

WEATHER FORECAST

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July 29, 21



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A general idea of where this wood should be found can be obtained by application to this office, but the undersigned is not prepared to guarantee or deliver any particular quantity or quality of wood.
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W. J. WALSH,
Minister of Agriculture & Mines,
Dept. of Agriculture & Mines,
St. John's, Newfoundland,
July 14th, 1924.
July 14, 31

NOTICE

C. C. C. BAND
will meet to-morrow, Wednesday, at 2.30 p.m., at the Armoury for the purpose of proceeding to Mount Cashel Garden Party. Every member is requested to attend.
July 29, 31

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July 28, 21, news, tu
Capt. Act. Adjt.

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July 29, aug 2, 4, 5

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TO LET—A House containing 7 rooms, modern conveniences, electric light; also part House containing 5 rooms; apply 28 Barnes' Road. July 26, 31, s, m, tu

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LOST—Sunday afternoon at Bowling Park, near Swimming Pool, a gold Waltham Watch, Finder please return same to R. CALLAHAN, Water Street West. Reward. July 29, 31

LOST—Sunday, 27th inst., between 5 and 7 p.m. 7 Leatherette Storm Curtains, between Topsail and City via Topsail Road and Blackmarsh Road. Finder please apply to this office. July 28, 31

LOST—Cover of Gasoline Tank between Bald's Cottage, Broad Cove Road and Duckworth Street. Finder please return to DR. WM. TEMPLEMAN, Duckworth Street. July 28, 31

LOST, STOLEN OR STRAYED—From Torbay, a White Setter Dog with black ears and black on one side of head. Finder communicate with ELI THORNE, or 'Phone 1513's, Torbay. July 28, 31

LOST—During Haig Week, on street or in some store, Lady's Black Rubber Oil Coat, brown in color. Finder please leave same at 12 Barron Street. July 26, 31

NOTICE—Will the Person who took a Lady's Gold Extension Wrist Watch from 33 Prince's Street, kindly return same and save further trouble? July 29, 31

NOTICE—You can get Teas, Lunches, Rooms and Board; also Strawberries and Cream and Drinks, at WINDSOR'S, Topsail. July 19, 24

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WANTED—Capable Mail for flat required, washing out, no children; apply MRS. MURPHY, 214 Water Street, over McDurdo's Drug Store. July 28, 31

WANTED—A General Mail, small family, washing out; apply MRS. CHARLES MEBHAN, No. 1 Bell Street. July 29, 31

WANTED—At once, a Good Girl, must understand plain cooking, reference required; apply MRS. C. J. CAHILL, King's Bridge Road. July 29, 31

WANTED—Immediately, a Good General Girl, reference required, good wages to the right person; apply to 43 New Gower Street. July 29, 31

WANTED—Immediately, a Good General Servant; apply MRS. J. M. HOWLEY, 203 LeMarchant Road. July 26, 31

WANTED—A General Mail, two in family, washing out; apply to MRS. J. B. URQUHART, 13 Maxse Street. July 26, 31

WANTED—A Good General Servant; apply with references to MRS. C. C. BELBIN, 78 Monroe St. July 26, 31

WANTED—A Good General Girl for a small family; apply to 11 Cook Street. July 29, 31

WANTED—At once, a Good General Servant; apply to "ERIN HOUSE," 41 Brazil's Square. July 29, 31

WANTED—A Good General Mail, small family; apply MRS. WADDEN, 32 Gower Street. July 28, 31

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STORY OF LOVE, INTRIGUE AND REVENGE

CHAPTER XXVII

English life and scenery were quite a new experience for Gertrude. The sea-washed shores, the tall white cliffs, the clover meadows and green lanes, the woods, streams, and valleys had a nameless charm for her. She even went so far as to declare that she loved the gray mists and fogs, the cold winds and keen frost. The fair scenery and coloring of fertile Italy were nothing to her beside these beauties of her own home. Her poetical emotional nature was awakened, and there were times when Lady Fielden was afraid that the girl's intense feeling would endanger her health. But it did not. The brave, young heart was roused to its work.

Gertrude took one day to rest, and on the next Lord and Lady Fielden drove her to Scarsdale. It was touching to see the girl's face as she looked over the old house. Now and again faint gleams of memory came over her, and she would stand quite still, struggling with her tears. It was then that Harry had some difficulty to restrain himself from taking her in his arms and comforting her.

Mrs. Pickering the old housekeeper, wept for joy. "You are welcome, indeed, Miss Alvanmore!" she cried. "I had never even hoped to see any of the family here again."

Gertrude's eyes opened widely at the sound of her name; but Lady Fielden made a gesture for silence. One or two of the old servants who had been there at the time of Sir Karl's disappearance were equally delighted to see their master's daughter. Gertrude would have taken up her residence at Scarsdale, for she longed to be alone; but Lady Fielden would not hear of such a thing.

A faint rumor had spread through the country that Sir Karl's daughter, young as she was, had returned to the old home, because she was not satisfied with regard to her father's fate; that she refused to believe that he had voluntarily left his home and his wife, and that she was now staying under Lady Fielden's roof for the express purpose of making inquiries.

Every one pitied her. People had long believed Sir Karl's fate sealed and settled; he had left the country with Miss de Ferras sixteen years before, and his name was almost forgotten. They had lamented his downfall, they had sympathized with his wife, and sorrowed for her children, when they had consigned the matter to oblivion.

Gertrude spent day after day in the

can but try. Detectives have every facility for communicating with each other, and of obtaining information. Even should the man we employ do no more than make suggestions, they may lead to something."

So it was agreed that the first thing to be done was to send to Scotland Yard for one of the ablest men in the police force. Gertrude gave a sigh of relief. To her sanguine mind it was a great deal to have made a start.

"After all," she said to her friends, "the world is but a small place. When I think how soon we can so round it, to look for one man lost in it cannot be so hopeless. I have been told that, no matter where a person goes, he is sure to meet some one he knows. If that be true, surely to find the being one loves cannot be so very difficult a task."

"We shall have difficulties enough, but we must not let them discourage us," said Lord Fielden; "indeed, my idea is that nothing in life is worth doing, unless there are plenty of obstacles to be overcome. I like meeting them as if they were so many enemies, and conquering them one after another."

He was rewarded by a grateful look from Gertrude's blue eyes. After a few more words, the council for that day ended.

It met in more solemn conclave four days afterward, and Mr. Shaw, the detective, was at the head of it—a keen, thoughtful man, with brilliant eyes—eyes that, Harry declared, appeared as though they could see through a stone wall. He was quiet and calm, but with the keen instinct of his profession so completely developed, that it was wonderful with what sagacity he followed the slightest clue, how he studied minute details, how he gave importance to events that had been considered trivial. He had successfully conducted some most intricate criminal cases. In short, he was a wonderful man, and it augured ill for some one when he said that he was "not satisfied."

He listened attentively while Lord Rhysworth gave him the particulars of the baronet's disappearance.

"I should say myself," Mr. Shaw remarked then, "that the reason my confrere failed was because he did not know the whole of the details. Details, in a case like this, are everything. I think, if he had known more, he would have done better. It should be with a detective officer as with a doctor—nothing should be kept from him."

"Nothing shall be kept from you," said Gertrude, promptly. "The Squire, my dear mother's father, who would have been an important witness, is dead. James Ashford, the groom, and Lord Rhysworth, who were the last to see my father, will tell you all that they know. I will show you the letters and my father's portrait," added Gertrude, whose hopes were strengthened as she saw the detective's interest increase. "Are you a good physiognomist?" she asked, as she paced the parlour before him.

Mr. Shaw looked at it long and thoughtfully. "It is the face of a good man," he answered, gravely.

"Now read these letters," said Gertrude, "and see what you gather from them."

The letters that her mother had held so long were placed in his hands, and he seemed to weigh every word, as he read them. Then he was silent for some few minutes, after which the oracle spoke.

"My opinion is that it all rests with the lady," he said slowly. "With the lady!" was re-echoed in different accents of wonder and incredulity.

"Yes, with the lady," he repeated. "Indeed I should not be surprised to find that the gentleman did not accompany the lady at all."

The interest of the listeners increased. (To be continued.)



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SIDE TALKS.

By Ruth Cameron.

A GOOD TIME AT HER OWN PART.

A friend of mine was telling me what a jolly time he had had the day before at a house party. "There was a good crowd," he said, "and it's rather a decent place, and Mrs. Marks is my idea of a perfect hostess. I asked him to be more definite and tell me what qualifies a perfect hostess."

He is not at the age yet which does much analyzing and that stumped him a bit. And then he came out with a bit of characterization that I thought was better than any analysis.

The Ideal Hostess. "I tell you," he said, "Mrs. Marks is one of those people who have a good time at their own parties. Lots of them don't, you know. They're fussing around about this or that. But she just pitches in and has a good time and all the rest of us do, too."

How does that strike you for a picture of a perfect hostess? Rather sketchy, of course, and doubtless Mrs. Marks has other qualities which her young guest did not realize to his good time. But he surely named one quality which a great many hostesses don't have and which does mean a great deal more to the average guest's enjoyment than perfect table service or an immaculate

house or even an elaborate entertainment. So many hostesses don't have a good time at their own parties.

A Party Is a Chore. They don't expect to. They subconsciously regard a party as a chore to be done as well as possible, and that attitude tinges their whole manner. Or they are so anxious to put up the best possible front to make as good a showing as possible, to make the guests envious of the excellence of the food or the choiceness of the silver or the expensiveness of the bridge prizes that they forget to be friendly with their guests and to have a good time with them.

And the Best of Them Do, Too. My idea of ideal entertaining is the gathering together of people one really likes for the sake of the pleasure of their company, and then being one of that company and enjoying it. You give them the best you have, of course, in the way of food and drink, and you don't worry about it. You have as your ideal that they shall be a happy and a gracious hostess instead of an anxious hostess. In short, you have a good time as an almost certain corollary to the rest of them do, too."

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Silk Dresses: Crepe-de-Chene, Tricosham & Crepe Knit. \$9.50, 10.75, 11.75
SCARVES, Etc. Knitted Silk Scarves Beautiful Colours \$2.35, \$2.75, \$4.50
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U. S. Representative Suggests a Compromise Sao Paulo in the Hands of Government Troops—British Cruiser Squadron Reaches Jamaica—Canada May Have a Representative at Washington.

SAO PAULO CAPTURED. BUENOS AIRES, July 28. It is officially announced that the Brazilian Government forces have taken Sao Paulo, says a despatch to La Nacion from Santos, Brazil, this morning. REVOLUTIONISTS FLEE. BUENOS AIRES, July 28. The Rio Janeiro correspondent of the Journal Do Commercio, the Brazilian Government organ, has posted a placard in front of its office declaring that the Sao Paulo revolutionists abandoned the city early this morning and fled toward the interior, leaving the entire city of Sao Paulo in the hands of the Government forces. The placard declared the revolutionists abandoned the city after strong pressure by the local forces and fled toward the interior with two reduced columns in special trains. The bulletin added that General Costa was in possession of the City of Itu, about forty miles S.W. of Sao Paulo, and that he would prevent the escape of the Rebel forces. VICTORY FOR GOVERNMENT. NEW YORK, July 28. The revolutionary outbreak at Sao Paulo, Brazil, has been brought to a conclusion with victory for the Government, according to information from authentic sources received by the Cable Company here, to-day. Conditions in Sao Paulo are reported as rapidly returning to normal. CELEBRATING THE VICTORY. SANTOS, Brazil, July 28. Whistles were blowing in Santos this morning in celebration of the victory of the revolutionists had abandoned Sao Paulo during the night the Government taking over the city. As yet there is no official confirmation of the news. WASHINGTON HEARS REVOLUTION ENDED. WASHINGTON, July 28. The withdrawal of the revolutionary forces from Sao Paulo and the occupation of that city by Brazilian Government forces was announced to-

