

TUESDAY

It is doubtful if the public life of any country can show a larger number of old men who are still in active life than are to be found in the Senate of Canada. Hon. J. V. Ellis, who died at the age of 78, left behind several who were older than he and a number who were close to his age.

Since the rejection of the Borden Naval Bill by the Senate there has been a good deal of speculation as to the possibility of a change in the political complexion of the Upper Chamber through the death or retirement of Liberal Senators and the appointment of Conservatives in their places. Below will be found a list of the Senators on both sides of the house and their ages:

- CONSERVATIVES.**
- Hon. George Thomas Baird, Perth Centre, N. B., aged 65.
 - Hon. Joseph Bolduc, St. Victor de Tring, Que., aged 66.
 - Hon. Charles Eugene Boucher de Boucherville, M. D., C. M. G., Montreal, aged 91.
 - Hon. Sir Mackenzie Bowell, K. C., M. G., P. C., Toronto, aged 89.
 - Hon. John Nesbit Kirchhoff, Brandon, Man., aged 65.
 - Hon. Alphonse Alfred Clement Lacroix, St. Boniface, Que., aged 71.
 - Hon. James A. Loughheed, K. C., Calgary, Alta., aged 59.
 - Hon. William John Macdonald, Victoria, B. C., aged 81.
 - Hon. David Mackenzie, Halifax, N.S., aged 74.
 - Hon. Wm. McDonald, Glace Bay, C. B., aged 76.
 - Hon. Peter McLaren, Perth, Ont., aged 80.
 - Hon. Donald McMillan, M. D., Alexandria, Ont., aged 78.
 - Hon. Hypolite Montplaisir, Three Rivers, Que., aged 73.
 - Hon. Wm. J. P. Owens, Montreal, aged 73.
 - Hon. Pascal Poirier, B. A., Shediac, N. B., aged 61.
 - Hon. Rufus Henry Pope, Compton, Que., aged 56.
 - Hon. George Taylor, Gananoque, Ont., aged 60.
 - Hon. E. D. Smith, Winona, Ont., aged 60.
 - Hon. Nathaniel Currey, Amherst, N. S., aged 62.
 - Hon. W. B. Ross, Halifax, N. S., aged 69.
 - Hon. George Gordon, Nipissing, aged 48.
 - Hon. Wm. Dennis, Halifax, N. S., aged 57.
 - Hon. James J. Donnelly, Pinkerton, Ont., aged 47.
 - Hon. Alexander McCall, Simcoe, Ont., aged 69.
 - Hon. Col. James Mason, Toronto, aged 78.
 - Hon. Senator Murphy, P. E. Island, aged 44.
 - Hon. C. A. C. P. Landry, Speaker, Que., aged 67.
 - Hon. Wm. McKay, M. D., Nova Scotia, aged 65.
 - Hon. E. Lavin, Girrold, Nova Scotia, aged 43.
- To which might be added W. H. Thorne, St. John, N. B., believed to be successor to Senator Ellis, aged 69.

- LIBERALS.**
- Hon. Frederic Ligori Belque, L.L.D., K. C., Montreal, aged 63.
 - Hon. Robert Beith, Bowmansville, Ont., aged 70.
 - Hon. Napoleon Antoine Belcourt, L. L. M., L.L. D., K. C., Ottawa, aged 52.
 - Hon. Joseph Philippe Baby, Montreal, aged 57.
 - Hon. Philippe Auguste Choquette, L.L. D., Quebec, aged 59.

