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ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC

**Announcements are inserted in
this column at 2 cents per word
strictly payable in advance.

**Dance St. Charles, Thursday,
November 23rd. 2911.

**Dance in Iona Hall, Thursday,
November 23rd. 2938.

**St. Zita Card Party postponed
November 30th. 2927.

**Rummage sale, St. James
Guild, Saturday, Nov. 25th, 6.30
p.m. 2920.

**Unloading car Springhill coal
at Milton Tuesday and Wednes-
day, B. C. Webster. 2921.

**Buying live and dressed poultry
Thursday afternoon, Frank
Catefield, Fredericton. 2951.

**Chicken supper, bazaar, bingo,
etc., in Lot 65 Hall Wednesday,
Nov. 22nd. If not fine, Nov. 23rd.
2919.

**Borden Line Club loading hogs,
lambs, calves, Albany, Wednesday,
November 22nd. Hours 12 to 3. 2948.

**Come to the concert and dance
in Bradalbane Hall on Wednesday,
November 22nd. 2872.

**Annual meeting of Long Creek
Institute in Afton Hall, November
25th, 7 P. M. 2932.

**Starting November 22nd, the
Blue Bus and Greyhound Bus will
leave Revere Hotel at 3.30. 2935.

**The biggest in the city, B. I. S.
Action game. Valuable prizes,
modern and old time dancing, per-
fect management. 2945.

**It will be buying live Chicken
and Fowl at our store Friday, twenty-
four, highest market prices. F.
J. Trainor, Tyrone. 2895.

**Morell Creamery receiving
Cream every day. We pay the highest
price and prompt returns. Give us
a trial shipment. 2936.

**Fiddlers Contest—The greatest
number of Fiddlers and Dancers
ever assembled in Kings County
have entered the Contest at Mon-
tague Thursday. 2908.

**Dance, Consolidated School,
Mount Herbert, Wednesday night,
Sid Elliot's orchestra. Wonderful
music. Aid of St. Avar's Dairy
Kings. 2918.

**Come to Basket Social and Con-
cert in Canoe Cove Hall on Wed-
nesday, November 22nd. If not fine,
Thursday, 23rd. Proceeds in aid of
Rink. Admission 20c and 15c. Dance.
Ladies with Baskets free. 2877.

**You really should know the
splendid saving effected by the re-
tirement income bond of the Sun
Life. Ask for particulars stating
your age. J. A. Moore, Manager,
Charlottetown. 2864.

**Stop! Look! Listen! Concert in
Capaud Hall Thursday, November
23rd at 8 P. M. by Cape Traverse
Singing People's Society. Splendid
dialogues, drill, musical numbers.
Admission 25c and 15c. 2924.

**Buying live hogs and lambs
Hunter River, Tuesday, November
28th. Everett Haslam, Emerald, buy-
ing same date. Alden Moase, Ken-
nington, buying Monday, November
27th. Signed A. E. Wedlock. 2729.

**Poultry—We are buying live
and dressed poultry at our ware-
house every day except Saturday
afternoon. Highest prices and satisfac-
tion assured. The Harris Ab-
attoir Co., Ltd., 85 Queen Street. 2915.

**The Hunter River Dramatic
Club will present their three act
play "Little Things" in Masonic
Hall, Hunter River, Wednesday,
Nov. 22nd. If not fine, Thursday
following. Admission 25 and 15
cents. 2848.

(Canadian Press)
RENO, Nev., Nov. 21—The driver
of a truck that turned over near
here today considers himself pretty
lucky. Three tons of dynamite were
aboard and nothing happened.

(Canadian Press)
MONTREAL, Nov. 21—One hundred
ocean-going steamers and motor
vessels are scheduled to sail from
Montreal before the close of naviga-
tion, according to a list prepared
by the Marine Signal Service today.
Of this number 20 are expected
down from the Great Lakes with
cargoes for Great Britain and con-
tinental ports.

Optimism prevailed in shipping
circles here today with a rise in
temperature and more favorable
reports from government steamers
operating in the St. Lawrence.
Whereas the formation of ice had
carried many buoys out of position,
these have been recovered and the
spar buoys replaced. Winter buoys
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Facing from the bar of the
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Melanson, merchant, of Cocagne
Bar, accidentally shot and killed
himself while hunting in the woods
near his home today.

Young Melanson was alone at
the time, but from the position in
which the body was later found,
it is presumed that he slipped and
fell, accidentally discharging the
gun.

(Canadian Press)
YARMOUTH, N. S., Nov. 21—
Western Nova Scotia fishermen
stand to benefit from \$100,000 to
\$150,000 through lobster purchases
within the next few months by a
newly-formed company in the
United States, according to Con-
nie Coyen, prominent dealer who
returned today from Boston.

