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HARKINS ACADEMY ON FIRE YESTERDAY

The Fire Department was called out yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock for a fire at Harkins Academy. The fire originated in a waste paper room, under the stairway leading into the boys' basement. It is unknown how the paper became ignited, but when first seen the flames were eating into the walls. School had been dismissed but a number of the teachers including Principal J.A. Barnett and some of the pupils were still in the building. The alarm was immediately sent in and on arrival of the firemen the flames were burning briskly. Several streams of water were soon playing which speedily quenched the flames. Fortunately the fire was checked in its early stages, thus preventing a serious conflagration, which might have developed into larger proportions and caused the destruction of this valuable school building.

HUSBAND ARRESTED FOR BEATING WIFE

Information was laid before Mayor D.S. Creaghan, yesterday morning by Mrs. Joseph Napke against her husband, Joseph Napke, a dry goods and hardware merchant of this town charging him with assault and beating and occasioning actual bodily harm to her. Early Monday morning, Mrs. Napke called at the Police Station for help and was followed to the Police Station by her husband, who was arrested by Night Policeman Edward Walsh. Chief of Police John H. Ashford interviewed Mrs. Napke in the morning and found it necessary to have a physician called to attend to her injuries. Dr. J.E. Park assisted by Nursing Sister Mrs. Chas. H. Gough, examined the patient and afterwards had her removed to the Miramichi Hospital for treatment. Mr. Napke came before Mayor Creaghan yesterday morning and was granted bail in \$500 of personal surety and two others of \$250 each, to appear on Tuesday, March 4th.

Rev. Dr. Duncan Receives Call From Church in Scotland

Montreal, Feb. 22—A tentative call by cable has been received by Rev. Dr. Duncan, pastor of St. Paul and St. Andrew's Church from the Presbyterian Church at Govan, Scotland. The matter will come up before the Montreal Presbytery on February 25. Dr. Duncan was born in Scotland and came to St. Paul's Church here before it was merged with St. Andrew's, ten years ago. His last charge in Scotland was St. Cuthbert's, Edinburgh. In Canada Dr. Duncan has taken part vigorously in the debate on church union expressing the cause of the anti-

HON. W.P. JONES MENTIONED FOR SUPREME COURT VACANCY. In printing a photograph of Hon. W.P. Jones, K.C. President of the Bar Association of New Brunswick the Montreal Star refers to Mr. Jones as one "prominently mentioned for the supreme court vacancy in the province of New Brunswick."

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a surprise that logs that scale three to the thousand feet are being taken out in Madawaska County this winter. G.F. Burdett of the department of Chief Scaler, visited that section last week and saw logs being brought to the mills which would have been a credit to the province at any time in its history.

Town Topics

Tid-bits on the Tip of Everybody's Tongue

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And still eating Moir's Cake" is the message that came recently from Fisher's Mills, Guysborough County, accompanying an order for Moir's Birthday cake. Old friends wear best.

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No Amendment To Prohibition

Premier Veniot, last week denied rumors that an amendment to prohibition is proposed. He said he had read and heard reports that light wines and beers were to be made available to the public, but he pointed out that there would be no amendment or change in the Act until the question was first passed on in plebiscite by the people, and that he would keep his word.

He was asked if he had noticed that temperance forces were reported to be organizing against the alleged amendment and he suggested that those supporting prohibition could easily have learned from him that no amendment was proposed.



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WILL SELL OUT ALCORN ASSETS

Court Issues Decree in Case of Big Northumberland Lumberman

Edward Girouard of Moncton master in chancery of the supreme court in the county of Westmorland announces that the extensive property of A. C. Alcorn, Ltd. of Blackville, Northumberland Co. in the two counties named to be sold under the hammer on April 30 in front of the City Hall, Moncton; pursuant to a decree of the court in favor of the Eastern Trust Co. plaintiff. The Alcorn corporation carried on an extensive lumber business in northern New Brunswick and became involved in financial difficulties in 1922.

The sale will include factories, mills, lumber; lumber lands; leasehold properties, pulpwood; booms; 62 square miles of Crown timber license; wharves; machinery, tools; poles; tanbank, horses; farm land and stock in the corporation's store at Renous; Northumberland Co. The property in Moncton consists of land

EXPECTS GENERAL ELECTION IN 1924

The Mail and Empire in a despatch from Ottawa says:—"Every day appears to make the Government's position more untenable and adds to the prospects of a general election this year and even this spring. It was felt that the support of the Ontario Progressives would be sufficient to keep the Government in office but conditions have reached such a pass in the cabinet that many believe the Government will not survive the session and that dissolution may come as early as May.

"It is understood the opposition will challenge the propriety of four ministers retaining their cabinet positions and will press their challenges to the extent of taking the

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opinion of Parliament. "One of these ministers is Hon. John Sinclair, minister without portfolio; who represents Queens; P.E.I. Against Mr. Sinclair it will be urged that his association with the real estate promotions in Prince Edward Island by a Government agent in London are sufficient to cause his retirement from the Govern-

"The second minister whose retirement will be demanded is Hon. E.J. McMurray; Solicitor-General; who as a member of two firms which are large debtors to the defunct Home Bank, it is urged cannot remain in a Government that decides on policy regarding the protection of Home Bank depositors. Mr. McMurray entered the Government after the failure of the Home Bank but before it was known where this institution had sustained its heavy losses.

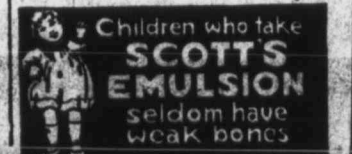
"Two other ministers will also be subjected to similar motions for their removal from the cabinet or motions condemning the Government for retaining them. The allegations to be made against one are such that if substantiated, will certainly create a cabinet vacancy. "Against the fourth minister under fire the charges are not so serious. The opposition is confident that in the attacks on the ministers they will force the Government to the country"

Premier King and Hon. E.J. McMurray declined to comment on an Ottawa despatch to the Toronto Mail and Empire discussing the position of several members of the cabinet. Hon. John Sinclair minister mentioned in the despatch is not in Ottawa.

Royal Bank Will Have Montreal's First Scrapper

Montreal, Feb. 18—The Royal Bank of Canada, which has in its Toronto office building the tallest structure in the British Empire, seems likely to have as its head office the tallest building in Montreal. Plans are well advanced for the construction of a fourteen-story office building here, which would be owned by interests friendly to the bank, and which would house the bank's head office activities. The building would be located at St. James and St. Peter streets, in the heart of the financial district.

A special by-law is now being nursed through the city council that will reverse Montreal's former aversion to anything higher than a ten story building. The by-law is along the lines of New York's new building code, which allows skyscrapers to be built providing the upper stories are set back, terraced fashion, so as not to obstruct the passage of light to the street below and adjoining buildings.



AMHERST HELD McLELLAN CUP

Amherst curlers in defending the McLellan cup Wednesday night defeated two rinks from Sackville, 43 to 22. Skips and scores were: Sackville Amherst R. Trites 12 Dr. O'Brien 20 H.M. Wood 10 E.S. Briggs 23 Total—22 43

DON'T CROSS YOUR LEGS

Do not cross your knees when you sit down, or you may develop varicose veins, H.G. Dixon; M. K.C.S. of London says.

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Popular Traffic Appointments



D. R. Kennedy of Buffalo, as General Agent at Montreal; J. E. Parker, General Agent Steamship Traffic, Montreal to Toronto in the same capacity; and H. R. Mathewson to Buffalo, as General Agent, from the office of Assistant General Agent at Chicago.

Important changes in transportation circles just announced at the headquarters of the Canadian Pacific Railway affect six traffic men very well known throughout Canada and the United States, and offices at Montreal, Toronto, Buffalo and in the Orient.

E. F. L. Sturdee, general agent of the Canadian Pacific at Seattle has already left to take the post of Acting General Passenger Agent in the Orient. In recent changes, Mr. Sturdee stands senior in the service of the Company which he joined as junior clerk in 1893 at St. John, N.B. During his thirty-one years of service he has made many friends all over the North American Continent.

Edward Stone, although he only joined the Chicago office of the Canadian Pacific in 1918 has had long and varied service with rail and steamship business and his appointment as general agent at Shanghai meets with

general appreciation. For three years Mr. Stone represented the Canadian Pacific as General Agent at Yokohama.