the British and United States Bankers in its provision for security for the international loan which Germany must float before the Dawes plan can be made effective. Consequently the Experts' meeting adjourned until tomorrow morning, when the French proposals will be heard. SUGGESTIONS MAY NOT BE ADOPTED. LONDON, July 28. The compromise proposals said to have been offered by the United States representatives at the Inter-Allied Conference and intended to break the deadlock on the subject of security for the loan to Germany, which appeared to have met with success early to-day, produced divergences late this afternoon which it was believed would rule out the new plan as a possible solution to the difficulty. U. S. SENDS VIGOROUS NOTE TO TEHRAN. WASHINGTON, July 28. Acting Secretary Grew, of the State Department, announced to-day the despatch of "vigorous representations" to Tehran as the result of an assault upon Mrs. Katherine Imbrie, widow of Vice-Consul Robert Imbrie, who was killed recently by a Persian mob. The communication sent to Minister Korfeldt protested against the situation in Persia which culminated in the unprovoked attack on Mrs. Imbrie. It was supplementary to a State Department note dealing more generally with conditions existing in Persia and covering the Vice Consul's death. VISITING SQUADRON AT JAMAICA. KINGSTON, Ja., July 28. The British special cruiser squadron, comprising the Hood, Repulse and Adelaide, arrived here Saturday from Cristobal and was greeted enthusiastically by the British residents. Kingston was gaily decorated for the occasion. Two special festive arches bearing phrases of welcome were erected. Admiral Sir Frederick E. Field and his staff, when they landed at 10 o'clock, were received by a guard of honor and by Mayor Simpson, who read an address of welcome and assured the Admiral, who acted as representative of the King, of Jamaica's unwavering loyalty. On Saturday night the Admiral and other officers of the squadron were entertained at an official dinner and ball at King's House. ST. JOHN TO HAVE NEW HOTEL. ST. JOHN, N.B., July 28. Work on the construction of the new Admiral Beatty Hotel, in King's Square, started this afternoon at 2 o'clock, within three hours after the contract was signed by the Directors of the Hotel Company, and E. G. M. Cape Company, Ltd., Montreal, Contractors. CANADA MAY APPOINT MINISTER TO WASHINGTON. MONTREAL, July 28. An Ottawa despatch to the Star says: "An appointment to the position of Canadian Minister to Washington, which has been talked of for the past four or five years, may be made this fall." Gossip in political quarters here mentions Hon. Senator Belmont in connection with the post. It is said that the function he is now performing is designed as a preliminary to his going to Washington, very possibly retaining his Senatorship. It is thought possible that if Senator Belmont should go to Washington he might be taken into the Cabinet without portfolio and thus go as a full fledged Minister.

Where Shall I Spend My Vacation? This is the puzzling question with many girls to-day. There are so many excellent holiday resorts that it is difficult to decide. On one vacation question however, the average girl has no difficulty in coming to a decision—the question of suitable summer toilet accessories—for all girls agree that Three Flowers toilet preparations are ideal as intimate companions when on vacation. The enchanting fragrance of the face powder and vanishing cream lends a touch of fascination, of charm, that is pleasingly appealing. Many ladies find that these beautifully perfumed toilet things help to retain delicious memories of the happy holiday hours. No matter where the vacation is being spent it can always be delightfully improved by the use of Three Flowers toilet articles and these dainty cosmetics the first things to be packed in the well dressed woman's travelling bag. C. L. B. Cadets



Yesterday, Monday, Haig weather brought another glorious holiday in camp at Topsail to the lads of the Church Lads' Brigade Cadets. Capt. Hooper, Camp Commandant, has had the honor of commanding the largest number of lads under canvas since the organization of the Brigade, whilst Capt. Harold Hayward has done heroic work in seeing to all the details of management, cooks, routine, tents and orders. Bathing provides much enjoyment to the lads these warm days, and Topsail Beach is ideal. Very little drill is being done in the mornings, so that the afternoons are free. To-morrow Wednesday, will be the "Big Day" for the Church folk of Topsail as they are holding a Garden Party on the Camp Grounds and will cater teas to all city and other folks who are going to see the lads of the Brigade and enjoy the Band music and big sports programme in the afternoon. The proceeds go towards repairs to the parish property and a small admission fee to the grounds will be made. Many prominent citizens are going and the day will be a memorable one. At night President Reid and Captain Hayward of the Officers' Mess have arranged their annual dance in the Orange Hall at 9 o'clock when the C.L.B. Orchestra will provide the music. Gentlemen, \$1.00 and ladies, 50c. will be the admission. Last night the N.C.O.'s held a small dance in the S.U.F. Hall which was very enjoyable. Capt. French, Commanding Company No. 1, who comes from Bay Roberts, has been a most useful officer, and Major Dawe, O.C. there has kindly given him extended leave till Wednesday. The Hon. R. Watson who visited Camp Sunday, has most generously provided five dollars for prizes as well as also contributing a further sum of twenty-five dollars towards our expenses. This is very gratefully appreciated, especially coming voluntarily at a time when the burden is heavy. Thank you, Mr. Watson.—Q.

At the Cathedral Sunday School Picnic, at Hafey's Field on Wednesday, July 30th, the W.H.M.A. will serve teas and refreshments.—July 26, 21, s.t.u.

30 YEAR OLD MURDERER KILLED. DANIELSON, Conn., July 28. Benjamin White, 30, who yesterday shot and killed his brother, Edwin T. White, 72, and wounded his nephew, Howard White, and David Mairson, the fiancée of his niece, Sadie Phyllis White, was shot and killed by members of a posse who were searching for him shortly after noon to-day, according to word received here. The posse included several state police from local barracks. The shooting occurred in the woods near White farm. LIEBOURNE MAKING CONSIDERABLE WATER. SYDNEY, N.S., July 28. The tug Ocean Eagle is standing by the French steamer Liebourne, which is on Gull Ledge, Whitehead, and is giving the vessel all assistance possible, according to word received by Vincent Mullins, local agent of the Marine Department, who sent the Eagle to the scene of the wreck Saturday night. So far as can be learned the cargo is being jettisoned to lighten the vessel which is making considerable water. She is bound from Newport News with a cargo of Virginia set coal for Three Rivers, Que., when she went ashore.

STEAMER STRIKES ROCK. VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., July 28. The passenger steamer Myles Standish, bound from here to Wood's Hole, struck a rock while rounding East Chop to-day, and sprang a leak. She was able to reach her dock at Oak Bluffs where her 25 passengers were landed and the steamer was beached. WINARD'S LINIMENT FOR DIS-TEMPER.

In the Realms of Sport

LAST NIGHT'S GAME. Guards Defeat C.L.B. Before a fair attendance of fans and spectators the C.L.B. bit the dust from the hands of the Guards, likely championship winners, at St. George's Field, last night, by the one-sided score of 6 goals to 1. Due to the fact that the C.L.B. are now under canvas, the team played minus several of their regular players, but a number of reserve men filled the positions, and did very well. The one-sided score was due to the tactics of the play. A strong westerly wind prevailed throughout which made good football entirely out of the question. The hall was confined to the eastern end of the field during the game, and in turn the teams were compelled to play on the defensive. In this the Guards proved the superior team. Taking advantage of the wind in the first period they began an attack on the C.L.B. goal which brought good results, and four goals were registered before the period ended. The C.L.B. played in a disadvantage, managed to get the ball west on one or two occasions, but were frustrated from doing any scoring.

2nd Half. Upon changing ends, the C. L. B., with the wind in their favor, took control of the leather, and the Guards were found backed up in their own quarters and given a busy time in clearing the numerous attacks. The C.L.B. pressed hard and within five minutes banged home No. 1. Encouraged on by their supporters the C.L.B. renewed the attack, but goals were lost through shooting wildly. The Guards forced the ball against the wind at intervals during this period and were successful in scoring two more goals. The C.L.B. never gave up trying. They pressed hard all through, but were unable to find the net. The game ended Guards 6 goals; C.L.B., 1. The Guards, by their victory last night are now firmly perched at the top of the League. A win or a draw in their next game will give them the championship.

TO-NIGHT'S GAME. The Star and C. E. I. are the contesting teams for to-night. Both Clubs have not registered a point in the series to date, and a lively game is expected to ensue for the honors to-night. IN THE BASEBALL WORLD. Ruth Sends Yanks In The Lead. NEW YORK, July 24.—Finding the air on American League peak too rarefied, the Detroit Tigers obliterated the coveted post after 24 hours occupancy in favor of the Yankees. Washington crept to within half a game of the Junglers and a full game of the world champions. The Detroit-New York clash was the kind of producer heart disease, nervous prostration and material for best sellers. When Schanz was apparently nailed at the plate trying to stretch his three bagger in the ninth, Bassler dropped the ball after tagging the runner and prolonged the agony till the eleventh when Babe Ruth won the game when he lifted Daus' second pitch into the right field bleachers for his 29th home run. Daus had just entered the game as a successor to Collins. It was the fourteenth home run that Ruth has hit off Daus. Concentrating their attack in the fourth inning, the Senators took the White Sox into Camp by 4 to 2. Baseball reminiscent of the days of rounders was displayed by Cleveland and Boston, the latter pulling a 16 to 1 triumph out of the melee. Brooklyn riveted itself more firmly in third place by snatching a four to three verdict from Pittsburgh in ten innings. Fournier poked out his 22nd home run of the season.

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DEMPEY'S RIGHT INJURED. LOS ANGELES, July 24.—Jack Dempsey's famous right arm is out of commission, following an automobile accident, Sunday night. Dempsey's heavy sedan, carrying himself and two or three friends, was side-swiped by a speeding motorist who kept going after he had tilted the

TRAFFIC REGULATIONS

for MOUNT CASHEL GARDEN PARTY, 1924 1. Motor Cars and other Vehicles proceeding to Mount Cashel Garden Party, will do so by the Portugal Cove Road, returning to the City by way of Kenna's Hill. 2. No Vehicles will be permitted to pass towards the City over the Portugal Cove Road from its Junction with the Torbay Road, between the hours of 2 p.m. and 9 p.m. CHAS. H. HUTCHINGS, Inspector General Const'by.

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As Others See Us.

FALLING INTO LINE. Newfoundland to Adopt the Same Provision as Quebec.

"For years Newfoundland was famous for its port wine, the atmosphere there seeming conducive to good maturity. When during time of war stress Newfoundland went dry by act of the Legislature, connoisseurs heaved a sigh as they thought of the famous port and the more ardent rum, which were always found at their best in the Ancient Colony. A system of sale by physicians' prescriptions was put in force, but this has been found unsatisfactory. Now there is to be a change, for on the opening of the Legislature on July 10, the Governor, Sir William Allardye, in his Speech from the Throne, declared that, as 'the prohibition act has now been enacted and that unlawful practices with reference to the importation, manufacture and sale of liquor have become general, a measure tending towards more adequate control and to decrease the many evils which result from late-breaking will be submitted to the Legislature.' This referred to the smuggling and moonshining that had become prevalent in the island colony, and which it was found impossible to prevent, and, indeed, even to restrict, although Newfoundland is a small country as regards population. So after seven years, during which matters grew worse and worse, the Newfoundland people are to make a change, which they are convinced will be for the better. They know that conditions were worse in some respects under the so-called prohibition than under the old order of licensed sale. Instead of the prescription system there is to be a system of liquor allowances for householders, and there is to be unrestricted sale of light wines and ales, particularly to hotels, which attract tourists and cater to them. Newfoundland, therefore, is to come into line with Quebec and the other Canadian provinces that have abandoned statute prohibition as a failure, after a pretty good trial. Every year sees new additions to the ranks of reason and moderation. Quebec has been better under the War-time restrictions. Other places are having similar experience."

The above clipping is taken from the Montreal Review, and, as is frequently the case with outside journals, it contains information which is news to ourselves. It is true that the Government have the revision of the Prohibition Act under consideration, but it remains for our neighbours to acquaint us with the particulars of the clean up to be put into effect. At the same time the evils which have attended the system since it was brought into operation have not been exaggerated by the writer in "The Review." In fact he might have gone considerably further in describing the existing conditions without overstepping the bounds of veracity.

AS WE SEE OURSELVES.

Some writers contend that it is not the Prohibition Law which is responsible for the vices that have followed in its wake, but the laxity with which the law has been enforced. This is, and will continue to be, a matter of opinion until Prohibition ceases to be a live question; but there is another debatable point, namely, whether a people can be convinced that a principle, which they believe to be right, is immoral by the simple process of legislating against it. This has been attempted in the United States, in Canada, and in Newfoundland, not to mention certain European countries. In such case the authorities have failed to enforce it, not because the people are lawless inclined, but because the law has appeared to act as a dictator to their consciences.

The Budget Speech

The Budget Speech delivered in the House of Assembly yesterday by the Honourable Minister of Finance and Customs appears in part in this issue, and the balance will be published to-morrow. It is a document which provides serious food for thought. The history of recent events as described in figures is by no means reassuring, nor does it tend to make us think with regret of the sudden eclipse of the late administrations.

Legislative Council

Entertained at Government House. The members of the Legislative Council and officials were entertained at Dinner last night by his Excellency the Governor and Lady Allardye.

