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—PEARSON'S FLY SPRAY $1.00 a gallon at Taylor Drug Co., Kensington.

—ARSENATE of Lime and Berger's Paris Green in stock at Brace's. L-1037-7-23-2i.

—THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY of the Clifton, New London W. M. S. will be held in Clifton Church, Sunday, July 25th at 7.30 P. M. Speaker, Rev. M. Kik. Special music. L-996-7-22-24.

—SOUVENIRS, post cards and banners of Summerside, P. E. I., large variety, Gourlies Drug Store. L-1033-7-23-2i.

—KENSINGTON mammoth Tea Party, August 4th on new Church ground. Elaborate preparations being made. Watch further advertisements. L-1045-7-23-2i.

—DOING NICELY—Mr. Roy Hill of Freetown, who received injuries when he fell from the loft of a neighbour's barn while helping with the hay and was brought to the hospital where his injuries were attended to, is now reported doing nicely. S

—CHARLOTTETOWN FUR SALES at 55 Queen Street have a full line of fox and mink wire. This wire is supplied in all sizes and meshes and is being very extensively used for shed floors and partitions. It is chain link woven, heavily galvanized and priced to sell. L-162-7-ThuSatTue-9i.

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—TO INSTALL FISH LADDER—Senator Creelman MacArthur will install a fish ladder at his pond at Foxley River, it was learned yesterday. Some time ago Senator MacArthur purchased the Warburton estate at Foxley River which includes 655 acres and has stocked the pond there with 33,000 trout fry during the past three years. The fish ladder, the first that will have been placed in Prince County, will enable sea trout to enter the pond in great numbers from two streams. Michael Bolger of Lot 11 accompanied Senator MacArthur to Ross' Corner, near Orwell, yesterday to inspect a fish ladder there.

GODKIN - WELLS WEDDING

A pretty wedding ceremony took place on the lawn of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Wells, Wednesday at 12.30 when their daughter, Miss Linnie Irene became the bride of Mr. Horace ...tz Godkin, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Godkin. Rev. ... Watterworth performed the ceremony in the presence of about ... guests and friends of the bride and groom. The bride and groom stood on the verandah under an arch of roses and fern. The bride was dressed in white taffeta with overdrape, coronet of pearls and carried a bouquet of roses. The bridal couple were unattended. Mr. Archie Sharp sang during the signing of the register, accompanied by Miss Evelyn MacLean. A wedding luncheon was served in the dining room. Assisting in serving were Mrs. Jack ...d, Mrs. Arthur Woolner, Mrs. ...ven and Miss Julia Gaudet. ...nd Mrs. I. F. Goodwin of ...ster, Mass., were among the out-of-town guests, besides a number of friends from Charlottetown. Mr. and Mrs. Godkin left that afternoon on a trip to Montreal, Toronto and Niagara Falls. Mr. Godkin is the proprietor of Godkin Bros., Jewelers, Summerside, and the bride one of Summerside's popular young ladies. Their many friends wish them a happy journey through life. S

—LARGE assortment of bathing caps just arrived 10c to 39c, Gourlies Drug Store. L-1033-7-23-2i.

—CAR GOING to Boston next week. Can accommodate passengers, P. O. Box 251, Summerside. L-1041-7-23-2i.

—MARINA Beauty Salon, Kensington offers special permanents for a few days only. L-1071.

—POND & DELANEY—Wholesale and retail dealers in Silver Tip Breadmeat, cubes, meal and biscuits. See us for prices. L-462-7-17-4i.

—SPECIAL permanents at Marina Beauty Salon Kensington. Get yours now at a special price. L-1071.

—THE ANNUAL salad tea and lawn festival in aid of St. Mary's Academy, Summerside, will be held on the Church grounds on Tuesday, July 27th. Supper 35c. L-1068.

—FOR SPRAYING trees and hedges—5-gal. galvanized can fitted with solid bronze pump and lots of hose and spray nozzle for less than $4.00 at Brace's. L-1037-7-23-2i.

