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WILL BROADCAST ON FRIDAY

Madam Benoit, nee Miss May Atkinson of Newcastle and Moncton, Dramatic Soprano, will broadcast from Fort Worth Staff Telegram Radio Station, Texas on Friday evening, Nov. 27th, at 7.30 Central Standard time. The concert which will be broadcast will be held in the First Methodist Church. Mr. Will Foster will accompany on the organ and a Brass Quartette composed of three cornets and one trombone will also give selections. This is an opportunity for Newcastle radio fans to hear one of our talented young ladies, who is gaining fame rapidly in the musical world.

New Barristers Admitted Before Supreme Court

Six barristers were admitted and sworn Friday morning before the Supreme Court of New Brunswick. They were presented by J. J. F. Winslow, K. C. Chief Justice Sir Douglas Hazen made a brief address to the new barristers on admission. Those admitted are: Frederic Dodd Tweedie Saint John; Henri T. P. Binet, Moncton; Aubrey Stafford Ferguson, Moncton; Vincent Joseph McEvoy, Newcastle; Alfred Hanson Brooks, Saint John; Henry Atwood Bridges, Saint John.

REGULAR MEETING TOWN COUNCIL

The regular monthly meeting of the Town Council of the Town of Newcastle was held in the Town Office on Thursday, Nov. 19th, 1925 at 8 o'clock p. m.

Present: Mayor Russell, Ald. Armstrong, Atkinson, Sergeant Smallwood and Stables.

The following bills were passed and ordered paid.

LIGHT AND WATER COM.

Stohart Mercantile Co. Ltd. \$1.47

E. E. Benson \$562.82

Can. Gen. Electric Co. Ltd. 245.01

PUBLIC WORKS COM.

Lounsbury Co. Ltd. \$4.59

Tozer Bros. 5.15

Stohart Merc. Co. Ltd. 198.73

POLICE COM.

Stohart Mercantile Co. Ltd. \$9.99

Ald. Atkinson, Chairman of the Petition Committee reported that the claim of the Town of St. Stephen for aid furnished Minor Cookley had been referred to the Town Solicitor and it was his opinion that the Town of Newcastle was not liable. On motion of Ald. Smallwood, seconded by Ald. Atkinson, this report was received and adopted.

The Chairman of the By Law Committee submitted draft of proposed amendment to the Building By-Law and after some discussion it was moved by Ald. Smallwood seconded by Ald. Armstrong and carried, that the matter be referred to a Committee of the Whole at a time to be specified by the Mayor. On motion adjourned.

Queen Mother Alexandra Passed Away Friday on Eve of Her 81st Birthday

Sandringham, Eng., Nov. 20—Britain's "Fairly Queen" is dead. Stricken with heart disease yesterday morning almost on the eve of her 81st birthday Queen Mother Alexandra passed away at 5.25 o'clock this afternoon, with her son, King George V., Queen Mary and sorrowing members of the Royal family at her bedside. Thus died the radiant beautiful Danish princess who captivated England sixty-two years ago when she came to the then Prince of Wales and who held the Empire's love and reverence throughout three generations as the Princess of Wales, as Edward the Seventh's Queen, and then as the Queen-Mother.

There was a poignant note of tragedy in the final drama of Queen Alexandra's long life, for her favored grandchild, the Prince of Wales, not among those at her death. His special train feeling its way through the fog which knows no respect either for Prince or pauper in England, arrived at Sandringham a few minutes after the end game. The heir to the throne never saw his grandmother alive, after the visit he made to greet her just after his return from his South African and South American tour.

The grief-stricken Prince, accompanied by his brother, the Duke of York, went from the little station at Sandringham, where the station

master broke the news to him, to the Royal house of mourning, Sandringham House, which a heavy pall of fog had wrapped in a melancholy shroud. Queen Alexandra passed to rest amid the peaceful rural surroundings which she loved so well. Since Thursday morning when the doctors' announcement made it patent that the aged Queen was in a critical condition, the hamlet of Sandringham and its tiny neighbors, Wolferton, and Dersingham, which claimed her for their very own, had waited heavily hearted for the end.

Throughout the long hours little groups lingered wet-eyed at the portals of the Royal residence, hoping against hope for some word that their beloved mistress would survive King and Queen Present.

A bulletin signed by the attending physicians, Dr. F. K. Williams and Sir Thomas Harder, said:

"Her Majesty Queen Alexandra passed away at 5.25 o'clock. The King, Queen and members of the royal family were present.

The Prince of Wales and Duke of York were due to arrive at Wolferton, near Sandringham, by train at 7.30 o'clock, but the train was ten minutes late. The King's sons were escorted to the royal waiting room of the Wolferton station, where the station master broke the news of their grandmother's death. Within a few days, on Dec. 1, the Queen mother would have celebrated the 81st anniversary of her birth, and all the inhabitants had been preparing in elaborate fashion to celebrate the event at Sandringham House. Additional telegraphic appliances had been installed to cope with the inevitable shower of congratulations and good wishes from all parts of the Empire. This is now being used to tell her people in the four corners of the earth of how she died.

CURLING CLUB ELECT OFFICERS

The annual meeting of the Newcastle Curling Club was held in the Town Clerk's Office on Wednesday evening, the president, John Russell in the chair. The chief business transacted was the election of officers and committees for the ensuing year which are:

President—G. P. Burchill, Vice-Pres.—J. C. Demers, Sec. A. H. Cole.

Treas.—J. E. T. Lindon, Managing Committee—James Stables, A. S. Demers, R. W. Crocker

Match Committee—J. Russell, C. M. Dickinson, D. S. Creaghan, Membership Committee—F. C. Hopkins, Chas. McCullam.

The president read a very good report of the year's work, showing the interest taken by all the members and the work accomplished.

A. M. McMurray, secretary, in his annual report, reviewed the activities of the club, reporting a most successful season in which the three trophies, the Highland Cup, the Jardine Cup and Lawlor Medal, were won from Chatham and the Royal Caledonia Curling Club Medal won from St. Andrew's Club.

J. E. T. Lindon, treasurer, submitted his annual report, showing a bank balance of \$397.57.

It was decided that scheduled games in the club be played the same as last year, two games each evening, from 7.30—9.00 and from 9.00—10.30.

Thomas Clarke, manager of the Royal Bank offered to present a trophy for the best individual points made by players. This offer was enthusiastically received and accepted. Regulations to be presented at a future meeting.

By the request of Pres. Russell, Mr. G. G. Stohart spoke on the matter of a new rink, saying that nothing definite had been arrived at, but it was hoped that during 1926 mature plans would be reached.

The membership fee for 1926 was increased from \$7.00 to \$8.00. The meeting adjourned until Dec. 2nd.

BOYS' CONFERENCE IN BATHURST

A boy's conference, representing the counties of Northumberland, Gloucester, Resigouche and Bonaventure under the auspices of the Maritime Religious Education Council, will be held in Bathurst on Dec. 4-6. Some fifty boys are expected to be present. The speakers expected from outside are, Rev. G. M. Young, Chatham, who will speak on The Problem of Habits, Rev. W. S. Godfrey, Campbellton, the subject of whose address is, The Boy and the Church, and Rev. F. M. Milligan, Secretary of the Board of Education, who will conduct the Conference, and speak on Program Building.

The meetings will be held in Trinity Church. Three features apart from the addresses are, the supper on Saturday night, Stunt night, and the service to be conducted by the boys at the close of the Sunday evening services.

E. HUBERT SINCLAIR NEW DIRECTOR

J. E. McPherson, of Montreal, vice-president of the Bell Telephone Company, was made a director of the New Brunswick Telephone Co. Ltd., to succeed L. B. McFarlane, president of the Bell Company, who had been a member of the board for 25 years, at the quarterly meeting of the directors Thursday. E. Hubert Sinclair, of Newcastle was elected to the place vacated by the death of W. B. Snowball, M. P.

Those present at the meeting were Mr. McPherson, Senator F. B. Black, of Sackville; Senator Irving R. Todd, of Milltown; Richard O'Leary, of Richibucto; J. M. Robinson, of St. John; F. R. Sumner, of Moncton; W. C. Allison, Dr. A. P. Barnhill, Colonel J. L. McAvity and Howard P. Robinson, of St. John, and E. W. Mair, of Woodstock.

CELEBRATED 15TH ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Kingston were given a pleasant surprise on Monday evening 16th. inst., when about 50 of their friends invaded their home, it being the occasion of their fifteenth wedding anniversary. Mr. C. J. Morrissy read them an address and presented Mrs. Kingston with a cut glass water pitcher and glasses and Mr. Kingston with a brass smoking stand. Although they were taken completely by surprise both responded thanking those present for the kind tokens of remembrance. The evening was pleasantly spent in cards and music, at the conclusion of which dainty refreshments were served.

The gathering dispersed about midnight, after wishing the pair many more years of happy wedded life.

Anglo-French Debt Agreement

Winston Churchill announced in the House of Commons that discussions with the French government regarding points still outstanding in connection with the Anglo-French debt agreement will be resumed shortly, in view of the agreement in principle negotiated by him (Mr. Churchill), and former financial minister Callaghan, but that final completed form.

Empress Theatre—WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY
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BUCK JONES
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FRIDAY and SATURDAY "The Outlaws Daughter"
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Don't send your Money out of Town—We have filled Several orders in the past week. You can do better here, thus keeping your money at home. All out of town orders will be given our careful attention.
Only a Few of Our Many Bargains
13 White Sugar \$1.00
Pickles 35 oz. 50c
17 lbs. Beans \$1.00
Good Bulk Tea 50c
2 tins Old Dutch 25c
2 pkgs F. Sugar 25c
2 pkgs Corn Flakes 25c
2 pkgs Raisins 25c
4 pkgs Ivory Soap Flakes 25c
SHORTENING 1s. 18c
" 3s. 50c
" 5s. 85c
" 10s. 1.70
Special For This Week Only
5 tins choice Tomatoes \$1.00
1 tin Free with every Purchase of 5 tins tomatoes for \$1.00
FLOUR M. L. Hachey FEEDS
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CONCERNING THE McCURDY CUP

Halifax knows what limitation of students' athletic activities by Faculty restrictions means," said a U. N. B. man today, when shown Halifax newspapers' comment upon the failure of U. N. B. to play for the McCurdy Cup. "Dalhousie's failure to finish out the hockey play-off was referred to in the Halifax papers' account of the annual meeting of the Halifax City Hockey League. U. N. B. was under no obligation to play for the McCurdy Cup.