Enjoyable Concert

The Mount Cashel Band gave a delightful concert in Banerman Park last night. The musical selections rendered were the latest from America, and proved very popular with the large gathering. A number of lady friends of the Orphanage did duty on the gates. The proceeds showed a big improvement over previous nights.

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Serious Epidemic at White Bay

Mr. G. R. Williams has received a wire from Rev. J. H. Marks, of Jackson's Arm, White Bay, to the effect that a serious epidemic is rampant in White Bay, and requesting him to notify the authorities that medical aid is needed at once. Magistrate Alcock has also wired the Minister of Justice to the effect that seventy deaths have occurred at Hampden, since October, from Measles, Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, Pneumonia, and now Typhoid is raging. Medical assistance is needed at once if the lives of the people are to be safeguarded. The matter is now in the hands of the Colonial Secretary, Hon. J. R. Bennett, for quick action. This is a case where a Doctor and a trained Community Nurse can do something worth while in the cause of humanity and no doubt the Government will deal with the matter at once.

GASOLINE AT SILVER-LOCKS—Navy Test, 40c. per gallon; High Test, 45c. per gallon.—July 29, 24

The Nfld. Weekly

We have just received the first copy of the Newfoundland Weekly, a paper which has been published in Boston in order to keep the many Newfoundlanders who reside abroad in close touch with affairs in their home land. In addition, its purpose is to furnish information to the citizens of the Great Republic regarding Newfoundland. As a link between Newfoundlanders abroad and their home, the journal is a unique combination of the practical and the sentimental, and as a source of reliable information about its work is bound to be of great benefit to this country. The venture is in a large measure due to the enterprise of Major R. H. Tat, Messrs. Benson, H. Squires and A. G. Gibb, and in their praiseworthy undertaking they are deserving of every success. It is hoped that "The Weekly" will receive strong support from Newfoundlanders at home as well as in the States, and for the information of those who wish to obtain it, we have been asked to state that the address is: 56-120 Milk Street, Boston, and the yearly subscription is \$2.50.

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Revive Cricket

During the whole of July, the weather has been ideal for cricket, but so far not a single game has been played in the city. In Conception Bay, however, several matches have taken place and on Wednesday last the first in the inter-town series for the Jones Cup was played between Harbor Grace and Bay Roberts. The result was a victory for the former by an innings and 64 runs. The highest individual score was secured by Rev. Higgett who made 36 before he was caught out.

Dr. G. N. Murphy's Office will close August 6th, for two weeks.

Rugger Game on Thursday

A rugger match between a team from H.M.S. Calcutta and a city aggregation takes place on St. George's Field Thursday afternoon beginning at 4.45 p.m. A good game is anticipated as amongst the ships team there are several internationals. Amongst them Com. Leach who played for Scotland a few years ago. The City will be represented by Paterson, Martin, Groves, Taylor, W. Clouston, Murray, Butler, Harrison, McDonald, C. Clouston, K. Clouston, McPherson, Duder, Horwood and Tifford.

25 Years Smoking "Mixtures"

Many pipe smokers prefer a mixture rather than a straight blend—one brand of tobacco may seem a trifle too mild while another brand may be just a little too strong—Then again the taste of either brand may not be exactly what the smoker likes. The result is many pipe users buy two different brands of tobacco and mix them to suit their own particular taste. A pipe user who has been smoking "mixtures" for the past 25 years told us the other day he had just struck a smoking mixture that beats any previous mixture he has ever used. For the past twelve months this smoker has been using a combined mixture of "Old Chum" and Dark "B.C. Plug," a friend persuaded him to try a tin of B.C. SLICE CUT PLUG (with the orange label) mixed with a package of "Old Chum" and he assured us the first pipeful convinced him it was the most satisfying mixture he has ever used.

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PEPPYS BEHIND THE SCENES.

July 28th.—Up betimes, and abroad, and this day did wear no waistcoat, which is a thing that grieves me sorely, but the heat so great that I cannot wear it. Indeed, so hot has it become that it is only with the greatest difficulty that I remain in the office, instead of following my inclination, which is to stay all the day in a cold bath filled with ice. This afternoon the House in committee on Ways and Means, hears the Finance Minister read his Budget Speech, which is indeed, a mighty interesting document, and one that merits careful consideration. The most amazing thing is that last year, the deficit amounted to more than 1 1/2 millions, which is caused, it is thought, by the removal of the duties that the Warren Government did take off by Minute of Council, and most of which are now of necessity, replaced. But God be praised, the duty on gasoline again removed, and I may take out my motor coach, which the high price of gas did force me to put away. The Finance Minister discourses of the Civil Servants, and will move the repeal of the Civil Servants Salaries Reductions Act, and will also put an end to extra payments for special services. Indeed, his speech gives great hopes for the future even if recovery must be slow. But Lord, how the Education Department did spend money since the Prime Minister tells how the Normal School costs more than 300 thousand dollars up to the present, and says he, the bills are still coming in. The Logging Bill moved for a second reading, but the paragraph dealing with minimum wages is thought to be unwise and like to be a deterrent to foreign capital, and so may not pass the House.

Band Concert, M. G. Band, Victoria Park, to-night, at 8 o'clock.—July 29, 24

Pickpockets Active

Saturday night a resident of College Square whilst making a purchase at a well known dry goods store on Water Street had a hand bag containing two small purses and the sum of eleven dollars purloined from her coat pocket. The matter has been reported to the police who are endeavouring to round up the culprit. Pick pockets operate freely in crowded stores, particularly on Saturday nights, and many losses have been recorded within the past couple of weeks, and their mode of operation makes detection almost impossible. Last Saturday in a well known central dry goods store a lady purchaser lost her glove, and a friend helped her without avail to find it. After the loser of the glove left the store, the other woman discovered that her purse containing a considerable amount of money had disappeared. In the pocket in which the purse had been, she discovered the lost glove. Naturally suspicion would rest on the owner, but in this case the lady was above reproach. A pick pocket had found the glove, put it into a likely pocket and extracted the purse.

Mounted Police

The seven horses formerly used in the Mounted Police Force were sold at auction at Port Townsend today by Mr. J. O'Driscoll. There was a large attendance and the prices realized were considered very good in view of the weak market for light animals and the season of the year at which the sale was called. The total realized was \$874. The highest price paid was \$149 for a chestnut A. V. by a young second animal nine years old at \$106. The lowest figure \$67 was paid for a horse formerly owned by Bishop Renouf. The well known animal Smuggler fetched \$145.

Shipping.

S.S. Silvia leaves New York on August 2nd for this port. S.S. Rosalind is leaving Halifax today and is due here early Thursday. S.S. Sable I. leaves Boston today for this port. Schr. Norderank, 61 days from Marston, has arrived in ballast to T. H. Carter. Schr. Helen Vair, 4 days from Halifax, has arrived with a cargo oil to the Imperial Oil Co. Schr. Lauretta has arrived from Sydney with a cargo coal to Earle & Sons, Fogo. Schr. Irene May has arrived at Bonne Bay, coal laden from Sydney. Schr. Plades has arrived from Sydney with a cargo coal for Taylor, Bonne Bay. Schr. Dorothy Melita with 450 and Linda Tibbo with 487 qts. codfish have arrived at Grand Bank from the Banks. Bart. Albic with a cargo seal oil shipped by Job Bros. Ltd., sails today for New York.

From Cape Race

Special to Evening Telegram. CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind West, light with fog at intervals, weather fine; the steamer David Morris passed in 11.30 a.m. Bar. 30.18; Ther. 60. H. B. Thompson, Optician, will be at Carbonara on Monday, July 28th until Thursday, July 31st. Office over J. P. Guy's store, Harbor Grace, Friday, August 1st to August 4th. Office, at LeDrew's Hotel, Bay Roberts, Tuesday, August 5th to August 7th. Office, at Mrs. D. Taylor's. "Please make your appointments early."

Alkali in Shampoos Bad For the Hair

If you want to keep your hair looking its best, be sure you use a shampoo that is not too harsh. Do not use prepared shampoos or anything else that contains too much free alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it. The best thing for steady use is Mulifid coconut oil shampoo, which is pure and gentle, and is better than anything else you can use. Two or three teaspoonfuls of Mulifid is sufficient to cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excess oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy, wavy, and easy to manage. You can get Mulifid coconut oil shampoo at any drug store. It is inexpensive, and a few ounces will supply every member of the family for months. Be sure your druggist gives you Mulifid. Beware of imitations. Look for the name Watkins on the package.

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Fishery Report

Placentia & St. Mary's.—From Collins Isle to head of Salmonier, total catch to July 28 estimated at 4,000 quintals. Latest arrival from Cape St. Mary's reports fish fairly plentiful but won't trawl. Trinity.—From Trinity East to English Hr. total to date 1100 qts. Forty-six traps in water; just a small quantity of squid for bait. Bay de Verde.—From Break Head Point to Pigeon Island, twenty-six traps fishing. Total landed 1228 qts. Bait supply plentiful, prospects fair, but not good. Reports from Labrador are gloomy and in some places the catch is a blank.

Report From Fishery Wardens

WEEK ENDING JULY 26. Little River—6 rods, 19 salmon, 7 to 23 lbs. each. Mr. Metcalf, N.Y., took 5 fish, heaviest 22 lbs. Mr. Dumond, also of N.Y., secured 5, the heaviest weighing 22 lbs. Other catches were: J. T. Dush, Erin, Ont., 2, heaviest 22 lbs.; Capt. Barron, N.Y., 3, heaviest 23 lbs.; H. C. Skinner, Gullish 5, heaviest 22 lbs. South Branch—8 rods, 2 fish, 3 to 12 lbs. each. Crabs River.—Water too low for salmon to get up. Trout fishing good. Middle Barachois—3 rods, 10 salmon, 8 to 10 lbs. each. Robinson's River—5 rods, 16 salmon, 3 to 12 lbs. each. Barachois Break.—Water low but plenty fish going up. Exploits.—Salmon still going up; none taken this week. Gander River (Lower)—Salmon more plentiful than ever. No sportsmen present this season. Parties attempting poaching prevented by Warden who also removed a net from the River on July 14th. Gander River (Upper)—4 rods, 23 fish, 3 to 14 lbs. each. One fish 14 lbs. was caught by W. Monroe, Miller-town. Ragged Hr. River.—Water very low. Salmon very scarce in river as well as outside. Gambo River.—Salmon and sea trout plentiful. Warden has nets taken from two men on river. Their cases are to be tried later. Terra Nova River—5 rods, 28 salmon from 3 to 15 lbs. each taken. Port Blandford.—Salmon still going up; no sportsmen present. North East River, Placentia—25 salmon, 4 and 5 lbs. each. South East River, Placentia—15 rods, 55 salmon. North Harbor River.—Water low. Salmon and trout plentiful. Black River.—No salmon taken. Good trout fishing this week.

Government Boats

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TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

DIFFERENCE IN EXCHANGE RATES. NEW YORK, July 29. Margin separating Canadian and United States dollar in New York market narrowed to 13.32 of one per cent. discount against Canadian currency yesterday. This represented the highest value attained by the Canadian dollar in the New York market in over a year. SOUTH AMERICAN AIRMAIL PROGRESSING. ROME, July 29. Major Seanni, the Argentine aviator and companion Beltramme hopped off this morning from the Conocello airdrome in continuance of their attempted world flight. They are following the route of the British flier, MacLaren who flew from Hoch to Corfu and thence to Greece. PROTESTS AGAINST HYDE PARK REFS. LONDON, July 29. Col. A. F. Hatch, President of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, speaking on Anglo-American trade, at a meeting of the organized Chambers of Commerce of Canada, condemned the practice of allowing agitators to express revolutionary views at Hyde Park. "If this vicious propaganda is allowed," he said, "serious trouble is bound to occur. I believe I am right in saying that for Canada we want it stopped."

ZEPPELIN SERVICE A PRACTICAL PROPOSITION.

VANCOUVER, July 29. England to Australia by a crude oil burning zeppelin already in ten days is a commercial possibility within the next two years, according to Sir Keith Smith, the famous Australian flier, who with his brother, Sir Ross Smith was first to accomplish the flight four years ago for which a prize of 10,000 pounds was given by the Australian Government. Sir Keith is in Vancouver and will sail for Australia to-morrow as General Supervisor for Vickers, Limited. The rapid strides of invention have almost eliminated dangers of flying, he said. The two big airships for England-Australia and the Australia-India service now being built by Vickers would use crude oil instead of inflammable fuel, thus removing the greatest danger to flying by airship. The commercial feasibility of the airship has been therefore established, remarked Sir Keith. Big ships which are now being built will have the capacity of a hundred passengers as well as whatever baggage they need. This is to be a cold business proposition with a view not only to shortening the time between the countries, but to give the utmost comfort and service.