—SUCCESSFUL DANCE—A very successful dance was held at the club house of the Summerside Golf Club on Thursday evening. The Garden of the Gulf Orchestra supplied the music for the large number who attended. S

—FINED $5 AND COSTS — A man from Kensington came before Magistrate Darby on Thursday charged with transferring the numbers from a registered car to one not registered. He was found guilty and fined $5.00 and costs. S

—RECEIVES WELL MERITED PROMOTION—Miss Alberta MacLellan, daughter of Mrs. MacLellan, Summerside, and the late Dr. A. A. MacLellan, is listed among promotions in the Civil Service list at Ottawa. Miss MacLellan has been advanced from stenographer in Grade II to the position of clerk in Grade IV in the Department of National Revenue. Miss MacLellan is visiting her home in Summerside and is accompanied by Miss Evelyn Turcotte of Ottawa.

Personals

—Mr. Heber J. MacLean of West Devon is a patient in the Prince County Hospital. S

—Miss Mona Ramsay and Miss Irene Foster of Campbellton, N.B., are visiting Mrs. T. D. Ramsay. S

—Mrs. Daniel MacDonald, Travellers Rest, is visiting in Long Island, New York, the guest of her sister, Miss Lovetta MacDonald, R. N.—S.

—Mrs. Clifford Foley and daughter, Miss Frances, Boston, are visiting Mrs. Foley's father, Mr. Bennett O'Halloran, Campbellton, Lot 4. S

—Mr. and Mrs. Alcide Richards and family of Sydney, Cape Breton, are visiting Mrs. Richards' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli S. Gallant, Summerside. S

—Dr. H. C. MacDonald and Mr. John H. MacDonald have returned to their home in Detroit Mich., after spending the past two weeks visiting in Travellers Rest, the guest of their brother, Mr. Daniel. MacDonald.—S.

Mediation Efforts In Strike Blocked

CORNWALL, Ont., July 23 — (CP)—Mediation efforts in the strike of 1,700 Canadian Cottons, Limited, employees snagged today on the question of whether Arthur Laverty, president of the local union, would participate in a conference with the management Monday.

The management made known they were willing to discuss demands with representatives of the strikers, but were firm in their refusal to have Laverty a member of the negotiating committee.

The workers were equally determined Laverty should present their case. "There is no possibility of the conference taking place," Percy Laurin, member of the Strikers' Committee, asserted.

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Carleton and Vicinity

Mr. Fenton Howatt of Carleton motored to Moncton last Saturday.

Miss Catherine MacCallum of Summerside is visiting friends in Carleton.

Mr. John Bell of Hopedale, Mass., is visiting relatives in Carleton and Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Leeman Saunders of Charlottetown were week-end visitors to Carleton, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Muttart.

Friends will be pleased to learn that Mrs. Nathan Bell of Carleton is recovering from her recent illness.

Misses Eleanor and Lois MacDonald of Carleton have returned from a pleasant holiday visit with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Inman of North Tryon.

Mrs. W.S. Newsome of Montreal is visiting relatives and friends in Augustine Cove and Tryon.

Mr. Robert McWilliams of Cape Traverse has returned from the P. E. I. Hospital where he was undergoing treatment.

Mrs. Victor Shaw of DeSable is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. McWilliams of Cape Traverse.

Miss Marion MacWilliams spent Sunday at her home in Cape Traverse. She was accompanied by Mr. Arnold MacDonald of New Dominion, also the Misses Aileen and Evelyn MacDougall of Boston, Mass.

The Borden Dramatic Club presented their play "Eyes of Love" before an appreciative audience in Cape Traverse Hall last Friday evening. Many favorable comments were heard upon the manner in which the different players performed.

Mrs. William MacDade, Mr. William McDade, Jr., and Miss Phyllis Monahan, all of Somerville, Mass., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Erle Thomson of Carleton. They previously spent some time visiting in Tryon and vicinity.

