	1	0
Yeomans, p.	2	0	1	1	0
Case, rf.	3	0	1	0	0
Time—1:24, 1:24, 1:24.					

St. Peter's

AB.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Dever, c.	3	2	11	1	0
Gibbons, ss.	3	2	0	2	1
Mooney, 2b.	5	3	2	1	0
Doherty, rf.	4	2	0	0	0
Gibbons, ss.	4	2	0	2	0
O'Regan, 3b.	3	1	1	1	0
Callaghan, if.	5	0	1	0	0
Riley, cf.	4	0	0	0	0
Hansen, p.	3	0	0	0	0
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Umpires—Howard and Connolly. Scorer—Carny.

Time of game—Two hours and fifteen minutes.

Attendance, 2,000.

Beautiful Weather For the Holiday

Streets Were Deserted—Ball Games, Parks and Races Well Patronized.

With the exception of St. Peter's baseball diamond, Moosepath Racing Park and King Square and Seaside Park in the afternoon, and the square in the morning, the streets were deserted. The City Cornet Band rendered a programme of music. The championship flag won by St. Peter's last year was raised amid loud applause, and the Saints walked away with the first game from the Commercial by a score of ten to one.

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West End League Opened Monday

Despite the cold weather a couple of thousand people assembled at Queen Square, West St. John, Monday evening and witnessed the opening of the West End League. His Worship, Mayor Schofield, pitched the first ball and then made one of his pleasant addresses, complimenting the West End League on the energy shown in promoting clean sport, and in closing his address he announced that he would donate a cup to the league.

The opening game was between the St. Rose's of Fairville and St. George's A. C., which was won by the former team by a score of eight to three. The batteries were: for winners, Murphy and McKinnon and for the St. George's: Johnston and Urquhart. Murphy of St. Rose's struck out twelve men while Hammond of St. George's hit a three bagger and a home run. The fielding of Roy Merryweather was also a feature making two difficult one hand stabs.

The St. Rose's showed up well in their first game and should make a strong bid for the championship. The umpires were Dean and Armour, while Louis Nice was scorer. This evening St. George's and Portland Y. M. A. will play a game starting at 7:30 sharp. Dean and Great will be umpires.

Suspensions By N. Y. Commission

New York, May 24.—Suspension of Joe Lynch, heavyweight champion, was announced tonight by the New York State Boxing Commission for violating a contract to box at Holyoke, Mass., April 29.

Three pugilists, receiving thirty day suspensions by the commission because they had been disqualified for committing fouls, were Edward Barrd of Seattle, Billy Detoe of St. Paul and Mike McGuire of New York.

The license of Jack Dillon, Indianapolis, which has been revoked, was announced, as an examination showed that he was not in proper physical condition to box.



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Baseball and Horse Races at Capital

York County Four Team League Opened—Matinee Races in the Afternoon.

Fredericton, N. B., May 24.—Victoria Day marked the opening of the baseball season here. Four games were scheduled in the York County Baseball League which is composed of Marysville, Devon and two Fredericton teams, the Imperials and the Y. M. C. A.

In the afternoon Marysville won from Y. M. C. A., the 1920 champions, by a score of 8 to 6, while Imperials won at Devon by a score of 7 to 4. This evening Y. M. C. A. revised and defeated Imperials on their home diamond at College field by a score of 11 to 4, the game being called at the end of the sixth inning, but the game which Devon was scheduled to play at Marysville did not take place because of a dispute over the eligibility of Ken McDonald, who last year played with Marysville but this afternoon lined up with Devon against Imperials. His case was before the league executive recently and it was then said that he had first been registered with the A. A. U. of C. as a Marysville player but Devon afterwards claimed he had signed with them or agreed to play with them first and there was no authority for Marysville to have registered him. Marysville refused to have the game go on while he was with the Devon team and the matter will now have to be settled by the league executive and the A. A. U. of C. officials.