About a dozen men have been
given employment, he said, in pre-
paring for shipments.

Successful Fox Show At Alberton

Christmas In The Air

(Special to The Guardian)
MONCTON, N. B., Nov. 21—The
annual movement of Christmas
trees from the forests of New
Brunswick and Nova Scotia to
United States cities will soon
commence in quantity with the
near approach of the Christmas
season.
Farmers are busy hauling trees
to Canadian National Railway
stations in these provinces where
they are piled preparatory to
loading on to flat cars. It is an-
ticipated the cut will be about
the same as last year.

U.M.W. MINERS DESERT HECTIC MEETING

Verbal Clashes Fea- ture Meeting to Con- sider Acadia Coal Company's Wage Schedule.

(Canadian Press)
STELLARTON, N. S., Nov. 21—
Hectic verbal clashes that resulted
in several hundred United Mine
Worker members deserting the spe-
cial meeting called to consider the
question, tonight had left 1,300
workers of the Acadia Coal Com-
pany no nearer a decision as to
whether to accept the company's
new schedule of wages.

It was decided, however, to hold
a plebiscite so individuals may ex-
press their view on the reduced
wages, which receivers-liquidators
say are necessary if the mines are
to be re-opened.
The reductions ranging from 13.3
to 23 percent, were decided by the
Company receivers who previously
had proposed wage cuts as high as
33 percent. They were presented at
the big mass meeting for considera-
tion today.

Stormy Meeting

But speakers at the stormy meet-
ing were strongly opposed to accep-
tance of the reduced rates. Time af-
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Large Attend- ance And Keen Competition In Classes.

The first fox show to be held in
Alberton, the birthplace of the sil-
ver fox, was held yesterday and was
a great success. The foxes were a
very fine quality and a credit to
the fox ranches of West Prince.
There were over 150 entries and a
very large crowd attended. All
classes were well filled.
Mr. Geo. Calbeck, President of
the Canadian National Fox Breed-
ers' Association, Summerside, and
Mr. D. O. Stewart were the judges
and expressed great satisfaction
with the exhibits. Mr. Vernon
Matthews acted as secretary and
the foxes classified by Mr. Reigh
Tinney and Parvan Cass. Follow-
ing is the prize list:

Champions
Champion adult male, Geo. War-
ren.
Champion reserve, Leigh Hodgson.
Champion adult female, George
Warren.
Champion reserve, Chas. Ellis.
Champion adult male or female,
Geo. Warren.

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BRITISH PARLIAMENT IS RE-OPENED

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Nfld. Destiny With Canada

LONDON, Nov. 22—(C. P.
Cable)—The Laborite Daily
Herald today declared "the ulti-
mate destiny of Newfoundland
is with Canada and the clearing
up of her financial troubles will
at least have the merit of mak-
ing the union more feasible,"
describing the recommendations
of the Royal Commission as a
drastic and deplorable expedi-
ent. Withdrawal of self-govern-
ment might be the only way
out but cannot be a permanent
solution, the Herald added.

U.S. MONETARY POLICY IS ATTACKED

Dr. O. M. W. Sprague, Special Financial Adviser to Treasury Resigns.

(By Richard L. Turner, Associated
Press Staff Writer)
WASHINGTON, Nov. 21—Assert-
ing the United States was threat-
ened with "unrestrained inflation"
and a complete collapse of govern-
mental credit, Dr. O. M. W.
Sprague, special financial adviser
to the treasury, resigned today in
protest against the Roosevelt mon-
etary policy.

Writes Roosevelt

In a letter to the President that
predicted disaster would follow the
administration's plan for raising
commodity prices by increasing the
money value of gold, he said the
only defence against the dangers
he foresaw was "an aroused and
organized public opinion." He said
he hoped to take part in such an
effort.

"It is possible that there might
still be a meeting of minds had I
been afforded any opportunity to
discuss policies with you," Sprague
wrote Mr. Roosevelt.
"But no opportunities whatsoever
have been afforded me since my
return from London in July, af-
ter your rejection of the arrange-
ments to steady the foreign ex-
changes during the period of the
(World Economic) conference."

With Bank of England

It was just before that confer-
ence met that Sprague came to the
Treasury. Previously he had been
economic adviser to the Bank of
England. President Roosevelt ex-
pressed gratified at then as extremely
gratified at obtaining his services,
adding he was a "perfectly good
American."

For weeks it has been well
known that Sprague was in dis-
agreement with the administration
on monetary questions. Early in his
career at the Treasury, he invari-
ably participated in White House
conferences on this subject but in
recent weeks he has not attended
such meetings.