Mrs. Harold Campbell of Cape Traverse, and Mr. William MacDonald, of North Carleton, left Monday morning for Iona, near Sydney, C. B. to attend the funeral of their aunt, Miss Marie McNeill, which took place Wednesday morning. They were the guests of their uncle, Mr. Roderick McNeill.

Carleton Women's Institute is receiving congratulations on having won the prize for the best program at the Institute Convention held in Tryon last Monday. The Carleton performers were Miss Mary Muttart who sang a solo, and Miss Ruth MacDonald, who played a piano selection. D

FORMER S'SIDE EDITOR DIES AT KENSINGTON

Guardian Loses Esteemed Correspondent In Passing Of Mr. J. A. Ready.

It is with sincere regret that the Guardian reports the death of Mr. James A. Ready of Kensington yesterday who for several years has contributed to the news columns of The Guardian, particularly to the sports page. Mr. Ready was 63 years of age and was born in Irishtown, the son of Richard Ready and was educated at the village school. He continued his education at St. Dunstan's College, obtaining his B. A. degree from there with a Cum Laude from Laval University. Mr. Ready taught in St. Dunstan's for a year or two, he also taught in Irishtown and Kensington. About thirty years ago Mr. Ready took the position of Editor of the Journal and Agriculturist published in Summerside, but after a few years his health broke down and he was obliged to give up his journalistic career. He removed to Kensington and carried the mails for that district which he continued to do until his last illness.

Mr. Ready also taught school and of late years he has had private pupils. His chief subjects were the languages. Mr. Ready was a highly cultured gentleman, and kept himself well informed on the topics of the day. He was a good musician and was always a welcome visitor at any social gathering. He was a staunch Roman Cthholic and a member of the Kensington branch of the C. M. B. A. holding the office of recording secretary at the time of his death.

Mr. Ready married Miss Annie Mullins of Kensington who predeceased him five years ago. The following children are left to mourn: Mr. Joseph Ready, Ontario; Mary, nurse in training at Halifax; Kathleen, a teacher in Kensington high school and Arthur at home. Also one brother, Thomas in Wyoming and two sisters, Mrs. Hughes, Cardigan and Miss Millie Ready of Boston. Mrs. Ready's sister, Miss Mullins has resided with her brother-in-law for some time and tenderly nursed him during his last illness.

The Guardian extends sincere sympathy to the beareaved family.

The Back Stretch

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the usual first class European course is approximately five-eighths of a mile in circumference. It is reported that Muscletone has acquired marvellous facility in negotiating the short stretches and turns of European tracks as compared with American mile rings. It was over one of them that he trotted to his European record of 2.03 4-5, while he has several times been reported as trotting fractions of miles at a prodigious rate of speed.

The American race record for trotters over a half-mile track is 2.03 1-2 by Tara 2.00 now in Italy, while Greyhound holds the exhibition record of 2.02." (Since Mr. Harvey wrote the above, Greyhound has stepped a mile in 1.59 3-4 against time over the Goshen half-mile track.)

"As it will be recalled, it was Tara 2.00 that defeated Greyhound last season in the only race that he lost, which was over the Goshen, N.Y. half-mile track She has met Muscletone repeatedly in Europe and he has completely outclassed her, showing his superiority in no uncertain manner. With these facts in view, the meeting of Greyhound and Muscletone over a half-mile track in this country will be one of peculiar and intense interest. If Muscletone draws the pole and gets off flying as he is reported to be able, Greyhound might be unable to head him, being forced to race outside all the way, unless he could go around him early in the mile and take the rail."

It seems to the writer that it would be a good idea to have Greyhound windshield him until the final eighth, and if Muscletone has such prodigious speed he would have an excellent chance to head the big grey trotter to the wire!