Three local matinee horses, Mike Gratian, Linda Bingen and Inspector Chief raced mile heats at the trotting park this afternoon for a side bet the owners had placed and the former, a recent importation from St. Stephen, won for Howard McDonald, his present owner. E. O. McDonald was thrown when Linda Bingen tripped in her hoppies and went down but horse and driver both escaped serious injury. The best time in the race was 2:27.

Commercial Lost Their Second Game

There was a good crowd on the East End grounds last evening to witness the exhibition game between the St. Peter's and Commercial, and like that played in the afternoon, the Saints won by a score of ten to one. They hit harder and batted better.

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Straight Heats On Moosepath Track

The first 24th of May Matinee races to be held at Moosepath Racing Park for some years was favored with a large attendance, both motorists and horse drivers turning out in goodly numbers.

The match between Resinol Jr., owned and driven by Joseph Ritchie, and Darling, driven by Leo McNamara, was owned by Dan Mackin, was won in straight heats by Darling. Time, 2:47, 2:45. Both heats were close and well contested.

There were five starters in the class "B" race which resulted as follows:

Colt Race, Half Mile.

Baroness (L. G. Wilson)	3	1	1
Una B. (Huggard)	1	1	1
Victor Jr. (Alexander)	2	2	2
Time—1:37, 1:25, 1:24.			

Officials—Starter, H. G. Short; Judges, Thomas Dean, R. Short and H. G. Short; Timers, Sherman Grey and Mr. Dan.

A feature of the meet was the several selections sung between heats by little Miss Kathleen Bois of the popular juvenile concert troupe. The young soloist sang several selections through a megaphone. Her efforts were well received.

The speedway was in good condition and some good racing is expected on June 3rd, when a number of horses new to St. John are to make their debut there.

Amongst them will be D. O'Keefe's new importation, "June Tramp," recently brought on from Boston, also S. K. Rice's "Touze" and Dustin's "Phillmore Dillon," "Four Feather," "Echo Todd" and "Cable" may also start, and Peter Farron will probably be there to give the youngster's the once over.

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MARINE NEWS

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Several dances were held on board, which were much enjoyed by the passengers. According to travelers returning from the south, the tourist season is about at an end and the resorts are emptying rapidly.

Arrived Monday. The Chignecto, Bermuda and the West Indies. Cleared Monday for Coastwise—Sch Nettie C. 449, Doucette, Meteghan, Sir Connors Bros., 64, Warnock, Chance Harbor, str Empress, 612, McDonald, Digby.

Arrived Tuesday. Str Gov. Dingley, Ingraham, from Boston. CANADIAN PORTS. Bathurst, May 19.—Arr Canadian Miner, 1043, Seaman, Sabine, Texas, 2400 tons sulphur for Bath Lumber Co.

Arrived Wednesday. The four master schooner Annabelle Cameron is loading a cargo of lumber at Savannah for Pictou, N. S.

Arrived With Sugar. S.S. Catharine arrived Monday from San Domingo with a cargo of raw sugar for the Atlantic Refinery.

S.S. Canadian Trader arrived in port Tuesday morning to load a cargo of sugar for the United Kingdom.

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TENDERS WANTED. SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and marked on the outside "Tender for the Repairing and Remodelling of the Court House," will be received up to and including WEDNESDAY, May 25, 1921, for the repairing and remodelling of the Court House in the Town of Yarmouth, Nova Scotia. Those tendering are asked to prepare and submit plans and specifications for the same. Not bound to accept the lowest or any tender. J. ARCH BLACKADAR, Municipal Clerk.

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PRUNES! PRUNES! 2,500 BOXES SOLD FOR THE BENEFIT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN. BY AUCTION. I am instructed by MacNaie, Sinclair and MacIac, Solicitors for California Prune and Apricot Growers Inc. of San Jose, Cal., to sell by Public Auction at sale room, 95 German street, on Friday morning, May 27, at eleven o'clock, the following: 1,350 Boxes—90-100. 200 Boxes—80-90. 300 Boxes—70-80. 60 Boxes—60-70. 75 Boxes—60-60. 275 Boxes—40-50. 40 Boxes—30-40. 100 Boxes—100-120. 100 Boxes—50 lbs. each. F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer.