ARCTIC EXPLORER RETURNING.

PORTLAND, Me., July 29. Donald MacMillan, the Arctic explorer with the schooner Bowdoin, has left winter quarters and has reached a point 87 miles to the south, according to a special despatch to the Portland Press Herald, received from the U.S. cruiser Milwaukee which was in touch with the radio station at Hawks Harbor, Nfld. As the Bowdoin spent the winter at Pleasants Land, eleven degrees from the North Pole, her latest reported position is probably in the vicinity of Cape York, just northwest of Melville Bay, Greenland. Messages said that the Bowdoin would return home as soon as the ice fields which were obstructing her progress broke up. MacMillan and his party left Wisconsin, Maine, in June, 1923. They are expected to return there in September.

Horses Sold

The seven horses formerly used in the Mounted Police Force were sold at auction at Port Townsend today by Mr. J. O'Driscoll. There was a large attendance and the prices realized were considered very good in view of the weak market for light animals and the season of the year at which the sale was called. The total realized was \$874. The highest price paid was \$149 for a chestnut A. V. by a young second animal nine years old at \$106. The lowest figure \$67 was paid for a horse formerly owned by Bishop Renouf. The well known animal Smuggler fetched \$145.

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Stock Market News

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MONTREAL OPENING. Brazilian 48, Laurentide Power 85, Montreal Power 172, Shawinigan 128 1/2, Can. Steel 73 1/2.

CHANDLER MOTOR. Earned Over \$4 A Share in First Half Year. (Boston News Bureau, July 24, 1924.)

BOSTON—Earnings of Chandler Motor Car Company for first six months was somewhat in excess of dividend requirements. Interests close to the company estimate net at around \$1,250,000 or in excess of \$4 a share on 250,000 shares, against dividend requirement of \$3 semi-annually.

It has been producing in excess of 40 cars a day, with production closely following actual demand. At no time this year has Chandler allowed the practice of forcing cars on dealers, with result that there has been no backing up of unsold cars at factory to cause sudden slump or curtailment in production. Operations have been maintained on even keel, with satisfactory effects on profits.

Although first six months' earnings this year are below 1923, outlook for the second half of the year is somewhat better than in corresponding period of last year. In last six months of 1923 the company had to meet heavy expenditures in connection with development of its traffic transmission on new models. Earnings for the period were less than 20% of the total earned in the first six months.

This year the company has made only minor refinements on its new models, introduced in June. Cost of these will not involve heavy charges against earnings. Prices of new models were advanced approximately \$100, which should be reflected in earnings at last half of the current year if demand continues to maintain the improvement shown by recent sales.

While Chandler is being lagging behind the rest of the motor group and selling within seven points of its lowest price this year because of uncertainty over maintenance of present \$6 dividend, it is said current operations indicate the company will earn a margin over its full year's dividend requirement and there is little to justify belief that a reduction is in prospect.

(Financial Times, July 18.) SOUTHERN CANADA POWER. This company is making its way rapidly among the power companies of Canada, branching out from a small beginning in a small area until it has won a commanding place in the Eastern Townships. At the present time it is developing a 30,000 h.p. plant at Hemming's Falls, a feature of the growth of the company has been the unusual success it has met with in inducing industries, a large number of them branches of United States concerns, to locate in areas contiguous to their distributing lines. In this way the company has increased its sale of power very considerably. Company has carried on a successful campaign also along original lines for Canada, in inducing its customers to invest in its various securities. The statement of earnings shows a consistent growth that must impress the investor. A report issued during the present week for the twelve months ending May 31, showed gross of \$1,012,043, an increase of over \$109,000, and net of \$450,000, comparing with \$459,950. It is stated that an offering of shares will be made in the fall to the company's employees. The common stock was one of the leaders in

Seal-Hunter Thetis

UNDERGOING EXTENSIVE REPAIRS. The sealing ship Thetis which received a squeeze whilst at the ice-field this past spring is now receiving a thorough overhaul at the Southside premises of the owners, Messrs. Job Bros. Ltd. The work has been in progress for some time under the direction of shipwright Butler and a large staff of men. The hull amidships is being stripped of its sheathing, the main planking has been removed in order that the lumber may be examined. According to Mr. Butler all the latter are in as sound and as good a condition as forty years ago, when they were first placed to frame the ship. The main planking of the ship will be newly planked from the sheathing up to the covering board. The work will occupy about three months and when completed the ship will be as good as when she first came to the country. Capt. W. Winsor who has paid several visits to the ship recently expresses himself as well pleased with the work.

OTTAWA POWER. In a rise to a higher dividend and higher market levels this stock was checked last year by an inability of the company to secure an adequate supply of power and also by revelations of unprofitable price-cutting that resulted from unwise rating on the part of the competitive hydro system. A recent contract with the Ottawa and Pall Company will guarantee a sufficient supply of power and recent financial progress transferred stock has wiped out a number of bonds with a high coupon rate and provided further working capital. With the removal of unfavorable conditions, Ottawa Power should once again resume its upward movement in earnings and in market position.

LAURENTIDE POWER. With the total output of power distributed to two customers, both closely associated with it, the earning power of Laurentide Power remains assured. The securities have now reached the position of a reasonably safe investment with some, although not marked possibilities for further appreciation.

NEW HAVEN RAILROAD. Possibility of Buying of Stock by Pennsylvania Investors. (From Boston News Bureau, July 18th, 1924.)

Boston—The buying of New Haven Railroad stock which has pushed the price up to 27 1/2, the highest at which it has sold since 1922 when it touched 35 1/2, has undoubtedly been of important character. It is apparently something more than a mere speculative move.

A substantial amount of buying has come from Philadelphia, and it is understood that a big block of stock has been taken out of the market. Interests affiliated with the Pennsylvania Railroad are believed to have been purchasers.

It is true that rumors of Pennsylvania buying have frequently cropped up in the past in connection with any particular strength in New Haven, only to meet with denial by President Rea or other officials. The Pennsylvania Railroad has appeared as the holder of record for 53,125 shares of New Haven stock for a number of years past.

There are certain factors which lend more color to the theory of Pennsylvania buying at this time than has been the case in recent years. It is not to be supposed that the Pennsylvania wishes to obtain an actual majority of the stock for the purpose of gaining control, but acquisition of an additional block of stock would give it a more influential position with respect to the road. And there are reasons why this might be desired.

The railroad consolidation proposition is coming to a head, as evidenced by the Nickel Plate and other developments, and the indication that the Interstate Commerce Commission will before long publish its amended plan of consolidation. One of the most troublesome problems in connection with consolidations lies in the eastern district. It is known that there have been conferences recently among trunk line executives for the purpose of making certain recommendations to the Interstate Commerce Commission.

It is strongly believed in some quarters that out of the roads in trunk line territory four big systems, and possibly a fifth will eventually emerge. These would comprise chiefly the Pennsylvania, New York Central, Baltimore and Ohio and the New Nickel Plate-Erie combination, with other roads either falling into these groups or forming possibly a fifth system.

There is possibility that there may be a consolidation of New England roads, and that the important trunk lines will hold a minority stock interest in such a consolidated corporation. One theory is that such an arrangement would help to solve the troublesome rate divisions question, which although decided in favor of New England roads, is not yet settled and has failed to meet the requirements. New England roads are arguing before examiners of the Interstate Commerce Commission for a broadening of the scope of the original order and for some further increases.

There's a well developed thread of mystery in "His Wife's Husband," a more interesting drama which is being presented at the Nickel Theatre, and in which Betty Blythe is being starred.

Mystery plays are the most popular stage plays of the day. If the packed houses which force long runs on Broadway, New York City, are a criterion, "Morocco's" production, "The Bat," has been running for two years; and another mystery play, "The Cat and the Canary," seems likely to remain for indefinite presentation, perhaps equalling "The Bat" in popularity. On the screen the mystery thread can be given even greater suspense than on the stage; by this token, while "His Wife's Husband" is a society drama essentially, with an incidental touch of mystery, this touch develops into suspense as keen as that in "The Bat," and adds considerably to one's enjoyment of the picture.

"His Wife's Husband" tells the story of a beautiful girl whose first was a marriage of convenience—to a man who was attracted by her physical charms and whom she left dead on the evening of her wedding, and whose second marriage was a love match resulting in a supreme happiness which was threatened by the appearance of a man bearing a startling resemblance to her first husband. The mystery thread is woven in at this juncture and keeps the picture to a high pitch of dramatic emotionalism.

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Great Emotional Drama at THE NICKEL To-day

Advertisement for Betty Blythe in 'His Wife's Husband' and 'Back to the Woods'. Includes text: 'A Picture you cannot afford to miss.', 'Betty Blythe in HIS WIFE'S HUSBAND A Pyramid Picture.', 'The most captivating and fascinating picture of Betty Blythe's career—a society drama tingling with mystery, vibrant with emotion, and startling in its revelations—lavish in its settings and in the display of gowns and finery.', 'NEAL BURNS In a Two-Act Christie Comedy. A Riot of Fun.', 'SOON—George Arliss in "THE GREEN GODDESS"; Harold Lloyd in "GIRL SHY" and "SCARAMOUCHE" featuring RAMON NAVARRO.'

Forgetting Safety First

The Safety First Week, early in the summer, was effective in its way, without a doubt, careful people being yet more careful, but even then there were accidents, including deaths. Since then the street tragedies have continued and increased. People are knocked down every day and automobiles crash into each other and into street cars, the latter of which is a very foolish thing for a motor car to do, for the only vehicle that can defy a street car of the Montreal Tramways is a steam roller, and they are few and far between and only work on occasions. The cause of all the accidents is recklessness or carelessness. At any hour almost an observer may see some one violating the traffic regulations; and while this state of affairs exists there will be deaths and maimings. So notorious is the situation that Mr. Arthur Gaboury, manager of the Province of Quebec Safety League, "Safety First Gaboury," declared in an address before the Lions Club, at the Mount Royal Hotel, that already this year there had been a twenty-six per cent increase in the number of street fatalities in Montreal, and he said he would not be surprised to see last year's record of 77 deaths increased to 150. That would mean an average of three killings weekly, and far more maimings. Mr. Gaboury is not an alarmist and he speaks officially as head of the Safety League. His warning and his plea for precaution ought to attract wide attention and bring an improvement. It is a terrible thing to kill a person, even accidentally, and the man who is careless of bringing death to other persons or to himself. The way to stop the tragedies is for everyone to drive and walk carefully and give strict heed to the traffic regulations. This is the duty of every individual in Montreal.—Review.

Clothes Make the Man

It is possible to imagine a more amusing life-story than that of the young woman whose recent death disclosed the secret that she had spent the last ten years of her life as "water" in a Soho restaurant? Not even the most imaginative novelist could conceive this idea and carry it, logically and unemotionally, to its conclusion—Death. Fancy cannot reach as far, and fiction looks a fool! "Ernest Wood" kept her amazing secret for ten years. She was a slight, attractive youth, a clever "water," working and living in the same quarters as the men. Betrayed by Death. She would often talk jokingly of her "girls," and one girl who responded to the "water's" smile said, after "his" death, that he seemed to know as much about girls, their thoughts and vagaries, that she had often been amazed at "his" cleverness. And then Death broadcasts her secret, kept so zealously, and so well! More amazing still, perhaps, is the unique and incredible story of a man, the Chevalier D'Eon, who spent his life alternately as a cavalry officer and a Court "beauty". The story of the Chevalier D'Eon is, in fact, so strange that it would be rightly unbelievable but for the authentic records in diaries and museums that prove it to the hilt. About 1763, after a distinguished Army career, the Chevalier D'Eon was sent to England from the Court of Louis XV., as a temporary French Ambassador to the Court of George III. "Madam D'Eon." He remained in England several years. Suddenly, one bright morning—as the novelette has it—a lawsuit took place which, to say the least of it, started the country. A man, on

MacDonald Holds Record

FOR SPEECH IN COMMONS. LONDON, July 17 (A.P.)—Premier MacDonald has talked more in the House of Commons than anyone else, and is 31 columns of the official report of the Parliamentary Gazette ahead of his nearest competitor. According to the record from January to the Easter recess, the Premier's speeches covered 126 columns, William Graham, financial secretary to the treasury, being next with 95 columns and Sir Kingsley Wood third with 76 columns. Lloyd George only 67, while Stanley Baldwin takes fifth place with 46 columns. It is noted that the Clydeside members are comparatively reticent, Tom Johnston and Neil MacLean filling only 20 columns each. James Kirkwood is not mentioned, because only those who can fill 20 columns are recorded.