When they won the Maritime Intercollegiate Rugby title, they reached U. N. B.'s objective. Then they had an opportunity to play in the

cup final for the MacTier trophy, which they accepted. They won that cup, which meant more to U. N. B. than a whole flock of trophies in which the Halifax city leagues are interested.

"The rest of the country has applauded U. N. B.'s creditable performance, at Montreal, in winning the MacTier Cup, but unfortunately, Halifax seems to be suffering from a bad attack of what used to be known as "sour grapes." The broadcasting of the Halifax sports writers' squawks will hurt the reputation Halifax has had as one of the best sporting cities of the East more than it will injure U. N. B."

Town Topics
Tidbits on the Tip of Everybody's Tongue
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A Carload A Day
Last week carload lots of Meis' products went forward to Calgary, Edmonton, Winnipeg, Vancouver, Regina and Toronto.
Besides these there are numerous carload orders on file, including one for Charlotte-town, two for Montreal, three more for Toronto, one for St. John, and others for Maritime points running at the rate of around half a car a day.
Like something new? Ask for Orange-Cubes and Orange-Pist-apples V Iva centres in Meis' Chocolates.

NEGLECTED COLDS LEAD TO PNEUMONIA



Build strength to fight Colds Father John's medicine NO Alcohol

Bishop Tells Why Grouse Are Scarce

A Shediac correspondent to the Telegraph-Journal writes: Partridges have been scarce in Westmorland and Kent counties this fall, due mainly, it is said, to automobile parties shooting the birds in and out of season when they emerge from the woods to the main highways and by-roads early in the morning and at sunset.

Some hunters predict that the motor car means the extermination of the partridge in the Maritime Provinces, except in sections where vast wilderness exists. Bishop Richardson, of Fredericton, who was here recently expressed the opinion that illegal shooting rather than disease was the real cause of the scarcity of partridges.

Indians Fishing On Their Reserves

That the Department of Indian Affairs has exclusive right to regulate or control fishing in streams flowing through Indian reserves was laid down in a decision by Magistrate A. Phillip, of North Vancouver District in acquitting Dominic Charles, Indian, on a charge of "gaffin" fish in the Capilano River, on the Squamish Reserve.

Notice of appeal was served by the Fisheries Department, which initiated the prosecution.

In commenting on the case Magistrate Phillip said he based his decision on the fact that from the findings the Fisheries Department had no jurisdiction whatever over Indians fishing on their reserves.



High Blood Pressure is Present when Liver, Kidney are Regulated with Dr. Chases' K & L Pills

CANADA RUM'S DRIFT TO THE U. S. GAINS IN FORCE

The thirsty of the United States are consuming more Canadian hard liquor and beer than ever, despite the much heralded Canada-United States pact which has as its aim the halting of rum-running between these neighboring nations.

Canadian government figures just issued showed that the "wet goods" which passed out of Canada for illicit entry into the United States was valued at \$5,996,318 for the first six months of the government fiscal year just ended. In 1924 the value of beer and liquor which passed through the Canadian Customs offices for entry into the United States was valued at \$4,314,325. To date this year more "wet goods" has left Canada for the United States than at any time since war-time prohibition laws were passed on both sides of the international boundary line.

With the report that "big business and foremost politicians of the Dominion have been involved in international rum running and that startling developments are in the offing government figures reveal the fact that ale, beer and porter valued at \$2,370,106 crossed the border through legal clearances, while hard liquor valued at \$3,626,212 left this Dominion for the other side of the international boundary line.

The Canadian government admits that rum runners are credited with running a like amount of "wet goods" over the border. The government trade figures show that in six months 219,296 gallons of hard liquor and 1,659,802 gallons of ale, beer and porter legally left Canada for the United States.

That much of this liquor and beer fell into the hands of the United States prohibition authorities is a credited fact, but, according to officials on this side of the border, more "wet goods" than ever is crossing the international boundary line.

Rum runners admit that they are making titanic efforts to see that this Yuletide season will not be a dry one for those in the United States who would celebrate it as they did in the good old days. Much liquor and beer now are being placed at points of vantage on the St. Lawrence, Niagara, Detroit and St. Clair rivers, as well as along the Quebec and Maine frontier and on the western Canada boundary line, to be run into the United States at opportune times. The rum-runners openly assert that when the international waterways freeze up they expect to ship more of their "stuff" across the border on sleds than they have been doing on open water.

Canadians Will Visit Scotland

Montreal, Nov. 18.—The Canadian Branch of the Royal Canadian Curling Club received word here yesterday from Edinburgh, Scotland, that His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, has consented to preside at the banquet to be tendered the visiting curlers early next January at Edinburgh.

The Canadian team which is composed of thirty-six curlers embracing clubs from the Atlantic to the Pacific will leave Canada on New Year's Day, embarking from St. John N. B. on the S. S. Montrose. The team is expected to reach Glasgow on January 8.

The following curlers will represent New Brunswick.

- New Brunswick Branch—Hon. Senator Clifford W. Robinson, K. C., Moncton Curling Association; Frederick C. Beatzky, St. Andrew's Curling Club, St. John; Elbridge P. Mackay, Bathurst; Bertrald K. Shives, Campbellton; John S. Malcolm, Thistle Curling Club, St. John; Nova Scotia Branch—Dr. J. Fraser, Bridgewater; A. A. Gunn, Pictou.

PROVINCIAL DISMISSALS GAZETTED

The regular issue of the Royal Gazette contains further indication of the change in government which took place as the result of the general election of August last. A list of dismissals for cause which includes eleven offices, is prominent. These offices are distributed throughout the Province. Some of the dismissals were announced at the time of the government meeting last week.

The Gazette also is of interest as containing a list of appointments to vendorships. A list is published which covers Saint John City and eight counties. This however is evidently only a partial list as the Gazette also contains numerous notices of appointment and six counties are not mentioned. The sections to which vendors are appointed are Saint John City, Restigouche, Madawaska, York, Kent, Westmorland, Albert, Gloucester and Carleton.

In York three vendors are named, all in Fredericton. They are Hunt & MacDonald, C. A. Burchill and C. H. Forbes.

Among the appointments is that of Abram Sherwood as stipendiary and police magistrate for Hillsborough. Mr. Sherwood is a former resident of Fredericton having been manager of the Fredericton & Grand Lake Railway and also manager of the local branch of the Dominion Express Co. and C. P. R. Telegraph Co.

Harry Crocker of Moncton has resigned as superintendent of the Employment Office in Moncton.

KEATING'S KILLS BUGS, FLEAS, FLIES, ROACHES, LICE AND VERMIN. Use freely in dog kennels, rabbit hutches, etc.—to kill.

OFFICERS OF MIRAMICHI AGR. AND EXHIBIT. ASS'N.

The Miramichi Agricultural and Exhibition Association held their annual meeting and elected the following officers: Honorary President, Geo. E. Fisher; President, A. G. Dickson; Vice President, R. A. Snowball; Secretary-Treasurer, H. B. McDonald; Building and Grounds Committee, Geo. Watt, A. McLennan, Geo. Fisher; Financial Committee, Robert Murray, F. M. Tweedie, V. A. Danville; Directors J. W. Brankley, G. P. Burchill, D. S. Creaghan, H. H. Carvell, A. G. Dickson, Geo. J. Dickson, V. A. Danville, G. E. Fisher, S. D. Heckbert, J. D. Johnston, W. B. Jones, Robt. Murray, A. McLennan, H. B. McDonald, M. O'Brien, A. Ross, J. Russell, R. A. Snowball, F. M. Tweedie, G. Watt, R. D. Walsh.

The financial returns from the fair held last September were quite satisfactory, notwithstanding the fact that the weather was unfavorable during a greater part of the fair. The next fair will be held in September, 1927. The president in his address referred feelingly to the death of the late W. B. Snowball, who was president of the association at the time of his sudden demise.

Appeal By The League of Nations

Seeks Establishment of Fixed Date for Easter

An appeal for help in reforming the calendar has been dispatched throughout the world by the League of Nations, which especially craves assistance in the delicate task of establishing a fixed date for Easter.

All governments are requested to forward the views of their educational departments and the opinions of educators generally will be welcomed by the League.

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YOUR HEALTH

A few weeks ago a New England reader asked me to write about senile dementia. She told me of an unusual circumstance. In that one family the three cases of this disturbance, each patient being above 74 years of age.

My correspondent wants to know the cause and whether there is any help for this condition. She says there has been no apparent improvement from the treatment already given and wonders why.

There is an old saying that a man is no older than his arteries. There is a lot of truth in it.

Some persons grow old easily and sweetly. Others have hardening of the blood vessels, so bad sometimes as to make them brittle pipe-stems blow. If the break occurs in the brain the mind may be disturbed.

Even though the blood vessels remain elastic and fairly normal, there may be in the tissues of the brain other changes which are capable of disturbing the mind. With increasing age the brain substance may waste away and thus impair the normal action of that organ.

With the withering of the brain comes loss of memory, failure of emotional control and gradual weakening of the mind. The old-time alertness and quickness of thought disappear. Eventually the mind is like that of a little child.

As the condition progresses any peculiarities possessed by the victim become more marked. If he was quick tempered, he gets worse. If he was noisy, he becomes thunderous.

He cries and laughs, he becomes self-centered and terribly egotistical. He becomes suspicious of his family and nearest friends. Sometimes the most saintly of men may become profane and immodest. The best of husbands and fathers becomes a brute.

Not long ago an old friend of mine who has lost his mind from senile dementia sent word to me he was giving me a million dollars. Only a demented person gives me a million!

It is not surprising that several members of the same family, all well past forty, should have the same trouble. If they are closely related they are probably much alike in cell and fibre, in blood vessel equipment and in general habits. While it is an usual circumstance, I can see how it might readily happen because families.