Canadian National Railways. TIME CHANGES Effective May 1st. PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND SERVICE. S. S. P. E. Island will alter May 1st make two round trips daily (Except Sunday). Connections via Sackville made by No. 13 train leaving at 7.10 a. m. and by No. 14 leaving at 1.30 p. m. No. 14 train will leave at 1.30 p. m. instead of at 1.40 p. m. connecting at Moncton with No. 2 Ocean Limited for Halifax and Sydney. No. 13 train from Halifax and Moncton with Boston Sleeper will arrive at 5.30 instead of 5.35 p. m. No. 19 Train, the Maritime Express, connection from Moncton, will arrive at 1.35 p. m. instead of 1.15 noon. SUNDAY TRAINS BETWEEN ST. JOHN AND MONCTON. Effective May 1st, No. 50 train will leave St. John (Sunday only) at 9.20 a. m. and arrive at Moncton at 1.00 p. m. making all local intermediate stops. This train affords connection with No. 1 Ocean Limited for Quebec and Montreal. No. 49 train on Sunday only, will leave Moncton at 4.45 p. m. arriving in St. John at 8.00 p. m. Other Trains Unchanged. NOTE.—After May 21st Suburban trains will run one hour earlier on account of daylight time. FOR FURTHER PARTICULARS ENQUIRE AT CITY TICKET OFFICE, 49 KING ST.

Announcing the Appearance of the Prize List of the Fredericton Exhibition. Sept. 17, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 1921. NEW BRUNSWICK'S BIG FAIR. Open to Canada and the State of Maine. Special attractions of unusual merit. \$25,000 Premiums \$25,000. Prize List now ready for distribution. Write or call for a copy. Address Secretary, Fredericton Exhibition, P. O. Box 772, or call at office, 404 Queen, corner York street, Fredericton, N. B.

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THE WEATHER

Toronto, May 24.—Pressure is high over the Atlantic and New England States and relatively low over the Upper Lake region and in Alberta. The weather has been fair today over the Dominion except in portions of Southern Ontario where it has been mostly cloudy. In the Western Provinces it has turned quite warm.

St. John 36 60
Prince Rupert 40 54
Vancouver 46 63
Calgary 40 52
Edmonton 38 50
Regina 47 78
Saskatoon 38 79
Winnipeg 40 72
White River 52 66
London 49 71
Toronto 48 63
Ottawa 48 68
Montreal 40 66
Quebec 35 68
Halifax 36 58

Forecast.—Moderate winds, fair; a little higher temperature.

Northern New England.—Increasing cloudiness and warmer Wednesday, followed by showers Wednesday night or Thursday; warmer Thursday.

AROUND THE CITY

COUNCIL MEETS TODAY. The regular meeting of the council will be held this afternoon at three o'clock.

BEER LICENSES ISSUED. The number of beer licenses issued to date is 281 for the province. Of this number forty-seven are for the city and eighteen for the county of St. John.

HARBOR COMMISSION. The mayor has set Friday afternoon as the time when the city council will take up the matter of a plebiscite on the matter of harbor commissioner for St. John.

A BUSY DAY. Monday was a banner one at city hall in the issuing of dog licenses, forty-five having been issued up to noon. This makes a total of 624 issued for this season.

RED CROSS DRIVE. A meeting of the local Red Cross was held at the home of Mrs. Richard O'Brien, the convener, on Monday afternoon to organize the members for the drive which starts on Thursday.

A CHAFING REGULATION. A juvenile fisherman was heard to say on Monday night: "It's hard luck that the law allows us to catch only ten pounds of fish and tomorrow's holiday."