Merger Will Not Interfere With New Companies

(Canadian Press)
TORONTO, Nov. 21—The initial
financing of new mining companies
will not be affected in any way by
the proposed merger of the Toronto
Stock Exchange and the Standard
Stock and Mining Exchange, the
Mall and Empire says today.
"The community of mining brok-
ers will exist in this city as heret-
ofore and will continue to perform
its usual functions," said the news-
paper. "It is learned unofficially
that listing requirements may be
somewhat stiffer for mine stocks
than has been the rule but the sole
purpose of such a change is to
make a sounder market in which
traders may operate."

MACDONALD COMMITTED TO TRIAL

One Time Prominent Maritime Boxer Faces Charge of Murdering Halifax Waitress.

(Canadian Press)
HALIFAX, Nov. 21—Lounge'g
back in his chair as more than a
score of Crown witnesses filed in-
to the stand and submitted their
evidence, Douglas "Red" MacDon-
ald, once prominent in Maritime
boxing circles, today heard himself
committed to stand trial for the
14-month-old murder of Marie
Thibault.

Only one did the former Mar-
time Lightweight Champion rouse
himself from his indolent pose. He
sat up and leaned over the prison-
er's rail as detectives produced a
little blue thread, less than an inch
long and hardly visible to the naked
eye.

Discovered On 'Cub

It was discovered, they said, on
a huge club admittedly carried by
the accused on that September
night of 1932 when the body of the
little waitress was found in a dark-
ened doorway, her skull cracked
and battered.

The little piece of faded thread
was identified by Dr. Ralph Smith,
Provincial Pathologist, as belong-
ing to the dead girl's hat, tilted to
the side of her head as she left her
table in a downtown restaurant
for home.

Long since he tread the can-
va-covered ring floor, the battle-
scarred accused merely replied:

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Conservatives Retain Seat In British House

(C. P. Cable)
LONDON, Nov. 21—(C. P. Cable)
—The Conservatives retained the
House of Commons seat for Rus-
holme division of Manchester in to-
day's by-election but with a greatly
reduced vote.

The result announced tonight was
as follows: E. A. Radford, Conserva-
tive, 13,904; Rev. G. S. Woods, Labor,
11,005; Dr. F. McDougall, Independ-
ent, 2,503.

The vote constituted a drastic cut
in the Conservative poll since the
last general elections, when the
count showed 24,817 votes for Sir
Frank Boyd Merriman, Cons., 18,319
for J. Adeshead, Labor, and 4,658 for
F. C. Thornborough, Liberal.

Labor supporters hail the result
as a triumph second only to Labor's
capture of traditionally Conservative
East Fulham last month.

Inspector Of Pen- sions Is Appointed

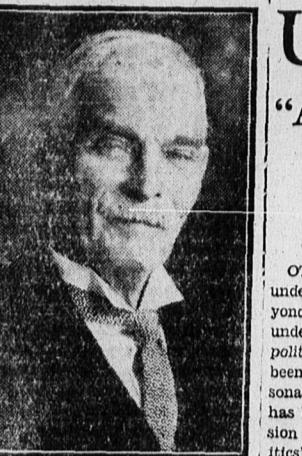
(Canadian Press)
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sions, has announced. Mr. Bray's
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"I am entirely satisfied with the
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Is Reported Resting Well



His Honour Lieutenant Governor
Dalton was the victim of a painful
accident yesterday morning when
in getting out of his car near the
corner of Great George and Rich-
mond Streets he slipped on the icy
curb and sustained a comminuted
fracture of the right femur. He was
carried into the office of W. K.
Rogers Company Limited, by his
chauffeur and Mr. Fred Ross, Hon.
Dr. MacMillan was notified and
came over at once from the Prem-
ier's office. His examination show-
ing the nature of His Honour's in-
jury, the latter was at once re-
moved to the Charlottetown Hos-
pital.

Last evening His Honour was re-
ported to be resting comfortably
and recovering from shock. Though
in his 84th year, his strong vitality
is a great asset in such an emer-
gency and it is hoped his recovery
from yesterday's accident will be
both speedy and satisfactory.

MISSING MAN FOUND DEAD

ST. JOHN'S Nfld., Nov. 21—(C. P.
Cable)—Sought when he failed to
return home for dinner, Alexander
Lemesurier, 8-year old customs
official, was found hanging from
a beam in the harbor light build-
ing here.

