

THE LOCAL LEGISLATURE

FREDERICTON, Feb. 21—The debate on the speech from the throne was continued Friday.

Hon. Mr. Robinson, the opposition leader, was in his usual form, and Robinson in form cannot be excelled in the House.

Mr. Woods had boasted that the government's policy in regard to fruit raising has been so excellent that our fruit has won high honors.

In a few words Mr. Robinson showed up the horse importation matter. The importation of Clydesdales, he said, was certainly more to the advantage of the province than the importation of spindle legged Kentucky race horses made in the previous year.

As for the potato export business Mr. Robinson showed that from some counties of the province potatoes had been shipped to the West Indies for twenty years before this Rip Van Winkle government discovered the market.

Dealing with immigration the leader emphasized the need for much being done. This, he felt, is essential to the proper development of the province.

The territorial revenue matter was touched upon. Mr. Robinson took strong ground against the reduction in the size of the log to be cut.

costing the people much more than the direct cost appears to be. This fact is shown by the Auditor General's report and Mr. Hazen subsequently admitted that there had been a considerable deficit in the operation of the school book policy.

The Valley Railroad proposition was another matter dealt with by Mr. Robinson. Sectionalism, he said, must be avoided. Justice must be done to the people of the St. John Valley, and the interests of the people of every other part must also be safeguarded.

In closing Mr. Robinson expressed strong approval of pensions for school teachers whose faithful services in behalf of the province he warmly praised.

The premier followed Mr. Robinson. As usual Mr. Hazen made a pleasant speech and received a good hearing. He devoted considerable time to apologizing for the defeat in St. John county and took consolation in the size of the Opposition majority.

In speaking of the Crown Lands business Mr. Hazen expressed himself as realizing that more remains to be done. One thing which he said was that there was need of more men in the department such as Mr. W. H. Berry, who by the way, was an appointee of the old government.

A striking statement he made in reference to the Highway Act was that the new taxes are not too high. As for the Opposition, Mr. Hazen declared that it had tried to hamper not help the government, in framing the act.

Strange to say, Mr. Hazen was very indefinite in regard to the Valley Road whose construction he has professed to be so desirous of seeing. He blamed the old government for various things in this connection.

The only announcement of importance the premier made in his speech had to do with the choosing of juries. The government will introduce a bill providing that juries shall be chosen by the sheriff, the clerk of the court and the clerk of the peace, who will place the names of eligible men in a box and draw the names of the men who shall constitute the panel.

It is unfortunate that already some papers are in the campaign of misrepresentation. The Opposition held a most harmonious caucus this week. In the Gleaner which appeared after this caucus it was declared that there had been a lively scrap between Messrs. Copp and Tweeddale.

NEW HEALTH AND STRENGTH FOR WEAK AND AILING GIRLS

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There comes a time in the life of almost every girl when sickness attacks her. The strain upon her blood supply is too great, and there comes headaches and backaches, loss of appetite, attacks of dizziness and heart palpitation, and a general tendency to decline.

country roads and he hoped some member would bring forward a resolution on this subject if the government did not act. He approved of the measure to alter the system of jury selection.

The new Highway Act was no better than the old and more unpopular. The machinery for carrying it out was too complicated and the government nominee on the highway boards kept the roads in politics.

At the afternoon's session several resolutions were passed. Among them were the following: Recommending individual municipalities to co-operate with the Society for the Prevention of Tuberculosis; resolutions

deficient and I grew pale and depressed. I was dizzy nearly all the time, and pinches broke out on my face. I was altogether in a miserable condition and it seemed impossible for me to continue my studies unless I found a speedy cure.

A very excellent paper on street construction was read by D. T. Black, town engineer, Campbellton. There was some discussion on the question of an export duty on pulp wood and the convention reaffirmed its position of last year.

A resolution was passed asking the government to extend the season for hunting big game from Dec. 1st to Dec. 31st. By vote of the convention Woodstock was chosen as the next place of meeting.

The officers elected are as follows: Mayor Reilly, Moncton, president; Warden Gilbert, Kings Co. vice pres; J. W. McCready, sec-treas; executive, Mayor Miller, Newcastle; Coun. Sterling, York; Mayor Jones, Woodstock; Coun. Stidall, Westmorland; Ald. McGoldrick, St. John; Warden Legere, Gloucester; Mayor Chestnut, Fredericton; Councillor Mowat, Campbellton; Councillor Polley, St. Stephen.

OUR OTTAWA LETTER

The discussion of German war boats and the construction of a Canadian navy still holds the floor in the Commons. First a Liberal speaker recites his views for the government. Then an Opposition member gets up and argues for his side.

Mr. E. M. MacDonald, Lib. Patriot, N. S. caused considerable stir in the House last week when he delivered a very able and eloquent speech in favor of a Canadian navy. Speaking for two hours and thirty five minutes, the member from Pictou handled this important question in a highly creditable and intelligent manner.

When Mr. MacDonald's store full of ammunition was fired, it tore into shreds Mr. Foster's unparliamentary attack upon the Prime Minister and blew into oblivion the delusive policies of Mr. R. L. Borden and Mr. Monk.

He pictured the arguments they advanced to say the least, as possibly flimsy, intangible and not in the best interests of Canada. It was simply another of those oft repeated occurrences, where Mr. R. L. Borden as leader of the Opposition had allowed his unexperienced colleagues to switch him from the straight and narrow path, which on the 29th of March last, he had so earnestly believed to be the correct one.

Mr. F. Q. C. on of the Yukon, also addressed the House at considerable length. Mr. Congdon, a black speaker and his language is unusually wide. He is in strong sympathy with the government's policy. He declared that Mr. D. Monk as a member of parliament had descended to a place unworthy of himself.

Col. H. H. MacLean speaking on the naval bill declared he never looked upon Canada's destiny as independence. My great-great-grandfather was a Loyalist and I am a Britisher first, last and all the time. He supported the government's policy, but in addition he would like to see a ship of the Indomitable type placed upon the Pacific coast.

Mr. A. B. Warburton, M. P., P. E. Island, and Mr. Clifford Sifton, chairman conservation of Forests commission will attend the Canadian Forestry Convention at Fredericton next week. Mr. Warburton will address the convention on the further preservation of mines and rivers of Canada in addition to protection of forests.

The naval debate was adjourned on Thursday night to allow the Minister of Public Works to proceed with his estimates for Quebec of which about three quarters was passed. There is a well defined rumor afloat that Mr. E. M. MacDonald, N. S. will be asked by Sir Wilfrid Laurier to accept the position of Deputy Minister of the Navy, which would practically mean a Secretary of War to Canada.

German Surtax Removed Hon. W. S. Fielding laid on the table of the House last week a provincial trade agreement between Germany and Canada, which was signed by Dr. Karl Lang, Imperial German Consul for Canada. The agreement will bring to an end unfortunate differences between the two countries, and will remove the surtax imposed on German products coming into Canada, which was authorized by Canada's Customs tariff in 1897.

Georgian Bay Canal A lengthy discussion on the Montreal, Ottawa and Georgian Bay Canal occupied a whole day in the Commons last week. Eleven members of both political parties made interesting speeches all advocating an immediate beginning of the great work. Those who spoke were: Gerald White (Con) N. Renfrew, making the most important speech; James Arthur, Parry Sound; Thos. Low, S. Renfrew; Mr. Devlin, of Wright; Mr. Wilson of Laval; Mr. Reid of Grenville; P. D. Monk, Jacques Cartier; M. Rivet, Hochelaga; Geo. F. Hodgins, Pontiac; Hon. Mr. Puzley and Hon. Mr. Fielding.