TO MEET THIS MORNING. A conference will be held at the office of the mayor between representatives of the Power Co., the West Side Improvement League and the city in regard to the removal of the rails from Queen Square, West.

TO ATTEND GENERAL ASSEMBLY. Rev. J. A. MacKeigan, of St. David's church, will leave here the latter part of the week to attend the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Synod at Toronto. He expects to be away three Sundays, supplies having been arranged for his pulpit.

WILL VISIT EUROPE. Dr. Sexton, principal of the Halifax Technical College, accompanied by Mrs. Sexton, will sail for Europe this week. They will spend considerable time in the mother country, attend the Rotary conference, and then take a tour of the continent, going down to Italy, and enroute will visit the battlefields of France.

SURVEYING PARTY. A survey party on which several St. John boys are employed has begun work for the Provincial Government at Bathurst Mines, about forty miles from the town of Bathurst. The party left Fredericton a week ago yesterday. They expect to operate in that vicinity for the greater part of the summer.

FROM RHODE ISLAND. A large auto truck covered over with canvas and bearing Rhode Island number plates and a party of men, was stopped Monday night at Hamford by an officer and searched for contraband, but as nothing suspicious was found, the driver was allowed to go on his way along the road to Moncton and then to Buctouche, which is their destination, where the men are to be employed.

TWAS DONE IN THE EAST. An energetic group of admirers of the outdoor life yesterday raised the flagpole and surmounting gilded ball, on the East End grounds. The ceremony although not given publicity was attended by a rather select and exclusive group of audacious visionaries who applauded Mr. Harry Short, not only for the effort made to please the kiddies, but for his wholehearted sacrifice during all the Spring days.

BOARD OF TRADE NOTES. The Board of Trade has received a communication from a Japanese firm in Winnipeg telling of the great demand for United States goods in Japan and saying that many lines of Canadian goods could favorably compete with the United States in this business. The firm asked for the support of exporting and importing firms here in building up business with Japan.

An enquiry was received also from a firm in Quebec asking for the name of a wholesale firm that would handle a line of wooden crates, baskets and such articles.

Mr. and Mrs. Revere Steeves announce the engagement of their daughter, Sallie, to Mr. J. L. MacCoubrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. MacCoubrey, of St. Andrews. The marriage is to take place the latter part of June.

Crop Conditions In The Province

Now Somewhat Backward for Lack of Rain—Conditions Worse in Quebec.

What looked like an early season for crops is being changed to a somewhat backward one by the drought that has prevailed since early spring, there having been no heavy rains so far, and the light snow melting quickly left the ground comparatively dry. The planting has been going on rapidly and, not having been interrupted by any rains, the farmers have their cropping nearly finished, but the growth has been slow and will continue to be unless rains relieve the situation at an early date. The rains of last week were only local showers and did not reach the northern part of the province in the same volume that characterized their visitations to the middle and southern regions. The big storm of last Friday night was comparatively light in the northern counties and did not touch some places at all. If wet weather does not soon set in the farmers in the potato districts fear that there will be a repetition of last year when the seed failed to sprout and was crusted by the fertilizing chemicals.

It appears that this province is not alone in suffering from a drought. A visitor in the city yesterday who came from Montreal after a trip through several points in Quebec stated that the conditions there were even worse than in this province. No rain has fallen there either and some of the crops were planted at an earlier date than here, consequently they have been suffering from the want of moisture longer.

Sudden Death of Miss Alice Melvin

Eldest Daughter of Dr. George G. Melvin Died at Lawrence, Kan.