- Hon. Henry Cloran, B.C.L., K.C., Montreal, aged 58.
- Hon. Joseph Coffey, London, Ont., aged 69.
- Hon. John Costigan, Edmunston, N. B., aged 78.
- Hon. George Albertus Cox, Toronto, aged 75.
- Hon. Raoul Dandurand, B.C.L., K. C., Montreal, aged 51.
- Hon. Laurent Olivier David, Montreal, aged 73.
- Hon. Thomas Osborne Davis, Prince Albert, Sask., aged 66.
- Hon. Daniel Derbyshire, Brockville, Ont., aged 66.
- Hon. Leverett George DeVeber, M. D., Lethbridge, Alta., aged 64.
- Hon. Lt.-Col. James Domville, F.R. C. I., F. I. I., aged 70.
- Hon. William Cameron Edwards, Rockland, Ont., aged 69.
- Hon. Edward Mathew Farrell, Liverpool, N. S., aged 59.
- Hon. Jean Baptiste Romuald Fiset, M. D., Rimouski, Que., aged 70.
- Hon. Amedee Emmanuel Forget, Banff, Alta., aged 65.
- Hon. Francis Theodore Frost, Smith's Falls, Ont., aged 70.
- Hon. William Gibson, Beamsville, Ont., aged 64.
- Hon. Daniel Gilmour, St. George, N. B., aged 64.
- Hon. Joseph Godbout, M. D., St. Francois, Que., aged 62.
- Hon. Robert Jaffray, Toronto, aged 81.
- Hon. Sir Lyman Melvin Jones, Toronto, aged 70.
- Hon. James Kirkpatrick Kerr, K. C., P. C., Toronto, aged 72.
- Hon. George Gerald King, Chipman, N. B., aged 77.
- Hon. Louis Lavergne, Arthabaska, Que., aged 68.
- Hon. Joseph Hormidas Legris, Louisville, Que., aged 63.
- Hon. Robert MacKay, Montreal, aged 73.
- Hon. George McHugh, Lindsay, Ont., aged 68.
- Hon. Peter McSweeney, Moncton, N. B., aged 71.
- Hon. William Mitchell, Drummondville, Que., aged 62.
- Hon. Lawrence Geoffrey Power, P. C., L.L. D., Halifax, N. S., aged 72.
- Hon. Joseph Benjamin Prince, Battledore, Sask., aged 58.
- Hon. Benjamin Charles Prowse, Charlottetown, P. E. I., aged 51.
- Hon. Valentine Ratz, Parkhill, Ont., aged 65.
- Hon. George Riley, Victoria, B.C., aged 70.
- Hon. Jas. Edwin Robertson, M.D., Montague, P. E. I., aged 73.
- Hon. William Roche, Halifax, N.S., aged 71.
- Hon. James Hamilton Ross, Moose Jaw, Sask., aged 57.
- Hon. Sir George William Ross, L.L. D., Toronto, aged 72.
- Hon. Joseph Shelyn, Quebec, aged 84.
- Hon. Peter Talbot, Lacombe, Alta., aged 59.
- Hon. Jules Tessier, Quebec, aged 61.
- Hon. John Yeo, Port Hill, P.E.I., aged 76.
- Hon. Finley McNaughton Young, Killarney, Man., aged 61.
- Hon. Arthur Rogers, aged 62.
- Hon. Jas. Moffat, Douglas, Sask., aged 74.
- Hon. A. A. Thibideau, Quebec, aged 53.
- Hon. F. P. Thompson, New Brunswick, aged 67.
- Hon. Robert Watson, Manitoba, aged 60.
- Hon. Jos. M. Wilson, Quebec, aged 52.

to the 600 yards with the fine total of 67 pts. out of 70. His first three shots at the longest and most difficult range resulted in two fliers and a bull, and it was realized that he wanted all bulls-eyes with his remaining four shots to get the hundred and the medal. The excitement was intense when he put on three bulls consecutively. His last shot was watched with almost breathless interest by all on the range; the coolest man among the lot was the rifleman himself, and necessarily so. When he fired and the white square promptly came up, indicating that he had got the bulls-eye, that he had made his hundred and also won the Louson medal, a great cheer rent the air from those around. Three hearty cheers were immediately given for the winner, who deserves to be warmly congratulated upon his fine achievement. City rifle men are proud that the medal will remain in Charlottetown, especially as competition was keen among the other Island shots to secure it.

Mr. Ritchie's excellent performance created a vacancy which it is the Guardian's great pleasure to announce has been immediately filled. Professor P. Barlow, President of the Civilian Rifle Club, now gives a silver medal on exactly the same conditions as those made by Mr. Louson; the medal to be won by the first rifleman making 100 points or better at the three ranges already named, whether at practice shooting or in a competition. Such sportsmanlike acts are worthy of the highest commendation. With regard to yesterday afternoon's shoot there were several good scores besides Mr. Ritchie's. Mr. Alex. J. McInnis made 96 pts., as also Mr. F. Kennedy, while Mr. G. R. Beer made 95, and Mr. J. Landrigan 94. Mr. Beer though making top score in the Civilian's shoot did not win the spoon for "A" class, as having previously won a spoon, he had to allow Mr. G. M. Moore, who scored 93 pts., three points, and with this allowance the latter carried off the spoon.

The following are the scores in detail:

CIVILIAN CLUB.

Name	Pts.
G. R. Beer	95
M. Moore	93
M. A. Allan	91
A. Kennedy	88
J. McInnis	96
J. H. Judson	88
S. Grey	86
P. Barlow	85
W. S. Louson	84
G. J. Rogers	83
C. W. Patterson	80
J. O'Brien	80
E. G. Love	79
C. Burns	78
D. Stewart	66

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Name	Pts.
G. E. Ritchie	100
Alex. McKinnon	96
F. Kennedy	96
J. Landrigan	90
F. Gill	90
P. Landrigan	86
J. W. Stanley	80

WEDNESDAY

A COMMENDABLE MOVE.—It is gratifying to announce that, through the kindness of Miss Penelope Daves and Professor Watkes, a song and piano recital will be given in St. James Hall on Friday evening in honor of the visiting teachers and lecturers at the Summer School which closes on Friday evening. That the recital be an enjoyable one it is only necessary to mention the names of the recitalists. Miss Daves is one of the most talented soloists in Canada, while Professor Watkes as a pianist has no superior.