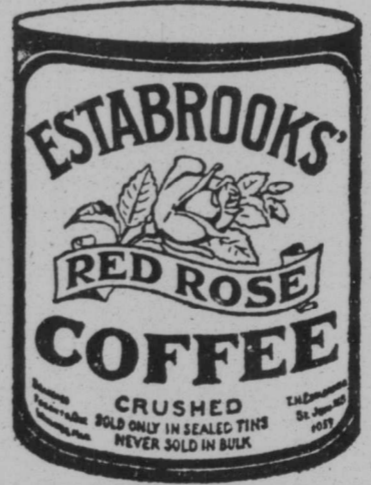
SAILORS GOING HOME Enroute to their homes in England from Esquimaux, the Pacific coast, where they have been on duty for the past two years, seventy nine sailors passed through here Wednesday on the Maritime Express to St. John where they will embark on the Empress of Ireland. The blue jackets have been relieved by the sailors who passed through some days ago. The party left the coast on Thursday evening of last week. They were in charge of Lieutenant Banda.

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### CHATHAM WOMAN IN POLYGAMY CASE

#### Mabel Stapleton will be Asked To Testify Against Man Who Married Her.

Boston, Feb. 24.—James Murray, of Charlestown, who was a rested for polygamy on charges made by Mabel Stapleton Murray, his third wife, now living at her old home in Chatham, N. B., was arraigned this morning and had pending an investigation. An effort will be made to get the Chatham woman to come here to testify.

The police say Murray is a much married man. His first wife, Katherine Donohue of Charlestown, divorced him. Then he wedded Isabella Zinn. He has three children by this wife. It was while working for a Back Bay family that he fell in love with pretty Mabel Stapleton, of Chatham, who was a nurse in the family. Believing Murray to be single, she wedded him four years ago, say the police. They have one child.

The police say she did not know of Murray's other wife until she visited Chatham.

Boston, Feb. 25.—After pleading guilty to a charge of bigamy in the Superior Criminal Court here late yesterday afternoon, John J. Murray, who while in Chatham, N. B., took for his third wife Catherine Stapleton of that town, was given a two year sentence in the county jail. "I just liked to get married," said Murray to the judge.

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#### REAR-END COLLISION AT AULAC ON I. C. R.

#### THOMAS KAY SERIOUSLY INJURED AND SEVERAL CARS DAMAGED.

Amherst, Feb. 22.—A serious wreck took place on the I. C. R. this morning about 11 o'clock at Aulac, due to a rear-end collision, between Conductor Sullivan's freight special and the shunter that does duty between Springhill and Moncton. The shunter was in the yard at Aulac station doing some work. The engine of Sullivan's special dashed into the van of the shunter, completely demolishing it and also demolishing several coal hoppers and two coal cars. The van took fire and it was difficult that the train crews and section-men prevented further destruction. Thos. Kay, fireman on Sullivan's special jumped from the tender and was seriously injured.

An eight year old youngster recently came to her father after church service one Sunday and astonished him by saying: "Daddy" have I any children?"

The old man dropped his newspaper and regarded her in amazement. "What?" he demanded "Have I any children?" doggedly replied the child. "Well" I should hope not, replied the father. "May I ask the reason of this startling question?" "Why, in church this morning, explained the youngster, "the minister preached about children's children and I wondered if I had any."

#### CASTORIA

Proposition is now made that married men be required by law to wear wedding rings. Nonsense. You can always tell 'em on sight.

### GREAT GATHERING FOR HALIFAX

Anglicans of Canada Present Comprehensive Program For Their Conference to be Held Next September.

Extensive preparations are being made for the great Canadian Anglican church Congress to be held next September in Halifax, as part of the celebration of the two hundredth anniversary of the beginning of Anglicanism in Canada.

The Canadian Church Congress is not a business affair, not a Maritime province affair, not a legislative body, not purely a missionary meeting, not confined only to men, not an academic debating society; but it is to be a Dominion-wide in its scope, World-wide in its speakers, truly Canadian in its subjects, with topics of interest to men and women, to High Churchmen, Broad Churchmen, Low Churchmen, to thinkers and workers to rich and poor, to Labor and Capital, to the old political parties and Socialists.

The subjects to be discussed at the Congress are:

- PRACTICAL PROBLEMS OF THE CANADIAN CHURCH.
1. Our relations with the Church of the Motherland.
  2. Our relations with other Christian bodies. (Union; Unity of action; historic continuity; what can be learned from others.)
  3. Parochial problems (town and country.)
  4. Diocesan problems (finance, supply and training of clergy, the adaptation of the cathedral system.)
  5. Prayer Book adaptation.
  6. The Ministry of healing.

#### THE CHURCH, THE CHILD AND THE HOME.

1. The Child in the Home (Parental responsibility; family worship.)
2. The child in the school (Religious teaching; school histories.)
3. The Child and the Church (The godparent question; Young People's Societies.)
4. The Child and the State Juvenile Criminal Reform. The Boy Problem.
5. Sunday School Problems and Methods.

#### THE CHURCH AND THE COMMONWEALTH.

1. The Social evil, including the White Slave Trade.
2. The Drink Traffic.
3. The working man and his problems.
4. The Church's attitude towards Socialism.

#### THE EVANGELIZATION OF THE WORLD; (AGENTS AND INSTRUMENTS.)

1. Men and Women.
2. Dollars and Cents.
3. The field at home. The Church and the immigrant; The Church and the Red man.
4. The field abroad (The Jew, the Moslem, the Heathen.)
5. Missionary Opportunity and Responsibility.

#### THE CHURCH AND THE MAN.

1. The Church's work among men.
  2. Men's Work for the Church.
- DEVOTIONAL.
1. The Call to Bible Study.
  2. The Call to Prayer.
  3. The Call to Service.

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**TOWN COUNCIL**

Town Council met in adjourned session Tuesday night. Present Mayor Miller and Aldermen Belyea, Doyle, Morrison, McMurdo, Sargeant, Ritchie, Thos. Russell and S. A. Russell.

Communication was read from Moncton Board of Trade asking that Council join in asking Local Government to call a Convention in interest of Good Roads this session.

It was moved by Ald. Morrison and Sargeant that request be complied with.

Ald. T. A. Russell thought that town could not afford expense of sending delegates to such convention.

Ald. Morrison thought convention might do lots of good.

Motion carried—T. Russell voting nay.

Mayor reported that a committee of the joint meeting of the Council and Board of Trade had memorialized Dominion Government through Hon. Mr. Pugsley and W.

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S. Loggie, M. P., asking for the dredging of the Miramichi. A suitable dredge had been promised for the coming summer.

As requested by the school Trustees, the following assessment was ordered for school purposes:—

Salaries,	\$4,000
Sinking fund,	400
Interest	2,620
Fuel	900
Repairs, etc.,	535
	\$8,855

Less estimated Co. Fund 655

Net amount to be assessed \$8,200

Request of Board of School Trustees for immediate payment of \$8,242 due them by Council was read and referred to finance committee.

The Mayor reported from Union of N. B. Municipalities.

Finance committee recommended payment to T. W. Butler of \$15.00 for consultation and written advice to Committee on Board of Health accounts.

Passed.

Ald. Morrison reported that Electrician Follansbee wished to be relieved on Feb. 24th instead of March 1st. Leave was granted.

Chairman Morrison reported that applications for Town Electrician had been received from James W. Murray, Newcastle.

Ernest E. Maltby, E. B. Wyse, Chatham, G. Walter Roome, Dartmouth, James McKenna, Middleton, N.S. Wm. Reid, Louisburg, N. S. Burton Holmes, Amherst, N. S. D. H. Melvin, St. John, N. B. Geo. L. Dixon, Stellarton, N. S. Geo. H. McNeil, Stellarton, N. S.

Ald. Morrison thought that the preference should be given to local men.

Ald. Thos. Russell spoke in favor of Mr. Maltby's candidature, and Ald. McMurdo in favor of Mr. Murray's. It was moved by Alds. Morrison and Sargeant that a ballot be taken upon the names of Maltby and Murray only.—Carried.

Vote resulted:—Murray, 6; Maltby, 2. Jas. W. Murray was declared elected. Salary was fixed at \$65.00 a month.

Report of Police and Appointment to Office Committee recommended.

(1) Payment of \$70.00 to T. W. Butler for Counsel fees in Scott Act cases and in case of King vs. Hachey; and

(2) Appointment of John Ferguson, Edward Hickey and R. H. Armstrong as Assessors. Chairman McMurdo reported that new agreement was being sought with Mr. Butler on following basis: \$2.50 for confessed Scott Act violations; \$5 for cases that come to trial; and \$10 for cases that are fought.