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BUDGET SPEECH

Delivered by the Minister of Finance, Hon. Sir J. G. Crosbie, in House of Assembly, Yesterday.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE ON WAYS AND MEANS.

MR. CHAIRMAN:

In submitting this my first Budget, my only regret is that my incumbency of the office of Finance Minister has been too short to enable me to speak as one having the authority of full personal knowledge of the financial activities of the past year would give and I am confident that Honourable Members will under these circumstances make due allowance for all shortcomings in connection with such matters as explanations with regard to the minute details of expenditure and so forth.

What I have to say with regard to Budget matters falls naturally under three heads, that is to say:

- (1) The completed year 1922-1923.
- (2) The practically completed year 1923-1924; and
- (3) The Estimates of Revenue and Expenditure 1924-1925.

With regard to (1), the completed year 1922-1923:

I do not propose to inflict upon the House a tiresome array of figures dealing with the finances for 1922-23. A few extracts of a general nature from the Auditor General's report will suffice to acquaint Honourable Members with the position with regard to the finances of this particular year.

The Revenue received for 1922-1923 is as follows, viz:—

Revenue Received for 1922-1923.	
Customs	\$6,481,068.40
Postal	228,832.30
Telegraph	175,809.77
Inland Revenue Stamps	38,484.52
Crown Lands	80,667.35
Liquor Sales	540,297.28
Fines and Forfeitures	5,785.56
Fees Public Institutions	42,755.96
Broom Dept. Penitentiary	7,779.82
Excess Profits Tax	24,247.04
Income Tax	303,832.19
Mfg. Sales Tax	55,014.66
Bank Tax	123,905.58
Estate Duties	150,000.00
Interest on Guaranteed Loans	38,043.00
Taxes and Assessments	70,141.45
Miscellaneous Revenue	460,657.86
Total	\$8,876,772.74

The Revenue which I have just quoted falls short of the Estimate made by Sir Richard Squires by the sum of \$76,227.26.

The following comparative statement will show under which particular heads this shortage occurred, viz:

Comparative Statement of Revenue Estimated and actually collected for year 1922-1923.

	Estimated	Collected
Customs	\$6,900,000.00	\$6,481,068.40
Postal and Telegraphs	440,000.00	404,620.07
Crown Lands	80,000.00	80,667.35
Inland Revenue Stamps	50,000.00	38,484.52
Fines and Forfeitures	5,000.00	5,785.56
Liquor Sales	480,000.00	540,297.28
Fees Public Institutions	40,000.00	42,755.96
Broom Department Penitentiary	10,000.00	7,779.82
Income Tax	150,000.00	24,247.04
Business Profits Tax	180,000.00	303,832.19
Manufacturing Sales Tax	50,000.00	55,014.66
Bank Tax	125,000.00	123,905.58
Estate Duties	90,000.00	150,000.00
Interest on Guaranteed Loans	75,000.00	38,043.00
Taxes and Assessments	52,000.00	70,141.45
Miscellaneous Revenue	225,000.00	460,657.86
Total	\$9,953,000.00	\$8,876,772.74

Over Estimated \$ 76,227.26

The Expenditure incurred for the year 1922-1923 amounted to \$5,127,542.79. This was an increase of \$23,075.81 over the Estimate of \$4,844,466.98 stated by Sir Richard Squires as the amount required to maintain the Public Service of the Colony for the year 1922-1923.

The actual expenditure above noted is for current expenses only and does not include many large disbursements on Loan and Surplus Trust Accounts.

I shall have something further to say with regard to these utterly unnecessary large expenditures later on in my speech.

But to come to the present subject, the Budget Estimate for 1922-1923 indicated a surplus of \$188,536.82, whereas, on the contrary, the country was actually faced with a deficit of \$37,811.87, not including the extremely large expenditures on Loan and Surplus Trust Accounts to which I have just referred.

This deficit had to be liquidated by a charge on our last Loan Account of 1923.

With regard to the financial affairs of the Colony for the year 1922-1923, I would like the Honourable Members to refer to the Auditor General's report for that particular year. I would especially draw your attention to his remarks in respect of "Free Entry" of goods for Government Contractors on account of Government work; with reference to the question of adopting Government Institutions for stock and furniture; to the transfer of Manufacturers' Sales Tax from the Assessors Office to the Customs Department; also, to his strong comments on the need of greater personal supervision by the Ministers of each Department to the question of adopting the contract system in supplying the several Government institutions; to the matter of extravagance in connection with repairs to public buildings and the expenses on Loan Account; and, lastly but most importantly, to the general want of economy over the whole Public Service which he referred to and with all of which I am in perfect accord. He also recommended the advisability of appointing a Standing Committee of the House on Public Accounts, referred to the excessive cost of printing, stationery and advertising; and requested a re-organization of the system of expenditure on account of Public Charities.

With regard to Loan Expenditure for the year 1922-1923, the following statement will show the actual amount of expenditure in the services indicated below:

Statement of Loan Expenditure 1922-1923.	
Finance	\$2,370,038.58
Posts and Telegraphs	4,925.19
Agriculture and Mines	1,851.75

Public Works
 2,474,136.81 |

Marine and Fisheries
 453,114.77 |

Public Charities
 590,756.06 |

Militia
 20,591.31 |

Total

\$5,915,492.77

It would be wearisome to recite the details of this large expenditure to the House, and I shall content myself with referring Honourable Members to the statistical data at the end of the Budget for full particulars. I cannot refrain, however, from referring to the fact that even at this early date (June 30th, 1923) The Agriculture and Mines Department charged above with \$1,931.75 was actually in debt to the Bank of Montreal in the sum of approximately one and one-half million dollars, which sum the Auditor General refused to indemnify the Bank without the necessary legislative authority.

I shall reserve any further comment I may have to make on the financial transactions for the year under observation until I have given the House the information relative to the financial condition of the Colony for the year 1923-1924.

With regard to (2) that is to say the financial position of the Colony during the fiscal year 1923-1924.

The late date at which the House meets enables me to give a fairly close estimate of the result of the Colony's Revenue and Expenditure for 1923-1924.

While it is yet too soon after the close of the fiscal year to finalize the several accounts and so to furnish the exact figures, the several Departmental accounts, so far as expenditures are concerned, have been practically closed. Some items of the Revenue have still to come, but it is possible to estimate these fairly accurately.

The Revenue estimated by my predecessor, Mr. Cave, for the fiscal years 1923-1924, was \$9,150,000.00. The actual Revenue as estimated by me will probably reach \$8,467,000.00. This would indicate an over-estimate by Mr. Cave of \$683,000.00 on Revenue.

The Expenditure estimated by the same gentleman was \$9,046,153.57 but I consider, in the light of practically closed accounts, that the expenditure will be over \$10,000,000.00.

Mr. Cave under-estimated expenditure therefor \$1,035,456.00, less the Audit Act expenditure (which doubtless he did not contemplate at the time he made up his Estimates). My predecessor's Estimates were therefore \$1,268,456.00 erroneous. Adding to that the Audit Act expenditure and subtracting the anticipated surplus of \$143,346.00 which did not materialize, we arrive at an estimated deficit of \$1,574,600.00.

I attribute the shortage of Revenue to the repeal of the surtax of twenty-five per cent. on the removal

of Export Duty on Fish, and to the placing of Flour, Pork, Molasses, Kerosene and Gasoline on the Free List for the last three months of the past year.

I estimate then that the Revenue which we will receive for the fiscal year ending 30th of June last at \$8,467,000.00, made up as follows, viz:

Estimated Revenue 1923-24.	
Customs	\$6,700,000.00
Postal	270,000.00
Telegraph	200,000.00
Inland Revenue Stamps	44,000.00
Crown Lands	100,000.00
Liquor Sales	220,000.00
Fines and Forfeitures	6,000.00
Fees Public Institutions	50,000.00
Broom Dept. Penitentiary	8,000.00
Cable and Bank Taxes	7,000.00
Bank Deposit Tax	112,000.00
Income Tax	335,000.00
Manufacturing Sales Tax	40,000.00
Interest on Guaranteed Loans	37,000.00
Estate Duties	25,000.00
Miscellaneous Revenue	200,000.00
Total	\$8,467,000.00

The Expenditure estimated by me as above amounts to \$10,041,500.00 as shown by the following heads of expenditure:

Estimated Expenditure 1923-24.	
Interest on Public Debt	\$3,000,000.00
Finance Department	255,000.00
Colonial Secy. Dept.	85,000.00
Justice Department	418,000.00
Education Department	850,000.00
Public Charities Dept.	540,000.00
Marine and Fisheries	300,000.00
Agric. & Mines Dept.	105,000.00
Public Works Dept.	1,115,000.00
Postal Telegraphs Dept.	1,340,000.00
Customs Department	530,000.00
Liquor Controller's Dept.	46,000.00
Tax Assessor	15,000.00
Accountant of Contingencies	205,000.00
Military Pensions Board	575,000.00
Shipping Department	50,000.00
Old Age Pensions	100,000.00
Militia Department	65,000.00
Miscellaneous Contingencies	7,000.00
Total	\$9,601,600.00

Under Special Warrant

Audit Act
 440,000.00 |

Total

\$10,041,600.00

Estimated Revenue as per previous statement

8,467,000.00

Estimated Deficit

\$1,574,600.00

It is clearly evident, therefore, that the Supply Act last year will have to be largely supplemented, and as a matter of fact I have calculated that the Supplementary Supply required will amount to over \$720,000.00 for the particulars of which I would refer Honourable Members to the Supplementary Supply Act which they will be asked to consider.

Dealing with the expenditure as shown by the accounts and referred to in the Auditor General's report under Section 33 (b) of the Audit Act, which he has brought down to the 31st of May last. I would like to draw the attention of the House to the serious overdrafts authorized in most cases by Order-in-Council which occurred during the currency of the last fiscal year, among which overdrafts I would particularly cite the following, viz:—

STATEMENT OF OVERDRAFTS 1923-24.

Customs
 \$15,603.40 |

Hire of Steamers S.W. Coast
 14,394.18 |

Justice
 |

Civil and Criminal Prosecutions
 9,410.74 |

Hire of Steamers Circuit Court
 10,675.00 |

Royal Commission Inquiry
 20,403.99 |

Education
 |

Interest Teachers' Pension Fund
 10,000.00 |

Colonial Secretary
 |

Contingencies
 9,348.52 |

General Election 1923
 12,992.41 |

Public Charities
 |

Medical Attendance Papers
 24,767.94 |

Conveyance Sick Poor
 21,013.89 |

Extraordinary Expenditure
 11,421.79 |

Public Health Outposts
 25,407.64 |

Hospital Fees
 19,191.11 |

Public Works
 |

Repairs Public Buildings
 14,765.05 |

Repairs Lomax Asylum
 14,694.78 |

Repairs General Hospital
 25,911.29 |

Repairs Fever Hospital
 7,284.55 |

Repairs Sudbury Hospital
 8,760.44 |

Notre Dame Coastal Service
 13,500.00 |

Placentia Bay Coastal Service
 9,740.00 |

Battle Harbor and Humberson
 13,000.00 |

Telephone Maintenance
 42,824.94 |

Telephone
 14,494.73 |

Construction and Main Line Repairs
 12,030.82 |

The total of these overdrafts amounted to \$383,063.19, and the particular reason for drawing attention to these is the fact that with economy they might have been avoided.

The position then of the Colony at the close of the last fiscal year is to my mind a particularly serious one. We have incurred a deficit on the year's operations which I have esti-

ated at approximately \$1,575,000.00.

Against this deficit we have to our credit in the Bank of Montreal the Surplus Trust Fund amounting to \$187,210.61, and that is practically all.

There are some small amounts as yet unallocated in connection with the 1922 and 1923 Loans, but these are all earmarked for a specific purpose and cannot be disturbed.

As I have already stated, I am of the opinion that the shortage in the Estimate of Customs Revenue is due principally to the repeal of the twenty-five per cent. super-tax, the remission of Export Duties on Fish, and the placing of Flour, Pork, Beef, Molasses, Gasoline and Kerosene on the Free List.

At the present juncture I regret to say that the Colony's finances are in such a condition as not to warrant the repeal of duties on the latter articles, however desirable it would be and however much it might afford relief to our people.

My predecessor, in his Speech, stated that his Government had decided that "the proper policy to adopt to secure an ultimate revival of trade was to make a sweeping reduction in our various taxation on imported goods and to report a deficit."

