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THE ROYAL COMMISSION IN SUMMERSIDE YESTERDAY

The Royal Commission arrived in Summerside from Charlottetown on yesterday morning's train. They were met at the station by a committee of the Board of Trade who had terms waiting to convey them on an outing to the surrounding country. The party drove to Lot 16 where an examination was made of the oyster beds returning to Summerside about one p.m. the members of the Commission expressing themselves as highly delighted with the comfortable appearance and general prosperity of the locality through which they visited.

two years and also President of the Central Institute. Our Seed Fair has been in operation about six years. At these Fairs we get men to give lectures and illustrations which are very instructive. There were about seven hundred entries for competition at the last fair, the prize list was about \$600. He thought the Seed Fairs were more educational than the Provincial Fairs and anything that will bring farmers together could not help but have good results. In the selection of good seeds the interest has been remarkable, although the children do not take the interest they should in this work. He thought that the boy who was so excited on the farm required more education than the one who went to College. He was of the opinion that the Agricultural needs of the community could be better advanced by illustrations and experiments than by talking. The boys should know more about their work on the farm and more enthusiasm should be needed among them. He thought that the present school system was tending to educate the boy of the farm instead of for it. He thought it was absolutely necessary to teach and talk nature study among the young and more of this branch should be taught in the schools. He thought that the present school system was tending to educate the boy of the farm instead of for it. He thought it was absolutely necessary to teach and talk nature study among the young and more of this branch should be taught in the schools.

of eleven cows yearly, also sell hogs, horses and fruit, but the principal income was derived from the live stock. His farm was decidedly more fertile since taking up dairymaking due to the increased manuring and better care of the farm. He found that farming paid him and that any particular line of farming which has been made a success had a good effect on that locality. Horace Wright, Lower Bedouque, said he was a farmer working about 200 acres of land and had no special line of farming. Had been farming for himself for about six years. Had attended the short course in Truro from which he thought good results were obtained. There was no nature study taught at P. W. C. when he was there. There was some agriculture taught, but very little. He said an illustrated farm in any locality was a fine thing, and if more instructions in the way of speaking and experiments could be had by the farmer he would be better results would be found. He was in favor of Consolidated Schools although he found considerable opposition to these schools, principally on account of the increase in expense but he did not think the farmers of P. E. Island paid enough for education. Wilfrid Bouter, inspector of schools for Prince county, was next called. He said he was formerly principal at Tryon and while there had charge of the school garden, which was conducted by the pupils who spent in all about half a day a week on the garden. He thought that a school garden, if properly conducted would be a grand thing for any country school.

CARDIGAN YET CONSERVATIVE

Fine weather smiled upon the contestants and electors in the by-election in the Cardigan District yesterday. The District is ordinarily a close one and this fact, together with the narrow margin between the two parties in the Legislature lent a strong interest to the contest. The opening of the polls found both parties hopeful. The Liberals of winning the seat and the Conservatives of retaining it. By-elections have a tendency to go in favor of the party in power and the Liberal confidence, based partly on this fact, was strengthened by the belief that they had in Mr. Nelson a stronger and more acceptable candidate than at the general election in November, 1908. The Conservatives were equally confident and were well satisfied with their candidate, Mr. Dewar, who had not, however, as Mr. Morson had, the advantage of having been several times over the course.

John Anderson, Kensington, was next called. He said I am Secretary of the P. E. I. Dairy Association. The total value of the products of the factory in this Association last season was \$502,000 and in all probability this year's output would value about \$600,000. He said the cheese of P. E. I. ranks, as far as he knows, as high as any Canada, but they had one drawback, that of transportation of their products to the markets, it costing a quarter per cent more to market our cheese than that from the other provinces. He thought that with dairy farming, the fertility of the soil, the better and more money was taken out of the land than from any other branch of farming, but there are some improvements still needed—such as better cows, and a better care of milk would make a great improvement in this branch of farming. He thought the total prohibition of the marketing of inferior products would be a grand thing. The only suggestion he could make would be for a further continuance of the grants for educational work on dairymaking, and such to be under the control of the association. Frank Glydon, Margate, was the next witness. He said I farm about 100 acres and for the past ten years have made a specialty of dairymaking and find the farm gives better crops since that time. I keep 25 cows and 225 pounds butter per cow per year, realizing about \$600. I also sell about twenty hogs per year, which average about \$15 each. He thought that dairy farming was the best way to farm and did not know of any other way of farming that could not do equally as well as he had if they followed up the same line of farming as he did. He said he believed that technical education for children would be a great advantage as he had to acquire his knowledge gradually during the last twenty years. Walter Lea, Victoria, was next called and said he cultivated 120 acres of land and makes a specialty of dairy farming. I milk an average