H. B. Beaumont, who held important posts in the European service of the Company, and has for the last few years been General Agent of Ocean traffic in Toronto, is appointed to the Montreal office as Assistant General Passenger Agent; Steamships. Mr. Beaumont was for many years connected with the Allan Line which company was absorbed by the Canadian Pacific.

Other important appointments are those of D. R. Kennedy of Buffalo as General Agent at Montreal; J. E. Parker, General Agent, Steamship traffic, Montreal to Toronto in the same capacity; and H. R. Mathewson to Buffalo as General Agent, from the office of Assistant General Agent at Chicago.

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MUST GET SANCTION IN EXHIBITION GAME

Chatham's Game With Unregistered Newcastle Team Causes Stir

P. J. Legge, secretary of the M.P. B.A.A.U. of C. in a bulletin has proclaimed that all hockey teams wishing to play exhibition games with outside teams must obtain sanction from the Union for the game. This, he said was absolutely necessary in order to avoid all trouble. It was the duty of the home team, he said to secure the sanction.

As registered hockey clubs have been playing with Newcastle, which was not registered under the Union Mr. Legge said that all teams were warned not to play with the Newcastle club until the matter was straightened out. The action of the other teams playing with an unregistered team was against the Union rules, he said.

Chatham played with Newcastle recently and in so doing broke the rules. The captain of the Chatham team, in explaining the situation, told Mr. Legge that he was unaware of the fact that Newcastle was not registered. It is up to the captain of the visiting team, Mr. Legge said to ask the captain of the home team for the sanction, and on his not being able to produce it, to refuse to play the game. The difficulty he said would probably be adjusted during the next few days, as Newcastle had expressed a willingness to become registered.

SHINNY CORNER

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Hill, Cassilis were visitors here on Tuesday

Miss Cora Matthews, of Silliker spent the week end with Miss Annie Tozer.

Mrs. James B. Johnston who has been visiting her daughter in Massachusetts for the past few months arrived home last week.

Mr. Jas. O'Brien, Newcastle spent the 10th with Mrs. O'Brien at the Corner.

Miss Bernice Meland who is spending the winter in Derby drove home on Sunday for the day

Mrs. Allen Nolan was in Whitteville for the week end owing to the death of Miss Susan Whitney.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Bryenton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McAllister on the 17th.

Master Billie Leach and little sister May, are still very ill with typhoid fever. Dr. Park is in attendance. Mrs. Joseph Hubbard was the guest of her sister on Thursday.

Members of the F.V. Club enjoyed a snow shoe hike up river on Saturday evening. Refreshments were served on their return, to some twenty young people, at the home of Miss Hazel Tozer

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HEAVY COTTON CURTAILMENT

Many New England Mills Announce Big Cut in Running Time

A drastic curtailment in production has been ordered by many managers of New England cotton mills. The three mills of the Park Hill Manufacturing Co. in Fitchburg employing 1,500 will go on a three day a week schedule this week and the other Fitchburg mills on a four day basis.

A heavy curtailment has been ordered in the B.B. and R. Knight corporation mills in Providence, Woonsocket, Riverpoint, Arctic, Natick, Lippitt, Pontiac, Centerville, Jackson and White Rock, all in Rhode Island and at Hebronville, Dodgeville and Machaug, Mass. and in Connecticut. Four of the company's smaller mills have been shut down. The others are running three and four days a week. Tamarack mill No. 1 of the Manville-Jencks corporation of Pawtucket has been shut down and the machinery will be moved to a southern plant.

Fall River, New Bedford, Lowell, Lawrence and other points are also curtailing the output.

Winter Weather Hard On Little Ones

Our Canadian winters are exceedingly hard on the health of little ones. The weather is often so severe that the mother cannot take the little one out for an airing. The consequence is that baby is confined to over heated, badly ventilated rooms; takes cold and becomes cross and peevish. Baby's Own Tablets should be given to keep the little one healthy. They are a mild laxative which regulate the stomach and bowels and thus prevent colds. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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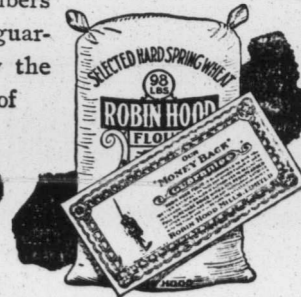


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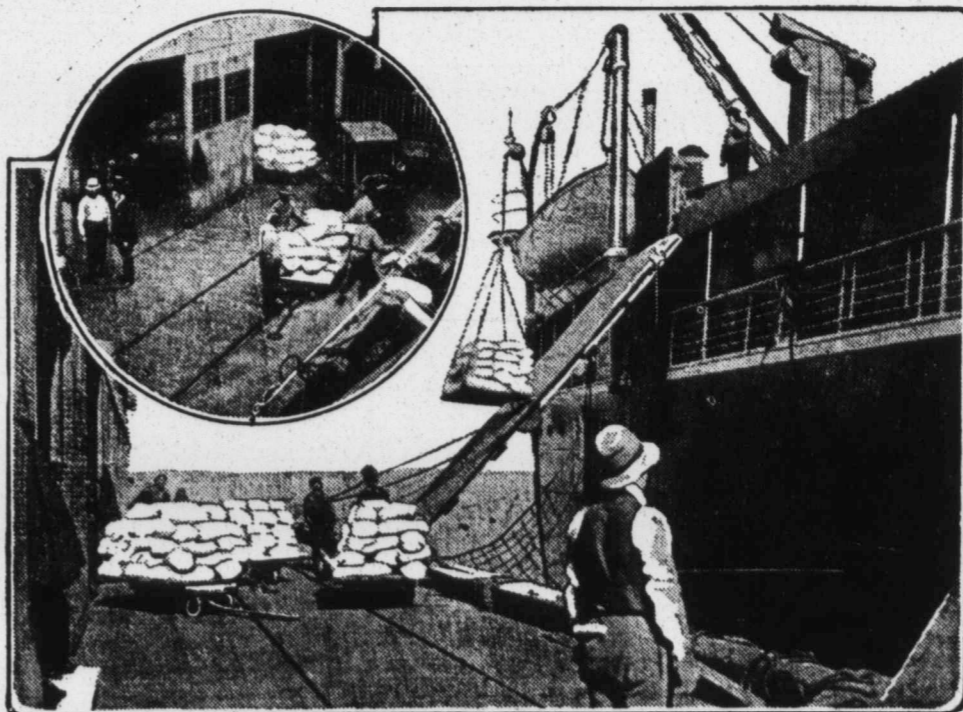
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Explains There Was no Tar-iff on Little Fish Frozen on Ice

Richard O'Leary of Richibucto, in commenting upon a Newcastle despatch which appeared in the Telegraph-Journal to the effect that the decision of the United States Board of General Customs Appraisers, that smelt were entitled to free entry into the United States, would be received with much satisfaction, said that it was misleading as there had not been any duty upon smelt for some time except the smelt that were artificially frozen. Smelt that were naturally frozen were not liable to duty.

Mr. O'Leary is in the smelt business himself and a large shipper to the United States no doubt is very well advised with regard to the duties. He said that the rebate given to shippers of this fish from New Brunswick would not amount to very much, probably one or two thousand dollars, because the United States Customs had collected only upon artificially frozen fish and under the decision of the American Customs appraisers any amounts that had been paid would be returned.

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The line up was as follows:

STUDEBAKER BIG SIX
Goal—Puncture Proof Rideout
Left Defence—Dome Lamp—Smith
Right Defence—Distributor—Dawson
Centre—Head Light—Hitchison
Left Wing—Disc Wheel—Stultz
Right Wing—High Gear—Locke
Spare—Fan Belt—Jesamine

OLDSMOBILE SIX
Goal—Wind Shield—Fallon
L. Defence—Propeller Shaft—McMurray
Right Defence—Spark Plug—Fallon
Centre—Non-Skid—Locke
Left Wing—Bumper—Hutchison
Right Wing—Accelerator—McWilliam
Spare—Speedometer—Keating
The Oldsmobile demonstrated its ability in high gear very early in the game and following a bad mix-up of cars in front of the BIG SIX goal, non-skid Locke, by accident slipped one past Puncture Proof Rideout.