Report was taken up section by section, and passed.

Chairman Police Com. was authorized to make agreement with Mr. Butler on terms submitted as above.

The Mayor's report was received. It showed Town's financial conditions as follows:

Assessed valuation, Real Estate	\$605,950
"    "    personal property	144,350
"    "    income	152,425
Gross Asses't for Town purposes	26,245
Incidental Revenue	13,000
Rate per \$100 on valuation of real estate, personal property, and income within Police & Fire District	3
Rate per \$100, outside Police & Fire District	2.50
Property outside incorporated limits assessable for school purposes only	13,500
School rate per \$100	1.20
Rate of Interest on bonded debt	4 per cent.
Sinking fund in Bank	14,956.00
Est.-val. real estate & personal property owned by Corporation	194,187.80
Bonded debt for schools	48,000.00
"    "    for Water, Light and Sewerage including sup. issues	143,000.00
Bonded debt for local improvement	20,000.00
"    "    debt for industrial purposes	15,000.00
Floating indebtedness	21,355.57

Ald. Morrison of Finance Committee submitted estimates for 1910. Following amounts were voted:

Assessed	Assessed	Expended
1900	1910	1900
Park, Fire	\$1,750	\$1,500
		\$1,453.00

Police, Light	2,300	2,200	2,120.00
Schools	8,300	8,200	
Public works	2,500	2,000	1,929.81
Contingencies	1,800	2,000	
Sinking fund	700	700	
Interest	6,000	8,000	7,122.61
B. of H.	400	500	592.00
County	3,315	2,000	
		\$27,065	\$27,100

Printing Town Report was awarded to Union Advocate. Adjourned.

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Perhaps her hair is golden, Or as black as raven's wing. Of her beauty and her sweetness You can forever sing.

But I sit alone in silence, While you talk, and rave, and dream: Then a sweet face comes before me, And I name her as my Queen.

For I know of me she's thinking: Her face is pure and true, And her love for me is greater Than the girl that waits for you.

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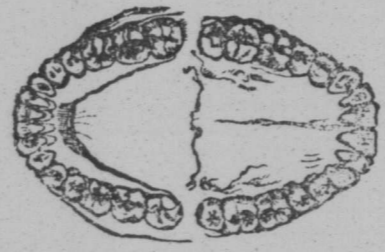
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SCALERS AND GUIDES

Under the above heading we have an interesting editorial from our esteemed contemporary "The Leader". We have always been under the impression right-fully or wrongfully that the Commissioner of Public Works gave tone to "The Leader's" politics if indeed he does not run it, which was incidentally intimated by a St. John paper some time ago.

THE IRISH ELECTOR ON THE MONCTON TIMES.

It is not usual that we deem it worth our while to criticise the correspondent of a contemporary, but occasionally it is the duty of all loyal citizens and true Canadians to turn down the trouble-breeding Pedagogue. We are not aware that anyone is an elector in New Brunswick who is not a Canadian citizen, and while we venerate the virtues of our ancestors, and are disposed to condone or find justification for their faults, even back three hundred years ago, when in the name of Christianity they came to America to better their condition, to get rid of the old persecutions and battles, and religious and national strife.

Copp, his political history, as well as his family decent we are assured that it will take more than the narrow correspondent of "The Times" to make the people of Westmorland believe that he thinks so little of his religion as to make it part of his politics or has so little respect for that of the opinions of other people, or the lands of their Fathers as to parade either for the sordid purpose which his opponents do.

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WOULD FAVOR A STRINGENT MEASURE Forestry Convention Seems to be in Favor of Prohibition of Pulp Wood

FREDERICTON, Feb. 23.—A determined attempt to have convention place itself on record as favoring the prohibition of the export of pulp wood characterized the first day of the eleven-day annual convention of the Canadian Forestry Association. Ex-President Snowball of Chatham led in an attack on the free exportation of pulp wood. The attack followed a paper by C. E. Oak, manager of the New Brunswick Lumber Co. entitled "The Pulp Wood Question in New Brunswick".

DR. AGNEW'S CATARRHAL POWDER has proved a blessing to many a "man before the public" in cases of hoarseness, bad throat, tonsillitis and catarrh. Some of the most recent evidence of its efficacy comes from a well-known actor, whose home is in New York City. He says: "I have never found anything to equal this remedy for quick relief."

WHERE IS IT?

Hon. Mr. Hazen has stated that the lumber cut of 1909 was 90 per cent. of that of 1908. The Surveyor General's report says that \$246,742.77 was collected in 1909 and \$191,414.63 was collected in 1908. If the 1909 cut yielded an amount of \$246,742.77 the 1908 cut, much greater according to the official statement, should have yielded much more than the \$191,414.63 collected.

KING'S COLLEGE TEAM FOR INTERCOLLEGIATE DEBATE

WINDSOR, Jan. 26.—The Quintecollian society of King's College, has elected representatives for the coming debate with the Acadia as follows:—L. de V. Chipman, A. F. Travers, C. H. Boulden. Mr. Chipman will be represented in Halifax as being the most eloquent speaker of last year's debate against Dalhousie. Mr. Travers, substitute of last year's team is a most versatile and forcible speaker. Mr. Boulden, son of the late revered president, though comparatively new in intercollegiate circles, gives promise of being well able to uphold the honors of old King's.—Halifax Evening Mail.

HEALTH, WEALTH, AND WORK.

So long as Nature's laws require that mankind shall work, the necessity of keeping one's self in health and strength is of first importance. Many people believe that men of great wealth do nothing. That is a mistaken idea. They may not work with hammers or shovels, but they work with their nerves, brains and minds. Scores of millionaires have worked themselves into nervous prostration in their efforts to control, to avoid losing, their millions. But it is the humble workers who suffer most.

MORE JUSTICE FOR TEACHERS

P. E. I. Educational Commission Would Increase Teachers' Salaries and Grant Them Pensions.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Feb. 25.—The report of the educational commission consisting of D. C. McLeod, K. C., Dr. Robertson, principal of Prince of Wales College; F. J. Buote, of Tignish, editor of the "Impartial," appointed by the provincial government in 1908 to investigate the whole system, submitted a report to the legislature today.

It is the most important statement on the question since the passing of the free school education act of 1877. The commission took evidence all over the province. They found the people generally paid a compliment to the work of the teachers and showed great pride in the general intelligence of the province, but there was a general desire for improved schools. The commissioners recommend increase in teachers' salaries from fifty to sixty per cent, also two schemes of consolidation, one to cost \$242,000, the other \$200,000. The latter is about double the present cost without consolidation. At the increased salaries the increase would be \$80,000.

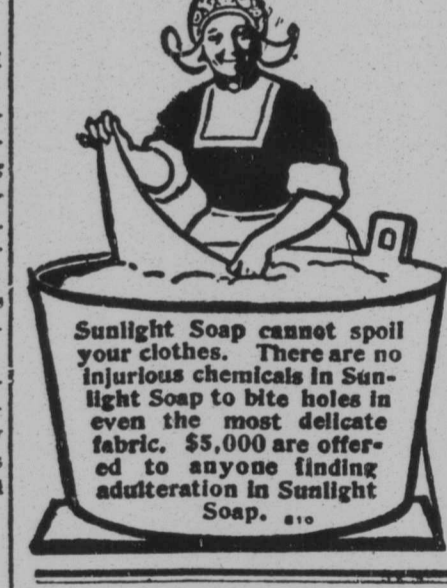
CASTORIA

Robert Fawcett of Campbellton, spent Thursday in town.

John A. Follansbee, late town electrician, left on Thursday for a short visit to Chief Dispatcher Duncan McNutt of Truro, N. S. He will next visit his Mother at new Boston, N.H. before entering on March 10th the employ of the Western Electric Company of New York City.

Old maid (in the upper berth of the Pullman, ringing the bell violently)—Porter! Yaas, ma'am. I'm quite sure there's a man under my bed.

SUNLIGHT SOAP



ST. MARY'S ACADEMY.