International Paper Company Bonus

The International Paper Company is offering its employees and those of wholly owned subsidiaries seven per cent preferred at ninety dollars a share; the size of subscription depending on salary. Stock may be paid in full at any time up to January 1, 1926, may be paid in weekly, semi-monthly or monthly instalments. As an incentive to subscribers to complete purchase agreements, retain purchased stock and remain in service of company a bonus ranging from \$1 to \$5 a share will be paid January 1, 1927, to 1931, inclusive.

Further special bonuses will be paid after five years from a fund provided for forfeited bonuses. Arrangements will be made to give the subscriber paying in instalments the right to say how the stock subscribed for by him shall be voted.

THE MARITIME VOTE.

It is interesting to note that in the Maritimes the vote was divided as below.

	Conservative	Liberal
P. E. Island	23,799	25,681
New Brunswick	90,405	61,161
Nova Scotia	134,545	92,525
Total	248,749	179,367

Prince Edward Island gave a small preponderance of Liberal votes while New Brunswick gave a Conservative majority of over 29,000 and Nova Scotia of over 42,000. Out of a total vote of 428,116 the three Provinces gave a Conservative majority of 69,382.

"Big Game Hunter Lauds Canadian Rockies"



Col. Philip Moore, Princeton Graduate, big game hunter, war veteran, and mountain climber, is so well known in the Canadian Pacific Rockies that, as one guide put it, "he haunts a grizzly when it passes him and asks after its misdeeds and the cause."

Ever since Col. Moore first visited the mountainous regions of Alberta and British Columbia, he has managed to spend part of each year hunting, camping, and climbing mountains. He returned recently from a summer employed in Yoho Valley, where he added a few more miles to his 2,500 mile record on horseback as a member of the Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies.

The building of good roads through the mountains and the resultant growth in automobile traffic is a new feature which adds greatly to the interest in tourists. The opening of the Banff-Windermere road, and the road from Lake Louise to Wapta, thus making a splendid highway all the way from Calgary through the Rockies.

Horse pass and the valley of the Yoho, has given tourists glimpses of wonderful precipitous canyons topped by some of the most majestic ice-capped peaks in the Rockies.

Then, too, the growth of the bungalow camp idea has been phenomenal this season. Those whom the palatial summer hotels do not attract yield to the lure of log cabins, perched on the shore of a crystal lake, and shaded by overhanging mountain peaks. With a haversack on one's back, one may hike from camp to camp, or, if one does not carry the saddle, ride a pony along the leafy trails.

All these pleasures Col. Moore has proved, and intends to lecture this winter, as he has been doing for a number of years, about the marvellous beauty of his beloved mountains. He is not selfish. He wishes others to share the joys of the "hons trail" which has lured him into mountain fastnesses ever since he forsook the academic halls of Princeton.

PEPS

At this season everybody needs the Peps breathable tablets to ward off cold and chill dangers. As Peps dissolve in the mouth, their rich medicinal juices carry soothing and healing benefits direct into chest and lungs. Inflammation and soreness in throat or bronchitis is quickly allayed by Peps, coughs and colds are nipped in the bud, and the entire breathing system is wonderfully strengthened and fortified.

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IN BRITISH LUMBER TRADE

Signs of Improvement Are to be Seen.

(Farnworth & Jardine's Circular.)

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 1.—Surveyed generally the trading of the past month left much to be desired, though undoubtedly, there were signs of improvement, and certain varieties received more attention. Values on the whole were fairly well maintained, but prices ruling for some varieties of softwoods were on an unsatisfactory basis for shippers. Imports in the aggregate were moderate, with consumption in most cases not far behind. Stocks are reasonable.

New Brunswick and Nova Scotia Spruce and Pine Deals, etc.—The import showed an increase on the past two months, amounting to 4,670 standards, but there is a fair quantity of the month's arrivals still remaining on the Quay. Stocks stand at 11,180 standards, in comparison with 12,710 standards last year. It was difficult to arrange business for forward shipment at reasonable prices, due, in a large measure to the competition of the White Sea Stocks. Liner parcels from Hallifax were much curtailed, and recent sales were on an advanced basis. Pine Deals, etc.—Business passing was not important.

Birch—Logs—Arrivals came to hand amounting to 6,000 cubic feet, consisting entirely of Quebec Wood. There was a small consumption; leaving stocks excessive, viz., 68,000 cubic feet. The market was in a very unsatisfactory shape. Values uncertain. Planks, etc.—Arrivals were moderate. Demand quiet, and stocks increased. Values unchanged.

"USURPATION"

The King Government carried two of the nine Provinces—Quebec and Saskatchewan,—but won barely a fifth of the seats in the other seven, wherein the successes of the Liberals and Conservatives respectively were as follows:

Province	Lib.	Cons.
Ontario	12	58
Alberta	4	4
Nova Scotia	3	11
British Columbia	3	10
P. E. Island	2	2
Manitoba	1	7
New Brunswick	1	10
Totals	26	112

Premier King professed concern for "national unity" during the election campaign, and warned the country against the menace of a Government whose mandate might be derived from the East, without endorsement from the West. He accordingly offered a low tariff compromise and asked for majorities from all the Provinces. His appeal was met by a mandate to quit. His majority in the last House was wiped out, he was placed in a minority of 45 in the total membership of the House, he was deprived of his own seat, eight of his Cabinet associates were defeated and Mr. Meighen was returned at the head of by far the largest Parliamentary group, by a popular majority of about 100,000 in the country at large. Yet

ALLIES SHOWING CONFIDENCE IN GOOD WILL OF GERMANY

Important Correspondence issued by British Foreign Office Embodies Substance of Recent Decisions of Ambassadors' Conference.

REDUCE OCCUPYING FORCES

Rhineland Commission Has a Far-Reaching Plan of Reform Under Consideration, Having a Two-fold Purpose.

London, Nov. 17.—Important correspondence issued by the Foreign Office tonight embodying the substance of recent decisions of the Ambassadors' conference with Germany shows that it has not only been decided to complete the evacuation of Cologne, or the first zone, by February 20, but to proceed shortly to reduce the occupying forces in the second and third zones to conform with the pre-war strength of the German garrisons, to vacate the land and buildings, and abolish many war ordinances and restore the jurisdiction of the German courts, except in cases of a pronounced military nature. The documents emphasize that the Allies in this showing confidence in the goodwill of the German government and people are anticipating reciprocation of such confidence and goodwill. The principal documents are two notes signed by M. Briand, the French foreign minister, in behalf of the conference, dated November 14, and November 16. The former states that the conclusion of the Locarno agreements testifies to the desire animating the governments who were parties to the agreements to introduce into their relations a spirit of goodwill and confidence. Confident that the German government will reciprocate these sentiments, the note announces the decision to introduce into the occupation all alleviations compatible with the treaty of Versailles.

The note, recalling the concessions already announced, intimates that the Rhineland commission is preparing to grant large measures of amnesty on satisfactory assurances being given by Germany with regard to the position of individuals having relations with the occupying armies.

The Rhineland commission furthermore has a far-reaching plan of reforms under consideration, having a two-fold purpose—first, a considerable reduction of the number of occupying troops and, second, the taking of all measures within the framework of the Rhineland agreement to facilitate the free exercise of German administration in the occupied territories. The note indicates the advantages of the foregoing to the German population and its relations with the occupying forces—that the reduction in troops to figure approaching normal will enable the return of lands and public buildings heretofore used for billeting troops and the suppression of the system of delegates entrusted with liaison duties between the occupying troops and the German authorities. Arrangements will be made to bring within the purview of German jurisdiction certain categories of cases, which now are within the competence of military courts. Finally the ordinances in force will be revised in the same spirit of confidence and appeasement. The high commission, it is declared, has been authorized to define the views of the interested governments and take all measures necessary to bring the new regime into force and it is added that the German government will doubtless afford the commission the fullest cooperation in the execution of these measures.

Premier King clings to office. "Who was it that spoke of 'usurpation'?"

OIL-ELECTRIC LOCOMOTIVE SAID

To Release \$500,000,000 in Coal.

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—Results of service tests of a new oil-electric locomotive which performs so economically engineers declare its universal adoption by the railroads would save fuel bills of \$375,000,000 annually, were made public today at a joint conference of Ingersoll-Rand, General Electric and American Locomotive officials. Coal worth \$700,000,000 actually would become available for other purposes, they said, if old-type locomotives are everywhere replaced by their engine.

The oil-electric locomotive consists essentially of a Diesel engine which burns a low grade fuel oil; an electric generator and motors on every axle of the locomotive, and the body and chassis.

"One of the locomotives," George Doubleday, President of the Ingersoll Rand Company said, "in six days of operation handled and distributed 431 cars moving them on and off 26 car floats in 61 hours and 50 minutes actual fuel-consuming time. A steam locomotive handled 410 cars under similar conditions in 75 fuel-consuming hours and stood by with fires banked 69 additional hours, burning coal all the time.

He added that the oil-electric is so economical of fuel oil it could haul a passenger train across the continent without refueling. In addition he declared the oil-electric was smokeless, cinderless, easy to operate and as noiseless as a well-behaved auto truck.

Furthermore, the new locomotive is said to deliver an average of 25 per cent. of the energy from its fuel as compared to the 5 to 7 per cent. performance of steam locomotives. Fourteen railroads have tested the oil-electric locomotive since it was first brought out a year ago. The new locomotive has been made in 60 and 100 ton (draw bar pull) types and larger ones are under construction. The smaller type sells for \$60,000.

The oil-electric runs in either direction with equal ease and power, thus obviating turntables and other similar devices. Its "fireman" required by law, has about the same job in railroad history about the only work so far discovered for him being to ring the bell.

Prince of Wales To Visit Ireland

The question as to when the Prince of Wales is likely to make his long contemplated visit to the Irish Free States has been revived. The belief prevails that in all probability he may be expected early next year, although no official announcement has yet been made on the subject.

In connection with his visit the question also is being discussed as to how far the heir apparent to the British throne may be utilized for international considerations. Apart from his prospective visit to Ireland, it is thought that if the Locarno pact is ratified the British Government may consider it advisable before a very great while that he also pay a visit to Germany.