The sudden death of Miss Alice Melvin, eldest daughter of Dr. George G. Melvin, provincial health officer, will be learned with the deepest of regret by a wide circle of friends. Miss Melvin was a teacher in a college at Lawrence, Kansas, about twenty miles from Kansas city, and on Monday morning she was taken suddenly ill with appendicitis and underwent an operation. Her father, Dr. Melvin, now residing in Fredericton, received a telegram Monday evening that his daughter was progressing favorably and was shocked yesterday morning on receiving another telegram announcing her death. Besides her father, the deceased leaves one sister, Miss Georgie Melvin, to mourn. Her mother died ten pounds of fish and tomorrow's holiday.

Community Club Made Good Start

East St. John Residents on Campaign to Provide Needed Improvements.

The newly organized Community Club of East St. John, held a meeting Monday evening with President Magee presiding, and a large number were present. Many new members were enrolled, and a general spirit of interest prevailed which augurs well for the success of the club. The club decided at this meeting to begin a series of entertainments in that vicinity for the purpose of providing shelter at the car stops. After this has been accomplished other undertakings will be taken up. Following the business of the meeting there was a short musical programme contributed to by Miss Edith Magee, Mr. John Sampson and Mr. John Tonge.

WAR VETERANS' FAIR OPENED

Good Attendance at St. Andrew's Rink — Various Booths Nicely Decorated.

St. Andrew's rink was in gala attire last night on the occasion of the opening of the annual G. W. V. A. fair. In spite of the fact that it was a holiday and many people were out of the city the attendance was large. The various booths were tastefully decorated and thoughtfully arranged and the committee in charge had ingeniously directed their efforts to amuse and entertain the patrons of the fair, which will continue until the evening of the third of June. Door prizes and lottery prizes are given each night. The city cornet band was in attendance.

COLD FOR FISHING.

A number of citizens who went to the country lakes and streams for a holiday fishing trip report only a few catches owing to the weather being rather cold.

Borden's St. Charles or Jersey Milk "with the cream left in," "the can with the cow on the label"—is always as fresh and sweet as on milking day. Your grocer can supply you.

Strike of Workers Seems Now Assured

Local of Street Railway and Electric Workers Reject Proposal of N. B. Power Co.

The Local Union of the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway and Electric Workers was held Monday evening to discuss the situation growing out of the N. B. Power Company's notice of a 20 per cent. reduction in wages, the introduction of the "One Man" car, and the company's determination not to recognize the union in consideration of disputed questions after June 15th.

Recognition Chief Concern.

It is also understood that at this meeting many expressed a willingness, although reluctant to do so, to accept the wage reduction with the understanding that the union should be recognized by the company and the "One Man" car left over for further consideration. Our informant, not an official but it is known, stated that the strike of the union was practically decided upon at the meeting if the company fails to meet the workers in their contention.

Erin Street Fire Last Evening

House Occupied by Frederick Rooney and William Cameron Considerably Damaged.

An alarm was sounded from box 10 at 8:15 last evening by Police Officer Store for a fire in the second story of a house at 60 Erin street, occupied by Fred Rooney and owned by Mrs. Lucy Downing of 99 Brussels street. The fire caught in the front living room and an adjoining bedroom, but was not allowed to spread. Considerable damage was done to the furniture and clothing in the two rooms, amounting to about \$200. The loss was not covered by insurance. William Cameron, the occupant of the lower flat, also suffered some slight loss through the damage. The occupant of the upper flat, Ralph Kelly, was not affected by the blaze.

Lumber Business Seriously Affected

Large Part of Winter's Cut Being Left in Woods—No Drive Below Plaster Rock.

In the world-wide lethargy in industrial conditions possibly few lines of business have been more seriously affected than lumbering. This province being historically great lumbering centre has been so affected that very little is now going on in places where other years this season was the busiest of the year. Small as last winter's cut was a large part of it is being left in the woods, the operators preferring to let it stay there rather than tie up more money when the bottom of the market is out.

On The Tobique.