Then both teams stepped on the gas and the rink resounded with the clash of sticks and the shifting of gears. Unable to pierce the Oldsmobile defence in high, the Studebaker tried to reverse gear, and dented Windshield Fallon, tying the score. Play then became general and hockey sticks served the purpose of battle axes. Just at this juncture Dome Lamp Smith lost his hat, and the dazzling reflection, until it was replaced; threatened disaster to the Oldsmobile sextette. The first lap ended with the Oldsmobile on the long end of a 4-3 score.

After a quick over hauling and the taking in of gas, the second lap started. The Studebakers were determined to force the race, and had it not been for good lubrication many over-heated engines would have resulted. The speed models

the Studebaker team, Head Light Hutchison, Disc Wheel Stultz and High Gear Locke got going, which called for spurts on the part of Spark Plug Fallon and Accelerator McWilliam. This lap ended with score 6-5 in favor of the Oldsmobile. In this period, while suffering with paralysis, Windshield Fallon watched with amusement the puck quietly roll into the net between his feet.

The last lap started with some of the old cars showing signs of wear, and despairing glances were cast around to see if some fairly quiet location could be secured for a rest and repairs. Falling eyesight caused many collisions between cars of the same name. Dome Lamp Smith made a desperate attempt to stop what he took to be eight Oldsmobiles coming down the ice, but unfortunately it turned out to be a Studebaker which had its fender dented by this stalwart defence. When the battle was over and the dust had cleared, the Oldsmobile team emerged victorious by a 9-6 score.

The following penalties were imposed.
Newcastle—Accelerator McWilliam earned a two minutes rest for not blowing his horn when coming around behind the net.
Propeller Shaft McMurray drew a penalty for not having front and rear license numbers on when he knew the inspector was watching the game.

Moncton—High Gear Locke got two minutes for not dimming his lights when passing an Olds Car.
After considerable effort Spark Plug Fallon was extracted from his carburetor.

Referee Lester Jeffrey was very fair and impartial and is making application for position as New York Traffic Cop.
After the game lunch was served at the home of Mr. F.E. Locke

PARLIAMENT OPENS
THURSDAY

The Parliament of Canada opens in Ottawa on Thursday. For weeks past the Cabinet has been meeting almost every day on the revision of estimates and the consideration of sessional business generally. Redistribution, Superannuation Scheme for the Civil Service Commission, Amendments to the Militia Act and changes in the administration of the Sales Tax will be among the many matters on the Governments' Program.

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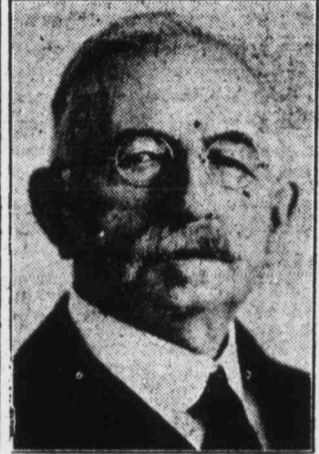
Although Vicks is new in Canada it has a remarkable sale in the States. Over 17 million jars used yearly.

"BUY AT HOME"

WORLD PAYS FINE TRIBUTE
TO A GREAT NATION BUILDER

Passing of Lord Shaughnessy Calls Forth Expressions of Admiration and Respect For the Man of Far Vision and Unflinching Determination, Whose Monument Is As Much in Canada's Greatness as in the Railroad He Helped to Build.

On December 10th, at Montreal, Death still the keen mind which for forty-two years had been ever at the disposal of the Canadian Pacific Railway, the strong hand which for twenty years had held the lever of that gigantic machine, the gallant heart which had ever been attuned to the music of the giant company's locomotives. Taking away Lord Shaughnessy, he took away with him the last of the old guard of the great pioneers of Canada's pioneer trans-continental. The departure of this monumental man is significant of the changing times, a mark of the Dominion's passing into manhood.



The late Right Honorable Lord Shaughnessy, First Baron Shaughnessy of Montreal and of Ashford, County Limerick, Ireland, K.C.V.O., F.R.C.I.

the practicability of those dreams after dawn.
"Lord Shaughnessy, whose passing Canada mourns today, was a man of this calibre, and because of the intangible nature of that essence which makes for greatness and crystallizes leadership, the record of his characteristics, his gifts and his achievements must leave much untold. Yet in the qualities that were revealed to his friends and associates, in the firmness of purpose and the strength of character displayed, in the very ascent of the ladder of success, rung by rung, Lord Shaughnessy has bequeathed a heritage to the youth of Canada of splendid inspiration and to the men who have lived through the historic years with him he has left a glad remembrance.

"I have set up a monument more lasting than bronze" wrote the great Horace two thousand years ago. The words might be carved upon every line of railway of the system which Lord Shaughnessy did so much to bring to greatness as an epitaph of his life. Himself of strict integrity, he carried the principle of the strictest code of ethics into the administration of the road he loved so warmly and for which he laboured so untrudgingly. . . . The Empire mourns a great pro-consul."

And this, from the London Times, ever the spokesman for the heart of that Empire: "The romance, imagination and fine courage of the Empire builder are blended in the life story of Lord Shaughnessy. Himself a native of the United States, he lived to become not only a citizen of the Dominion of Canada across the border but most essentially a citizen of the British Empire, for his whole-hearted and efficient work was not merely dedicated to the service of his country. Under his administration, the double track branched and extended so as to carry new settlers every year into the farmlands of Ontario, through the gateways of the West into the wheat-fields of the prairies, and beyond the Rockies into the valleys of British Columbia. In building the greatness of the company he served, he helped to build the greatness of his beloved country and of the Empire as well. . . . Of Lord Shaughnessy it may be said that he was a living instance of the manner in which Britain's overseas dominions assimilate the many elements of which they are composed. He came to Canada from a foreign country as a servant; he remained to be honored by the King, to whom he gave such loyal allegiance, and to be recognized universally among his fellow-countrymen as the first citizen of the Dominion."

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RECEPTION BY HIS HONOR TO BE AT NIGHT

In connection with the opening of the Legislature of New Brunswick on Thursday, March 6th there will be an innovation in regard to the reception to be given by His Honor the Lieut. Governor and Mrs. Todd. Heretofore the reception has followed immediately after the departure of His Honor from the House of Assembly which takes place after the speech from the throne is delivered being usually held at the Queen Hotel. On this occasion the reception will be held at night and at the Parliament Building. The proclamation which will notify the public will specify that the reception will be from 9 p.m. until midnight.
 The time selected for receptions of the 1924 opening is more convenient than that in vogue before 4 p.m. to 6 p.m., for those who wished to hear the speeches of the mover and seconder of the Address in Reply to the Speech from the Throne could not also be present at the reception of His Honor.
 The greater room in the Assembly Chamber where His Honor and Mrs. Todd will receive, also will be an improvement.
 Under the regulations put in effect last year a Lieut. Governor is entitled to but one aide-de-camp. Formerly His Honor had two. Col. W. J. Osborne will attend Lieut. Gov. Todd as A. D. C.
 The regular weekly receptions will be held each Thursday afternoon as usual at the Queen Hotel. The State Dinner, formerly an institution will not be held.

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PERSONALS

Mrs. P. F. Duffy of Chatham was in town last week the guest of relatives.
 Miss Blanche Coleman of Moncton is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Withers.
 Mrs. M. McCarron of Moncton was the guest last week of Mr. and Mrs. George F. McWilliam.
 Miss Jean Forsythe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Forsythe entertained a number of her young friends on Saturday afternoon in honor of her tenth birthday.
 Mr. Wm. E. Fish, accompanied by his brother, Mr. C. E. Fish, left yesterday morning for Melrose, Mass. to enter a sanatorium there.
 Mrs. G. G. Stothart and daughter Elizabeth returned from Montreal on Friday's Ocean Limited.
 Dr. and Mrs. J. D. MacMillan were the guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Reid MacMillan, Campbellton.
 Master Royce Cassidy entertained a number of his young friends at a birthday party last Tuesday evening.
 Dr. Corbett of St. John, President of the N. B. Presbyterian Church Ass. was a visitor to town on Wednesday.