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THE CONFERENCE AND AFTER.

The Winnipeg conference has presented the parliament of Canada with a bill of fare which should be welcomed as a happy way out of its session difficulties. Truly representative in its character, the gathering at Winnipeg devoted its attention to the discussion of those problems which are hampering our economic development and national growth. The result of their non-partisan deliberations was the adoption of a series of resolutions which declare the remedies Canada requires to overcome existing disabilities and start her on the high road to prosperity. Passed now to Parliament these resolutions provide business for a busy session, and what is far more important at the present time, they provide the much desired opportunity for a non-contestant session, devoted solely to national welfare. As party politics was forgotten at Winnipeg so party politics should be forgotten during the Ottawa session when Winnipeg resolutions are made the basis for the legislation they demand. Just as Eastern and Western and Central Canada agreed on the measures necessary to remedy Canada's ills, so Parliament should agree to apply those remedies. It is a big programme Winnipeg has set before the country and in working out details and arranging to put in motion the machinery demanded Parliament will find itself sufficiently occupied to forget about those party issues which at other times form so important a part of the annual session. It would be a waste of time and effort to squabble over little things with such big and important issues demanding the attention of the newly elected parliament. Winnipeg has done its work well and thoroughly. The best of feelings prevailed. Everyone was conscious of the many and very great difficulties of this country of broad mileage and scant population, and everyone was conscious also that their solution calls for a new spirit of co-operation and a new spirit of conciliation. A willingness, a desire to do everything possible to promote and to develop that spirit of co-operation and conciliation animated the delegates from coast to coast and made possible the unanimity of feeling which animated the conference. From such a gathering Canada is certain to derive great benefit. Even if the immediate results are not apparent the meeting together of men active in many phases of the country's life for consultation such as was given at Winnipeg is a most helpful one. Maritime Canada is afforded the opportunity which was taken good advantage of to present some of our problems, so

units of the confederacy, and the better understanding of those problems which other Canadians thus obtained should somewhat smooth the difficult way of their solution. The Winnipeg Conference is an important milestone in Canada's national life. It now remains for the national parliament to say along what paths the next steps are to be taken. (St John Globe.)

Rheumatic People Now Find Relief

By Driving the Poisonous Acid From the System.

Rheumatism attacks people when the blood is thin and watery or charged up with impurities, thus setting up inflammation of the muscles and joints. Cold, wet weather or sharp winds may start the pains, but the cause is rooted in the blood, and to get relief it must be treated through the blood. As a blood builder and nerve tonic Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are unsurpassed, and for that reason do not fail to give relief to rheumatic sufferers when given a fair trial. Among the rheumatic sufferers who have proved the great value of this medicine is Mr. N. M. Folsy, Windsor, N. S., who says:— "My trouble started with a bad cold, the result of working in a heavy rain storm. From that it developed into rheumatism which badly crippled me and kept me confined to bed for upwards of six months. The doctor who treated me did not help me, and every friend who called to see me had something different to advise. Some of these remedies I tried, but with no better results. My legs were stiff from the hips down, and every move I made caused intense pain, and constantly I was growing weaker. Then a friend from Falmouth, who came to see me, asked if I had tried Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I had taken so much medicine without benefit that I was skeptical and said so. My friend, however, had so much faith in the pills that he got me a supply and to please him I began taking them. I had not been taking them long when I began to feel a change for the better, and I gladly got a further supply. Soon I was able to get out of bed and walk around on crutches. Still taking the pills I used in all seventeen boxes, by which time I was a well man and at work every day. Now I always keep a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in the house and if I feel an ache or pain I take them, and always with good results. I believe I would still be a bed-ridden cripple but for these pills, and I shall always praise and recommend them."

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ASK PERMISSION TO ISSUE STOCK

The petition of the N. B. Telephone Co., Ltd. dated Oct. 23, 1925 for permission to issue half a million dollars in capital stock is scheduled to be heard before the Board of Public Utilities on Wednesday morning next at 10.30. The petition recites that the company was incorporated in 1888 that supplementary letters patent were granted on September 24, 1925, increasing the capital stock to \$4,000,000 of which \$3,968,410 is now issued. The petition further says: "That your petitioner now requests authority to issue as required an amount of capital stock not to exceed \$500,000 in 50,000 shares of \$10 each; the same to be used for the purpose of paying for extensions and betterments to plant, made between June 30, 1921, and June 30, 1925 and for the further purpose of providing funds for extensions and betterments already planned for."

The Utility Board will meet in St. Stephen on Thursday next to deal with questions concerning sale of electric energy at the border.

TO REDUCE CUT OF LOGS FOR LUMBER

Curtailement of Operations in Quebec, N. B. and N. S., Says Lumbermen's Assn. Head.

WILL APPROACH RAILWAYS

Asking Reduction in Freight Rates From Eastern Canada to New England States.

Montreal, Nov. 17—As far as the number of logs cut for lumber this year in Quebec, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia is concerned there will be a 25 to 30 per cent reduction over the cut made last year: according to David Champoux, president of the Canadian Lumbermen's Association, discussing a report published yesterday from the Department of Lands and Forests which stated that a record cut of logs was expected this season. Mr. Champoux pointed out that the increase of one-third over the average cutting of the last ten years that was estimated for this year by the Department was due to the greatly increased number of logs cut for pulpwood.

"The Department's report might lead one to believe that the lumber business was thriving in this province," said Mr. Champoux. "As a matter of fact, this is not the case. The lumber industry here is in such a condition that the lumbermen of the east are meeting with the railways on Tuesday asking for a reduction in the present freight rates on lumber. The increase is to be found in the pulpwood industry."

The request which the transportation committee of the association makes this morning to representatives of the Canadian Pacific Railway, the Canadian National Railway, the Boston and Maine and the Boston and Albany Railways, is for a 25 per cent reduction in freight rates from Eastern Canada to points in New England. The New York, New Haven and Hartford Railway will be approached later. It was stated.

Competition of British Columbia and United States west coast lumber shipped through the Panama Canal to New England and the metropolitan market of New York, and laid down at a price cheaper than we can produce, led alone sell our lumber," was advanced by the president as the reason for the request for lower rates. "The water rate from British Columbia to Boston and the district is very low, and has deprived us of most of our New England market."

The Canadian market is insufficient, stated Mr. Champoux. "If we had to rely upon local markets alone we would soon be out of business."

In his desire, to correct the impression conveyed by the report of the Department of Lands and Forest Mr. Champoux said he had communicated with G. C. Piche, chief forester of the province of Quebec, and had received in reply the following telegram: "Report on lumbering operations appearing in the Montreal Gazette compares Pulpwood operations as well as those of lumber."

Mr. Champoux suggested that the Department would be asked for a more detailed statement in order to further clear up the situation.

OVERHEATING OUR HOUSES

A Doctor Declares the Cooler English Dwellings Preferable.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

The interesting, though brief discussion, which you have given to the animadversions of a Brooklyn traveler in England, directed toward British standards of comfort, concerns a subject which, in one phase at least, deserves more consideration on this side of the water. This is the matter of the winter temperature of our houses and particularly of our apartments; for if the American insists upon the adequacy of his bath-tubs—a point on which the problem of Sir William Osler, as narrated by Cushing, in getting his tubs installed at Oxford, throws an amusing light—it is nevertheless true that we have a good deal to learn about what is healthful in house heating.

It was not by chance, for instance, that the waves of respiratory disease during the war fell so lightly on the British and the French and, by comparison, so heavily on the American troops. It was a matter of individual resistance to which living conditions at home undoubtedly contributed. Nor is it by chance that when the heat is turned on in the fall so many of us promptly come down with colds, catarrh, coryza, and varying degrees and types of sinusitis.

To those of us who have noted these annoyances, and by no means harmless, infections recurring year after year in ourselves and our families and friends, the cause has quite obviously been the everyday, overhot air of our living and working quarters. They appear to manage these things better in England, and the difference lies in the methods and degree of heating. The gradual rise in the last century in America, of the level of desired room temperature from 55 Fahrenheit to an average of 70 or even 75 degrees at the present day; the transition from the direct radiant heat of the open fireplace or the open Franklin firebox to the indirect radiation of the enclosed stove, the hot air furnace and the steam and hot water systems; and, finally, the ill results of these changes, are illuminatingly discussed by Hubbard of Toledo in a recent number of The Journal of the American Medical Association.

There are two essential physical laws that control this situation; the first, that moist air conducts heat effectively, and dry air does not; and second, that when the cold air of winter, with its relatively small content of water vapor is heated, say from 20 to 70 Fahrenheit the amount of moisture is diminished excessively with a dry kiln effect as the result and characteristic action on wood-work, furniture and people.

The vicious circle results from the facts, as Dr. Hubbard puts it, that "the higher the temperature, the lower the relative humidity, and the lower the relative humidity, the more necessary it is to have a high so-called comfort temperature. The result is hypersensitiveness on the part of the occupants of the hot-house and the kiln."

The relief of this situation as Hubbard points out is an engineering problem that has not been solved, nor, apparently, ever been seriously considered as a problem to be solved, if we can keep more moisture in the atmosphere of our homes and offices we can dispense with a number of degrees of temperature and still be comfortable. This happy and healthful means was indicated by the frost window pane of an old house and was used to set the humidity in our heated rooms to a point which is to remain high.

LESLIE T. GAGHER, M. D.
New York, Nov. 23, 1925.

HAS BEEN CALLED FOR DEC. 9 AND 10

The next of the series of Inter-provincial conferences on highway and motor vehicle legislation and allied questions, held periodically under the auspices of the Canadian Good Roads' Association, has been called for December 9 and 10, with the Chateau Laurier, Ottawa, as the meeting place. This conference will be the seventh of its kind, others having been held in previous years at Winnipeg, Montreal, Quebec, Ottawa, Toronto and St. Andrews, N. B., and each has drawn a full representation of provincial highway ministers, their deputies, chief engineers and other heads on important members of highway departments, while all that held in Quebec, in 1923, four of the nine provincial premiers, were also in attendance.

Concrete results have already been effected in the securing of approximate uniformity of legislation regarding speed, fees, signals and other motor regulations, in co-operation between provincial highway departments for their mutual advantage and in the co-ordinating of highway systems, and methods of construction.