Table with 4 columns: Name, 1910, 1908, 1906. Rows include Baldwins Road, Victoria Cross, 18 Mile Brook, Cardigan, Lorne Valley, Rosneath, Montague, Dundas, Glenfanning, Total, Majority for Dewar, Majority for Morson.

operation, and as it is for and in the interests of the general public we feel justified in petitioning your Council for exemption from all taxes on the property, building, machinery, plant, stock etc. in connection with the business, for a period of ten years, and that the assessment for taxation purposes shall not exceed Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) for the succeeding ten years. The conditions are so well known to your Council that it is unnecessary for us to go into further detail. Soliciting your favorable consideration we await your reply. Yours truly, DAVIS & FRASER.

DAVIS & FRASER AND THE CITY COUNCIL

Has the City Council treated Davis & Fraser and the Island Cold Storage Co. Ltd. fairly, or is it up to the citizens to demand justice for this enterprise? We contend we were misled until the intended exemption denied—Let the correspondence speak for itself and the citizens be the judges. DAVIS & FRASER, Island Cold Storage Co. Ltd., Charlottetown, P. E. I., Aug. 11, 1909. His Worship the Mayor, and Members of the City Council.

every way possible and in conjunction therewith to equip and operate a modern Cold Storage Plant, for Public use; all of which should result to the material advantage of the Agricultural interests of the Island, and indirectly result to the employment of labor and the facilities afforded for the storage of surplus products etc. etc. It must be plainly evident to your Council that unless this Plant is utilized now it will be dismantled and repaired, and there would hardly be a possibility of its being replaced in the future. You will realize that the equipment of a Cold Storage entails a large outlay of Capital, and as the revenue therefrom for some years is not expected to more than cover the cost

CONSERVATIVES OF COLCHESTER

Special to The Guardian. COLCHESTER, August 10.—The Conservative Club met to nominate candidates for the provincial Legislature and chose George Stewart and Frank Stanfield.

TO REMOVE THE CATTLE EMBARGO

Special to The Guardian. LONDON, August 10.—The Canadian Associated Press understands that renewed efforts will be made to induce the government to remove the restrictions on Canadian cattle.

MANITOBA WILL BUY ELEVATORS

Special to The Guardian. WINNIPEG, August 10.—It is understood that the Manitoba Government has decided upon the policy of buying all the elevators offered to the elevator commission in arbitration, and has appointed an arbitrator to represent the commission in all negotiations.

THE REBEKKAS ELECT OFFICERS

Special to The Guardian. TRURO, August 10.—Rebekkah Assembly held session today and installed officers as follows: Miss Mary Esery, Ch'town, President; Mrs. Mary Matheson, Springhill, Vice-President; Mrs. Annie Grant, New Glasgow, Warden; Mrs. Mary McKean, Antigonish, Secretary; Mrs. Janet McGowan, Moncton, Treasurer.

MILLION DOLLAR FIRE IN BOSTON

BOSTON, Aug. 10.—Causing damage estimated at about \$1,000,000 in the lumber yard and wood-working section in the south end, and necessitating the calling of the first general alarm in years, the fire field came directly to the headquarters of the fire department of the city of Boston. The fire broke out at about 10 o'clock P. M. in a building on the corner of South Street and the fire spread rapidly.

CHICAGO MARKETS

Table with 2 columns: Commodity, Price. Rows include July Wheat, September Wheat, July Corn, September Corn, September Pork.

THE RIFLE COMPETITION AT KENSINGTON YESTERDAY

Good weather conditions again greeted the marksmen for the second day of the P. R. A. meet. The light was good and a steady wind blew across the range. Excellent scores were made at all the ranges—particularly the 800, many tyros averaging over 100.

BANKERS' MATCH.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Score. Rows include Weeks W. A., McKinnon J. A., Brown W. R., etc.

CANADA'S CLAIM TO HUDSON BAY

Special to The Guardian. LONDON, August 10.—The Morning Post, reviewing the history of the ownership of Hudson Bay, says Canada possesses an indisputable and clearly defined claim to the bay and the adjoining regions.

CRIPPEN WILL BE SENT BACK

Special to The Guardian. QUEBEC, August 10.—Dr. Crippen and Miss LeNave are to be deported on the steamer Royal Edward, on which the Scotland Yard officers are coming to Quebec.