My friend Jack MacPherson of Summerside has sent in a most interesting item regarding a workout which took place at Myron McArthur's track, Kensington, a few days ago. The four-year-old filly Miss Belle Aubrey, after being given a slow workout mile was then warmed up again by Mrs. Harold Woodside of Kensington, who drove her in 2.24 with the last half in 1.10. I do not remember of a lady driver ever having driven a mile that fast over a local track. It was also an excellent performance for Miss Belle Aubrey, as she has had only light training this season. Mr. and Mrs. Woodside are keen followers of the harness sport and it is a pleasure for me to record her accomplishm...

LATEST SCHEME

(Continued from page one)

1-Continued practice of placing observers aboard merchant vessels enroute to Spain.

2-Suppression of naval control by patrol fleets.

3-Establishment of control observers in Spanish ports.

4-Grant of belligerency, rights on the sea to the Spanish combatants—under the reserves and condition stipulated in the British plan.

5-Evacuation of foreign volunteers from Spain under supervision on non-intervention commissions.

6-Authorization for Britain to approach the Government and Insurgents on the question of establishing observers in their ports, withdrawal of volunteers and grant of belligerency status.

Boys To Explore Isolated Coast

LONDON July 22—(CP)—Seventy-seven English public schoolboys, thrilled by the prospect of adventure, eagerly await July 30, the date set for their departure for Newfoundland on an expedition of exploration.

It will be the largest exploring party organized in England and is twice the size of the expedition which visited Newfoundland two years ago on a similar mission.

The party, under the leadership of Surgeon-Commander Murray Levick, will concentrate its explorations in the little-known land on the west coast of Newfoundland. Three theodolites and other scientific instruments have been made available to the expedition by the War Office, Admiralty and the Royal Geographical Society to aid in surveys and mapping of the section of the country.

Two wireless transmitting and eight receiving sets will be taken by the party. A naval telegraphist has been assigned to the expedition and arrangements have been made with the Admiralty for reception of experimental messages in London. Seven assistant leaders and two medical officers will be on Commander Levick's staff.

Wellington supplies the largest contingent with seven boys. Eton and Rugby are next with six each, while Harrow and Radley are sending four each. Eight boys from council schools in Kent, Devonshire, Essex, Gloucestershire, Nottingham, Surrey and Sussex, will also be taken along.

Michaud Inspects Eastern Coast

EDMUNDSTON, July 23 — Hon. J. E. Michaud, K.C., M.P., minister of fisheries, left early this morning for River du Loup, where he will board the S. S. Lady Grey for an inspection tour along the eastern coastline. Mrs. Michaud and Masters Pean and Pierre are accompanying Mr. Michaud.

Also included in the party were Pius Michaud, K.C., and Dr. P. H. Laporte, M.L.A., Edmundston. The inspection tour will include the lower St. Lawrence, Anticosti Island, Magdalen Islands, Prince Edward Island and Pictou, N.S., where the inspection trip will be made on the Lady Grey. The party is expected to be back in two weeks.

INDIAN ATHLETE GREETS PREMIER

REGINA, July 22—(CP)—Back in the early 1900's a white boy and an Indian lad played together in the Grenfell district and recently the pair—Premier W. J. Patterson of Saskatchewan and Paul Acoose, famed athlete, met again to talk over the old days.

Paul Acoose, now a grandfather at the age of 52, has passed his hey-day as a track man, but he still holds the unofficial world's record for the 15-mile distance. He ran it in one hour and 22 minutes in Toronto in 1909. The same year he defeated Tom Longboat, most famous of all Indian runners. For a week the soft-spoken Salteaux held the world's acclaim until beaten by the Englishman, Appleby in Winnipeg.

That was in 1908. Premier Patterson, then manager of the Dominion bank in Grenfell, recognized his friend's abilities and acting as his manager, obtained a trainer for him.

The Indian who journeyed to the File Hills Agency when the premier visited there to see his old friend, comes of a family of runners. Legend has it that his father chased seven elk for three days from Moose Mountain area to the Crooked Lake district, and finally overcame and clubbed them to death.