The keynote of this year's conference will be transportation, and a broadening of scope is indicated by the fact that for the first time representatives of the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada, the Canadian Pacific Railway, the Canadian National Railway and the Canadian Electrical Railway Association have

HERE AND THERE

Conditions in the fruit areas of British Columbia are reported as satisfactory. Weather conditions have been good and the trees are healthy.

According to recent reports general conditions in the Maritime Provinces are normal. Potato seedling is about complete. Trees in the Annapolis fruit districts are in good shape and estimates point to a normal crop.

A consignment of lumber from South Westchester, N.C., shipped recently at Dorval, Quebec, on the Canadian Pacific line, consisting of twenty-nine logs of Douglas Fir, some of which were so long that three flat-cars were required to carry them.

Field Marshal Earl Haig and Countess Haig travelled through western Canada to the Pacific coast over the Canadian Pacific Railway recently, after attending the conference of the British Empire Service League at Ottawa.

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PERSONALS

Miss Cora MacCullam spent the week-end with friends in St. John.

Mrs. John Ferguson, and daughter, Miss Bertha were visitors to Moncton on Friday.

Mrs. H. B. Saunders and daughter, of Moncton, were guests last week of Mrs. J. A. Legere.

Whitfield Vye and Maurice Crocker left last week for Boston, where they will spend the winter.

Mr. James Maller is a patient in the Miramichi Hospital suffering with a severe attack of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Crammond and two children returned to their home in St. George on Wednesday.

Mr. J. C. Stewart, Chief Tie Inspector, C. N. R. was in town last week on official business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Whalen of Fredericton are spending their vacation with relatives on the Miramichi.

Friends of Mr. James Allison, who is a patient in the Miramichi Hospital, will be pleased to hear that his health is improving.

Mrs. W. A. Park is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. Montgomery Campbell, Fredericton. Mrs. Park is en-route to Toronto, where she will spend the winter with her son, Frank.

Dr. F. J. Desmond who returned recently from Montreal, where he underwent a successful operation in the Royal Victoria Hospital is making a satisfactory recovery.

Mr. Andrew Flett, local customs officer left for St. John on Wednesday for treatment under the D. S. C. R. Mr. Leander Vinneau, of St. John is supplying in Mr. Flett's absence.

LOSING HEAVILY ON VENIOT GOVT. HYDRO CONTRACTS

St. John, N. B., Nov. 18.—The Hydro Transmission line between Bathurst and Newcastle was completed in 1921, at a cost of \$123,591.78 to the province.

On July 16th, 1921, a contract was made between the New Brunswick Hydro Commission and the Nepisiquit Development for the supply of electric current to the commission from the Nepisiquit at \$35.00 per h. p.

This contract was for one year with out the right of renewal.

On September 6th, 1921, the New Brunswick Commission entered into a five-year contract to supply Newcastle with Hydro at 3 cents per k. w. h. This contract can be cancelled by either party on giving one year's notice. The Newcastle contract called for a minimum supply of 400,000 k. w. h. per annum.

At the termination of the Nepisiquit one-year contract, the Commission, to furnish the Newcastle supply, was obliged to accept the offer of the Nepisiquit Development on further contract at \$75.00 a h. p., an increase of \$40.00 a h. p. over this first contract.

Under this contract, Newcastle is receiving its hydro at three cents which is costing the New Brunswick Commission 5.8 cents per k. w. h. The capital cost of the transmission line and equipment from Bathurst to Newcastle is \$123,591.78. The supply is dependent on what the commission can purchase, and the transmission line at the above cost to the province has been constructed without any provision for a supply to transmit, save the above contract. The deficit on operation of this Bathurst-Miramichi line is as follows:

TWO GAS TAX LAWS LIKELY TO BE THE SAME

FREDERICTON, Nov. 2.—There would probably be uniformity of provisions in the gasoline tax law which would be enacted in New Brunswick and that adopted in Nova Scotia, Hon. D. A. Stewart, Minister of Public Works, announced yesterday.

Already an informal conference on the subject had been held between representatives of the governments of the two provinces, Hon. Mr. Stewart said, but there was nothing certain yet as to the provisions of the two acts.

The minister said he could not say whether the tax would be two or three cents per gallon.

1923	\$8,868.37
1924	16,366.54
1925 (11 months)	10,756.19
	\$35,991.10

Cost of Power for 12 months	\$11,859.00
Cost of Transmission	11,575.37
	\$23,434.37

K. W. H. sold, 402,130 at 3c.	
Revenue	\$12,061.90

Deficit for 12 months	\$11,372.47
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To date there is a deficit of some \$35,991.10 upon which interest and sinking fund must be paid as follows:

Interest, 5.2; sinking fund, 1.8	
7% on say \$40,000.00	\$2,800.00
Annual cost of the Bathurst Hydro	23,434.37
Total	\$26,234.37

OBITUARY

MRS. JOHN SMITH.

Mrs. W. A. Touchie has received word of the death of Mrs. John Smith, which occurred at her home in Montreal, Monday. She was formerly Miss Mayme Venables, a niece of Mrs. Wm. Touchie. Her many Newcastle friends will regret to hear of her death. Mrs. Smith had been confined to her bed about a year.

Rev. R. S. Quigley, Ph. D. Inducted at Campbellton

At a largely attended meeting in the Campbellton Orange Hall last Wednesday night the Rev. R. S. Quigley Ph.D., formerly of Hopewell, N. S., was inducted into the charge of pastor of the Presbyterian Church. Several clergymen from outside points were present and a number of people from other districts also attended the service.

Rev. Mr. Craise, of Bass River, N. B. Moderator of the Presbytery of Miramichi, performed the induction ceremony. Rev. Dr. R. M. Stephenson, F. R. G. S. of Moncton, addressed the newly inducted minister while Rev. F. G. McIntosh delivered the charge to the congregation.

In his address to the minister Dr. Stephenson outlined in a comprehensive way the responsibility of the pastor to his congregation and the great opportunity for service a minister had in any community in which he was stationed. Addressing the people Rev. Mr. McIntosh emphasized the duty of every member of the congregation, pointing out not only the value, but the necessity of continuous interest and hearty cooperation in all phases of church work. His address was a thoughtful and helpful one and was listened to with keen interest by all in attendance.

A pleasing feature of the service was the presentation, after the induction ceremony by Mr. A. R. Wheeler of a full Communion Service to the Presbyterian congregation. This consisted of four trays of individual glasses and two silver bread plates. Two collection plates were also included in the gift.

Mr. Carruthers, a prominent elder of Chatham was present at the meeting and personally extended a call to the Rev. Dr. Stephenson on behalf of the Presbyterian church of Chatham and Newcastle.

A social hour followed the induction service and the ladies of the congregation served refreshments. The hall was crowded almost to the doors.

Among other clergymen present at the meeting were, Rev. A. M. Scott of Bathurst and Rev. Thos. Joplin who has recently been in charge of the Presbyterian congregation at New Carlisle. A strong delegation from Dalhousie was also in attendance. The names of the delegates follow: Messrs. B. McKinnon and Wm. McNeill and Mrs. James Connacher, Mrs. H. E. Mott, Mrs. Walker and Miss Cameron. Elder Disbry of Bathurst also attended the service.

Plan to Raise \$5,000,000 a Year

A movement launched at Genoa, to obtain yearly voluntary subscriptions of \$1 per person, to raise the five million dollars a year, which represents the first five instalments of Italy's debt to the United States, is spreading throughout the country. The coal exchanges of Milan and Genoa have invited all their members to subscribe to the debt fund and the national director of the Fascist party is expected to order all "black shirts" in Italy to subscribe.

BAY DU VIN PARTY FOUND TO BE SAFE ON FOX ISLAND

News has been received here that the five residents of Bay du Vin who left home on Monday morning and for whose safety fears had been entertained, were found Tuesday on Fox Island one of the islands in Miramichi Bay, when the boat was first seen to be in distress about noon on Monday. J. R. McMaster organized a party to go to their rescue but owing to the gathering darkness and the severity of the storm he was unable to discover any trace of the party. The search was resumed and news reached here that the party consisting of Edward Williston, Roy Williston, Wathen Williston, Heddie Williston and Douglas Johnston had been found on Fox Island.

The party had a thrilling experience. When the motor engine broke down they made sails out of several sacks that were in the boat and with these improvised sails they made Fox Island, where they spent the night.

The news of their rescue was received with much rejoicing at Bay du Vin as considerable apprehension had been felt for their safety.



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PREDICTS \$10 A BARREL FOR SPUDS BY SPRING

St. John, Nov. 17.—"Ten dollar potatoes before spring," was the prediction made here last night by Guy G. Porter of Perth one of the leading shippers of the province. He declared that the American supply of tubers was not enough for the demand even if the recent figures in the crop reports were not reduced—and he believed they would be—when the next report came out on Dec. 1.

He regretted that what competition there was came from Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island and said it was due to the lack of a Maritime association of shippers similar to the New Brunswick one. The Nova Scotia farmers and shippers had received an average of \$1 a barrel less on this account than they need have taken, he said.

The New Brunswick dealers had marketed or stored in their warehouses about one half of the crop, he said, leaving only about 50 per cent. still in the hands of the growers.

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FULL OF QUALITY
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PROHIBITION OFFICER WILL BE KEPT BUSY

J. B. Madden, deputy prohibition commissioner for Illinois authorized a local newspaper to ask its readers to report to him the names of bootleggers.

The first day's mail under the plan brought Madden the names of every minister, banker and city officer holder in Springfield. The prohibition commissioner believed the bootleggers took liberal advantage of his offer. The bootlegging industry has flourished under prohibition in many sections of the United States.

Big Timber Season In Quebec Forests

Total of 3,500 Camps and Record Cut This Winter is Expected.

Quebec, Nov. 15.—With the advance estimates of the 1925-26 cut of timber placed at the record figure of fifteen hundred million feet by officials of the Department of Lands and Forests here, indications are that the season will be one of the most active, at least so far as pulpwood is concerned, for many years past.