The musical kindergarten opened at St. Mary's Academy in January 1909 has proved so successful a venture that it was deemed advisable to form a new class for little children unable to keep up with kindergarten of the second year. This new class was opened on Monday, Feb. 14th. Little boys will be admitted as well as little girls.

THE REPORT ON EDUCATION

The Chief Superintendent Urges a Much Greater Increase in Teachers' Salaries.—Inspector Mersereau Recommends School Gardening

The annual report for 1908-1909 of the Chief Superintendent of Education, W. S. Carter, is a volume of much general interest. In the course of his report Mr. Carter says in part: The percentage of pupils daily present during the full term was for the first term 62.53 and for the second term 69.24—the highest in the history of the province. The enrolment shows increases in Fredericton, Moncton, Milltown, Campbellton, Newcastle, Sussex, St. Andrews, Sackville, St. George and Grand Falls. St. John, Woodstock, Chatham and one or two others show small decreases. The increase in the general attendance was greater in country districts than in cities and towns.

STATISTICAL ABSTRACT

Table I.—Number of Schools, Teachers, Pupils, etc.

Table with 3 columns: No. of schools, No. of teachers, No. of pupils. Rows for 1908-9 and 1909-9.

Ratepayers are quite willing to pay more for luxuries and modern improvements of all kinds, but are very reluctant to have their tax bills added to, forgetting that education lies at the root of all progress.

In the face of the higher cost of living, if we are to attract the same class of teachers in the future that we have been enabled to in the past, it is imperative that better salaries should be paid and the example should be set by the graded schools.

The following table shows the increase in the salaries of the different classes of teachers since the year 1900:

Table showing salary increases for Class of Teachers, Grammar school, Superior school, 1st class, male, 2nd class, male, 3rd class, male, 1st class, female, 2nd class, female, 3rd class, female.

Inspector Mersereau, in his report, says that the future graduates of our Normal School should have a fair knowledge of school gardening since a specialist in that subject is teaching the nature work in the Normal School. Can he not give a little instruction in arboriculture as well, so that greater progress can be made along this line? Every country school should have a model illustrative plot for the enlightenment of the farmers in the district.

PERSONAL

Albert E. Shaw was in St. John last week. John Brander went to St. John Thursday. Clyde Rundle is attending business College in St. John. Mr. John W. Vanderbeck of Derby was in town to-day. Mr. Wm. Corbett Jr. is confined to his house through illness. Mrs. Robert Cassidy has recovered from her recent illness. Mr. Mathew Daley of Jacquet River spent Sunday with friends in town. Miss Clara McAllister has returned from a visit to Miss Fanny Hodge of Fredericton. Rev. P. W. Dixon has presented handsome silver cup to Newcastle curlers for competitor. Mrs. T. H. Cuthbert and little son Secord, of Millerton spent Tuesday and Wednesday in town. Mrs. Frank Atkinson and little daughter, Reta, Blackville, visited Mrs. Waldo Crocker last week. Ernest McGrath late of the Union Advocate Mechanical department has gone to St. John to work in the Sun Office. Miss Evelyn Williamson left Wednesday for Moncton, where she will spend a few days the guest of Miss Marion Bulmer. Mr. and Mrs. L.O.H. Vye, of Red Pine, were recently in town for a few days guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Price. Miss Flossie Doyle, daughter of Coun. L. Doyal, is very ill at her home in Douglastown. Her many young friends hope soon to hear of her speedy recovery. Mrs. and Miss Hubbard, Mr. Tom Hubbard, Miss DesBrisay and Mr. Arthur DesBrisay, of Newcastle, were the guests of Mrs. W. J. Loggie, Loggieville, Wednesday evening. Miss Helen Mersereau of Doaktown, who has accepted the position of organist of the First Baptist church Fredericton, and will go on duty April 1st, is visiting her brother, Mr. C. J. Mersereau, of Chatham. Miss Edna Pond, graduate nurse of Boiestown, who had been spending some weeks with Mrs. James Rundle, returned home Friday morning accompanied by Miss Alice Rundle who will visit her. Miss Helen Dunn, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Dunn, celebrated her fifth birthday Wednesday when she gave a very enjoyable party to a number of her little girl friends from 3.30 to 6.30 p.m. She was the recipient of some pretty birthday gifts. Mrs. Howard Williston made a charming hostess at what last Wednesday night in honor of her niece Miss Moss of Amherst. Mrs. Williston was handsomely gowned in silk colienne, and was assisted by Miss Moss who was very prettily dressed in pink silk mull, and by her daughter Miss Laura Williston, who was attired in white organdie. Among the guests were: Mesdames Gilmour G. Stothart, B. P. Steeves; and the Misses Moss, Jessie and Mayme Fleming, May Williston, Minnie Ingram, May DesBrisay, Florence Ferguson, Hazel Hickson, Jennie Gremley, May McKean, Edna Payne, Roberta Nicholson, Nellie Lingley, Minnie Stothart and Lenora. Master Beaumont Williston acted as usher. A delightful supper was served at midnight. The family that eats plenty of Quaker Oats is a healthy, rugged family. The most popular food in the world because it does most and costs least.

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### Tickling in the Throat

"Just a little tickling in the throat!" Is that what troubles you? But it hangs on! Can't get rid of it! Home remedies don't take hold. You need something stronger—a regular medicine, a doctor's medicine. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral contains healing, quieting, and soothing properties of the highest order. Ask your doctor about this. No alcohol in this cough medicine. J.C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

Constipation positively prevents good health. Then why allow it to continue? An active liver is a great preventive of disease. Ayer's Pills are liver pills. What does your doctor say?

## Local and Provincial

#### CLERGYMAN REMEMBERED

Parishioners and friends have presented Rev. Father Richard, Rogersville, with a handsome team of matched bays.

#### PROVINCIAL RESIGNATIONS

Hon. James Holly, of St. John, has resigned as chairman and member of the provincial board of health. Mr. Holly was a member of the first board in New Brunswick, appointed on June 1st, 1887. Judge J. H. Barry, of Fredericton, has also resigned as a member of the provincial board of health.

#### SPORTSMAN'S EXHIBIT

The exhibit of live game for the New York Sportsmen's show, which opens today, has been forwarded from Fredericton. It consists of two moose, one bear and cub and several rabbits and muskrats. The moose have been in captivity for some time and are very docile. Guides Arthur Pringle, W. H. Allen, Adam Moore and Charles Cremin will have charge of the exhibit.

#### RESIGNED SECRETARYSHIP

Rev. J. B. Ganong, who recently tendered his resignation as Field Secretary of the N. B. and P. E. I. Sunday School Association, has accepted a call from the Baptist Church at Havelock. Mr. Ganong has devoted his time and energies to the work of Field Secretary for a number of years in a manner that has won for him golden opinions. Mr. Ganong will assume his new charge shortly.

#### REDBANK

The roads are in a very good condition and the young people are taking advantage of them.

A number of the young men are out of the woods and some of the girls are wearing smiling faces.

Misses Maggie Matchett and Mary Nowlan spent Tuesday evening at N. J. Dunns.

Miss Stella Murphy spent a few days at M. Sutherland's last week.

Miss Gertrude McTavish was the guest last week of Miss May Tozer.

Miss Sadie Fair who has been spending the winter with Mrs. John Sullivan, has returned to her home in Sevegle.

Mr. John Sutherland was the finder of a valuable ring, but had the misfortune of losing it.

Mr. Dan Cain spent a few days at his home in Trout Brook.

Miss May Tozer was the guest of Maggie Matchett Wednesday evening.

Messrs. Mark and Eugene Chaplin made a flying trip to this place on Tuesday evening.

Miss Abbie Matchett was the guest of her sister Mrs. Ronald Gillis on Sunday.

Mr. Wilbur Matchett made a flying trip to John Matchett's on Sunday.

Miss Ella Stuart was the guest of Miss Bertha Matchett last week.

Miss Florence Simpson and Miss Lizzie McTavish of Cassilis spent Sunday evening with Mrs. B. Johnston.