Well, they did make a sweeping reduction in the ad valorem duties, and illegally repealed the Customs' duties on flour, pork and other articles, and they did incur a notable deficit, which it is my unpleasant task to report, but the revival of trade was due to improved prices abroad, and not in manner or degree to our predecessors.

In a country having a representative Legislature, it alone can impose or repeal taxation, except in those special instances in which it has delegated that power. The repeal here was by an illegal Minute of Council, and at a time when a large deficit had accrued, an overdraft had been made on Bank to pay current expenses. That overdraft this Government has now to ask this Legislature to provide.

However, the result of these several reductions and remissions works out at about \$850,000.00 less on the twenty-five per cent. super-tax adding the Sales Tax on it; plus the \$187,500.00 on the Export Tax on Fish; account of remission \$12,500.00 on flour, pork, molasses, etc., for three months, to which I have already referred, making a grand total of \$1,162,500.00.

I can quite understand any Honourable Member of this House disagreeing with the imposition of the iniquitous twenty-five per cent. super-tax on an almost entirely ad valorem basis; but I have yet to be convinced that any country (after a quarter of a century of English Commonwealth law) can reduce the ordinary import duty in the face of annual deficits on the commodities common to all the people. Such a course can only lead to disaster and the insolvency courts.

A bear may hibernate in winter, but he must come out for a certain period, but the time comes when even the bear must come self-supporting.

The shortage between my predecessor's estimate of Customs Revenue and the estimated actual revenue amounts to \$289,000.00.

While this comparatively small shortage (viewed in comparison with the foregoing figures) seems to me to indicate a bear sign of improvement, I think, however, a wise policy would have been to have made the process of reduction gradual in measure as our finances improved.

Before leaving the history of the 1921, 1922 and 1923 Loans, I have already made brief reference to matters has been interfered with by the political head of his Department in his endeavour to bring the defaulters to account. The unpleasant duty of exacting statements and payments has therefore fallen on me.

Without any further comment I would like to say that the Fishery Guarantee account stands out as an everlastingly disagree to those who were entrusted to take care of the Colony's funds. The present state of the Fund will be found on Pages 23 and 23 (a) of the Auditor General's Report for the year ending June 30th last.

LOAN 1922.

With regard to the relief of the unemployed: The way this was undertaken and the mismanagement in the handling of the public funds of this Colony needs very little comment from me. If the employment given out and the money used therefor, had been applied to work of more permanent value, there would not be much ground for adverse criticism, but in view of the abuses which have taken place, it is impossible not to find fault.

If employment had been given to those who required labour and craft of every kind cut out, one could cyn-

pathize rather than criticize; and one feels it is unjust to blame those who used the pick and shovel when it is considered that those higher up did just as they pleased, taking good care not to neglect themselves, and yet were always ready to blame those under them.

Any sane man knows the Badger-Hall Bay and Deer Lake-Bonne Bay roads were unnecessary. The expenditure on them was simply like throwing money in the ocean. To-day these roads are practically useless and of no value to the Colony. As foreseen by those who opposed this measure, grass is their chief product.

It will be noted that the Badger road cost \$12,500.00 per mile, whereas the Deer Lake cost \$18,000.00. Surely some explanation to this difference of cost should have been given.

As to able-bodied pauper relief: I am too well acquainted with my fellow countrymen to think that they want this kind of relief. Here, again, abuses of every kind took place with regard to the expenditure of so-called pauper relief; and this is a matter which demands a far reaching enquiry.

The original allocation for the Normal School made by Order-in-Council from the 1922 Loan was \$100,000.00. This School Building has cost to date \$335,000.00 and will cost probably \$70,000.00 more for equipment still required and the laying out of the grounds.

An Order-in-Council directed that all goods required by the Contractor for the Building, should come in duty

free, although it seems to have been clearly understood that the tender accepted was on the basis of duty paid material. It is estimated that the loss to the revenue from this concession was well in the neighborhood of \$35,000.00.

Adding this to the estimated cost which I have given, we find that the total cost of the school building, fittings and so forth, will be in the neighborhood of \$440,000.00 although the original appropriation made by Order-in-Council under the 1922 Loan was only \$100,000.00.

LOAN 1923.

With regard to the expenditure on Pitt Road: Well, all I can say, Mr. Chairman and Honourable Gentlemen, is that any comment of mine is unnecessary. It would be rather out of place and this matter can be very easily settled by referring you to the Auditor General's Report and to that of Mr. T. Hollis Walker, K.C.

Need I say more? The amount allocated from the Loan to meet the loss on Pitt Road account, is \$1,000,000.00; not sufficient by at least \$160,000.00 to cover the actual figures. In his report the Auditor General asks for a special resolution of the House authorizing him to sign the cheque releasing the amount voted to repay the advance made by the Bank of Montreal.

This, then, Honourable gentlemen, is all I can say of the financial affairs of the Colony for the two years we have had under consideration.

This government assumes no responsibility therefor; it states facts as it finds them and leaves criticism

to the people of Newfoundland. Let me turn now to the future. I am free to admit that I approach the consideration of this subject without that confidence in his forecast that a Finance Minister is supposed to have. So much is uncertain; so much is more or less guess work (especially when dealing with revenue) that the financier who can at the beginning of a financial year, estimate with even a fair amount of accuracy, the result of the financial activities of that year in Newfoundland, has yet to appear. I can instance, as corroborating this statement, the huge supplementary supply which has been regularly sought for during the last twenty years.

Let us first examine the present position of the Colony: its financial condition; its trade; its industries and particularly the latter two. For, after all, the first is entirely dependent upon them.

With regard to the Trade and Commerce of the Colony generally, I am of opinion that there is a decided improvement during the past fiscal year. The financial condition of any country is found to be reflected in its trade conditions. That is to say in the value of its imports and exports. And I am happy to be able to say to Honourable members that trade conditions during the fiscal year 1922-1923 have shown an upward trend.

(To be continued.)

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House of Assembly Proceedings

MONDAY, July 28.
The House met at three o'clock. Mr. Scammell presented a petition from the residents of Norris Point asking for a sum of money. Several members gave notice of questions.
The House then went into Committee of the whole on Ways and Means, and the Minister of Finance delivered his Budget Speech. After the Speech was delivered the Committee rose for the purpose of giving the members time to study the many matters contained therein.

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS.
Mr. Chambers asked the Hon. Prime Minister to lay on the table of the House a statement showing (1) Total cost of Normal School building to date; (2) Is the building completed? If not what would be the prospective cost of completion? (3) Total cost of equipment, viz., desks, furniture, and fittings; (4) If any proposed expenditure on the grounds surrounding said building?
In reply the Prime Minister tabled the following statement:—
(1) Total paid on Normal School to June 17th. . . \$311,687.40
Outstanding Accounts . . . 25,011.12

\$336,698.54
(2) Building is completed but bills are still coming in.
(3) Cost of equipment to date \$7,732.22.
(4) There has been an elaborate scheme prepared by the late Minister of Education for laying out the grounds, costing probably several thousands of dollars.

Supplementing these answers the Prime Minister stated that he could not tell what the equipment or laying out the grounds would cost. For instance a day or two ago he had a bill presented to him by Mr. A. E. Canning for \$300.00 for imported trees. He made enquiries about them and found out from competent parties that there was no soil there fitted to plant the trees in, so the late Government should have imported soil before importing the trees. He thought now the best thing to do was to sell the trees and be done with them. Things such as this had been done before his time so he did not know where he was as regards cost. Also attached to the Prime Minister's answer was the following from the Government Engineer:—
"The Treasury grant was based on an estimate made of the requirements of the Education Department so that it is quite possible that there are other commitments of which I have no knowledge. I am not advised of these matters until I receive the accounts certified for payment. There may also be extras on the contracts of which I will know nothing until the architect has made his final adjustments."
"Mr. Hickman asked the Hon. the Minister of Justice if any negotiations are going on for the settlement of the Labrador Boundary without reference to Privy Council.
In reply the Minister of Justice stated the answer was in the negative.
Mr. Warren asked Hon. the Prime Minister to lay on the table of the House the report furnished the Government in 1924 upon which the payments made to the Commissioners upon Tariff Revision for their services were based.
In reply the Prime Minister stated that he had found a letter which showed that the officers of the Tariff Commission were even asking for more than they got. He presumed the reason of the question was to show they were not paid as much as they were looking for. The letter asking for the several payments he read to the House and is as follows: (Copy)

ROYAL COMMISSION ON TARIFF.
March 29th, 1924.
Hon. W. H. Cave,
Minister of Finance and Customs.
Sir,—In accordance with your wishes, the Tariff Revision Commission, at its final session, was asked for an expression of opinion as to what remuneration should be paid the various members for their services during the past two years. While no vote was taken on the subject, the expressed consensus of opinion was that ranking members should be paid at least one thousand dollars each and that the chairman, the secretary and Mr. H. V. Hutchings, on whom devolved

continuous and numerous extraordinary services should receive additional payment for their services. Taking the stated one thousand dollars as basis for pay for each member of the Commission, we beg to recommend to the Government a scale of pay as follows:
Chairman: Mr. H. W. LeMessurier, C. M. G.:—
1. Commissioner's Pay . . . \$1,000.00
2. Chairman's fee . . . 2,000.00
3. Preparation of new schedule . . . 1,500.00
4. Services on special Committees and special reports . . . 500.00
\$5,000.00
Secretary: H. M. Mosdell:
1. Commissioner's Pay . . . \$1,000.00
2. Special Secretarial Work . . . 1,500.00
3. Preparation of Report and special papers . . . 1,200.00
4. Preparation of Index . . . 300.00
\$4,000.00
H. V. Hutchings:
1. Commissioner's Pay . . . \$1,000.00
2. Special Investigations into hardware and grocery trade and attendance at special sub-committee meetings, as per attendance report . . . 500.00
3. Work on Report of Commission . . . 500.00
4. Work on Index to New Schedule . . . 250.00
\$2,000.00

Respectfully yours,
(Sgd.) H. W. LEMESSURIER, Chairman.
H. M. MOSDELL, Secretary.
THE ROYAL COMMISSION ON TARIFF.
After the reading of the letter Mr. Warren stated there was a report which should be on the files. It was the report of the Commission that he had asked for.
The Prime Minister promised to have a search made for next sitting. He thought it very strange in the meantime for some members of the Commission to be paid less than they asked while other members had been paid more than they thought was warranted for the amount of work they had performed. Mr. C. P. Ayre told him personally that he had been asked what he thought was fair remuneration for his work. He made up the number of hours work he had put in and calculated a fair recompense for same, and had come to the conclusion that \$300.00 would be a fair amount for him to receive, and so notified the proper person. He was amazed to receive some time afterward a cheque for \$500.00. As this was \$200.00 more than he had asked he immediately donated the extra amount to some object of charity that very badly needed the funds.