Reports received here show that already there are three thousand five hundred lumber camps operated throughout the province with the Lake St. John and Chicoutimi districts the centre of greatest activity.

The figures given are interpreted as meaning that there is an increase of one-third over the average cutting cut in the last ten years, and some two hundred and fifty million feet more than what was estimated to be the average for the 1920-30 period.

While these reports would at first sight indicate that the forests are being depleted and exploited to the limit information in possession of the Government shows that, on the contrary the heavy cut this year will not have the ill-effects which might be feared. The reason is that all the lumber companies are taking great care in following regulations setting the diameter of the trees which can be cut down, and also that millions of feet of burnt timber are being cut this year instead of green timber. In fact, it is learned that through the co-operation of the lumber interests, the greatest part of the timber will be preserved.

Several companies have retained physicians for their men in the camps.

wrested the revolver from Anderson and fired a shot into his body. The bandit dropped and the detective exhausted by his wound, sagged against the wall as patrolman George Thompson, attracted by the shots ran to him.

Thompson fired a shot into Anderson's body as he tried to rise, but it was the bullet fired by Hammond from the notorious criminal's own gun that killed him.

King Worrying Over Course, He Has Adopted

Ottawa, Nov. 17.—"To bring on a by-election under any conditions or circumstances in order to secure my presence in the House of Commons on the opening days of the session would be to render my colleagues and myself liable to the charge of deliberately adopting a course of procedure which would not permit of parliament assembling at the earliest practicable date, since the date of the assembling of parliament in such circumstances would immediately become contingent upon a factor for which I myself or the government would be solely responsible," states Premier MacKenzie King, in a statement issued late tonight, explaining the reasons which have caused him not to seek a seat in the House of Commons before parliament assembles.

Indicating the probability of parliament meeting next month to test and decide the contention that the government is not entitled to carry on, Premier King states that "it is obviously desirable and in every way in the public interests that all doubts in this matter should be speedily removed. Once the question of party majority is settled and adjournment of parliament can be made to enable whichever party may be entrusted with the duty of carrying on the government, time within which to conduct the necessary by-elections and have in readiness the further work of the session. Fortunately this can be arranged before the present year is out in a manner which wholly accords with the customs and practices of parliament."

No Vendorships For Three Counties

No Licenses in Queens, Sunbury and Kings.

FREDERICTON, Nov. 18. Chief Inspector Howthorne said, today, that some applications for vendors' licenses had not been received in time to be published a sufficient length of time for action at the meeting of the Government last week. It is evident, however, that there is to be a considerable curtailment in the total number of licenses in the province. It is understood that it has been decided, definitely, to issue no licenses in Sunbury and Queens counties, as before, and that Kings county has been added to the list of counties without vendorships for the time being at least.

Noted Bandit Slain in Duel With Officer

A bandit slain at Muskegon, Mich., after he had shot and fatally wounded Charles Hammond, city detective, was positively identified as Dutch Anderson, noted thug and pal of Gerald Chapman, super bandit.

Detective Hammond although fatally wounded, wrested the revolver from the bandit's hand in an alley in the shadows of the police station and then killed Anderson with the latter's own weapon.

The arrest was made after Anderson, who had \$2,200 in counterfeit \$20 bills on his person, had passed one for a box of candy at the Colonial Cafe. Suspicious of the bill, the cashier sent her brother to the bank across the street. The bill was declared a counterfeit.

Hammond was detailed to pick the man up. Finding him in the town's main business street, the detective told him to accompany him to the police station. Anderson walked beside him for several blocks and then slipped a revolver from his pocket and fired at close range, the bullet going through the detective's lung. Hammond

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TO EXPECTANT MOTHERS

Letter from Mrs. Ayars Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Helped Her

Spring Valley, N. B.—"I took the Vegetable Compound before my last confinement, when I got to feeling so badly that I could not sleep nights, my back ached so across my hips, and I could hardly do my work during the day. I never had such an easy confinement and this is my sixth baby. I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in the 'Farmer's Telegram' and wrote you for one of your books. We have no druggist in our town, but I saw your medicine in T. Eaton's catalogue. I am a farmer's wife, so have all kinds of work to do inside and outside the house. My baby is a nice healthy girl, who weighed nine pounds at birth. I am feeling fine after putting in a large garden since baby came. She is so good for the cat too. Yours is the best medicine for women, and I have told about it and even written to my friends about it." — Mrs. ANNE E. AYARS, Spring Valley, N. B.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is an excellent medicine for expectant mothers, and should be taken during the entire period. It has a general effect to strengthen and tone up the entire system so that it may work in every respect as nature intends. All druggists sell this dependable medicine. Give it a trial.

MARITIMES' DAY IN THE CONFERENCE

Winnipeg, Nov. 17.—A demand for "common justice," a fair share in the benefits as well as the partnership of Confederation and a serious consideration of their problems as a national obligation, was the dominant keynote of frank presentation of the difficulties confronting the Maritime Provinces by the leading delegates from the Maritimes at today's session of the National Economic Conference here.

A. M. Belding, Saint John, declared that there was a serious danger in adopting an attitude of unconcern toward the Maritime Provinces. Resolutions passed at the Charlotte-town conference were regarded as the Maritime's "Bill of rights." "Do not send us home feeling that we have failed in our mission," he said.

Utilization of the Maritime ports, according to D. R. Turnbull, President of the Halifax Board of Trade, was the key to national safety. "Unless Canada takes full advantage of these ports, they will dry up, and we will cease to be a nation, and would constitute a blight on the memory of those statesmen who were instrumental in bringing about Confederation. I would suggest that further expenditures on new railways and waterways, unless as feeders to main lines, should be discontinued and no further outlays be made in establishing ocean ports at unnatural and ungeographical points until such a time as Canada can afford these luxuries. Let us carry our own exports over our own railways to our seaports."

"Unity was the watchword in time of confederation, in peace time and during the war period. We are asking for unity now," declared R. K. Smith, of Amherst, N.S. "We are not appealing for unity of patriotism but unity on economic matters. We are asking for a solution of the Maritime problems as a national obligation."

Angus McLean, Bathurst, N. B., urged the conference to pledge its support to the Maritimes delegation so that they could appear before the parliament backed up by the leaders of industrial Canada.

A. D. Ganong, St. Stephen, N. B., emphasized the danger of isolating the Maritimes and development of sentiment favorable to the New England States.

Senator McArthur, Summerside, P. E. I., and L. W. Simms, Saint John, wound up the appeal and joined in the combined plea for sympathetic consideration of the Maritime position.

The Maritime delegation had not ventured forth to recite their plenary troubles or inflict local difficulties upon the conference, declared J. D. McKenna, Sussex, N. B. The promises made at confederation have not been carried out. There is no possibility of accession," Mr. McKenna emphasized.

Mr. McKenna pleaded for the diversion of Canadian freight from United States to Canadian ports. "We have the public assurance of



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Sir Henry Thornton that the National Railways wish to use the ports of Halifax and Saint John as much as possible, but except for a little election money in the recent campaign not a cent has been spent in their development. Our object should be to bring about the consummation of those ideals which inspired the fathers of Confederation.

A. M. Dollar, president of the Vancouver Board of Trade, said the Pacific trade held unlimited possibilities for the development of foundation which might be started with the end in view of establishing industry on a more scientific basis.

Addresses were also delivered by Paul E. Joubert, president of La Chambre de Commerce, Montreal and G. Henderson of the Montreal Board of Trade, respectively, dealing with the attempts directed toward the suppression of smuggling and commercial arbitration.

Assurance has been given of the organization of a Dominion Board of Trade which will function with adequate representation from all the provinces.

A. M. Dollar, president of the Vancouver Board of Trade predicted that the future centre of world's commerce would ultimately change from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and as an outlet for the agricultural produce of Western Canada, the Canadian Pacific ports were steadily expanding. In the past decade, Canada's exports to the Orient had increased nearly tenfold, while the Panama Canal had materially added to the potentialities of the Pacific trade route.

For the central area, Brig-Gen. C. H. Mitchell, of the Toronto Board of Trade, outlined the benefits that could be expected by the development of the St. Lawrence Waterway project. Free and adequate access from the sea to the interior of the country gave hope for unlimited commercial expansion in Canada. An undertaking of such great magnitude would require much discussion and authoritative recommendations before it could be launched.

Creation of a cabinet portfolio of science and an endowment fund for the establishment of research laboratories throughout the Dominion were urged by Dr. H. M. Tory, of the University of Alberta.

A Calgary delegate said the coal problem of Alberta was much the same as that of Nova Scotia and obtained the consent of the conference to the Alberta and Maritime Provinces delegates holding a joint conference on Wednesday, with the object of framing a resolution dealing with the coal situation for submission to the resolutions committee and finally to the general conference.

AUTOMOBILE PROVES PROBLEM OF R.R.'S

Private Cars Cut into Short Distance Business Outside Cities and Suburbs.

The revolution that has taken place in the United States in railroad passenger business since the termination of Federal control offers the most complex problem before the carrier officials, according to qualified observers in the financial district.

Statistics show that commutation traffic in urban and suburban areas is increasing while the number of passengers carried on the railways on other than commutation tickets is decreasing rapidly. Total earnings from passenger traffic were \$108,600,000 in July, 1921, while last July they were only \$97,650,000. The number of commutation passengers carried in July 1921 was 33,538,000, while the number carried in the same month of this year was 34,956,000. The average rate per mile paid by the commuters in July, 1921 was 1.06 cents and in July, 1925, 1.051 cents. The average journey of non-commutation passengers in July, 1921 was 54.54 miles, while in July, 1925 it had increased to 73.53 miles.

The facts that commutation business increased and that the average journey of the non-commutation passenger increased so much, railroad men say, emphasize that the bulk of the business lost has been short distance business outside urban and suburban areas. It has been taken away they explain, by the private automobile and motor bus, mainly by the former.

In spite of the increase in automobiles and the use of motor buses the number of people living in the suburbs who use railway trains is still increasing, and the number of long distance railway journeys is increasing. The acute problem of the railways is to determine what changes to make in the local passenger train service outside of cities or rather to determine what changes can be made that will be approved by the State Commissions and the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Throughout the country, persons have ceased to use local service to such an extent that it is being rendered at enormous loss. The railways could easily solve the problem by taking off trains but the persons who use their automobiles in preference to the railways, make strong objections to the regulatory bodies when such action is contemplated. They insist that they must have service when snow and ice prevent the safe operation of automobiles and buses. This makes the problem one requiring a great deal of study.