**If You** Have a Cough, Have Lung Troubles, Have Lost Flesh, Are Threatened with Consumption. Try **The D.L. Emulsion** (Trade Mark) Miss Clark, Supt. Grace Hospital, Toronto, writes they have used it with the best results. 50c. and \$1.00 Bottles. DAVIS & LAWRENCE CO., Montreal.

#### AN OFFICIAL VISIT

Messrs. Tiffin and Brady, of the I. C. R. Managing Board, were in Loggieville Friday.

#### TEMPERANCE REUNION

Caledonia Division, No 126 S. of T. Douglstown, is entertaining tonight the members of Newcastle, Millerton and Loggieville Divisions. A fine program has been prepared.

#### L. O. A. GRAND LODGE

The 67th annual session of the Orange Provincial Grand Lodge of New Brunswick will convene in Moncton on Tuesday, March 12th. Grand Master N. J. Smith of Fredericton, will preside.

#### I. R. C. TRAIN DERAILED

The Maritime express was over three hours late in arriving here Friday. As the train was running by Charlo one of the wheels on the pullman car broke and the car became derailed, thus blocking the main line for several hours.

#### HALIFAX DOWNS CHATHAM

In the McLennan cup competition at Halifax, Feb. 23rd, the Halifax Curling Club players defeated two rinks from Chatham by four points. The match was keenly contested throughout, the final scores being: Halifax, 33; Chatham 29.

#### MISS HESSIE GUNN

Miss Hessie Gunn was one of the soloists in a concert in McGill University Conservatorium of Music, Montreal, on the 17th ult. She sang "In Our Boat" (Mackenzie), with cello obligato by Mr. Lamontagne, and was warmly congratulated on her success.

#### BUCTOUCHE TO P. E. I.

Application has been made to parliament for the incorporation of the Buctouche Railway and Transportation Co., to build a line from Buctouche to Richibucto in New Brunswick and from West Point to Joleman on Prince Edward Island and to establish water connection between Buctouche and West Point.

#### 56TH ANNIVERSARY

Division No. 42, Sons of Temperance, Wednesday evening celebrated its fifty-sixth anniversary. About 180 people assembled to do honor to the occasion. The Rexton division had been invited and quite a number availed themselves of the invitation. Richibucto division members had been allowed to invite lady friends. Miss Ida Hudson, who had taken the foremost part in the getting up of the entertainment, acted as accompanist and an excellent program was well carried out.

#### EDWARD R. WHITNEY

Edward Rogers Whitney, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Neville D. Whitney, died at his home Feb. 7th, 1910, of meningitis of the brain. Deceased would be twelve April coming. He leaves to mourn his loss, five sisters and two brothers, Miss Gertrude M. Whitney, of the clerical staff of Clark & C., Newcastle, Marguerite, of Lawrence, Mass., Florence, Irene, Robert and Willie at home. The funeral was held at half past two Wednesday. It was largely attended. Pallbearers being Garvey Ray, Percy Keating, Arthur and Elmer Walsh. The remains were interred in the Baptist burial ground Rev. Mr. Worden of Whitneyville officiating.

#### NOTICE

I forbid any person trespassing or cutting anything on the James Donahoe lot of land in the parish of Blackville, N. B. Mrs. Christina Donahoe. Feb. 8th—31

#### TEMPERANCE VICTORY

In the royal Gazette last week appears proclamation declaring that after first of May no liquor licenses will issue in the Parish of Shippegan, Gloucester Co.

#### CURE THE NERVES

and you will control almost every disease that flesh is heir to. The foundation of health is a perfect stomach and good digestion—these right and you are insured plenty of nerve force, perfect circulation and pure blood. South American Nervine is a wonder worker—gives nerve force—makes rich blood. It's a veritable "Elixir of Life." Sold by A. E. SHAW'S PHARMACY.—132.

#### BOUGHT NEWSPAPER

Geo. S. MacLauchlan, who has been editor and manager of the Wood stock Sentinel for about a year, has severed his connection with that journal, and will take charge of the Victoria County News, a Liberal newspaper which has recently been purchased by Hon. J. K. Fleming, Charles Curless and others.

#### HOW LONG HAVE YOUR KIDNEY'S BEEN SICK?

—Here's South American Kidney Cure evidence that's convincing: "I am a new man—three bottles cured me." Five bottles cured me of Diabetes. "I never expected to be cured of Bright's Disease, but half a dozen bottles did it." "I thought my days were numbered, but this great remedy cured me. It never fails. Sold by A. E. SHAW'S Pharmacy. 134.

#### TOBACCO IN CHATHAM

The Chatham Chief of Police has been instructed to enforce the law in regard to the use of tobacco by juveniles and its sale to them. Anyone, under sixteen, who smokes or chews tobacco, or has it in his possession, may be arrested, in future, whenever seen by policemen in the streets or any other public place.

#### DOCTORED NINE YEARS FOR TETTER

—Mr. James Gaston, merchant, of Wilkesbarre, Pa., writes: "For nine years I have been disfigured with Tetter on my hands and face. At last I have found a cure in Dr. Agnew's Ointment. It helped me from the first application, and now I am permanently cured." Sold by A. E. SHAW'S PHARMACY.—135.

#### \$2,000,000 COAL COMPANY

Notice in last week's Royal Gazette states that letters patent have been issued incorporating F. Pierpon Shaw, St. John; Truman Beckwith of Providence; Chas. Rosenthal of Boston; Wm. G. Latz of New Haven; and Theodore T. Hazlewood of New York as the capital stock is to be two million dollars, divided into twenty thousand shares of one hundred dollars each. The head-office is to be at Salmon Harbor, Chipman, Queens County, N. B. The company, it is announced, will develop soft coal areas near Chipman.

#### "KEEP YOUR STOMACH IN GOOD WORKING ORDER"

and your general health will take care of itself." This is the advice of an eminent specialist on stomach troubles, and he "clinched" the advice by prescribing Dr. Von Stan's Pineapple Tablets as a wonder worker in all phases of stomach disorders from the little "ferment" after eating to the chronic dyspepsia. 35 cents. Sold by A. E. SHAW'S Pharmacy.—136.

#### NEW GOVERNMENT SUPPORTER

Solicitor General H.F. McLeod is being congratulated upon the arrival of a baby girl at his home Wednesday the 23rd.

#### FOR DEEP SEATED COLDS

and Coughs, Allen's Lung Balsam cures when all other remedies fail.

#### BORN

At Newcastle, Feb. 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Matheson a son. At Harcourt, Feb. 19, Dr. and Mrs. R.G. Givan, a son.

#### IF TAKEN IN TIME

"The D. & L." Emulsion will surely cure the most serious affections of the lungs. That "run down" condition, the after effects of a heavy cold, is quickly counteracted.

#### MRS. ALBERT MORRISON

The many friends in Miramich of Mrs. Albert Morrison of Shippegan, were greatly shocked on receiving the news of her sudden death on the 19th inst. Mrs. Morrison was apparently in her usual health the day before. That evening she was seized with an attack of acute indigestion, and died of heart failure at 4 o'clock next morning. The funeral took place on Monday the 21st and was conducted by the Rev. J. R. MacKay of Tabusintac. Mrs. Morrison was a daughter of Captain Charles Matthews of Middle Island, and was very highly esteemed by all who knew her. She leaves three little children, the youngest of whom is one year old. Much sympathy is felt for Mr. Morrison in his sad bereavement.

#### SEE THAT YOU GET THE REAL THING

—Unscrupulous makers are putting up a counterfeit of "The D. & L." Menthol Plaster. The genuine is made by Davis & Lawrence Co.

#### GOES TO ST. JOHN

T. J. Scott, son of Ald. and Mrs. Thos. Scott, of Dalhousie, who has been employed for about eleven months in the Royal Bank of Canada, Newcastle, returned Monday from a weeks sick leave, and left Wednesday for St. John, where he has been transferred. Mr. Scott was a very efficient and popular official.

#### YOU CAN'T DODGE THEM ALL

Mosquito bites, sunburn, bruises, skin injuries. Some of them will attack you this season sure. Have a tin of Davis' Menthol Salve on hand. 25 cents.