ORDERS OF THE DAY.
The House then went into Committee on the War Pensions Bill. This Bill increases the Board of Pensions Commissioners to three instead of two. (The two new members accepting no remuneration). It also extends the time of paying bonuses to returned soldiers for one year to June 30th, 1925. The Bill went through Committee, was read a third time and



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sent to the Legislative Council for concurrence.
The House went into Committee on the Bill respecting the Game and Inland Fisheries Board, passed same, which was read a third time by the House and sent to the Legislative Council for concurrence.
Mr. K. M. Brown moved the second reading of the Logging Bill. This Bill provides for every logger engaged by contract or sub-contract, or otherwise for the purpose of cutting, driving or piling or handling of trees or logs shall be paid in cash, wages which shall not be less than forty-five dollars per month in addition to the food and lodging of such logger. The second section provides a penalty of not less than twenty-five dollars, nor more than one hundred dollars for every cord cut in contravention of the Act. The Third section provides that the wages of loggers shall not be liable to attachment except under judgment of the Supreme Court or a Stipendiary Magistrate. In moving the second reading Mr. Brown condemned in strong terms the sub-contract system. The loggers of the Northern Bays were as one man in being antagonistic to the system. Nothing would induce them to go into the woods to cut logs under this system but absolute necessity. It was time a stop was put to sub-contractors making money at the expense of the loggers. There was a poor fishery this year and if this Act was not passed the contractors would take advantage of the necessity of the people to get logs cut cheap. The argument of the Companies he did not consider for one moment. It was no use telling him of the overhead expenses etc. He did not believe their stories of not being able to afford to pay more for the logs.
Mr. Scammell seconded the motion and said he was reminded of the quotation that "in every moment there was a golden opportunity." He thought this session the golden opportunity to do something for the loggers. Supply and demand was a theory that he had heard stressed in the House by both the Prime Minister and the Minister of Finance, but he thought the same as Mr. Brown, that the fishery being poor the contractors should not be allowed to take advantage of the poverty of the people to get cheap logs. Supply and demand was a very large economic question that had puzzled the best master minds of the ages, and did not apply when a situation such as now before the country had to be grappled with. He was pleased to be able to add his support to Mr. Brown's Bill.
Messrs. Hibbs, Ashbourne and Hickman also contributed short addresses along the same lines as Messrs. Brown and Scammell.
The Prime Minister said he was as much interested in the workingman as those who had already spoken, and he could not help but think that the golden opportunity that Mr. Scammell had referred to as now being present had been present on numerous occasions during the past four years. How was it that Mr. Scammell had not grasped the opportunity before to-day? he asked. Why was it also certain Opposition members were so anxious about the workingman that a large concern in which they were interested was only paying sixteen

cents per hour to their employees? This problem, he confessed, was too large for him to jump in on at a moment's notice. He was in a position where he had to consider the interests of both capital and labour. It was poor policy for him to support a policy that would result in driving capital out of the country, and not only that but preventing capital from coming into us. The interests of labour would be best conserved by using every means possible to give fair treatment to both labor and capital. Grave consideration had to be given to a matter of this importance or we may be faced with the position of having no mills for which the loggers could work. He read a telegram from the A.N.D. Company, in answer to one from the Minister of Agriculture and Mines, protesting against the legislation being put through without first giving them an opportunity to be heard for the other side. He also read a very strong letter from Mr. H. D. Reid, the promoter of the Gander project, protesting against the legislation and informing the House that in his opinion it would be impossible to raise money in England and elsewhere with such a restriction on the operations of a mill. The right to make contracts without such restrictions was surely the right of any concern in business, and it would be poor policy to take it from them by rash legislation. Considering these things Mr. Monroe said he could not be a party to hurried legislation of this sort without giving it careful consideration.
Mr. Halfyard adjourned the debate and the House adjourned at 5.40 to meet again this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

GASOLINE AT SILVER-LOCKS—Navy Test, 40c. per gallon; High Test, 45c. per gallon.—July 29, 1924.

Life After Fifty

How should a successful man spend his life after his fiftieth birthday? A Presbyterian elder and "a dispenser of wealth as an intelligent steward of the Lord," A. A. Hyde, of Wichita, Kansas, brings the question home thus, as we quote from The Christian Century:
"Should such a man largely and increasingly give of his time to the cultivation of his own physical and mental and spiritual well-being and that of his family? Should he also give largely of time and money to organizations for the betterment of society and in furthering personally other religious work? Is it wise for a man of fifty, during his remaining years, to gradually sell out his business to employees of tested ability, and thus give them greater opportunity for service and reward? After providing reasonably for will for wife and dependents, should such a man, while yet living, to administer and distribute the bulk of his estate for God, and humanity, rather than leave his means to expectant heirs, or even to his adult children? Taking it for granted that a generous, sympathetic and loving father—an all-around man who knows the real joys of life—is needed more by wife and family than they need his estate, Mr. Hyde asks a final question: is the

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The Pearls are beautifully graduated and have a splendid lustre.

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 - 5 Bags CARAWAY SEEDS.
 - 5 Cases TATE'S AFTERNOON TEA CUBES.
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 - 2 Cases GOODMAN'S TOILET SOAP.
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 - 20 Cases SPANISH ONIONS.
 - 25 Cases VALENCIA ORANGES.
 - 5 Cases LEMONS; also
 - 25 Cases CREAM OF WHEAT.
 - 15 Cases WHITE HOUSE COFFEE.
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in two sizes of Bottles. All cooks like to have a bottle of this handy.

The Royal Stores, Ltd.

June 28, 1924

Income Taxes in Great Britain

One hundred and thirty-seven payers in Great Britain and Northern Ireland paid taxes last year. The total of super-tax payers was £4,497,741.215. According to figures collected as follows:—

Exceeding	Not Exceeding	Number of Individuals	Total Income
£ 2,000	£ 2,500	19,758	£ 44,729,621
2,500	3,000	32,917	35,444,951
3,000	4,000	22,177	57,324,536
4,000	5,000	12,277	41,559,829
5,000	6,000	5,910	32,558,487
6,000	7,000	4,000	26,203,485
7,000	8,000	2,722	20,980,719
8,000	10,000	3,078	32,887,279
10,000	15,000	4,278	51,801,250
15,000	20,000	1,788	30,374,593
20,000	25,000	512	20,374,230
25,000	30,000	514	13,987,583
30,000	40,000	567	19,217,058
40,000	50,000	211	12,974,858
50,000	75,000	127	16,885,905
75,000	100,000	127	19,776,263
100,000		137	26,671,371
Totals		84,589	£ 497,741,215

Similar information for 1923-24, it is stated, is not available, but it is not anticipated that the distribution for that year will differ materially from that for 1922-23.

Some of the most novel of the long, light sleeves are crushed about the wrist. A sheath gown of brocade has interesting flounce drapery of very sheer crepe.

A dinner frock of black satin has circular godets set in each side of the skirt. White, fuchsia and brilliant shades of green are the evening colors of Paris.

Summer Beverages, etc.

ROSES' LIME JUICE—Pints and Quarts.
ROSES' LIME JUICE CORDIAL—Pts. & Qts.
MACONCHIES' LEMON SQUASH.
MORTON'S SYRUPS.
WEST INDIA LIME JUICE—Pints, 23c. Quarts, 45c.

SYPHONS—Large Size.
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By EDGAR A. GUEST

THE PRICE OF KNOWLEDGE.

A college is a market place With desk and counter, chair and case Where teachers grare and teachers wise Display their wares to youthful eyes, And sell their bits of truth precise. To all who'll come and pay the price. Yet some are idle shoppers there; They fondle treasures old and rare, And pass along and fail to buy, Thinking the cost is much too high. Some of the choicer bargains look, Hoping to snatch from many a book Its store of knowledge, or of wit, Without the toll of reading it. Whenever 'Tm in a college town And walk its campus up and down, It seems to me that I can hear The tradesmen's voices ringing clear: "Take this!" some wise professor cries; "Here's a conquest for the lad who buys!" Here's power for all you'll dare to do, Work hard and 'twill belong to you." But some there are who laugh along And some there are who think him wrong.

And some with curious minds believe That they can cheat and still achieve; But wisdom tells each foolish wight, Who wants it has to pay the price.

A Fine Feature at the Majestic

Wanda Hawley And Roy Barnes In A Rehearsal Special.

He could not explain to his wife the long hours at his office since he engaged the new stenographer is easily explained in the feature "Too Much Wife," now playing at the Majestic.

Cast.
Myra Morgan Wanda Hawley
Jack Morgan T. Roy Barnes
John Coningsby Arthur Lord
Mrs. Coningsby Lillian Langton
Jane Cunningham Leigh Wyatt
Tom Hare Willard Loui
Jim Walker Bertie Johns
Office Boy John Fox

Synopsis.
Myra Coningsby, having seen her mother hen-peck her father, decided when she married Jack Morgan not to repeat her mother's tactics. She determined to let Jack do anything he chose—but resolved to "to it with him. Jack was soon distracted by having his golf, poker, fishing and other interests spoiled by Myra's constant presence. She even invaded his office and insisted on being his private secretary. Finally Jack resorts to subterfuge to get in a week's fishing trip with his old chums, and a series of dramatic incidents brings Myra to her senses and the comedy to a happy conclusion.

Those who had the good fortune to see it last night enjoyed it immensely, all saying that it is one of the finest holiday bills for some time.

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Harbor Grace, July 28th.

Fads and Fashions.

For the evening mode, an irregular hem-line is more graceful. To be quite in the mode, the over-bow also adopts the scarf collar. Paris is fond of the Oriental turban worn over the evening coiffure. The very long, over-the-shoulder, either Russian or Chinese influence. Frocks are so fashionable that they are often used in sets of three. One skirt has an apron tunic with pleasing just at the centre front.



Cuticura Heals Pimples

On rising and getting ready under the simple wash Cuticura Ointment on end of the finger. Wash off the Ointment in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and water. Rub gently with the hands for some minutes, using the Soap freely.

The most beautiful skin needs the protection of pure soap. For simple cleanliness is the basis of all beauty. Ivory Soap cleanses perfectly and its natural fragrance is delightfully pleasing—adv.t.

Harbor Grace Notes

Christ Church annual Strawberry Festival was held on Thursday evening in their school room, Harvey St. and was well patronized. The various stalls were very nicely decorated and fancy work, strawberries, ice cream, candy and drinks were on sale, while delicious meat teas were served by the ladies in charge. The evening proved a most pleasant one for those who attended and the proceeds, we understand, amounted to a very good sum.

S. S. Meigle on the Labrador route called here on Saturday night, she took on board a quantity of freight, and amongst those to take passage by her were: Mrs. R. S. Munn, Miss Muriel Munn, and Mrs. J. O'Keefe.

S. S. Mary, Capt. Bourne, was docked here during the week and received an overhauling. The necessary repairs having been completed, she was launched again on Tuesday, and left port.

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A PEEP INTO A LITTLE-KNOWN INDUSTRY.

Do you know how your wallpaper is made?

No matter what the quality of the wallpaper may be, or the price asked for it, every design is first produced in water colors.

After the parts of the design to be printed in each color are separately drawn they are ready for transferring to the rollers. This may be done either by engraving the design on copper rollers or by taking wooden rollers and working out the designs by means of small brass strips, the spike ends of which are driven into the wood.

Before the actual printing takes place the paper is given a background. This is done by passing the huge reels of paper through machines fitted with mechanical arms which brush the paper with a suitable coloring matter.

Marvelous Machines.
The reels of tinted paper now pass to the drying rooms, where the regulated heat removes every trace of moisture. In the meantime the machines are made ready by arranging the pattern rollers around a large drum. As the paper is fed into one end of the machine, each roller prints upon it one of the colors that go to make up the complete design.

The coloring matter is applied to the rollers by means of endless woven belts which, passing through the color troughs, ensure supplies of the right color being applied to each roller.

After the rolls of paper are printed they pass to the drying rooms. To give wallpaper a superior finish it is passed through a machine with an engraved roller revolving against a soft plain one. In this way the different markings or "grains" are pressed into the paper.

Thoroughly dried for the last time the paper is mechanically measured, rolled, and cut.

As the rolls are being wound, the machine marks off the paper into lengths. This mark the operator looks for. When it appears, the machine is stopped for a moment, the paper is cut, and the neatly wound rolls are removed ready for use.

One Year to Live

"If I had but one year to live; One year to help; one year to give; One year to love; one year to bless; One year of better things to stress; One year to sing; one year to smile; To brighten earth a little while; One year to sing my Maker's praise; One year to fill with work my days; One year to strive for a reward; When I should stand before my Lord, I think that I would spend each day, In just the very self-same way That I do now. For from afar The call may come to cross the bar At any time, and I must be Prepared to meet eternity. So if I have a year to live, Or just one day in which to give A pleasant smile, a helping hand, A mind that tries to understand, A fellow-creature when in need, 'Tis one with me—I take no heed; But try to live each day He sends To serve my gracious Master's end."

Mary Davis Reed, Hagerstown, was awarded second prize of \$25 in the contest, "Poems for Prussians" by the Baltimore Evening Sun. She received the prize for the above answer to the question, "What would you do if you had only one more year to live?"

Twas a Famous Victory!

"It is a great day for England," said William IV, as he lay on his death-bed on June 18th, 1837, and listened to the guns firing for the anniversary of the Battle of Waterloo, which falls on Wednesday of this week. The Battle of Waterloo was fought by eighty thousand French and two hundred and fifty guns, against sixty-seven thousand English, Hanoverians, and Belgians, assisted by a large number of Prussians who came in at the last moment. The British casualties on the field were fourteen hundred men killed and nearly five thousand wounded. Four thousand of the allied forces were killed, and the total number of their wounded was twenty-two thousand.

At the time it was considered a very dear victory; but it is, perhaps, one of the most famous and important of all time. It has come down into the glorious history of our country, carrying with it an ever-living memory of our great countryman—Wellington.

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A visit to our store will surely add to the pleasure of your trip.

CASH'S TOBACCO STORE,
July 17, 1924. Water Street.