A visitor to the city yesterday said that on the Tobique river for the first time in upwards of fifty years there has been no drive below the town of Plaster Rock. In all former years besides a general drive there has been considerable rafting done by the small operators, but this season only a few rafts have come from that district. The same is true of most of the other tributaries of the St. John, and the total logs in the river now being driven by the St. John River Log Driving Corporation, who have charge of all the lumber in the main river south of Grand Falls, is considerably smaller than in any year since that company has been organized.

The General Drive.

The general drive of the river which started from Grand Falls about two weeks ago was this morning at Hartland and expect to reach the booms above Fredericton in about two weeks. Another drive started from Woodstock a week ago and is now at Long's Creek. They expect to reach the booms before the end of this week.

RENFORTH CLUB

A meeting of the members of the Renforth Athletic and Outing Association will be held Friday evening at the club-house in Renforth. The club members expect to make the coming season better than ever.

Everybody Active In the Campaign

Most Encouraging Reports Received from Red Cross Membership Campaign.

Mrs. G. A. Kahring is most enthusiastic over the success of the work accomplished so far in the Red Cross campaign for membership most encouraging reports have come to her this week from all sections of the province showing a hearty disposition on the part of all classes and creeds to assist in the work.

Kent County Active

At Rexton a large and enthusiastic meeting was held on Monday evening, arranged by Mrs. A. D. Carson, organizer for Kent county. Dr. Girvan was chairman. Addresses on the peace programme of the Red Cross were given by Revs. Orman, of Kitchi-bucto; Lewis, of Buctouche, and Gardner, of Rexton. A very active committee is at work throughout Kent county in the cause of the Red Cross.

Other Places Busy

Reports from Campbellton show the people hustling there. The organizing work there is in charge of Mrs. John Collier. Efficient conveners for the various sections were found in Mrs. J. D. Sargeant, Mrs. E. A. Gillis, Mrs. B. Rosborough, Mrs. V. Currie, Mrs. B. McLaughlin, Mrs. J. C. Ferguson, Mrs. Robt. Baird, Mrs. E. E. Richards, Mrs. H. B. Anslow, and others.

Will Hold Inquest On Friday Evening

Jury Empanelled by Coroner Kenney to Enquire into Death of Ivison Graham.

The inquest into the death of Ivison Graham, the nine-year-old lad who shot himself with a .22 calibre rifle at Spruce Lake Saturday, will be conducted by Coroner F. L. Kenney, in the Temperance Hall at Fairville, at 8 o'clock sharp Friday night.

Four Prisoners Sent Up For Trial

Owens and Cameron Attempted to Break Jail—Two for Stealing Bicycles.

In the police court Monday, Ronald Owens and Charles Cameron were sent up for trial on the charge of attempting to break jail. Owens was also committed for escaping from the Boys Industrial Home.

Out Door Play Days for the Kiddies Are Here

In joyful anticipation of the days ahead, the Beach, the Sands, days when mother may rest with no thought of worry for fear the wee ones may ruin their dresses. Our display of Children's Wear is exceptionally interesting. We pride ourselves upon this fact. Such a glorious array of Gingham Dresses, Rompers, Pull-overs, Stockings and Underwear. Just the kind like Mother and Dad wear, only in miniature size. The range of Dresses, etc., we are showing this week is too great to attempt to describe in print. Our only wish is that you will avail yourself of the opportunity to inspect our stock of Children's wear.—Dykeman's.

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RED CROSS MATINEE IMPERIAL TODAY, 4.30

The Imperial will have its own big programme with Will Rogers, Buster Keaton comedy and other features today from 2 to 4.30. The usual admission will be charged. However, at 4.30 the grand Red Cross children's matinee will commence at which a special programme arranged by the Red Cross Society will be rendered. Admission to this show will be by Red Cross flag, which may be procured at the theatre during the forenoon and afterwards. Persons attending the first show will be seated already for the special entertainment.

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NOTICE. On and after May 24 the steamer Majestic will leave Indian town at 8.45 a.m.—11 a.m. on Saturdays. The D. J. Purdy at 8 a.m. All daylight time.

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