A Valuable Tip

An Englishman complained to a broker that he couldn't get back a loan of one hundred pounds from a debtor. Being advised to sue, the unlucky creditor had to confess that he had no note or other written acknowledgement of the debt.

"Write to him," said the financier, "and tell him that you must have your two hundred pounds back at once."

"But it was only one hundred pounds," objected the other man. "Exactly. He will write back, and then you will have your acknowledgement."

SENATOR REQUIREMENTS

A Senator must be a British subject, thirty years of age; must be possessed of real property, free of all encumbrances to the value of \$4,000; must be a resident of the province to which he is appointed. The Senate as constituted at present is: Ontario, 24; Quebec, 24; Nova Scotia, 10; New Brunswick, 10; P.E. Island, 6; Manitoba, 6; British Columbia, 6; Saskatchewan, 6; Alberta, 6. Total Senators 96.

Preaches as a Pal, Not as "Highbrow"

Course of Vicar of St. Paul's Church, Kingston-on-the-Thames.

KINGSTON-ON-THAMES, Nov. 1.—If the parishioners of St. Paul's church, Kingston Hill, desire intellectual stuff in the pastor's sermons, they have been told to go to someone else. But if they want a pal, the Rev. A. Wellesley Orr, the Vicar, has asked them to come to him.

"The Archbishop of Canterbury advised me that the mistake I have been making is that I look upon my people, who have to listen to my sermons, as just ordinary men and women," said the Vicar. "I was reminded that you are my intellectual superiors, who need from me far more than I have ever given you."

"You have learned to play the piano, to knit jumpers, and by wireless you have been brought into contact with the most intellectual subjects. You have a motor car, and so you have travelled. You visit the movies once or twice a week and see the intellectual Charlie Chaplin. You have made such advances that you can easily spot the winner in the 230 horse race almost any afternoon."

"I have not time for these intellectual things."

The Vicar believes men and women go to church seeking ideals.

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Baby's Own Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Icebergs

An experienced Scottish captain of whalers, writing from the coast of Fife to an exchange respecting an article of icebergs says that omissions from the uses of icebergs which should be mentioned are, first that the breaking away of icebergs from the ends of glaciers prevents undue accumulation of ice in the Polar regions.

Then, also, the icebergs are of great use to navigation because, though they are themselves dangerous, they break up the ice-flows, and allow the broken floes to drift out to the open ocean where they quickly disappear. In fact they help to open the way to the Polar waters.

EAT TURNIPS.

An Ontario authority says the high price of potatoes makes it desirable to eat turnips instead two or three days a week. He declares: "Nearly everybody likes turnips if cooked properly. The following recipe for cooking one medium-sized turnip may be helpful: Boil rapidly 45 or 60 minutes in just enough water to

A tea your grocer recommends is usually good tea

RED ROSE TEA "is good tea"

And most grocers recommend it.

Here and There

This year's receipts from motor vehicles licenses in New Brunswick already amount to \$422,000. This amount is larger than the total for any year, except last year when the gross receipts for the whole twelve months were \$452,489. The estimate for the present year is half a million.

The mines and quarries of the Province of Quebec produced to the value of \$18,952,896 during 1924, according to the final report issued by the Provincial Department of Mines. Building materials account for \$11,380,977; other non-metallic minerals \$7,191, and metallic minerals \$380,804.

"In the Cascades and falls of the Canadian Rockies there is enough hydro-electric power to supply the American west with all the electric energy it will need for ages to come," declared W. Paxton Little, treasurer of the Niagara Falls Power Company, who recently visited Banff with a party of distinguished American electrical magnates.

That the Province of Quebec abounds in historic and romantic material for the construction of popular novels, is the judgment of two popular writers—James Oliver Curwood, author of scores of best sellers, and Edwin Balmer, well-known short story writer—who have recently toured the province and Western Canada in quest of "local color."

There has been an unusual distinction conferred upon Prof. Camille Couture, a Montreal musician, who, besides being a violinist is also a maker of violins. He has been honored with a medal and diploma from the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley for a magnificent violin of his make, which he exhibited there.

In order to dispel the existing impression in England regarding the coldness of the Canadian climate, five thousand peony blooms are being distributed at the Canadian Pacific Railway Pavilion at the British Empire Exhibition. These plants were produced by W. Ormiston Roy, of Montreal, who states that peonies are the best landscape flower and can be grown in all parts of Canada, irrespective of climatic conditions.

Hon. W. G. Nichol, Lieut.-Governor of British Columbia, and D. C. Coleman, Vice-President of the Canadian Pacific Railway, opened Crystal Gardens, the new and unique indoor salt-water swimming pool at Victoria, B.C., recently. This amusement centre, which has two dancing floors, a gymnasium, art gallery and tea-rooms, is regarded as the largest and finest of its kind on the continent.

Being exceeded only by Mexico and the United States, Canada now ranks third among the silver producing countries of the world. Records of Canadian production have been kept since 1858 and show a total recovery of 451,000,000 fine ounces to the end of 1923. In 1924 production was slightly in excess of 20,000,000 ounces. During 1858-1923 the value of production totalled \$290,705,532, while for last year it amounted to \$13,519,043.

The first lot of buffalo, numbering some 200, to be transferred from the Wainwright Park to the new Buffalo Park, north of Edmonton, left Wainwright, Alberta, recently. For some time past the herd at Wainwright had been growing too rapidly and the Federal authorities decided to ship a number to the Buffalo Park to determine whether or not they can acclimate themselves in the southern area. Altogether two thousand buffalo, in lots of two hundred each, will be shipped to the Buffalo Park.

avoid burning, and do not pour any juice off. Add salt, pepper, half teaspoon sugar, quarter cup milk and one tablespoon butter or quarter cup of good cream. Mash until smooth and serve hot."

Here and There

Basking in brilliant autumn sunshine, the coast of British Columbia offers a striking contrast to the severe winter weather already making itself felt in other parts of Canada. On the Coast, golf courses are crowded, the ocean is dotted with figures of bathers taking their daily dip, and pleasure craft still ply the waters.

One hundred thousand dollars' worth of Black Fox puppies were shipped to Antwerp on the Canadian Pacific liner "Iceta" recently. In specially built cages they will be conveyed by the Dominion Express across Europe to the farm in Switzerland where they will form the nucleus of a breeding establishment.

Another instance of foolishness. A recent report from Hull is to the effect that an automobile, travelling at high speed, crashed through both gates at the Chelsea Road level crossing just as they were being lowered to stop traffic so that a light engine should pass. The automobile smashed its way over the tracks barely two feet ahead of the locomotive.

Arthur Edward Shave, in the employ of the Canadian Pacific Railway since August 13, 1908, when he was appointed clerk in the office of the Treasurer, has been appointed assistant treasurer of the company. Mr. Shave became assistant chief clerk in the office of the Treasurer in 1915 and was promoted Chief Clerk in 1919.

The apple is a typical Canadian fruit and among the finest grown in the Dominion. It is incomparable as a Christmas gift for friends and relatives in Great Britain. In order to facilitate shipments, the Dominion Express Company are offering special rates. Standard boxes containing about 150 and standard barrels holding about 275 will be sent from Quebec or Montreal up to the close of navigation to any station on a railroad in Great Britain or Ireland at a cost of \$3 and \$6, respectively.

To perpetuate the memory of the late P. Alexander Peterson where engineers in this part of the country gather, a portrait of the famous engineer, done in oils by the late Robert Harris, Canadian artist, is to be hung in the Engineering Institute on Mansfield street. The late Mr. Peterson, former engineer of the Canadian Pacific Railway, took a leading part in the railway construction in Eastern Canada during the latter part of the last century.

According to a report just issued from Canadian Pacific Railway headquarters, an average of one instance of gross carelessness on the part of automobilists every seventeen days is the record during the last three years and two months in connection with level crossings in New Brunswick, Quebec, Ontario and the Algoma districts. These instances number 69 from September 1, 1922, to October 31 last, or a period of 1,157 days. They resulted in injuries to 53 persons, of whom two died.

Creation of a new industry in Western Canada covering a product which is now imported into this country to the value of about five million dollars annually is foreshadowed by the samples of hemp now on display at the Windsor Station, Montreal, according to G. G. O'Manney, Development Engineer, Canadian Pacific Railway. Mr. O'Manney stated that considerable work had already been done in the West of Canada towards the creation of such an industry. Efforts to promote companies have been made in recent months and there is no doubt that fine stands of hemp can easily be grown in certain districts.

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UNION ADVOCATE

Local and General News

GARAGE COMPLETED.
Messrs. Somers and Ramsay have completed the garage on Castle Street for Messrs. W. S. Anderson & Co. Mr. Alvin Morrison will occupy the building.

SWORN IN AS ATTORNEY
Among the six attorneys sworn in as barristers at the November sitting of the Supreme Court at Fredericton on Friday was Vincent J. McEvoy, D. L. D. of Newcastle.

WILL RECEIVE THURSDAY.
Mrs. W. Harold Davidson will receive for the first time since her marriage on Thursday afternoon, November 26th, from three thirty until six o'clock at the residence of Mrs. James W. Davidson.

BY-ELECTION IN BAGOT.
Writs for a by-election in Bagot, made necessary by the death of the elected Liberal member, J. E. Marcell, were issued on Wednesday. Nomination Day will be on Monday, November 30th, and polling on Monday, Dec. 7th.

DOUBLE-HORNED MOOSEHEAD.
The double-horned moosehead which was obtained in Charlotte County by Charles Lee a few days ago, is now at the taxidermist, Fredericton. The head has been inspected by many since its arrival. It now is the property of the Department of Public Works.

1926 LICENSE PLATES
The number plates for the registered motor vehicles of New Brunswick for the year 1926 have arrived and are now being stored preparatory to issue in December. Cars may not bear the plates until Jan. 1. As usual a change in color is made. The plates are black ground with white numerals and letters.