DR. CRIPPEN AND COMRADE TO MAKE A STRONG FIGHT

QUEBEC, Aug. 10.—Ethel LeNave received yesterday a cablegram from her father, signed "Dad," urging her to maintain the strictest secrecy, and informing her that money for her defence and Crippen's was being supplied by a famous London newspaper.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

WANTED at once two smart girls to learn dressmaking. Miss Roper, 37 Passmore St. 8-1131p. SALE of furniture Friday the 12th at one o'clock P. M. at my sale room 169 Queen St. A. Boiscar, Auctioneer. 8-1122p.

a beautiful Candelabra for one year. It is at present held by Mrs. (Dr.) Jenkins. The following scores are subject to correction as the carbon copy received was so indistinct that the different scores could not be read.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Prize. Rows include Weeks W. A., McKinnon J. A., Brown W. R., etc.

JUDSON TYRO MATCH.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Total. Rows include Lohr A. W., McKenzie Cylar, Prichard J. H., etc.

TYROS.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Score. Rows include Doyle A., May B., Patterson C., etc.

PROWSE MATCH.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Total. Rows include Landrigan J., Moore J. A., Jones J. M., etc.

MAINE MAN ACCUSED OF DOUBLE MURDER.

AUBURN, Me., Aug. 9.—Handcuffed to a deputy-sheriff, Louis Gauthier, who is a prisoner at Auburn jail, taken to his dying wife's bedside at St. Mary's Hospital this forenoon. The woman recognized her husband but was too weak to talk. Gauthier was taken back to jail and his wife died this afternoon. She was twenty-one years old and leaves a thirteen-months' old daughter. Gauthier is accused of having caused the death of Napoleon Baudette, whose skull was fractured from a fall caused, it is charged, by a blow dealt by the prisoner.

RAILWAY BUILDINGS AT CAMPBELLTON, N.B.

OTTAWA, Aug. 10.—The work of the reconstruction of the roundhouse and shops at Campbellton, which were destroyed in the recent conflagration will be commenced without delay. The buildings will cost at least a quarter of a million dollars. Tenders will be called at once.

CONTRASTS

A man in his carriage was riding along. A gaily dressed wife by his side, in satin and laces she looked a queen. And he like a king in his pride. A wood sawyer stood on the street as they passed. The carriage and couple he eyed, and said as he worked with his saw on a log, "I wish I was rich and could ride."

Whose face as the morning was fair, Went tripping along with a smile of delight. While humming a love-breathing air. She looked on the carriage, the lady she saw, Arrayed in apparel so fine, And said in a whisper "I wish in my heart, Those satins and laces were mine."

The lady looked out on the maid with the wash, So fair in her calico dress, And said, "I'd relinquish position and wealth. Her beauty and youth to possess." Thus it is in the world and ever our law. Our minds and our time we employ, In longing and sighing for what we have not, Ungrateful for what we enjoy.

SAUSALITO, Cal., Aug. 9.—A report to the train despatcher's office of the wreck on the Northwestern Pacific, near Ignacio, places the dead and injured at 25. A relief train, carrying the victims is expected to reach San Rafael soon. Thirteen are dead and twelve injured in the Northwestern Pacific wreck at Ignacio, according to figures furnished by the despatcher's office.

LASCAR SAILOR RESCUED AT SEA FIGHTING A SHARK. BOSTON, Aug. 9.—The next time Syed Mahommed wants a sea bath, he will take a sharp look at the ocean before he jumps in. If he sees any sharks, he probably will remain on dry land. Syed is a Lascar sailor and he shipped at Calcutta on board the steamer Kabinga, which reached this port today. When the vessel was passing through the Red Sea, Syed became crazed by the heat and late one night he jumped overboard. The steamer was stopped, but no trace of the Lascar could be found and the Kabinga proceeded.

Several hours later the steamer Trafford Hall came over the same course and spotted a man in the water. It was Syed, and with a long dirk in his hand he was fighting a terrific duel with a twenty-foot man-eating shark. A boat was lowered, the wounded shark dived and Syed was rescued. He declared he had been fighting the shark for more than an hour. The Trafford Hall came up with the Kabinga at Suez and Syed rejoined his ship. The other Lascars, on catching sight of him, thought he was a ghost and ran yelling over the gangplank to the wharf and into the town. The vessel was delayed for a day while Captain Smith was rounding up his crew.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere