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COL. HUGHES LEFT FOR ENGLAND

(Canadian Press) OTTAWA, Aug. 22.—Col. Sam. Hughes left this afternoon on a trip to England. At Montreal he was joined by members of the outside militia who will accompany him. There are 22 in the party and they will be absent five weeks. After witnessing the manoeuvres at Aldershot they will visit the defence works and armament establishments, while the minister himself will visit the continent to study the remount question. A number of prominent militia men were at the Central Station to say goodbye to the minister and party.

SEVERE STORM IN SAULT STE. MARIE

(Canadian Press.) SAULT STE. MARIE, Aug. 22.—Struck full force by a small cyclone which cut a swath across the county last evening which heralded one of the worst electric storms in years. The new \$60,000 coal unloader, constructed two hours previous, was blown down at the New Ontario dock this morning, and a worthless mass of twisted steel. The wind rushed over the dock tearing up trees, none being left standing while windows galore were torn down. The first blow struck at eight o'clock. The structure tottered a moment and then fell.

YACHT RACE NOW CERTAIN

(Canadian Press) NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Contracts between the New York Yacht Club and the Royal Ulster Yacht Club for the next year's race have been signed and now nothing stands in the way of a race. Public notice to this effect will be made in a day or two. It is believed Lipton's Shamrock 4th will be met with a boat as near her own size as possible.

FOREST FIRES IN ONTARIO

(Canadian Press) TORONTO, Aug. 22.—Forest fires continue to rage throughout the province although rain in the Peterboro district is checking its progress. Vast areas of timber and fences are ruined. Armies of men are bush fighting the flames and several villages are in the danger zone.

SERIOUS CHARGE AGAINST CONSTABLE

(Canadian Press) PEYTONA, Aug. 22.—A charge of defrauding a Russian laborer of \$300 was made against Constable Cook, another member of the city police force. The charge is that Cook prevailed on the laborer to give his money to a local real estate man under the impression that he was depositing it in a bank.

P. E. I. SILVER FOX BREEDERS' ASSOC'N

Organization Completed at a Large Meeting in Summerside Yesterday. By-Laws Passed—Officers Appointed.

At a largely attended meeting of Fox men in Summerside yesterday, the P. E. I. Silver Fox Breeders Association was duly formed, by-laws adopted and officers chosen. Dr. Alex. Ross, Charlottetown, being appointed President and Mr. D. K. Currie, Charlottetown, Sec and Treasurer. The meeting was most cordial throughout and everyone was of the opinion that the time had now arrived when a united forward movement should be inaugurated. In the forenoon a committee meeting was held in St. Paul's Hall at which there were present, Dr. Ross, Hon. John Agnew, Messrs. J. Walter Jones, E. R. Brow, J. O. Hyndman, F. L. Rogers, and A. C. Saunders. The report to be submitted to the public meeting was prepared and adopted and the program for the meeting arranged.

OBJECTS. To maintain purebred records and proper registry of silver foxes. To advertise the fur farms of P. E. Island. To compile facts relative to the fox trade and generally to promote protection and publicity for the fox breeding industry as well as for fur farming in general.

ADMISSION TO MEMBERSHIP. Any fur farmer or corporate company as follows: Under \$100,000 capital, \$5, between \$100,000 and \$250,000, \$10; over \$250,000, \$15; all the above fees payable annually.

SUSPENSION AND EXPULSION. By executive majority vote with right to appeal to the annual meeting of the association. Ordinary membership fee, \$2. Life membership fee, \$25.

OFFICERS. President—one vice-president for each county. Secretary (a permanent salaried official). Executive committee, all the above and two from each county. Each county's executive members are to have power to represent and organize their county. The duties of each officer provided by bylaw, vacancies to be filled by the executive.

POWER OF EXECUTIVE. Power to enact bylaws pro-tem. (Continued from page three.)

CITY SCHOOLS OPEN SEPT. 2ND

At a meeting of the City School Board held on Thursday evening the following resolution was unanimously passed: "Whereas for many years the city schools reopened on the day after Labor Day and whereas the month of August is the least suitable of all months in the year for school purposes. Therefore, the School Board respectfully urge upon the Board of Education the desirability of appointing Tuesday, Sept. 2nd for reopening the City Schools." On Friday morning a Committee of the School Board waited on the acting Leader of the Government and the Superintendent of Education to discuss the resolution of the Board. The following reply has been received by the Secretary of the School Board. "Charlottetown, Aug. 22, 1913. Mr. B. Balderston, Secretary of the Board of School Trustees, Charlottetown. "Dear Sir:—In reference to resolution concerning change in school holidays, passed at a meeting of your Board yesterday and presented to a Committee of the Board of Education to-day, it has been decided that the schools of Charlottetown may reopen Sept. 2nd. This decision has been arrived at in view of the fact that before being notified of the change in vacations your Board had made arrangements for the re-opening of the schools Sept. 2nd.

INTERESTING CASE IN MONTREAL

(Canadian Press.) QUÉBEC, Aug. 22.—The police court has under investigation a case of interest, last spring Ernest Odell engaged to the lumber business, sold two hundred ties to the Quebec harbor commission. Before delivery Odell got into financial difficulties and when a schooner load of ties arrived, the captain not finding Odell went to J. B. E. Letellier, one of the three harbor commissioners who purchased the ties at 42 cents each. It is alleged that he afterwards sold the ties on commission at sixty cents each. When Odell returned from Montreal he demanded his share of the profits and receiving no satisfaction wrote a letter to Letellier threatening exposure to a warrant and Odell was arrested for blackmail. The case promises to go up for trial if not dismissed in the police court.

A PICNIC AT EXPERIMENTAL STATION

What it Means and What is Seen and Learned.

Nearly every day during the past two months farmers' picnics have been held at the Experimental Station. So popular has the institution become that not infrequently farmers in some district or other will make up their minds on short notice, and with their wives and women folk drive to the Station without even the preliminary of a telephonic message they are coming. Superintendent and Mrs. Clark are always ready for them, and welcome the farmers and their wives with a heartiness good to see and feel. Not only are they favored with picnics. Individual visitors are always popping in, and on one day recently Mr. Clark and his staff had to pilot no fewer than 187 visitors over the Station. In order to obtain some idea of the attractions of the station for so many visitors a representative of The Guardian visited there the other day. Fortunately, a surprise picnic party of farmers and their wives came upon the scene, so The Guardian had the pleasure of doing the Station in the orthodox manner.

FIRST ESSENTIAL.

Luncheon is the first consideration, and this is discussed in the sylvan retreat of the picnic grove. The tables are hardly cleared before the Superintendent gets to work. Drainage is the important subject upon which he first addresses the gathering, and this is followed by equally important advice on the methods of sowing.

BEEES.

Then an adjournment is made to the barn where the Superintendent demonstrates a new type of bee hive, and sets his audience alive to the possibilities of profit in keeping bees and producing honey. The style

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MINARD'S LINIMENT

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia

DYNAMITE FOUND IN NANAIMO, B.C.

(Canadian Press.) VANCOUVER, Aug. 22.—Soldiers scouring the country in the vicinity of Nanaimo found enough dynamite, fire arms and ammunition to fill a box car and a half. The stuff was secreted in the woods near old mining titles. Arrangements were made that regulars be kept in Nanaimo by the government for at least a year.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds

of hive exhibited is so made that a separator can be used to keep the queen bee below and allow the workers to produce honey without queen cells.

The frames are so made as to allow the honey to be removed without injury to the combs. Later on the Superintendent showed the situation of the hives that are being experimented with at the Station, and in reply to a question as to the profitability of keeping bees, stated that a really good hive costs only \$7 to be put into working shape, while the clover fields and apple trees will provide all the honey material for the bees that may be desired. From a hive such as he had described they at the Station had the day before removed a super containing 45 lbs. of honey, while there were two other supers on the hive which were then nearly full.

POULTRY INCUBATOR.

From bee hives attention turned to another interesting experiment—the incubator, or egg-hatching machine. That installed at the Experimental Station will hatch daily 1,200 eggs, or even more, and the intention of the Superintendent is, if the farmers would fall in with the idea, to get them to send their eggs to the Station to be hatched, and the chickens despatched immediately to their respective owners. As the newly-hatched chicken requires no food for forty-eight hours, they can easily be sent from the Experimental Station to any part of the Island direct from the incubator. Newly-hatched chickens, a day old, are being sent daily in hundreds from England to all parts of the Continent without any difficulty or loss. The Superintendent made it clear, however, that only pure-bred eggs would be accepted for incubation.

POULTRY SHED.

From the incubator the next step naturally was to the poultry shed, where two large and excellent broods of chickens were seen, one lot being a few weeks old, and the other lot several months old. They were Plymouth Rock breed and the Superintendent explained that they were the only breed raised at the Station, as he considered them more suitable for farmers to raise than any other, being both excellent layers and suitable for table purposes, and a hardy lot.

HEDGES AND GRAIN.

Some experimental hedge growths of different varieties were seen on the way to the grain plots, whither the party, led by Superintendent Clark, now wended its way. As it passed along plot after plot of carefully cultivated and beautifully growing grain, the Superintendent drew rapid attention to them, giving a concise explanation of the features of the growth, the results of the experiments and his opinion as to the suitability of the particular grain discussed, also throwing in valuable advice as to methods of treatment against fungus or insect diseases. With regard to this, in a field of Red Point wheat in which there was the presence of a good deal of rust, he showed that the wheat was confined to the leaves, and said that as long as that was the case and the rust did not communicate itself to the stalks, the wheat would not suffer any damage.

WASTE LOTS BEAUTIFIED.

The water lily pond was the next thing that came under notice on the way along the fields, and served amply to demonstrate to the onlookers how simple and how easy it was to beautify neglected spots. In the pond were five different varieties of pink and white lilies. They were

THAW'S REQUEST NOT GRANTED

(Special to the Guardian.) OTTAWA, Aug. 21.—W. L. Shurtleff, K. C., Sherbrooke, Counsel retained by Harry K. Thaw arrived in Ottawa today and had a short conference with Hon. Mr. Doherty, Minister of Justice and acting Minister of the Interior. He asked that Thaw be permitted to pick the point at which Canadian immigration officials would deport him. His object was to keep out of the State of New York. His mission failed, having received the answer that Thaw would be deported without variation of rule or favors to anyone. Thaw will be deported.

TURNIPS AND ROTATION.

A field of turnips was next inspected, and there the effect of club-foot disease was shown on portions of the crop, and the remedy, it was explained, that proved efficacious against this disease, which is often spread by means of bacteria, infested manure, is the plentiful use of lime.

BARLEY AND OATS.

A barley plot, with excellent growth, corn-field, showing the result of the ravages of pigeons, were next passed in quick succession, and then came a plot of White Fife wheat in splendid growth, and a fine crop of Victoria oats—the plots being all acre—more oats, the old Island Black, the Daubeny white oat, very similar in shape to the Island Black, which had been sowed after the Black but had ripened ahead of it. A plot of mangles appeared at every four rows. Manchurian barley was another attractive cultivation, as was also a plot of Banner oats. And right here the Superintendent explained that at the Station they were careful to keep their seed pure. At this spot, he pointed out a piece of ground which not long before had been a pond but which had been filled up and prepared until it was in excellent condition for planting.

SHRUBS.