Worthless Seed

Twenty-three out of every one hundred packets of vegetable seeds examined in the seed laboratory at New York state agricultural station were found to be absolutely worthless for planting purposes. Seeds of low quality have been sold in Canada. We are informed that one of the large seed houses recently secured a job lot of old seeds and marketed them in its standard packages without bothering about the quality. This is very damaging to the whole seed industry and to the reliable houses which have for years been building up a reputation for reliability founded on public confidence. It might be well for the latter concerns to form an association for their own protection and set standards which would be guaranteed by an association trade mark. This has been successfully done in marketing other products where the maintenance of a standard of quality has been desired.—Financial Post.

Age of the Earth.
Professor H. N. Russell, of Princeton University states that recent discoveries in radio activity "have given us means of estimating the age of the earth." Uranium loses one-half of its radiating power in 5,000,000 years, and the presence of this element in the earth's crust shows that it is at least 1,000,000,000 years old.

A Bargain!
An old motor-car described by the auctioneer as having been "on the road recently," was bought at a Walesey, Lincolnshire, farm sale for 14s.

Wealth in a Pillow.
War bonds and other securities to the value of \$2,000 were found in a pillow purchased at a sale at Ellis, Perth of Perth.

Overcoming the Tedium!
Mr. Joseph Bagley, of Wingham, Lincoln, wore on his golden wedding day the suit in which he was married.

Cat's Nest in a Tree.
In the Cheshire district of Berkshire a cat has constructed a nest of straw in a hollow near the summit of a tall tree. In the nest were found two kittens in a thriving condition. The cat ascends and descends the tree frequently each day in quest of food.

Ladies of refinement entrust their beauty to Ivory Soap with perfect confidence in its pure, mild, gently cleansing lather.—adv.t.

After medicine your kiddies should be given—

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KNOWLING'S MEN'S, BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S.

MEN'S BROWN BROGUE OXFORDS.

With all the effects of much higher priced Shoes. Best value in town. 5.20 a pair.

MEN'S BLACK BROGUE OXFORDS.

Nicely perforated. A swell looking Shoe. Goodyear welted. 5.60 a pair.

MEN'S BROWN CALF SOUTH AFRICAN FIELD BOOT

3 full soles, Guaranteed. 5.50 and 5.80

BOYS' BOX CALF BLUCHER BOOTS.

These Boots have metal protection soles and heels, almost indestructible, and leather lined. Sizes 9 and 10 2.40
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Sizes 2 to 5 3.30

CHILD'S TAN ONE BAR SHOES

Best quality. Sizes 3 to 6 2.30
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Crepe Soles and Heels. Will outwear any four pairs of leather soles; for ease and comfort nothing better. 9.00 a pair.

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These are good strong serviceable Shoes. Sizes 2 to 6 1.20
Sizes 7 to 10 1.40
Patent ankle Strap
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Sizes 7 to 10 2.10

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Size 3 to 6 1.80
Size 7 to 10 2.10
Size 11 to 1 2.50

G. KNOWLING, LTD.

July 26, 1924

Oddities in the News

Bargains!
From the "Sales" column of a provincial newspaper: "Violin for sale by lady with invalid scroll head." Also: "What offers for fine old violin? Owner going abroad in solid pig-skin case."

Wolves as Pets.
Many wolf cubs have recently been brought from Russia to Southampton, where they are kept at the docks of the United States lines before being taken to America as pets. They make excellent watch-dogs when trained.

Garden Life.
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War bonds and other securities to the value of \$2,000 were found in a pillow purchased at a sale at Ellis, Perth of Perth.

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Mr. Joseph Bagley, of Wingham, Lincoln, wore on his golden wedding day the suit in which he was married.

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"Other ships of comparative recent sinking have given up much of their treasure, because science has helped to reach depths never before attempted. Yet the physical limitation of man's blood to stand high-pressure air still bars him from the wealth in some of the ships sunk during the war. In Great Britain alone lost 2,500 ships, aggregating 7,750,000 tons, with a value running into hundreds of millions of dollars. More than 1,000 of these ships lie in less than 150 feet of water. Here are billions separated from man by only a wall of water one-fifth the height of the Woolworth Building.

"No doubt more wealth will be recovered from sunken ships in the next ten years than has been salvaged in all the centuries preceding. Man has found that the door to great fortunes hinges upon the air sent through the line to the diver's helmet.

"The development of the present diving equipment began with a suit devised by Vegetus in 1511, when he constructed a buck-skin helmet with window lights in the face. To the helmet was attached an air hose connected with a bladder filled with air. Because of the limited air supply and the fact that there was no means by which exhaled air could escape, the diver could stay down only a short time, and only then in shallow water. Loring, an Italian, improved this by building a platform attached to a vertical shaft supplying work at the water's surface with a bladder filled with air. By this means he was enabled to work at a depth of thirty feet. Barelli, another Italian, in 1822 designed a large skin bag filled with air which had been compressed by a piston working through a rack and pinion.

"In 1715 John Lethbridge, an Englishman, designed a suit not unlike our present kitchen hot water boiler. Two holes in the sides permitted him to put his arms through. A heavy glass in the under side enabled him to look out. Lethbridge remained in sixty feet of water for thirty-four minutes, but he was unable to control his mobility in the water and the device had little practical value.

"Kleinert, a German, cut the Lethbridge cylinder in half and attached a pair of buckskin pantaloons, so that a man could walk about in the water. Kleinert's equipment was probably the longest stride toward the diving suit of the present day. In 1837 Siebe completed a collapsible suit which, with a few modifications, has remained unchanged. In these suits men for seventy-five years have worked in depths not exceeding seventy-five feet."

Mr. Phillips quotes John F. O'Hagan, a deep-sea investigator, as saying that it is a popular error that a man in a diving suit runs great risk from the air he has exhaled, which quickly fills the suit if the diver does not carefully work his exhaust valve. True, the carbonic acid gas will cause headache, nausea, and after a while induce unconsciousness, but the greatest danger is from nitrogen bubbles in the blood, which are forced under high pressure in great depth, paralyzing the motor nerves. To quote further: "O'Hagan says that a diver can descend to a depth of 300 feet in two minutes and feel no serious effects ex-

cept pain in the ear-drums. By swallowing saliva, or by chewing gum, as most divers do, the outside pressure is counteracted. Another practice of divers is to push the nose hard against the face-plate of the helmet and blow the head and ears clear.

"The air in the suit must in pressure exceed the water pressure. It is the air breathed into the blood at high pressure that saves the diver. The quantity in the suit gives him buoyancy as he can move about, and by valve regulation he can lower or raise himself as the work requires. The greater the depth, the greater the pressure from the lengthening column of water that rests on the body.

"An ordinary body has more than 2,000 square inches of surface, and the tremendous force at about 300 feet depth would be equivalent to approximately 150 pounds a square inch, or ten times the pressure to which one is accustomed. The longer a man remains down, the greater becomes the saturation of his blood with air and nitrogen, which he must slowly get rid of on his way surfaceward by exercising and by resting at stages. Hemorrhages are often caused.

"The body of the diver may be likened to a football bladder which will inflate according to the pressure of the air within. If the pressure becomes too great it will burst. The same thing happens to the blood vessels of the diver; they rupture from the interior pressure.

"Mr. O'Hagan asserts that success in diving depends entirely upon air, not only for the men, but also for the pneumatic tools now being introduced for undersea work, and for the inflation of the pontoons with which to lift and keep afloat such vessels as may be brought to the surface.

"The lifting power of air in water is so great that a cubic foot, or about the amount necessary to inflate a toy balloon, will lift sixty-four pounds of steel. Steel being seven times heavier than water, a submerged and sinking ship goes straight to the bottom, no matter how deep the water may be. It does not float at certain depths, as is generally believed.

"Records of ships sunk have been kept for centuries, for various reasons. The approximate spots of sinking are now known, and these locations are now verified by modern sweeping or dragging methods. Some of the valuable cargo ships located are the Wilhelm der Zweite with 3,700 bars of silver, off the African coast; the Florencia in the Bay of Tobermory, Ireland, with \$10,000,000 in silver and gold; the Lizard, sunk near Cornwall with \$50,000,000 aboard; the Thunderbolt, with \$20,000,000; Harlem II, with a cargo of silver; the Merida, off the Virginia Capes, with \$3,000,000; the Arabia, with \$5,000,000; the General Grant, with \$10,000,000; while in a Greek port lie pirate boats made of teakwood with cargoes estimated in millions of pounds sterling.

"These are only a few of the treasure-laden skeletons that have so long lain on the ocean beds of the seven seas—the bays of forgotten ships, former government divers like Crilly and O'Hagan hope, with improved equipment, to bring many such ships to the surface within the next few years."

Final Report of the Ralston Commission

SEVERAL RECOMMENDATIONS MADE REGARDING EX-SERVICE MEN.

Ottawa, July 18.—Final report of the Ralston Commission on pension and re-establishment of ex-service men was tabled in the House of Commons today. It reviews its work and the suggestions made before it and makes certain recommendations.

With regard to employment of ex-service men it says:—

"If the various methods of dealing with the situation, such as preferential employment in the Government service, sheltered workshops, employment bureau service, the King's honor roll scheme, the Toronto Rehabilitation scheme, and any other arrangements with or inducements to civilian employers, all prove inadequate to permanently absorb into industry disabled ex-service men, who after diligent effort have failed to find employment, there appears to be no other solution than a compulsory enactment which would require all industries to employ a certain number of these men."

The Commission points out that such legislation exists to-day, practically all continental countries and the British House of Commons is now considering similar compulsory laws.

Widows' Pension.

The Commission found justification for complaints which had been made about the methods employed in investigating alleged misconduct on the part of widows receiving pension. The Commission recommends that no pension should be cancelled unless the woman has been given an opportunity to refute the charges against her; that investigators be instructed that unless misconduct is of common knowledge and habitual, investigation should not proceed further. No suggestive inquiries should be made to a young child, and inquiries based on anonymous letters should be made with the greatest caution.

With regard to neurasthenias, the Commission believed that all the good effect which could have been expected from treatment must have been obtained by this time. Cases should now be considered for pension. Care should be taken in rating the pensions at the true loss of earning power and objective symptoms are not to be regarded as indispensable.

The Commission recommends that helplessness allowance for the blind be increased to \$400 and that free transportation for 1,000 miles per year be allowed between the pensioner and his escort.

The Commission recommends discharge of tubercular patients from the sanatorium after one year if the patient so desires, with 100 per cent. pension for two years, and no reduction of pension of more than 20 per cent. half yearly. It suggests that five houses be built as Kamloops as an experiment for tubercular men and their families, such homes to be under the management of the Red Cross. The report suggests that a pension granted in error should not be cancelled after two years except in cases of fraud.

The Commission was unable to find any ground for the charges that ex-service men are prejudiced in the eyes of employers.

"Discrimination does not apply to-day," it says.

On the question of housing, the report finds that a limited need exists. Further funds should be made available under the present housing scheme which should be confined to ex-service men.

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states, should be provided for urgent medical treatment of Imperials in Canada. The only remedy lies in getting some extension of authority from the British Ministry to the D.S.C.R. The repatriation of veterans and their dependents, the Commission thinks, is a problem to be dealt with by the immigration department on general principles. The D.S.C.R. is suggested should take responsibility for the burial of indigent ex-service men.

DOWN TO BUSINESS.

The fair June brides are coming back, from wedding journeys here and there, to mansion grand and wind-clad shack, and rooms up seven miles of stair; ahead of them the long years stack, with alternating joy and care. My niece, Ophelia Mary Ann, was married on the 6th of June; she



WALT MASON

home and hall, to cuddle in his easy chair and eat a timely codfish ball, he finds a bunch of females there, all butting in, with rightful gail. Take up a club or carving knife and bid the helpful females go, if you would lead a happy life and comfort and contentment know; a new maid husband wants his wife, and not a gross of nuns or so."

A Person of no Importance

It has often been said that a groom at a wedding is like the fifth wheel to a wagon, only worse—a thing of no importance. Rather in the way, as a matter of fact. Here is a living example of the truth of this statement. Before me lies a half column account of a wedding. We know where it happened; we know the bride's full name. We read that the church was beautifully decorated with peonies and daisies and palms and ferns. The bride, we note, wore a sleeveless egorgette dress, trimmed with bands of crystal beads and rhinestones and ostrich plumes and all that sort of

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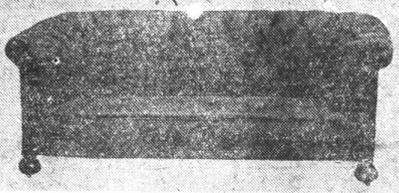
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