Paul is a little more modest in his version of the parental exploit, admitting instead of clubbing the harried animals he used a muzzle loader for the coup-de-grace.

ENVOY'S TRAIL SPECIALLY CUT

VICTORIA, July 22—(CP)—Following the route of Sir Alexander Mackenzie, the first white man to reach the Pacific coast by an overland route, a 30-mile trail through the 3,500 acre provincial park is being prepared for the August visit of Lord Tweedsmuir.

A noted walker, His Excellency is expected to make a 10-day tour through the former glacier "playground," past extinct volcanoes and over lakes and streams noted for their trout and salmon. He is scheduled to visit Algatcho, largest Indian village in the district, and will close his holiday at Bella Coola, famed for its Indian rock carvings.

PREMIER KING PLANS ONTARIO SPEAKING TOUR

Political Speculation Rife In Ottawa — Bennett To Meet Supporters.

OTTAWA, July 23—(CP)—Ottawa, sweltering in excessive heat, was deserted today by many Cabinet ministers who after three sessions of the Government this week will have a breathing space until Monday when Prime Minister MacKenzie King will inaugurate another series of meetings with his colleagues.

In addition to the important matters attracting attention in the Capital, such as the Royal Commission on economic relations with the provinces, the New-Zealand trade agreement, development of Trans-Canada Airways and fiscal problems, there has now developed a great deal of political speculation.

Former Prime Minister R. B. Bennett came back Thursday from a two month's trip to Europe and will meet his parliamentary supporters within a fortnight to reach a decision as to whether he will continue as head of the Federal Conservative Party and leader of the official opposition in the House of Commons.

From Toronto come fresh rumors that Premier Mitchell Hepburn will call a provincial general election this fall. This report following close upon an announcement that Mr. MacKenzie King will address a series of political meetings in Ontario late next month, and less official reports that Mr. Hepburn will hold meetings in the eastern end of the province, are being taken seriously in some quarters.

Mr. MacKenzie King has not yet delivered any direct comment on the declaration of Premier Hepburn, made during the Prime Minister's absence in Europe, that he is no longer a follower of the Federal Liberal Leader. It is believed certain that in his Ontario speeches some reference will be made to the relations between the two leaders by the Prime Minister.

Men Really Like Make-Up

A Medical officer of health recently insisted in a public report that "lipstick is repulsive," and condemned the use of cosmetics says a writer in the London Daily Mail.

Most women, of course, will smile at the idea and proceed to experiment with the newest make-up. But what about the men? What do they say?

Some of them, if you ask them, may pretend they dislike make-up, simply because of an ingrained conservatism. Some of them will go so far as to acknowledge that they like a little — only a little, of course—nothing that looks artificial, please!

But if a man says he dislikes his wife to make up (he's apt to call it "painting her face") it's probably only because he doesn't like seeing her do it. And an hour later he may, quite sincerely, admire a brunette who is, as the wife is furiously aware, "painted" with considerable skill.

So it seems that most masculine minds are divided on the subject.

But what about the experts, the men whose work brings them into daily contact with lovely women? Well curiously enough, they all say: "Make up of course, but for heaven's sake, do it well."

C. B. Cochran, who has chosen so many lovely girls to appear in his revues that he has lost count of the number, likes to be completely deceived as to a woman's make-up He says she ought to do so skilfully that she looks as though she wore none at all. And as for scarlet finger-nails—he shudders at the thought, except when the fingers are white and tapering and perfectly shaped.

Well, what about a dressmaker? Norman Hartnell, for instance, who makes the Queen's clothes. No deception for him. For brunettes, he goes all out for "well-defined lips of the deepest pomegranate or carmine, soft brown eyelids, hair drawn off the brow and always gleaming."