NERVES RESTORED HEADACHE GONE

A Grateful Letter From a Well Known Vancouver Nurse
 "In the summer of 1922," says Mrs. Myrtle Hill, of 31st Avenue west, Vancouver, B. C., "I became very anxious about my young daughter's health. She was attending a commercial school, and between her close study and exceptionally hot weather she became very much run down. I noticed that she looked white and seemed constantly tired, was depressed over her studies, and irritable and peevish about the house. I got several tonics I had heard well spoken of, but they did not seem to help her. At this stage, an advertisement of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, telling of a similar case was brought to my attention, and I decided to give this medicine a trial. You may judge of my surprise and delight when I noticed an improvement in the condition, almost before the first box was finished. She continued taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for some time, gaining in health and strength. Her headaches, backaches and depression disappeared, and she again looked well and happy. She had since, I am glad to say, kept perfectly well and passed her examinations with credit.
 "I must have worried more than I knew over my daughter's health, for though I have earned my living as a maternity nurse for the past 12 years, even the most trying cases did not seem to exhaust me until last fall, when I seemed to give out suddenly. I became so nervous that I had to decline work, and I suffered from headaches and constant feeling of depression. I attributed my condition to the fact that I was entering a critical time of life. It was my daughter who suggested that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills might do me as much good as they had done her, and after a faithful use of them for a time this proved to be the case. My nerves regained their steadiness, and my general health improved so much that I felt able to undertake my nursing duties again. I have taken the pills occasionally since, and thanks to them have been able to stand the strain of my work splendidly and still feel as well as ever. I am very grateful to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and am thankful to have found such a reliable medicine for use in my home, and I can conscientiously recommend it to any suffering woman or girl coming under my care or influence."
 If your dealer does not keep these pills you can get them by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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THE REAL SECRET OF CHURCH SUCCESS

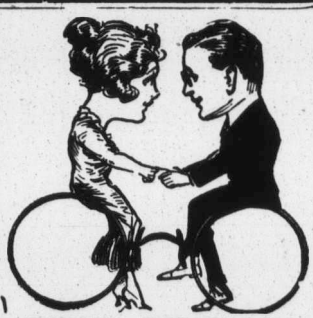
Rev. Asa J. Ferry, D. D., for some time minister of Bethany Temple, Philadelphia, and recently called to Chicago, was once asked what was the secret of his great success in church work. He gave as an outstanding reason on this:—whereas at first he wanted his elders in their visiting not to pay any attention to grumblers and grouchers later on he saw the mistake and asked the visitors to pay particular attention to any criticisms or complaints, make a note of them and report carefully to him. From that time a rapid and lasting improvement took place in his church attendance.

Here and There

Manitola is perhaps the most marrying province in Canada. For instance, in Ontario, there were 24,371 marriages in 1921, a rate of 8.5 per 1,000, while in Manitoba it was 8.7 per 1,000 of its 610,000 population.
 Eastbound steamship travel from Canadian ports via Canadian Pacific steamships is heavier at the present time than for several years past at this season, a recent report declares. Bookings in some instances have run as high as 70 per cent increase over those of last winter.
 According to a recent official compilation, out of every 100 people in Canada 51 live on farms. The 70,000 farms in Canada represent a gross worth of \$700,000,000 or about \$10,000 per farm, and produce an annual revenue of nearly \$1,500,000, an average income per farm of \$2,000 yearly.
 From the opening of the crop year, September 1st, to the official closing of navigation, December 12th, the Canadian Pacific Railway reported the heaviest marketing of grain since the inception of the road. Cars loaded by the company also created a record for the season, having numbered 116,232. Grain marketed topped the 200,000,000 bushel mark.
 Thirty-seven per cent of all automobiles in Canada are owned by farmers. Ownership of the balance, according to recent statistics, is made up as follows: business men and brokers, 16 per cent; salesmen and travellers, 16 per cent; professional men, 8 per cent; laborers, 4 per cent; contractors and livery men, 3 per cent each, and miscellaneous and no occupation stated, 13 per cent.
 When the Canadian Pacific liner "Empress of Canada" left New York on January 30th for her great round-the-world cruise, she was the first Canadian vessel ever to commence such a voyage carrying a regular book stall in the charge of experienced stock and grain show at Chicago. The stock includes many excellent recent books on travel, which will enable passengers to prepare themselves for the foreign lands they will visit, as well as a large number of novels by the best-known authors.
 Of the total wheat exported from Canada in November, amounting to 34,596,500 bushels, by far the greater proportion went to the United Kingdom, which took 43,815,391 bushels. The United States was second largest importer of Canadian wheat, taking 9,910,143 bushels. Italy came next, taking 4,913,152 bushels, and Greece next, with 2,066,489 bushels. The exports of Canadian wheat to France during this period amounted to 1,328,363 bushels and to Belgium 1,075,216 bushels. Those to Germany totalled 129,320 bushels.
 In the keenest competition, embracing entries from all important agricultural districts of the North American continent, Alberta farmers won 43 prizes at the recent International stock and grain show at Chicago. Two grand championships—wheat, Major G. H. L. Strange and oats, J. W. Biglands—went to the province. Major Strange was also first with white field peas and Nunemaker Brothers, of Brooks, first with red clover seed. Major Strange's success is especially remarkable as he has only been a farmer four years.
 The latest statements of the earnings and expenses of the Canadian Pacific Railway show that the strong position of that organization has been well maintained, and that a steady improvement has been achieved, in spite of the difficulties of the past few years. The figures for December show gross earnings of \$19,136,674, working expenses of \$15,180,546, and a net profit of \$3,956,127, an increase of \$491,322 over that of December, 1922. The 1923 totals show gross earnings of \$195,837,089, working expenses of \$158,353,079 and a net profit of \$37,479,010, an increase of \$1,177,319 over the total earnings of the road in 1922. Net earnings for this year were the highest since 1917 and gross earnings the highest, since 1920.

BENEFIT FOR

Miramichi Hospital Aid
A Monster Carnival for the Kiddies with another big attraction will be held in the Rink on Friday March 7th.
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No Amendment To Prohibition
 Premier Veniot, last week denied rumors that an amendment to prohibition is proposed. He said he had read and heard reports that light wines and beers were to be made available to the public, but he pointed out that there would be no amendment or change in the Act until the question was first passed on in plebiscite by the people, and that he would keep his word.
 He was asked if he had noticed that temperance forces were reported to be organizing against the alleged amendment and he suggested that those supporting prohibition could easily have learned from him that no amendment was proposed.

Ruggedness!
SCOTT'S EMULSION
Builds it!

FEW LUMBER OPERATIONS ARE FINISHED

A few of the smaller lumbering operations on Crown Lands are reported to be finished already for this winter. The greater number of operators are still at work. Conditions for hauling have been so favorable; however and progress much more rapid than usual has been made and many are likely to be through by the end of February. The others who complete operations shortly after that.
 Old time methods have been replaced by the use of both the small farm tractors and the larger machines especially designed for the past few years for woods work.

RED ROSE

TEA "is good tea"

and extra good is the
ORANGE PEKOE QUALITY

A Pioneer Pension System

The Canadian Pacific Railway is this year celebrating the twentieth anniversary of the foundation of the Company's system of pensions for the employees.

It was in 1902 that the Board of Directors, under the Presidency of Lord Shaughnessy, looked into the future for the benefit of those who were laying the foundations of the service that was to take so large a part in the up-building of Canada.

In December, 1902, the directors passed a resolution stating that a time had come when provision should be made for officers and permanent employees who, after long years of faithful service, had reached an age when they were unequal to the further performance of their duties, and announcing that a plan of superannuation had been determined upon.

The plan was a generous one. The Company provided all the money necessary, and the employees were not called upon to contribute to it in any way whatever. In 1903 when it was first put into effect Canadian Pacific employees numbered about 40,000. To-day they approximate 90,000, and every one of them, from the humblest stenographer, office boy, or "track walker" or even the minor employe at some far-off outpost in China or in Europe, has old-age sustenance guaranteed so long as he or she stays with the Company.

Some Statistics

The Company's first contribution to the pension fund was \$250,000 which was supplemented by annual grants starting at \$80,000 which have, from time to time, been increased, until for some years past it has been \$500,000 annually. To the end of 1922 the Company had contributed a total of \$4,715,000 to the fund while payments on pensions had amounted to \$3,857,802, leaving a balance to the credit of the fund of \$1,640,103. In 1922 the total payments made amounted to \$508,051, and at October 1st of this year the total number of the Company's pensioners was 1,182, each of whom was drawing an average of \$35.92 per month. It is of interest to note that since the pension fund became operative, 877 pensions have become inoperative through the death of the beneficiaries.

Having in view conditions of increased living costs which then prevailed the world over, the Company in 1919 allowed the pensioners an additional bonus of twenty-five per cent. of their regular allowance. This went into effect on May 1st of that year, and continued until the end of 1922. In view of the modification of the condition that made it necessary, that bonus is this year set at twenty per cent.

By far the greater part of this money is of course distributed in Canada, just as is the case with the Company's vast payroll of over \$100,000,000 annually, and the many millions it yearly spends on the purchase of supplies under the policy of distributing as much of its expenditure as is possible in the country it exists to serve.

The operation of the fund is simplicity itself. Upon reaching the age of 65 every employe who has joined the staff before reaching the age of forty is entitled to retirement if the Company so desires and can claim a pension of one per cent. of the average monthly pay received for the ten years preceding retirement for every year in which he has been in the Company's service. This is as the system was first devised twenty years ago, and there has been but one amendment to its provisions. In 1908 it was found that in some cases the amount of the pension so calculated was insufficient to protect the recipient against want as was intended, and it was provided that from thenceforth the minimum amount of pension paid would be \$20 per month.

Fosters Efficiency
That this system has been a big factor in fostering the efficiency so largely identified with Canadian Pacific operation is undeniable. Mr. E. W. Beatty, President of the Company, speaks of it not only as a prime necessity in these days of sociological progress, and as an inherent right of those who give lives of faithful work to Canadian Pacific service, but also as one of the things that has helped to bring into existence the high standard of co-operation that exists between all branches of the Company's service. "It is helping to make contented employes," says Mr. Beatty, "and that is the first requisite of faithful, efficient service."

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Trout Brook Notes

We have been enjoying very pleasant weather these last few weeks.

We are glad to say Miss Gladys, adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart is recovering from her recent illness.

Miss Helen Hosford had the misfortune of spraining her ankle.

The people of this district are spending very enjoyable evenings listening on the radio at Mr. C. F. Kingston's.

Miss Lillian Allison spent the week end with her cousin, Miss Blanche Waye at the latter's home.

Mrs. Wm. Hosford Jr. has been spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Kiah Copp.

Mr. Gordon Allison spent Sunday evening at the home of Mr. Douglas Dunnett.

Mrs. Stafford Mullin spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Albert McCombes.

A very enjoyable evening was spent at the home of Mr. Ritchie Allison Feb. 12th. Dancing was the chief amusement. Mr. Warren McCombes furnished the music.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Dunnett were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Hosford, Sunday, Feb. 17th.

Mr. Joseph Hosford Jr. spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. Frank Copp.

Miss Hattie Ashton took a flying trip to the city of Newcastle one day last week.

A cough is a warning that you need
SCOTT'S EMULSION

REPEAT

One step won't take you very far.
You've got to keep on walking.
One word won't tell folks who you are.
You've got to keep on talking.
One inch won't make you very tall.
You've got to keep on growing.
One little ad won't do it all.
You've got to keep them going.

ALMOST 400 WILD CATS ARE KILLED

Over \$1,000 has been paid by the province in wild cat bounties since the commencement of the present fiscal year on November 1st, 1923. Already approximately 400 claims for the \$8.00 bounty offered for each animal have been handled by the Department of Lands and Mines, as compared with the 51 claims paid in 1923 following the bounty offer passed by legislation in that year.

As many as five and six claims have been received by the department of the province, while hunters in many instances have appeared with the skins in person and claimed the reward which is offered. After the bounty has been paid the skin which remains in the possession of the hunter is usually sold. The bob-cat skin is however not of any great value on account of the short fur and \$5 per skin is considered a good price. So the hunter who is engaged in the extermination of these animals, which are particularly destructive to deer averages in the vicinity of \$7 or \$8 for each skull.

Reports from different parts of the province indicate a scarcity of moose in some districts and a closed season for moose has been recommended. Those in touch with the game situation throughout the province as a whole, however, recommend only a curtailment of the present open season.

LOSSES OF HOME BANK UNDERSTATED SAYS LIQUIDATOR

Toronto, Feb. 22—W. J. Lee, K.C., representing the Home Bank shareholders this afternoon before Charles Garrow, K. C., Master of the Supreme Court questioned G. C. Clarkson, one of the liquidators of the Home Bank to discover the liquidating grounds for stating that the bank would show losses of \$1,400,000 or sufficient to wipe out the surplus and render necessary a call on the shareholders for double liability. On the result of this examination said Mr. Lee would hang the decision of many shareholders whether to fight the extra call or not.

A number of the heaviest losses listed by the liquidators were then gone into and it was held by Mr. Clarkson that he had understated rather than overstated the situation.

"Assessment Up--Tax Rate Down"

Too few tax payers realize the intimate connection between the valuation of property and the tax rate on it.

A low tax rate is often considered to be a sign of success and progress. But it is useless to discuss at what figure the tax rate stands, before knowing what is the value put on the property by the assessors.

The question of taxation is, theoretically, very simple.

A municipality faces the expenditure of a certain amount.

This has to be met by taxation.

The object of making valuation is simply to have every proprietor pay his proper share.

It does not matter whether the assessment is made on ten, fifty or one hundred per cent of the actual value, so long as everyone is treated in exactly the same way.

The tax rate will vary with the valuation, but will be the same for all.

And if the valuation is on a fifty per cent basis, then the tax rate will be double that of one based on a full valuation.

So it is useless and misleading to compare tax rates, without also comparing the basis of valuation.

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Another feature in such comparisons between different provinces is that in Quebec, except in the city of Montreal—the municipal tax rate does not include for education, as it does elsewhere. School taxes in Quebec are not levied by the Municipal Councils, nor collected by them; but by School Commissioners so that the comparison of municipal taxes in the Province of Quebec with those in other provinces is misleading.