A cut across fields took the party, without exploring the further grain crops, beyond the railway line, to the front of the grounds, running parallel with the railway line, where an immense array of shrubs is planted in two long rows on a flat, grassy strip of land. There are twelve hundred varieties of shrubs in this avenue, which is about three-quarters of a mile long. Besides fulfilling the purpose of demonstrating which shrubs are the most suitable to the climate and the most attractive, this avenue serves as an ornamentation to that part of the Station as a splendid road runs along it within the farm. A nice drive is thus formed, and it may be stated that the Station is always open to the public, carriages being allowed to drive around it. From this wonderful collection of shrubs, it should be possible for every farmer to find his taste in the beautifying of lawns or approaches of farm-houses. One of the best growing shrubs proves to be a variety that was obtained from Tibet, bearing a plentiful growth of small scarlet berries. It presents a very attractive appearance. This variety and others of the largest shrubs grow to a height of about ten feet and thus make a good wind-break.

CULTURE EXPERIMENTS.

On the other side of the railway line the Superintendent pointed out the new land which had been taken (Continued on page two)

GERMAN OFFICERS FIND TROUBLE

(Canadian Press.) BERLIN, Aug. 22.—Advices received in the German foreign office today from Nan King, China, indicate that trouble is pending between the German naval officers and the southern revolutionaries who threaten to bombard the German consulate and the German protected cruiser Emden. An insurgent sent a letter to the consulate declaring the cruiser bombarded and his forces were going to retaliate.

ANOTHER FIRE IN NOVA SCOTIA

(Canadian Press.) LUNenburg.—Aug. 22.—A fire of dangerous proportions broke out today in Stonehurst settlement, four miles from town and soon spread to the forest. Many houses were in danger. Nearly the entire male population was absent at Grand Banks fishing, only a few adults being left to fight the conflagration, excepting women and children. Several times houses caught but the blaze was extinguished. Many wells in Stonehurst were dried and people were carrying water from the adjacent island in boats to combat the flames. Water was the difficult proposition.

DEVELOPMENTS IN THAW CASE

(Canadian Press.) OTTAWA, Aug. 22.—A new and important phase of the Thaw case developed this afternoon from a statement from an official of the Department of Immigration that there is possibility of Thaw being turned over to the New York authorities.

LOVE-SICK SWAIN SHOOTS HIMSELF

(Special to the Guardian.) ST. JOHN, Aug. 22.—Driven to distraction because his girl loved another, Hartley Coyle shot himself in the left side to-night with a small rifle and to-night he is in the General Hospital, where his recovery is regarded as doubtful.

RELIGIOUS TROUBLES

(Special to the Guardian.) VANCOUVER, Aug. 21.—Quite a serious disagreement occurred between Irish Catholics and Protestants in connection with the organization of a regiment of Irish Volunteers. Alderman Geo. McSpadden, a prominent Orangeman is to be colonial and the office of quartermaster is the only one offered to a catholic who declined the position. Pat and Dominick Burns, millionaire cattlemen, both catholics are said to have headed a subscription list and the plans are now up in the air.

BODY FOUND

(Special to the Guardian.) HALIFAX, Aug. 21.—The body of John W. Dennison, whose mysterious disappearance Saturday morning baffled the police detectives for several days was found in an unfrequented spot on Dartmouth Commons this evening, the throat cut with a razor while temporarily insane. He was forty years old and leaves a widow and two children.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC.

One cent per word each insertion in this column. Cash must accompany order. Minimum charge twenty-five cents. \*\*Black walnut stalk put on guns as perfect as you can get it done in part of the world. W. Brown, Pownal, next door to Florida Hotel. 8-23M1I. \*\*Spend the last of the Monday half holiday at Holland Cove and have supper at Holland Hall. Cab at Rocky Point wharf meets all the afternoon trips of the ferry boat on Saturday, Sunday and Monday. 1072. \*\*Don't weaken your business argument by writing it on a slipshod Typewriter. Give it force and persuasive power by writing it with the convincing clear-cut type of the Hemington. A. Milne Fraser, Halifax, N. S. 1067-8-23M3I. \*\*The only man on P. E. I. can say this and back it up. Brown says if you have a gun that you know cannot be repaired in any part of the world all you have to do is to carry it to him and ask him when he will have it done and don't ask him if he can do it. He never says no. It does not matter what kind of fine machinery you carry him to repair. W. Brown, Pownal, next door to the Florida Hotel. 8-23M1I.

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