And here's an interesting tip for blondes. He suggests that for two-thirds of the year they should remain "pale as a pink petal with just a suggestion of eyeshadow and rouge, gently marked lips and pale rose finger-nails." But in the summer he thinks they ought to wear a "beautiful shade of tangerine, with the color of their lips deepened to poppy."

It isn't really fair to ask a photographer his opinion of feminine make up. He sees too much of it. Captain Peter North, who has photographed most of London's loveliest women, even complains that he can tell at just which beauty parlor any woman in any smart restaurant has been spending the moring.

"Women ought to make up, of course," he says impatiently, "but why don't they learn the job properly? First at a beauty parlor, and then practising in front of the mirror until they become skilled workmen."

There was a time, somewhere back in the nineteen-twenties when debutantes glorified in making up with slashing strokes of the lipstick and bold daubs of rouge. But not in 1937. The tide has turned. The average debutante today knows that she can manage things more cleverly than that.

Rex Whistler, the artist, thinks make-up is a good thing. "When I do see a pretty young girl looking pale and anaemic, I always think how greatly just a touch of lipstick and rouge would improve her.

Pale lashes, too, annoy me — I long to see them darkened."

But this unusual young man likes freckles as well, that bane of six debutnates out of ten. So make up, but not enough to cover your freckles, is his advice.

And the lesson to be learned from our experts, it seems, is one which will for ever silence masculine criticism. First, to learn to copy nature with art—and then never to let anyone kno...

Mr. A. E. MacLean M. P. Lectures At Freetown

On Thursday evening at the Freetown Hall, and under the auspices of the local branch of the W. C. T. U., Mr. A. E. MacLean, M. P., delivered a most interesting lecture to an appreciative audience upon "The Coronation as I Saw It". The address which held the undivided attention of the audience for over an hour covered not only the coronation, but also the varied experiences of Mr. and Mrs. MacLean during their visits to Scotland and France, including the battlefields. All present, felt it a privilege to learn in detail the impressions of Mr. MacLean regarding the unbounded loyalty of all the nations within the Empire, as it was symbolized during the coronation. It is to be hoped the lecture will be heard in many other points in the western parts of our province.

Mr. George Jardine occupied the chair and the Rev. D. L. Griffiths in a brief and breezy speech, moved a vote of thanks to the lecturer, which was seconded by Mrs. J. Proffitt and carried with the heartiest acclamation.

A pleasant and profitable meeting closed with "God Save the King."

Lord Tweedsmuir Stresses Proper Use Of Language

BY GUY E. RHOADES
Canadian Press Staff Writer

EDMONTON, July 23 — (CP) — Lord Tweedsmuir told 1,500 teachers attending summer school courses at the University of Alberta that their function in preparing people to take part in democratic government was one of the most important in the nation's life.

"Democracy must be governed by discussion," he said. "It is very important that people should be tought how to use their own language in speech and writing. Anyone who can use his language properly is an educated person."

The Governor General repeated his previously enunciated complaint against obscurity of language in business, in the army and in a type of writing that uses pseudo-scientific cliches without precise meaning.

The obscurity of language in business-letter writing, he said, resulted frequently in loss of meaning and calls for interpretation, making it "the best provision for the legal profession" which is called upon to act in resulting litigation.

His Excellency spoke of his own experience in education, referring particularly to his work of publishing books, including educational volumes.

"You have got a job of convincing an apathetic world of the importance of things of the mind," he said. Teachers, he added, had to contend with "the type of practical man who looks only for a dollar value in education," a man who might better be described as "a practical joke."

He felt he could regard teachers "as my colleagues" because, among other things, "I have been learning a great deal since I came to Canada."

He told the assembly that "in a true sense education should never cease." And that they were engaged in "making citizens in the highest sense of the word."

His Excellency declared he was looking forward to his trip to the Arctic which starts tomorrow and had enjoyed the informality of his journey during the last two weeks through western Canada.

"It is a great comfort to get rid of top hats and dress clothes and speeches," he declared, insisting that his remarks did not constitute a speech.