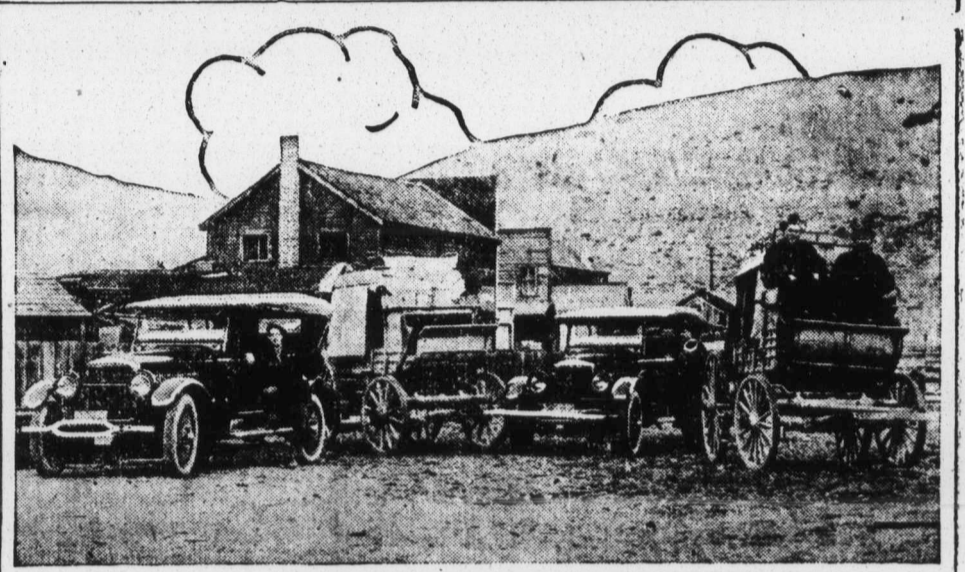


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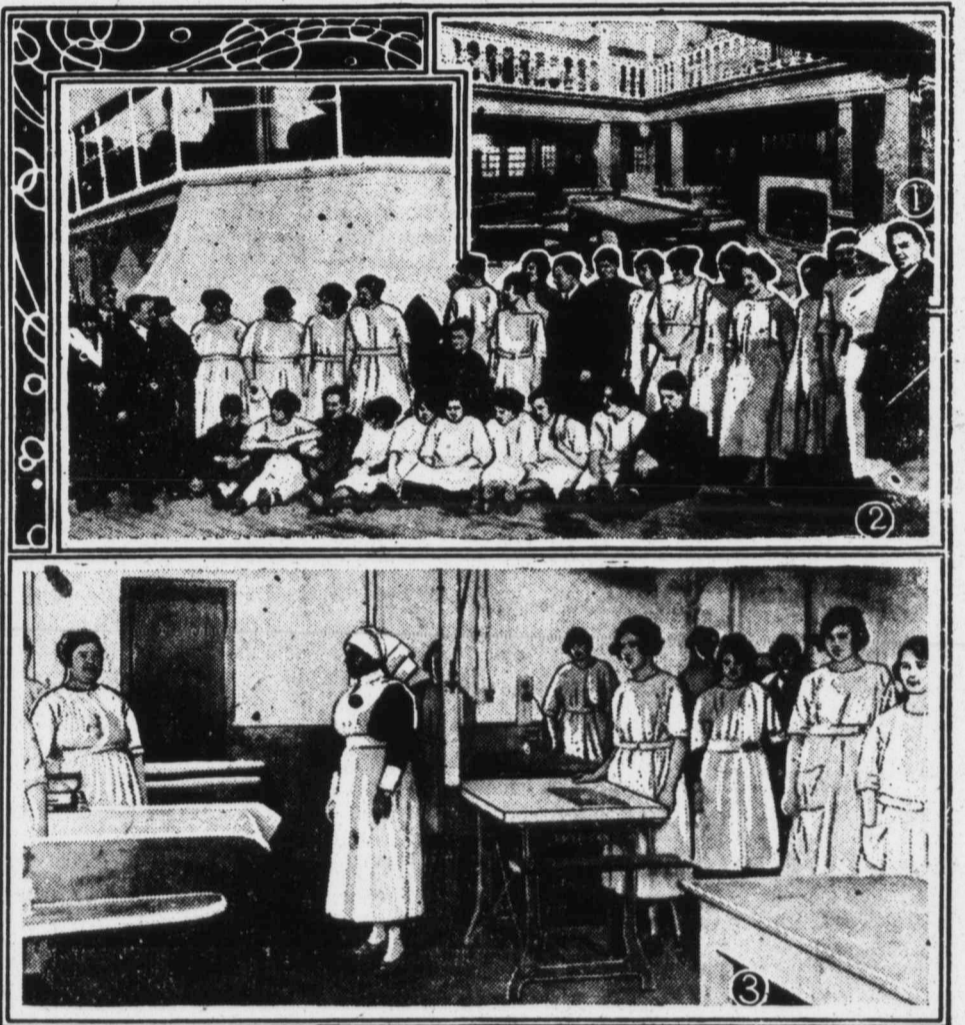
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The old-time stagecoaches, used for years over the historic Cariboo Trail in British Columbia, were recently replaced by Studebaker cars. These cars now make the 220-mile trip north, from Ashcroft to Quesnel, in about a quarter of the time required by the horse-drawn coaches, and the fare is only one-fourth of what it was when the passengers depended upon old Dobbin.

AN ELECTRIC LAUNDRY ABOARD SHIP



(1) A first-class smoking room on the "Empress of France."—(2) A group of the laundry staff of the same liner.—(3) Corner of the finishing department.

It has been said that the modern ocean liner is a floating hotel, and this is probably the best description that can be given. A modern hotel is a city in itself, and a modern ocean liner of the type of the Canadian Pacific "Empresses" is certainly no less. When a couple of thousand or so of passengers are cut off from land to spend a week or more on the ocean, they must have every convenience and comfort that land can provide. The ship must be self-sustaining in every particular. In this respect Canadian Pacific ships are as complete as modern invention can make them, and whether their trips extend for one week, or six weeks as does the cruise of the Mediterranean which the "Empress of France" made this winter, or even for three months as in the case of the cruise around the world to be made by the "Empress of Australia" this year, nothing is lacking to ensure the complete happiness of all on board.

As an instance of the way in which modern liners are equipped, the newly installed laundry of the "Empress of France" is well worth comment. It cost \$25,000 and its complete plant

and large staff of workers make it probably the finest of its kind afloat. In addition to the large amount of work undertaken for passengers at shore prices, it deals with 100,000 pieces of ship's linen per week. This new department is under the management of G. Dawe, junior, who controls its staff of six men and thirty women. Three washing machines form part of the equipment, and one of these, the largest ever fitted to a liner, is capable of dealing with 3,000 pieces of linen at a time, each piece being subjected to the entire washing process without removal. There is also a huge ironing machine which will iron and dry sheets at the rate of 400 per hour after they have been passed through a power wringer. This machine is operated by a team of nine girls. The higher class of laundry work is done by skilled ironers with press machines and electric irons, while shirts and collars, etc., are starched and finished by machines specially fitted for the purpose. All the machinery is electrically driven, and there are elaborate electrical controls for starting, stopping and regulating the machines. In the case

of the washing machines, electric motors are fitted to the top of them, controlled by an electric timing device which regulates the revolving and reversing of the inside cylinders. The oil-burning "Empress of France" has a length of 371 feet, beam 72 feet, depth 42 feet, and gross tonnage of 18,481. The speed which made her such an asset to the navy during the war is still maintained, and Captain John Gillies, her commander, is the hero of many an exciting race to port. Once aboard the "Empress" one has nothing to do but enjoy life while awaiting the end of the journey which usually arrives all too soon. She is a beautifully appointed ship with seven first class public rooms, including a lounge, smoking room, card room, and library. Provision is made in the second-class quarters for three public rooms, and spacious deck space for all passengers more than sufficient room for open air games exercise. Her stateroom accommodation is in many ways about on a par with the best of any liner of a few years ago, as first and second-class provides comfort that has been devised

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NOTICE
Of
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The Miramichi Hospital will
make application to The Provin-
cial Legislature at its next Session
for an Act authorizing it to issue
Debentures in aid of the con-
struction of the Nurses Home,
and also to dispose of certain
securities held in trust and to re-
invest the proceeds in approved
securities under the terms of
original Trust; also to provide
that The Miramichi Hospital Aid
shall have power to appoint or
elect one Trustee to The Miram-
ichi Hospital.

R. CORRY CLARK,
Secretary.
7-4
Newcastle, N. B.
12 February, 1924.

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Here and There

Navigation of the St. Lawrence
river is expected to open early in
the month of April. According to pre-
liminary schedules issued by the va-
rious steamship companies operating
between Canadian Atlantic ports and
Europe, 192 ships will visit the
port of Quebec in 1924.

The Canadian Pacific Railway has
inaugurated as a special feature the
serving of afternoon tea regularly
on all dining, cafe and buffet cars
throughout the system. The taste-
ful little menu which the company
provides includes tea, coffee, choco-
late, toast, muffins, cake, ice cream
and preserves at reasonable prices.

The Spiller Company, a great
British concern with \$150,000,000
capital, has completed arrangements
for the establishment of facilities in
Canada which will entail an outlay
of \$6,000,000 to finish the plant of
the Alberta Flour Mills in Calgary,
with another \$2,000,000 to build an
elevator at Vancouver.

The second of the two large paper
machines recently installed by the
Belgo-Canadian Paper Company at
Shawinigan Falls, Que., has com-
menced operations. The machine,
which is the product of the Domi-
nion Engineering Company, is now
producing newsprint. It will be
tuned up and is expected to produce
a commercial grade of newsprint at
or above its daily capacity of 75
tons in the near future.

Speaking at Toronto recently, E.
W. Beatty, President of the Cana-
dian Pacific Railway, declared that
"what Canada is suffering from is
lack of men, lack of capital and lack
of those forward policies which will
enable the country to realize within
a reasonable time its own manifest
destiny." He added that he did not
believe in "exaggerated whisping
or in any statements which are cal-
culated to destroy the belief of Can-
adians in their own country."

Captain S. Robinson, C.B.E.,
R.N.R., commanding the Canadian
Pacific liner "Empress of Canada,"
was invested with the C.B.E. by Sir
Harry Armstrong, British Consul-
General at New York, when his ship
arrived there on January 25th, prior
to setting out on her great world
cruise. Captain Robinson also re-
ceived the freedom of the city of
New York. These honors were in
recognition of his gallant work
when commanding the Canadian
Pacific liner "Empress of Aus-
tralia" at Yokohama, at the time of the
Japanese disaster.

According to Canadian Pacific of-
ficials, immigrants from Europe
who spend a few hours in Montreal
on their way west are rediscovering
America—or rather Canada—at a
great rate. Some days ago there
were eighty Scandinavians drum-
ming their heels in the big waiting-
rooms at Windsor Station, bored to
tears. Then one of them suddenly
discovered that the Province of Que-
bec, unlike Sweden, is not "dry." The
rush of the Danes on Alfred's Eng-
land was as nothing compared to
that with which the delighted Scan-
dinavian gentlemen emptied that
waiting-room. So excellent did they
find the beer that they did not show
up again till train-time, when they
announced unanimously, though
with slight difficulty, that "Canada
bans one fine country."

To be stranded in a strange city
with no worldly assets but a suit of
dress-clothes and yet to come out of
the adventure victorious is to
achieve something. Joe and Bill
arrived in Montreal a few nights ago,
their baggage consisting of the
clothes they wore, two dress suits,
an adequate quantity of the need-
ful and an enthusiastic determina-
tion to see Life with a capital L.
When they woke on the morning
after, they found that someone had
relieved them of everything they
possessed except the dress suits
they had slept in, and which they
had worn for the previous night's
affray.

In this predicament they appealed
to the authorities at the Canadian
Pacific Windsor Station, for work
whereby to earn enough to take
them out of the wicked city. Sympa-
thetic officials put them on the
snow-shovelling gang. And here
these two stout fellows, in their
dress suits, Joe with his feet wrap-
ped in sackings to keep them warm,
labored heartily for four days, earn-
ing the price of their tickets back to
the little old home town. So once
more fiction and the movies are
beaten.

**EXAMINATION BE-
FORE MARRIAGE**
IN N. J.

**Assembly Passes Act for
that Purpose**

Trenton, N. J., Feb. 26—The New
Jersey assembly by a vote of 32 to
15 yesterday passed the de Lorenzo
assembly bill providing for medical
examination of all males who apply
for marriage licenses and for the
postponement of the marriage of
those afflicted with certain diseases.
Opposed by members from Hudson
county, who declared the measure an
attempt to legislate morality into the
people and who asserted that the
amendment proposed, the bill was
strongly defended by Miss Fort of
Essex county, who stated that many
of the large women's organizations
of the state favored its adoption.

**Nova Scotia Coal
Suitable For Coke**

The Dominion Fuel Board is now
preparing a report on the coking of
Nova Scotia soft coal at the coking
plant recently established by a
firm in Hamilton. Extensive tests
have been made of the adaptability
of Maritime soft coal to coking treat-
ment with a view to ascertaining its
suitability as a substitute for an-
thracite. These tests proved that
the Nova Scotia bituminous coal
lent itself admirably to the coking
process.

It is believed that the results of
the Hamilton tests will be an in-
centive to the establishment of
plants in Toronto, Montreal and
Ottawa.

**Three Banks To Merge
Is The Latest Rumor**

Montreal, Feb. 18—There are well
defined rumors of another bank mer-
ger in which the names of three of
the strong, moderate-sized banks are
mentioned. It is realized that the
small group of the largest banks are
competing very keenly for business
and that with their great organiza-
tions and facilities, the others have
to face certain difficulties. Such a
merger as that now being discussed
would put another bank in the
group of bigger institutions.

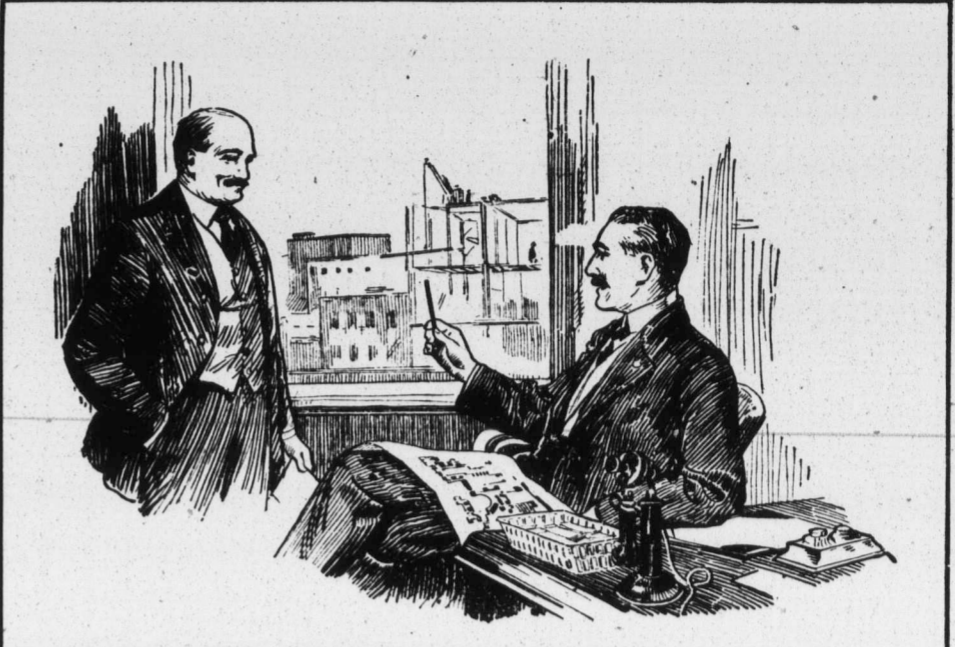
There is considerable speculation
as to how the Government would
view such a merger in the present
circumstances.

**"I'm as
sick as a
dog"**

is a common expression that makes
up in force what it lacks in elegance.
When or where or why it originated
excites no interest in the victim.
Head aches—eyes water—throat
smarts—sneeze—cough—sore all
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The difficulties in estimating what the
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Too often the value of guarding the health
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It is comparatively easy to restore the
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When digestion breaks down—when you
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time to ease up and begin the use of this
restorative treatment.

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proper nutrition. Nor will they so long as
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are 35c. for 35 pills, instead of 25c. for 25
pills.
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Canadian Rockies Lure Noted Artists



Noted artists, famous moving picture directors and
expert scenic photographers, like thousands of
tourists, have succumbed to the lure of the innumerable
beauties of Banff and the Canadian Pacific Rockies.
Artists in increasing numbers each year spend the sum-
mer on the trail in the mountains transferring these
beauties to canvas. For seventeen years Carl Rungius,
celebrated painter of wild animals in their native haunts,
has been a regular visitor to Banff. Now he lives there
most of the year and has built his own bungalow and
studio. In 1921 Rungius won the \$1,000 Altman prize,
but, being foreign born, was disqualified, whereupon the
National Academy of Design bought the painting for
\$1,000 and it now hangs in the Corcoran Art Gallery,
Washington.
Belmore Browne, artist, author, explorer and conqueror
of Mt. McKinley, 20,300 feet, lives in his own bungalow-
studio in Banff the year round except when exhibiting
in New York. He and Rungius both study the mountain
goats, sheep, deer and bear in their wilderness homes
and paint them and their majestic scenic backgrounds.
Richard M. Kimbel, landscape painter, has spent two
summers in Banff and is painting at Lake O'Hara, near
Lake Louise, and last year W. Langdon Kihn lived a
month on the Stoney Indian reservation making pastel
portraits of the big chiefs, little papooses, squaws and
guides. Leonard M. Davis, who paints wonderful
landscapes in Alaska and the Canadian Rockies with a
palette knife, has joined the Banff art colony and expects
to make his winter home in near-by Calgary.
The lure of Canada's Switzerland drew John Singer
Sergeant, R. A., to beautiful Lake O'Hara, in the heart
of the Great Divide, and with his easel planted in the
white and pink heather of an Alpine meadow 6,600 feet
above sea level the world renowned painter devoted ten
days to painting this exquisite jade-green lake and the
towering mountains in which it is cupped. Charles W.
Simpson, R. C. A., of Montreal; Oliver Dennett Grover,
of Chicago; Philip R. Goodwin, Edward Potthast and
Albert Groll of New York and many other painters of
note have found inspiration in this scenic wonderland.
As for those humbler artists, the tourists with cameras,
they are to be seen snapping everywhere in the
bungalow camps, by the lakeside and along the trails
making beautiful pictures which inspire their envious
friends to visit Banff and do likewise.

Local and General News

DOLLAR DAY
Friday, March 7th has been decided on as the date for holding Dollar Day in New Brunswick. Watch advertisements next week.

CARNIVAL
A Carnival in aid of the Newcastle Hockey Club will be held in the local rink tomorrow evening. Prizes will be awarded for the best costumes and they will be presented by "Miss Newcastle." A 440 yard race will be a special added attraction and there will also be a Moonlight Band. There will be 10 hands for skaters.