NEW TRIAL GRANTED.
In Edward A. Barry, respondent, and L. Rubenstein, appellant, Chief Justice Hazen delivered judgment granting a new trial. This case was tried in Northumberland County and concerned an action by Barry against Rubenstein for damages because his car piled up in a ditch while trying to avoid striking Rubenstein's horse and carriage in the middle of the road. Barry won the action.

LATHS FOR FLORIDA.
A most pronounced demand at Miami, Florida, for laths is reported and a considerable number of charters are said to have been put through for their carriage to this point. The lath market is said to be exceedingly brisk and there is promise that the market will continue for some time. The Miami market is a new one.

Either Kind Stops Coughs

Buckley's Mixture "Strong" or "Modified" will stop your cough or cold. Buckley's "Strong" is the same efficient remedy you have used before. Buckley's "Modified" differs in taste only. Made for those who find medicines distasteful, particularly the children.

Both Mixtures act like a flash on coughs, bronchitis or any affection of throat, chest and lungs.



FLAGS AT HALF-MAST
Flags are flying in Newcastle at half-mast, to mark the passing of the Beloved Queen-Mother Alexandra.

OYSTER SUPPER.
The Ladies Aid of St. John's Church (Methodist) will hold an Oyster Supper in the basement of the Church on Friday, Nov. 27th, from 5 to 7 o'clock.

PRESBYTERIAN SOCIAL
The Chatham Presbyterian Congregation are holding a Social in the Masonic Hall, Chatham, on Thursday evening, Nov. 26th. Rev. Dr. Stevenson will give a lecture on the South Sea Islands, where for years he was a missionary. Musical numbers will be rendered and luncheon will be served. The Newcastle Presbyterians have been extended a cordial invitation.

STEAMER BROKE PROPELLOR
The Str. "Miramichi" broke her propeller on Saturday, when it struck against one of the logs protruding from the wharf at Oak Point. The steamer was towed to Chatham and will be placed on the slip for repairs and will remain for the winter. The Str. "St. Nicholas" will take the down river trip until the close of navigation.

WRITS SERVED.
On Saturday, High Sheriff W. A. Skidd of Chatham, served writs of the minister and members of the Session and Board of Trustees of St. James' United Church, Newcastle, N. B., issued on complaint of pew-holders, communicants and others, who are non-concurring in the matter of Church Union. The matter will come up before the Chancery Division of the Supreme Court of New Brunswick for trial.

SUFFERED PAINFUL INJURIES
Mr. Frank McNeil, baggage master at the C.N.R. depot here suffered painful injuries to his foot on Friday afternoon, while unloading a car of iron heaters. He was taken to the Miramichi Hospital where an X-Ray was taken and it was found that several bones had been broken. The injured member was placed in a plaster-paris cast by Dr. J. A. M. Bell, who is the attending physician and the patient was removed to his home, where he is resting as comfortably as possible. Mr. McNeil will be confined to the house for several weeks.

"SERVICE AT DERBY"
One of the largest congregations ever seen in "Ferguson Presbyterian Church at Derby gathered there on Sunday evening to hear the Rev. David Williamson give a very able discourse on "Eighteen years in Nazareth." One very pleasing feature of the service was a solo entitled "Beyond the Dawn" by Mr. Williamson who has an exceptionally fine voice. Miss Bertha Ferguson presided at the organ in a very efficient manner.

Rev. Mr. Williamson, who came from Hamilton, Ont., intends remaining some time in Derby and at the Christmas services intends having some special music.

PRESBYTERIAN SERVICE.
Last Sunday evening the Newcastle Opera House was well filled by St. James' Presbyterian Church Congregation. Rev. Dr. Stevenson conducted the service and delivered an able and scholarly address, which was listened to with interest. In his sermon the reverend gentleman pointed out many biblical truths, which by some were considered myths. Next Sunday morning Dr. Stevenson will hold service in the Opera House, Newcastle, N. B. at 11 o'clock, at which service his subject will be "Presbyterianism and the Covenanters." The public is cordially invited to attend.

BLACKVILLE SCHOOL STANDING FOR OCT.

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT
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Stewart Walls, Mona Berry, Hazel Williston, Lillian Conners, Gordon Stewart, Clara Underhill, Robert Washburn, Connele McLaughlin, Stanley McLaughlin, Willie Calford.
Pupils making 75 per cent or over.

GRADE II. CLASS A.
Lola Grady, Rosie Duncaq, Harold Moody, Jennie Doolan, Burton Underhill, Alcysius Vickers, Janie Walls, Phyllis Calford.

GRADE II. CLASS B.
Edith Calford, Louis Underhill, Irene Davidson, Violet Burns, Theodore Calford, Helen Crawford.

GRADE III.
Pupils making 75 per cent or over.
Rita Underhill, Borden Underhill, Marle Jordin, May Corney, Barry Ross.

INTERMEDIATE DEPARTMENT
Miss MacRae.
In order of merit:—

GRADE III.
Sheldon Conners, Jean MacDonald, Elizabeth Carter.

GRADE IV.
Priscilla Underwood, Sidney Walls, Lawrence Vickers, Marven Mutch, Richie MacRae, Louis Jardine, Helena Underhill, Kathleen McPhail.

GRADE V.
Constance Brophy, Esther Walls, Audrey Libons, Jessie MacDonald, Jean Alcorn, Bernetta McLaughlin, Annie Layton, Barry MacKenzie, Harry Stephens.

Gerald Grady, Louise Walls, Lawrence Stephens, Belle McCarthy, Madeline McLaughlin, Shirley MacRae, Allan Williston, Jean Libons, George MacIntyre.

INTERMEDIATE DEPARTMENT
L. A. WALLS.
Pupils making 75 per cent or over.

GRADE VI.
Helen Alcorn, Jennie McLaughlin, Alberta Alcorn, Liah Dolan, Francis Calford, Clayton Ross, Royce Walls, Ralph Underhill, Linda Williston.

GRADE VII.
Dorothy Mountain, Mae Walls, Janie Ross, Jennie Walls, Lydia MacLagan, Reg. Lebeans, Henrietta Brophy, Charles Conway.

ADVANCED DEPARTMENT.
L. R. Steeves.

GRADE IX.
(Ruth Underhill, Greta Savoy, Borden Johnson, Sterling Walls, George Vickers.) Jennie Burns, Henry MacCarthy, Jennie MacCarthy.

GRADE X.
Shirley Haines, Wilton Burns, Clarence Underhill.

GRADE XI.
Kathleen Underhill, Helen Stewart, Eva Sturgeon, Harold Ross.

MARKING SALMON.
The Department of Marine and Fisheries has marked a considerable number of Atlantic salmon, by attaching silver tags to their dorsal fins for the purpose of tracing the movements of these fish. A salmon that was marked and liberated off Burns Point, Port Maitland, Yarmouth county, Nova Scotia, on June 11 of this year was killed in the Moisie river, Quebec, in the early part of July. If this fish took the most direct route it travelled about 800 miles, but if it followed the larger indentations of the shoreline it travelled over 1,300 miles.

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A community grows in proportion to the support it receives from its own people. We have no chance to improve or expand if we send our money elsewhere. And in many cases the person who can "do better away from home" loses a dollar to save a penny.

At home you can see what you are buying. The home merchant can't afford to be otherwise than honest in his offerings for he must depend on the support of the community if he is to make living. And if you are disappointed in merchandise bought at home you can easily secure an adjustment. The home merchant wants your patronage, and rather than lose it he will generally take a loss himself in order that he may retain a satisfied customer. On the other hand the outside merchant is content to sell you once, though he may hope for a future order. The point is that he is not personally interested in you, and does not feel it wise to go to any loss of time or expense to preserve your good will.

Keep your money circulating in Newcastle and it will eventually return to your own pocket again. Buy early and not only have a wider range of selection but make it easier for those who serve you.

Antique Dealer Fooled Police

NEW YORK, Nov. 19—Twenty-six detectives and uniformed policemen yesterday officiated at the birth of New York's newest mystery. In close ranks, so close as the automobiles and motor cycles would permit, they escorted from the Hoboken dock of the German Lloyd liner Berlin, to the Hotel Vanderbilt a personage they had been ordered to protect against possible assault. They knew nothing about him save that he merited a larger police escort than any other visitor since the Prince of Wales and King Albert of the Belgians.

At the Vanderbilt, the personage was more communicative. Having been saved from the undivided danger, he warmed up to interviewers and announced: First, that he was Rachid Montran Pasha, an Arabian; second, that the custom agents had opened his luggage labelled Prince Rajah II, and had appraised his collection of old paintings, furniture and rare jewels, at five million dollars, and third, that he would offer his objects of art for sale to any one having good money.

As he bowed his callers out with Oriental finesse he requested to be remembered to all who had contributed towards making his American debut so noteworthy, and the only part of the mystery that remained unsolved was how he had convinced police headquarters that an antique dealer needed a police escort.



SUCCESSFUL BID IS HIGHEST OF EIGHT RECEIVED FOR ISSUE

FREDERICTON, Nov. 20—Hon. A. J. Leger, Provincial Secretary-Treasurer, on authority of an order-in-council accepted the bid of \$8,775 for \$2,275,000 Province of New Brunswick refunding debentures, issued for a term of three years, principal and interest payable in the United States or in Canada. The bid was a group bid made by Dominion Securities Co., Ltd., and Dillon, Read & Co. It was the highest of eight bids made by groups of financial houses.

The bond issue is the first made by the province since the recent change of administration and marks the return to interest rate or 4 1/2 per cent by this province. The issue is largely for refunding purposes.

This issue takes up a ten-year issue made in 1915 which cost the province at the rate of 5.67 per cent per annum as against 4.95 per cent per annum now payable, a difference of .72 per cent, which makes a saving of \$16,380 per year.

The province on Dec. 1st will redeem \$127,000 permanently. That amount will represent bonds issued for Imperial contributions to the amount of \$120,000 and \$7,000 for the Normal School annex. This redemption will lessen interest payment by \$6,350 yearly.

It is anticipated that at the end of the three-year term the province will be able to issue a loan for a longer term at 4 1/2 per cent. par.

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