#### Very well sir cried Dr. Kwack

after his quarrel with the undertaker I'll make you sorry for this. What are you going to do sneered the undertaker, retire from practice.

#### Apply Bearine

(prepared from the grease of the Canadian Bear) and save your hair, when it begins to fall out or is brittle. 50c. a jar.

#### "I say, old man, did I ever tell

you about the awful fight I got on my wedding day?" inquired a married man of a chum.

"S-s-h-h!" responded the friend, warningly. No man should speak in that way about his wife.

#### It is well to have on hand a remedy, simple, effective and easily applied, for mosquito bites, insect stings, sores, bruises, sunburn, and injuries to the skin, and forty other ailments not always dangerous, but which can be cured by outward application. Such a remedy is Davis' Menthol Salve (The D. & L.), which comes in tins for 25 cts. at druggists.



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Family of 3 or more children, 10 per cent discount.

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40c

Union Blend one pound packets—the pound packets only—contain coupons that are worth money to you. But this is merely an advertisement—the tea itself is worth the price. Fully

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## LION BRAND

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NEW YORK

**USED PUNcheon AS MAIL CARRIER**

Newcastle Man Receives Letter from Magdalen Islands in a Puncheon. WAS IN GOOD CONDITION

The Charlottetown Guardian says: "Probably the most novel method yet pursued in an attempt to get letters across the sea where no mail steamer plies was revealed yesterday when Judge Blanchard of this city received from friends in the Magdalen Islands two letters which had been placed in a puncheon rigged with sails.

On February 1st, last, A. J. and C. F. Painchaud, Amherst Island, Magdalen Islands, rigged up the puncheon as stated above and with a northeast wind blowing they launched their mail packet.

They had previously placed in it several letters one of which is as follows:

Amherst Island,  
Magdalen Island, Feb. 1, 1910.  
Dear Mr. Blanchard:—

You are no doubt aware that our telegraph cable parted on the fourth of January last and since left us in a complete exile. We had a little snow at the first of the winter, but since the first of January the snow disappeared and we now travel with our summer vehicles. We have no ice around Magdalen Islands yet. It looks as the continuance of a very mild winter. We expected a steamer to bring us some news. She could certainly make a splendid landing. This may never reach you or may not reach you until very late but it is an experiment we wish to make. This letter with several others goes in a puncheon that we have rigged to make the trip across the Gulf with instructions to the finder and hope it will be successful. We are all well and hope you are the same.

A. J. PAINCHAUD.  
On February 12 the puncheon was picked up at Port Hastings and the contents sent to Halifax and from there the different letters were mailed to their intended recipients.

The letter from C. F. Painchaud was wet and illegible. This is perhaps the most extraordinary thing in this line in recent years and is the first news received from the Magdalen's since the breaking of the cable.

It is reported that the C. G. S. Stanley has been ordered to the Magdalens by officials in Halifax.

Mr. George Farrah of this town also received a letter which was brought across the sea by the puncheon mail carrier.

**HOW'S THIS?**

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

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**I. C. R. PICTURES ARE SOUGHT FOR**

Request From Australia for Views of Canadian Scenes.

An enquiry recently received by the General Traffic Manager of the Intercolonial Railway, shows how wide is the distribution of a good item of news through the medium of the press. Last November an account of the display of I. C. R. views being shown on the New York Herald bulletin screens along

**THREE BOYS SHOT IN PHILA. RIOTS**

Rioting Continues, Cars Were Stoned, and Policemen Roughly Handled

Philadelphia, Feb. 22—Three boys were shot and probably fatally injured, while several received less severe wounds today in riots following the resumption of service by Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company. The shooting occurred in attacks on cars in the Northern section. Market street, the principal business thoroughfare in the heart of the city, was the scene of disturbances during the entire day. Cars were stoned and two policemen were roughly handled by a mob of several thousand persons. A dozen arrests were made, and the prisoners placed in a trolley car. This was stormed by the mob and two of the prisoners escaped. Preparations were made by the authorities to call upon the entire force of the State Militia if the police tomorrow are still unable to cope with the situation.

President Murphy of the Central Labor Union still regards a general strike of all trades unions in the city as inevitable, although organizer Pratt is reported to be opposing this movement. A delegation of labor leaders left for Washington today to ask Senator Penrose to use his influence for a peaceful solution of the trouble.

Members of the State Constables an independent military organization about 200 strong, were placed on duty today armed with loaded muskets. They were detailed in Kingston terminal district in the north east, a stronghold of union sympathizers. In their first skirmish they were badly beaten by a mob, who paid no attention to the drawn bayonets and snatched the muskets from the hands of the young militia men.

Members of the state Constables according to Mayor Reyburn, acted as though they were on a picnic, allowing girls in the mill district to wear their caps, and cut the brass buttons off their clothing. At one point a group of rioters captured a member of the Constables and carried him several hundred feet from his post, where they stripped him of his coat and cartridge belt, and threw them into a sewer.

The probably fatally injured boys are J. Hughes, 13, shot in the neck and John Walter, stabbed, aged 15. Both were taken to a hospital.

with the returns of the Presidential election, went the rounds of the Canadian newspapers. It evidently travelled even further, for the other day a letter was received from Melbourne, Australia enquiring about these views, and asking if they could be obtained for lecturing purposes. The views alluded to are beautifully colored stereoptican slides and the selection includes some of the prettiest scenic features along the line of the Intercolonial, such as "Quebec from Lewis," "Bic," one of the most beautiful of the lower St. Lawrence seaside resorts, "Famed Matapedia Valley," "Bore at Moncton," "Reversing Falls, St. John," "Wentworth Valley," "Folleigh Lake," "Halifax," and scenes on the "Bras d'Or Lakes." Wherever shown these have attracted great attention and have been widely admired.

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# Local and Provincial

## MRS. JAMES SHERARD

The death of Mrs. James Sherard of Redbank occurred on Wednesday. Deceased was formerly Miss Mabel Parks. She had been ill two weeks of pneumonia. She left her husband and five small children.

## MILITARY TRAINING

The committee of the Board of Education consisting of the Premier, Solicitor General and the Chief Superintendent of Education, held a session last week in Fredericton with Mr. R. A. Borden. It was decided that the province would adopt the Strathcona plan, that physical culture would be adopted and also military training, the latter being made optional with the school districts. The teachers are given four years in which to qualify.

## UTHER NELSON

Uther Nelson, Feb. 21st—Miss Eliza Underhill, who has been suffering from a severe attack of Bronchitis, is slowly recovering.

Rev. Mr. Grant, who has spent the last forty years in Trinidad as a missionary, has supplied the Millerton, Derby and Chelmsford congregations for the past two sabbaths.

Mr. John W. Vye is confined to his home by illness.

Miss Dora Lyons of Doaktown intends spending some time in our midst.

Mr. Frank Parks intends taking his departure for the west soon.

Mr. C. Betts, our popular grocery man, pays us a visit each week.

Messrs. Chris O'Brien and Will Foley of Derby spent Sunday evening with friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. James Jardine spent Sunday with her parents.

Miss Jessie McKinley intends spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. G. Gallon.

Mr. Wm. Cornish of Chatham, spent Sunday with friends in Derby.

Mrs. Weldon McKinley who has been spending the winter in Derby has returned home.

Mrs. M. Carnahan is spending a few days with her daughters in McKinleyville.

## MRS. CLIFFORD PARKER

The death, under particularly sad circumstances, occurred on the 18th when Mrs. Clifford Parker died at her home in Whitneyville, leaving a sorrowing husband and two small children, the youngest a few hours old. The deceased young woman, was formerly Miss Annie Scott, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Scott, Strathadam, and leaves two brothers, residing at home and one in Lawrence, Mass. A few months ago Mr. and Mrs. Scott buried a son, and the second death so soon after, is a great blow to them. Mr. Parker has the sympathy of the entire community in the loss of his wife.