BENEFIT NIGHT
The Newcastle Concert orchestra assisted by local talent are giving a Benefit Night for the Sisters of St. Mary's Academy in the Assembly Hall of the New School tonight, commencing at 8 o'clock. A good program has been arranged and a large attendance is anticipated.

EMPRESS THEATRE
On Friday of this week the moving picture business of Mrs. Wm. Richards will be transferred to and open for show at the Empress Theatre, where in future her business will be conducted. Mrs. Richards takes this opportunity of thanking her many patrons while in the Opera House and solicits a continuance of that patronage in her new stand at the Empress Theatre.

SALE OF TICKETS FOR HARKINS ACADEMY MOTION PICTURE EXHIBITION
Edith Gulliver & Florence Caspary \$3
Bulah Beers & Blanche Russell 1.25
Margaret S tables and
Katie Mutch \$7.25
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Helen Tozer 1.50
Elizabeth Hill & Cora Weldon 3.75
Mary Crocker & Louise Allison 2.00
Gwyneth Belyea & Ruth Bishop 4.50
Nina White & Sybil MacCaull 2.75
Frances Astle & Isabel Ferguson \$2
Helene Harris & Elizabeth Jardine 10.50
Ehewynne Ferguson \$3.00
Iva Mullen & Byrdie Croft ... 6.50
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NEWCASTLE TEAM REGISTERS
The difficulty which the Newcastle Hockey Club had in not being registered with the M.P.B.A.A.U. of C. has been straightened out, through their having applied for registration and having been registered. The way was thus cleared for their game with Moncton Saturday night.

BRIDGE PARTY
An enjoyable and successful bridge party of eleven tables was held last Tuesday evening by the Lord Beaverbrook Chapter I.O.D.E. At the close of play refreshments were served. The prize winners were: Ladies Mrs. A. B. Williston and Mrs. R. H. Armstrong. Gentlemen—Mr. H. H. Ritchie

PRESBYTERY MEETING
The quarterly meeting of the Miramichi Presbytery will be held in St. James' Hall Newcastle on Tuesday, March 4th at 11 a.m. All reports from Standing Committees of Presbytery will be received; commissioners will be appointed to the General Assembly; remits from Assembly will be dealt with; the calls to Rev. W. McN. Matthews and B.H. Penwarden will be considered and other important business.

HOCKEY GAME
A return game of hockey was played last Wednesday night in the local rink between the Newcastle intermediates and the Aberdeen High School of Moncton, in which the locals were victorious by a score of 8-2. Considerable rough playing was in evidence, although the game was fast. At the end of the first period the score stood 4-0; the second 6-1 and the final score 8-2. Newcastle had the advantage of territory play throughout each period.

WHAT THE PACKAGE DOES
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LUMBERMEN MEET
A meeting of the executive of the New Brunswick Lumbermen's Association was held in St. John last Friday. Matters of interest to the industry were discussed. Among out of town lumbermen present were Angus McLean, Bathurst; J. W. Brankley of Chatham; J. D. Irving Buçouche; A. L. Richards Campbellton; I. K. Blackhall; Campbellton C. L. Henderson; Jacquet River; F. McAvoy Dalhousie; D. Ritchie Newcastle; E. O'Leary; Richibucto; Mr. W. Wegenact, Toronto and Mr. Hussey, Montreal. Liability insurance expert were also in attendance.

DISTRESSING ACCIDENTS
Little Audrey McNeill, the seven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McNeill of Wayerton was the victim of a distressing accident at her parents' home recently. The little one was running downstairs to meet her father when she fell over the balustrade into the hall, fracturing her arm in three places, at the elbow and twice in the forearm. She was removed to the Miramichi Hospital here where the bones were set.

Patrick Dawson, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Dawson, Upper Nelson, fell on the ice while playing near his home and shattered the bones in his left arm. The little fellow is now a patient in the Miramichi Hospital where he is recovering.

Chatham Hotel Man Summoned

Chatham, Feb. 22—Alex. LeBlanc proprietor of the Riverview Hotel has been summoned to appear in the police court on the charge of selling liquor. Inspector Stewart is the informant in the case. LeBlanc was in court about a month ago on a similar charge made by former Inspector Cripps. The case was not proceeded with, however.

Sees General Election

La Presse the big Liberal newspaper in Montreal foresees a general election at an early date. Discussing the political situation at Ottawa, La Presse concludes that whatever may be the ability of the Prime Minister, it does not appear to be probable that he will succeed in conciliating the acute differences between his party and the Progressives. "So far are we convinced of this," says La Presse "that without professing to play the part of a prophet, we foresee that the Honorable Mr. MacKenzie King will before long be so driven that in order to find a way out of a situation without apparent issue he will be compelled to dissolve Parliament and appeal to the people."

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Notable Cast in Photoplay

There is a splendid cast in the Paramount picture, "The Rustle of Silk," which will be the feature at the Opera House for two nights, opening on Wednesday next. The principal roles are played by Betty Compson and Conway Tearle, featuring players, with Cyril Chadwick and Anna Q. Nilsson heading the supporting cast. Others are Leo White Charles Stevenson and Temple Figgot.

SEWING CIRCLE GOSSIP

There was some discussion at the Sewing Circle this week about the respective merits of local and western beef. The wife of the new Bank Manager said that she had no preference, she would just as soon have one as the other. The only thing on her table she said about which she was very particular, was her coffee. She insisted on LUXOR ORIENTAL COFFEE, and would take no other kind. If the grocer sent her any other kind she sent it back. The new Bank Manager's wife is a strong-minded woman and a sensible one too.

MOTION PICTURES ENJOYED

The Motion Picture entertainment given by the teachers of Harkins Academy in the Assembly Hall on Friday evening was largely attended, and much appreciated. The pictures shown were of an educational character and there will be a series of three entertainments. The next will be held Friday evening, 29th inst. and the final one on the following Friday evening, March 7. The entertainments are being held to secure funds to purchase the motion picture camera, which will be used in the future to educate (by means of seeing) the pupils of the Academy. The public should be interested in this matter and should show their interest and appreciation by their attendance.

NO GASOLINE TAX IN N. B. THIS YEAR

New Brunswick will not for the present have a tax upon gasoline use in the operation of motor vehicles; Premier Veniot, confirmed reports that the government would not propose a gasoline tax in New Brunswick amongst its legislation at the session of the legislature opening on March 6th. "We are not ready for that in this province just yet," he said. Further than that he declined to forecast the legislative programme.

MAIL YOUR REMITTANCE
We have rendered our subscription accounts and would respectfully request each subscriber to remit us the amount due.

WEDDINGS

McLEAN—BEATTIE
Miss Marguerite M. Beattie; daughter of Mr. William M. Beattie of Tabusintac; Northumberland Co.; was married to Leslie A. McLean; son of Mr. George McLean; the ceremony being performed by the Rev. John C. Mortimer at the manse; on Feb. 19. Mr. and Mrs. McLean will make their home in Tabusintac. Both young people are very popular.



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Royal House Hold Flour 98 lb bag	\$3.75	Snowflake Shortening 10 lb tin	\$1.80
Ogilvies Shorts per bg.	1.90	Snowflake Shortening 20 lb tin	\$3.30
Ogilvies Bran per bg.	1.80	Cooking Butter per lb	30c
Crack Corn & Corn Meal per bg.	2.60	Oleomargarine per lb	30c
Ogilvies Scratch Feed per bg.	3.00	Creamery Butter per lb	50c
International Stock Food large size	1.00	Moncton Creamery	55c
Yellow Eyed Beans 14 lb for	1.00	Nova Scotia Apples per pail 30c &	40c
Extra Fine Prunes 3 lbs for	25c	Sunbeam Tea in bulk	60c
Cooking Figs 2 lb for	25c	Freshly Ground Coffee per lb	50c
Pure Cocoa in bulk 2 lb for	25c	Picnic Ham per lb	20c
Choice Apricots per lb	20c	Bologna Sausage roll per lb	15c
Choice Peaches per lb	20c	Good Juicy Oranges 4 doz.	\$1.00
Snowflake Shortening 3 lb tin	55c	Florida Grape Fruit 3 for	25c
Snowflake Shortening 5 lb tin	90c	Orange Marmalade 4 lb tin	\$1.00

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