INKY DESK TOP BRIDGES YEARS

WINNIPEG, July 22—(CP)—His Honor Eric Hamber, lieutenant-governor of British Columbia, went back to school for half an hour on a recent visit here and scanned initialled desk tops for the first time in 30 years.

"Well, well, here are the old classrooms," he commented running his hand over the scarred surfaces of the forms, possibly remembering his own, furtive pocket-knife-signatures.

France Protests Strongly Nazis Press Attacks

BERLIN, July 23 — (CP-Havas) — Andre Francois-Poncet, the French Ambassador, tonight lodged a sharp protest with the German Foreign Office against "lying allegations" of the Reich press that members of the French Foreign Legion had been sent to fight in Spain for the Government cause.

Francois-Poncet expressed astonishment that such articles could continue after an official denial had been given by the French Government.

The provincial press this afternoon reprinted this morning's article in the Voelkischer Beobachter, official Nazi organ, which intimated France had been attempting to stir up "insurgent tribes" to fight against the Spanish Morocco regime.

The newspaper said "it was possible to prove" 800 French Foreign Legionnaires had been sent to Spain despite the French denials.

Der Angriff wrote that Paris was embarrassed by the "German disclosures" regarding alleged sabotaging of the non-intervention system.

Municipal Statistics Conference

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire)

OTTAWA, July 23—In co-operation with provincial departments of municipal affairs the Dominion Bureau of Statistics may undertake a study of existing legislation for the collection of municipal statistics, with a view to classifying the different types of local government units. This was announced yesterday at the close of the four day conference of Dominion and provincial statisticians.

The gathering was presided over by Dr. R. H. Coats, Dominion statistician.

The conference recommended adoption throughout Canada of the calendar year as the fiscal year for all municipalities. Establishment of provincial statistical organizations and examination and training of municipal auditors and officials, were approved where now in operation and recommended for general adoption.

The conference covered a wide variety of matters. An invitation to meet next year in Victoria, B. C., extended by Hon. Wells Gray, British Columbia Minister of Municipal Affairs, was recommended to the various governments.

Veteran Relates Stirring Events Of Pioneer Days

—Indian battles and struggles in the wild and woolly west of early days were described by Frank Harrison, of Babb, Mont. one of the real old-timers attending Cardston's Jubilee Celebration. The 83-year-old veteran helped to drive the first large herd of cattle into Alberta.

"They were great days and I'm not sorry I lived during them," he said. "In 1881 I helped trail the first herd of cattle into Alberta. We drove 4,400 cattle north from Helena and finally reached the Fort Benton trail and followed it into Canada. We made about 10 miles a day and had no trouble finding water. And the grass—well, the grass touched our stirrups.

"There was nothing then in this country except the Mounted Police post at McLeod and Calgary and a few squatters. We delivered the cattle to Hay Creek on the Cochrane Ranch."

He recalled the coming of the Mormons in '87 to Lees' Creek. "They did a lot to open up this west country and were the souls of hospitality."

When we hauled the first load of freight from Medicine Hat into Lethbridge [illegible] towns Tweed and Ewart, both settlers had only store tents.

"I knew Nick Sheran and freighted from his mine at Lethbridge to Fort McLeod in the old days," he continued. "I also remember Jerry Potts, famous Indian scout and guide, and George Houk too." Houk was a close friend and confident of the Indians, and later became marshal at Fort Benton, and married into the Blackfoot tribe.

Harrison married a Blood-Indian girl, who died three years ago, and from her gained an accurate account of the last great Indian battle waged on the present site of Lethbridge in the early '70's.

"My wife was in the encampment when the Cree war party swooped down on them and started to shoot into the tents, leaving dead and wounded rght and left. It was a surprise attack, as the Bloods had no idea there was a Cree band in the vicinity," he said.

But the revengeful Bloods, aided by white buffalo hunters, trappers and traders, overtook the marauders and wiped out nearly the entire band.