## MISSIONARY MEETING

A mass meeting of all denominations was held in the Methodist church Wednesday night in the interests of the Laymen's Missionary movement. The principal speakers were Rev. Dr. Woodworth of the "All Peoples' Mission, Winnipeg, and Rev. Mr. Morgan, a missionary lately returned from west China. Dr. Woodworth said that one-third of Manitoba constituencies are already controlled by one foreign people—the Ukrainians (East Galicians). In Saskatchewan only 30% of the people are Canadians. Canada's problem is far more difficult than was that of the United States one hundred years ago. From 1800 to 1810 the U. S. A., which had 5,308,000 people received only 70,000 immigrants, while Canada's 5,371,000 of 1901 will, it is estimated, receive in the first ten years of this century 2,300,000 immigrants—37 times as much as U. S. A. received. While the latter's increase that decade was nearly all from Britain and North-western Europe, Canada's was 28% from southern and eastern Europe. In Manitoba over 26,000 children were not attending school. Over 1/4 of its rural schools were by-lingual. Rev. Mr. Morgan said that China was now the focus of the world's attention. China was now at school to the world, it was open to both Christian and anti-Christian influences. Missionaries there are very scarce. There is a great spiritual awakening all over China. Short addresses were given by Revs. S. J. McArthur, H. T. Cousins and W. J. Deane. Mr. MacArthur reported that in his church systematic giving had tripled missionary receipts. After the larger meeting, some of the Methodist men gathered in the vestry and formed themselves into a committee for carrying on the Laymen's Missionary Movement in this congregation. Those who organized were Messrs. W. J. Deane, chairman; B. F. Maltby, secretary; John R. Allison, Sr., Arthur E. Petrie and John H. Ashford, Executive; H. H. Stuart, Simon MacLeod, F. H. Gough, Walter C. Day and Wm. Ashford, sr. Further steps at an early date are contemplated.

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## BEATS HER BABY AND DEATH FOLLOWS

Montreal, Feb. 23—Mrs. Vochi Koshmerska, of Verdun, faces the charge of murder as the result of a beating she gave her 3 1/2 year old child during a paroxysm of rage a couple of days ago. She thumped the poor nite so hard that it went into convulsions and then died.

## MISS MURIEL APPLEBY HAD NARROW ESCAPE

Miss Muriel Appleby, of Millerton, who has spent the past year with friends and relatives in Maine, later going to visit her cousin, Mrs. C. L. Staats, narrowly escaped being killed while walking with her cousin's son, Aubry. When turning the corner of Huntington Ave. Dartmouth street, Boston, recently a cake of ice slid off a building and struck Miss Appleby on the head rendering her unconscious for some time. She received injuries in her breast and back, but she is rapidly improving.

## By the Way, Madam, What's An Ideal Food?

Once, Madam, a June Bride asked the heroine of three matrimonial ventures the secret of "How to be happy though married." And the Experienced One's startling recipe was "Feed the Brute!" Many a housewife feeds the partner of her joys and cares with mere filling concoctions without nutrition. The poor man is fattened by the process about as much as the chicken which swallows sand and thinks it is being fed. What—did you speak, Madam?

By the way, Madam, what's an Ideal Food? Dr. Robt. Hutchison (an eminent authority on such matters) has already defined it: "An Ideal Food would contain about one part of Protein to 4.2 parts of Carbohydrates." Sounds very scientific, eh? Protein for bone, and brain, and brawn builds Carbohydrates for fat just to keep the hollows and prevent the body from burning. Once Madam, a fellow who loved statistics came up with the idea that the average man consumes 26 lbs. of fat and 96 lbs. of carbohydrates in his daily food. A woman consumes 16 lbs. of fat and 64 lbs. of carbohydrates as much as a man. But, plain white bread—made from FIVE ROSES flour—contains these three essential nutrients in the proper proportions. Therefore, dear Madam, if you are a man or a woman, eat FIVE ROSES rolls and breadstuffs. Such bread contains the highest nutrition of the prime Manitoba spring wheat combined with proper admixture of the hard outside skin. But a man won't eat your bread simply because it's wholesome or because it's cheap. You know that, don't you, Madam, he wants it appetizing and tasty as well. Would you like, Madam, every loafing in taken from your own piping hot batch of rolls and loaves with an aroma, color, flavor which are your own monopoly? A crisp, tooth-teasing crust that breaks with a snap; an elastic, spongy crumb that springs back into shape after being pressed with the finger? Lofty, well-placed leaves that bring the glow of pink to the cheeks. All yours for the asking. Madam—If you eat FIVE ROSES from your grocer.

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# THE LOCAL LEGISLATURE

FREDERICTON, Feb. 24—Restigouche held the floor in the house on Monday afternoon, when Hon. Mr. Labilloy was heard. Mr. Labilloy was in excellent form and did credit not only to the party with which he is affiliated but to the House as a whole. In tone his speech was very moderate and in that very fact lay much of his criticism. He was heard with close attention as he exposed the weaknesses of the government policies and administration.

The Restigouche man was particularly strong in his reference to the importance of colonization. He expressed his keen disappointment that the speech from the throne, placed in the hands of the Governor by the cabinet, had a thing whatever to say of this most important subject. Immigration, he said, but surely it is of far more importance to the welfare of the province that something be done to encourage our own people, particularly our young people, to stay in the home land and aid in its development. This matter has been emphasized before, he continued, during recess it was brought before the government; our own young people have been demanding that something be done. Quebec people have showed their willingness to settle in large numbers along the line of the International and on the Blue-bell tract. In spite of these facts, the government has ignored this question of vital importance. In so doing they have ignored the recommendations of their own Agricultural Commission and the recommendations of the Farmers' and Dairymen's Association.

It is all very well to have an Immigration Bureau at St. John and to pay \$2,000 for an advertisement in a London paper but surely the northern doors of the province should not be closed. Up in Restigouche, he said, there are many acres of land awaiting settlement. True, they are under lease in many cases but I have confidence in the spirit of the men who hold these leases and I am sure that, looking to the future development of the province of which we and they are fellow citizens, they will be glad to assist in any way within their power the work of encouraging our people to stay home and work for the advancement of our native land.

Mr. Labilloy went on to point out that the ministers may say that already they have set aside some acres of land for colonization. This, he said, is quite true that the land is such that it is not fit for its alleged purpose and young men who have cruised it for the purpose of seeing whether or not it is suitable for them to settle upon have gone away from it disgusted.

Recently, he said, the government has been asked for 30,000 acres along the line of the International and for some 20,000 acres in the Blue-bell tract. The men who came before the government did not ask that the land be given them, but they were willing to pay for it. For a long time the government gave them no answer

whatever and since notice has been taken of the request really nothing has been done. Thus, men interested in an undertaking which might yield most beneficial results to the province have been given no encouragement, but the very reverse. Moreover, the provincial treasury is the poorer by \$50,000 which these men were willing to pay for the desired land.

Mr. Labilloy was also very outspoken in regard to another matter of importance in many rural districts. This is the control of automobiles. The government boasts of its Highway Act, with its increased taxation but it does nothing to safeguard the interests of the farmers and their families in the sections where automobiles are used. The man of means may have his auto but surely in simple justice farmers should not be subjected to danger and loss through the frightening of their horses by the motor vehicle. There should be some restrictions on the running of these cars—certain days should be set aside for their use of the highways. If this were done farmers and their wives and children would not be liable to danger through the frightening of their horses; they could do their business more comfortably and merchants, too, would profit as under present conditions many farmers send to stores outside the province, rather than risk the drive to the home store over roads which automobiles frequent.

Mr. Labilloy also criticized the government for its lack of progressive agricultural policy. Nothing has been done, he said, which shows a thought for the farmers' interests. True, the number of agricultural societies has been increased—but that means a lessening of the grant to each one and the consequent hampering of its work. Horse importations have been made, one the importation of race horses from blue grass Kentucky, but the farmers have not benefited through these. In the case of the last importation the farmers had to bid against horse dealers and were given no special treatment which would justify the view that the government is sincere in its profession of desire to advance their interests.

As for the fruit raising on which government speakers have laid so much stress to their own glorification, Mr. Labilloy pointed out that the foundations for success were well laid by the old government years ago. Exports of New Brunswick agricultural products were sent abroad nineteen years ago and won honors, yet this government would have the people believe that never until Hazen rule, or misrule, did New Brunswick farmers meet with any success in this, nor indeed in any other way.