He had not fully recovered from
effects of being gassed two months
ago and relatives expressed the be-
lief he had taken his own life
rather than continue in ill-health.
They said he had been overcome
by gas in the basement of his home
while trying to discover a leak and
had been incapacitated for several
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Government By Commission Is Urged In Report

"A Rest From Party Politics" Is Advice Offered Newfound- land By Royal Commission.

(Canadian Press)
OTTAWA, Nov. 21—Struggling
under a burden of public debt be-
yond its capacity to bear, laboring
under difficulties engendered by a
political system which for years has
been abused and exploited for per-
sonal or party ends, Newfoundland
has been advised by Royal Commis-
sion to take "a rest from party polit-
ics" and place itself under a Com-
mission Government to be set up by
the Crown.

In a 300 page blue-book report,
accompanied by a British parlia-
mentary "white paper," the findings
of the Royal Commission appointed
jointly by the United Kingdom, Cana-
dian and Newfoundland Govern-
ments, were made public today, in
the capitals of the three countries
concerned.

Unanimous in Report

Lord Amulree, appointed by the
United Kingdom government, C. A.
Magrath, of Ottawa representing
Canada, and Sir William Stavert of
Montreal, Newfoundland's repre-
sentative on the Commission, were
unanimous in finding the proposal,
to return the Dominion to the status
of a Crown Colony, the best means
for bringing about its recovery.

The parliamentary "white pa-
per" revealed, in correspondence be-
tween Rt. Hon. J. H. Thomas, Dom-
inions Secretary, and Premier F.
C. Alderdice of Newfoundland, that

Jamaica Seeks Protection From Cheap Jap Goods

(C. P. Cable)—The Anglo-Japan-
ese Treaty precludes Jamaica from
placing discriminatory duties on
Japanese goods, Governor Sir A.
Ransford Slater told the Legislative
Council today.

The Governor said he had re-
ceived this opinion from the Sec-
retary of State for Colonies, who
also had advised that special duties
on goods from countries with
depreciated currencies would be in-
consistent with most favored na-
tion provisions in existing treaty
obligations.

The Council was discussing de-
mands for action to prevent cheap
Japanese goods from being dumped
in the colony. These goods were
said to be ousting British goods
from the local markets.

Await Action Of N.S. Government

(Canadian Press)
OTTAWA, Nov. 21—Details of
proposed municipal public works
for Nova Scotia have not been re-
ceived by his department, Hon. W.
A. Gordon, Minister of Labor, stat-
ed today.

The Nova Scotia Government
had suggested recently that a pub-
lic works programme be included
in the relief agreement between
the Dominion and the province,
said Mr. Gordon. Details had been
requested from the Nova Scotia
Government, but so far had not
been received, the Minister de-
clared.

A despatch from Halifax today
stated that Mayor A. A. Thompson,
Halifax, had informed a delegation
of unemployed that a start of Hal-
fax's \$300,000 public works pro-
gramme as a form of unemploy-
ment relief was awaiting word from
the Dominion Government.

STRATOSPHERE FLIERS LAND IN MARSHES

United States Fliers Relate Experiences Felt Eleven Miles Above Earth.

BRIDGETOWN, N. J., Nov. 21—
(A.P.)—A flight to the stratosphere
had no more thrills to it than the
safe landing of Lieutenant Comman-
der T. G. W. Settle and Major C. L.
Fordney, his co-pilot, who squashed
to earth in the tidal marshes on the
edge of Delaware Bay.

After their contact with the earth
and while much of South Jersey
searched woods and fields, the two
balloonists slept peacefully wrapped
in the folds of the great gas bag
that had carried them to new
heights.

They came down in total dark-
ness, eight miles southwest of
Bridgetown perilously close to the
wide expanse of Delaware Bay at
5.50 p. m., yesterday only to find
themselves marooned by the tidal
water. They made the best of it af-
ter reconnoitring and decided to

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The Weather, Etc



Strong winds or gales from south-
east and south; cloudy and mild
with snow turning to rain.

(Canadian Press)
METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Tor-
onto, Nov. 21—Minimum and maxi-
mum temperatures—

Dawson	4	4
Edmonton	23	15
Regina	28	14
Winnipeg	28	14
Calgary	28	14
Montreal	14	14
Quebec	14	14
St. John's	10	10
Halifax	16	16
Charlottetown	16	16

Maritime West—Strong winds and
gales with rain or probably part
snow in northern districts.

Maritime East—Strong winds or
gales from southeast and south;
cloudy and mild with snow turn-
ing to rain.

High tide this afternoon at 2:40
and tomorrow morning at 1:48.
Sun sets this afternoon at 4:30 and
rises tomorrow morning at 7:07.
First greater moon Friday, Nov.
24, 7:3