The Highway Act, said Mr. Labilloy, is speaking for itself. On all sides there is complaint. The machinery is too complicated. The operations under the act are turned to political ends. Over \$40,000 was squandered by the government to help federal Conservatives in 1908, and this amount came from the pockets of the

people. In 1908 Hon. Mr. Morrissey was asked to spend money on road work in the summer months; nothing was done until the fall came on when to aid Conservative candidates money was spent on useless work. In a word, the people's money was used as part of the Tory campaign fund. It has been so used even in municipal elections. From all these defects there could be expected but one result, the result which has come, bad roads. Put the road money in the hands of the municipalities, said Mr. Labilloy. Have an experienced man at the head of road affairs. Use the people fairly, ceasing to mal-administer road matters for political gain, and the roads which the province should have will come.

Mr. Labilloy also emphasized the importance of some well direction action to check the tuberculosis plague and commended generous action in the way of providing pensions for school teachers. Incidentally too, he pointed out to the government that everywhere in the province it stands discredited. Carleton county condemned it, Northumberland condemned it; St. John condemned it; every county is waiting similar opportunity to express its condemnation of the mismanagement and broken pledges.

Mr. Tweeddale, of Victoria, is a ruthless iconoclast. On every occasion on which he speaks he breaks some government idols. He followed his custom this week. He spoke for one thing of the horse importation. As for the first one made by this government, he said, it was simply an importation of racers and hurdlers of no use to the farmers. The quality of horses imported on the second occasion was not even open to condemnation such as was justifiable in the first case. However, Mr. Tweeddale found fault with the manner of the sale. It was held in St. John. Farmers had to bid in competition with horse dealers and speculators. Thus the sale could not really be of much benefit to the farmers. The purpose of horse importations, he said should not be to make money for the province by taking it from the farmers' pockets, but it should be to assist in the improvement of the farmers' stock by making it possible for them to obtain horses of good breed at the lowest possible prices.

Other matters which Mr. Tweeddale touched upon were those of the Gloucester Iron Mines and the Grand Falls Power Co. In regard to the iron mines he pointed out how remarkably generous had been the treatment given the Drummond Co. For eighty years this great corporation is to have the right of operating those mines and paying to the treasury of the province only the paltry sum of five cents per ton. They talk about the mineral discoveries in New Brunswick said Mr. Tweeddale, 'It will be unfortunate if more of these discoveries are made if the interests of the province are to be sacrificed as they have been by the Hazen government in the case of the Gloucester mines.'

By the maintenance of his present methods Dr. Landry, Commissioner of Agriculture, promises to become most consistent in his continued inconsistencies. He made his bow to the House as an apostle of consistency;

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quality is the consummation, he declared, most devoutly to be wished. Another piece of his doctrine was that politics should be kept out of the Agricultural Department and the discussion of agricultural affairs.

Last Tuesday a number of members of the Farmers' and Dairymen's Association were in Fredericton. In the afternoon they attended the session of the House, report has it by the invitation of none other than the Medical Commissioner of Agriculture. This consistent man, who preached against politics in agricultural matters, seized the opportunity to deliver a lengthy address setting forth the great things which the Hazen government and he himself in particular, had done for the farmers of the province. As Hon. Mr. Sweeney said, it was the most patent bid for the support of the men in the galleries. There is one side on the Landry brand of consistency.

But Dr. Landry went further than this. He took occasion to condemn the agricultural policy of the old administration. He was particularly severe in regard to the Experimental Orchards set out under the former regime. 'Today,' he said, 'the Queens Co. orchard is almost a wilderness, the St. John orchard is in lamentable shape. In Kent the orchard would hardly be recognized. These,' he went on, 'are the orchards which the Opposition claim have done so much for fruit raising in New Brunswick.' And perhaps all this impressed some of the farmers to whom Dr. Landry was playing.

In the evening Mr. Byrne of Gloucester, took the floor. He exposed Dr. Landry's consistent inconsistency in a way that brought about marked discomfort in the government benches. Perhaps his most telling point was made when he read from Dr. Landry's own report of 1908. In that report the doctor declared 'Good progress' was being made at the orchard in Queens; that the St. John orchard was 'doing well'; that in Kent the orchard was under the most careful cultivation, and making good progress. These facts make clear Dr. Landry's remarkable consistency and his no less remarkable idea of what constitutes accuracy of statement.

Mr. Byrne spoke very strongly in regard to the action of the Surveyor General in reducing the size of the saw logs from 18-19 to 15-9. No greater mistake could have been made, he said. Rather, the size of the logs should have been increased. Of course more stumpage is to be temporarily collected; but the reduction in the size of the log must inevitably play havoc with the forests. The opinion of Hon. Mr. Sweeney, it may be noted, is that if the present regulations are adhered to, direct taxation will be inevitable in the comparatively few years when our forests will have been almost exhausted.

Mr. Byrne's speech by the way, was a most effective one, to which further reference will be made.

ways ready to attribute an evil motive, always insinuating, never proving, have figured in Parliament in former years, but gradually they became distrusted and shunned and found their way back into private life. The Globe, studying Mr. Crocket's little ways and noting his lack of influence in his own party, finds him tiresome and useless and predicts that he will not long disturb the House of Commons with his barking. It is seldom indeed that the Toronto Globe so thoroughly and so mercilessly dissects a public man, but in Mr. Crocket's case there will be a very general appreciation of the fact that the treatment is deserved. It is fortunate that York County, through the establishment of a new Liberal paper, is to be given a better chance to deliver itself from Crocket noise and vulgarity.—Telegraph.

**NEW BRUNSWICK EDITORS WILL MEET AT ST. JOHN**

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The business men and the press of St. John, like those of other communities, are liable to regard matters from a local point of view, and there is no doubt that it would be helpful to all if leaders of opinion in each district of the province should frankly discuss together matters of general and local concern.

The editors of newspapers are in close contact with the people about them, and understand the conditions, problems, possibilities and difficulties of the districts where they live and work. They should be able to bring to such a conference much information and many useful suggestions. The result of such a convention as is proposed would be a closer understanding of the provincial situation from many points of view, and a practical co-operation for provincial progress.

Among the purposes in view are the discovery of means whereby the people of this Province may be kept at home, settlers obtained, life in the province be made more attractive and prosperous, natural resources developed, new industries established, old ones assisted, tourist travel increased, outside sportsmen encouraged to come here, and a spirit of provincial loyalty be promoted consistent with and helpful to the larger national patriotism.

**HALIFAX DOWNS CHATHAM**

HALIFAX, Feb. 23—In the McLenan cup competition tonight the Halifax Curling Club players defeated two rinks from Chatham by four points. The match was keenly contested throughout, the final scores being: Halifax, 33; Chatham, 29.

**MR. CROCKET UNDER THE MICROSCOPE**

In placing Mr. O. S. Crocket under the editorial microscope and telling the country the result of this somewhat unpleasant inspection, the 'Globe' performs a public service of some merit. Such an examination can, perhaps, be better conducted by a journal removed from the region of New Brunswick politics, as the 'Globe' is, and interested in Mr. Crocket only because he is a persistent defamer of public men and a peevish and jaundiced person who has made himself somewhat of a public nuisance at Ottawa by continually yelling, 'Wolf.'

Here in New Brunswick, where Mr. Crocket is known, where his futile activities have long caused a sort of contemptuous amusement among his opponents and something like shame and confusion among his friends, the public has long been wondering why the serious men of his own party gave him so much rope. They have been willing, apparently, that Mr. Crocket should pursue tactics with which which they themselves would have nothing to do. The 'Globe' explains that they are not responsible for him.

The 'Globe' regards the man from York as a monomaniac, and while to come that will seem a somewhat harsh explanation of his activities it really does him more than justice, for it assumes that he is crazy enough to believe that some of the things he says, or insinuates, are true. As the 'Globe' points out, men of his own party are not moved by the scandals he pretends to unearth. They have come to know him...

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