MERIT REWARDED.—In recognition of the worthy services of the Fire Brigade at the fire on Tuesday morning which destroyed the saw and door factory of Mr. M. P. Hogan and was only prevented from destroying or at any rate damaging the adjoining foundry of Messrs. Bruce Stewart and Co., by the yeoman manner in which the firemen worked, Mr. Bruce Stewart yesterday presented the Brigade with the sum of \$25. This is a tangible expression of his appreciation which reflects worthily on Mr. Stewart, and the firemen are entirely deserving of it.

HALIFAX CADETS COMING.—The Halifax Cadets are to come to Charlottetown to carry through their annual training here. They will be encamped on the Ordnance Grounds, and will utilize the Victoria Park for drill purposes. A telegram was received by His Worship Mayor Lyons on Monday afternoon from the authorities of the Sixth Division, Halifax, asking the City Council's permission for the use of the Park for the drilling of the cadets while encamped here. This permission was immediately granted, and an affirmative reply telegraphed. The Cadets will arrive here on the 15th inst., and will be in camp here for six days.

A BIG LOSS.—It is estimated that the loss occasioned by the fire which totally destroyed Mr. M. P. Hogan's saw and door factory, Charlottetown, on Tuesday morning, is of the amount of \$25,000, and it is understood that not a cent of it is covered by insurance, this being due to the high rates of insurance on this class of risk. The factory building was erected about twenty years ago; it was 30 feet long, 40 feet wide and 20 feet high, with a basement 10 feet deep. It was fully equipped with up-to-date plant including moulding machines, planers and matchers, a planer and saw, a jointer, a resaw table, a self-feeding rip saw, mauling and tenoning machines, and a dove-tailer, jig saw, turning lathe, boring machine, a shaper, etc. A 50-horse-power engine and boiler also formed part of the complement of the factory. Of this machinery nothing but a tangled mass of scrap remains. The lumber within the factory at the time, which was also completely destroyed, included a quantity of finished material for the interior of the houses of Messrs. J. R. Dennis, R. McEwen and Ernest McLaren. Like its contents the build-

ing is a complete wreck; only the large brick chimney of its furnace remains standing; a mournful pile among the ruins. The cause of the fire is unknown.

SUCCESSFUL OPERATION.—Mr. John H. Court, Donaldson, P. E. I., who was operated on for appendicitis at the P. E. Island Hospital yesterday morning is reported as resting comfortably. The operation was performed by Mr. Toombs of Mt. Stewart assisted by Dr. Camuthers.

Much sympathy goes out to Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Nelson, 42 Hillboro street, in the death of their eldest child, Dorothy Alexa, which occurred at 1.30 this morning after an illness of three weeks. The deceased, aged two years and three months, was a beautiful child, and a general favorite with all who knew her. Her death was a sad blow to the home from which she has been taken and her parents are of a heartfelt sympathy of a host of friends.

The death occurred in the City Hospital yesterday of Mr. Edwin R. Harrington after an illness of two weeks. The deceased who was 31 years of age was a well known barber and many friends will learn of his death with regret. He leaves to mourn his mother, an invalid for the past year in the City Hospital, also one brother, Leo, in Western Canada. The funeral takes place this Wednesday morning at 9.30 from the chapel to the pro-Cathedral, thence to the R. C. Cemetery. The pallbearers will be Messrs. Patrick McQuaid, Joseph Hughes, Anthony McCaskill, Jeremiah Mahar, and B. Ballingall.

During the past ten days some 270 teachers from different parts of the province have sojourned in the city. Their visit was in the nature of a holiday. They spent strenuous hours in study and as a result will go back to their arduous duties better equipped for their work, better satisfied with their vocation and more fully alive to its responsibilities. It is safe to infer that the term, short though it was, will have a marked effect on the schools throughout the province and that as a result of the association and the inspiration—as well as of the instruction received—will be given to education that will tell for good for all time to come.

It is gratifying to find that citizens generally have taken a keen interest in the work of the Summer School and in the visiting teachers as well. The Guardian is pleased to announce that a series of entertainments of various kinds have been arranged for a fitting close to the first Summer School for teachers, held in the province. This afternoon and tomorrow afternoon a number of the owners will take as many of the teachers as can be accommodated for drives around the city and suburbs; on Friday afternoon a river trip on the Steamer Harland has been arranged for; on Friday evening as already announced, a piano and vocal recital will be held in honor of the teachers in St. James Hall.

It is pleasing to note this attention on the part of the citizens and it is quite sure to be fully appreciated by the visitors, to whom The Guardian, with the citizens, heartily says "Come again."

Great interest in local rifle-shooting centres is aroused by the match which takes place on the Kensington range, Charlottetown, this afternoon between teams of the Summerside Rifle Club and the Charlottetown Civilian's Rifle Club. The match is a return to that which was shot at Summerside a fortnight ago, when the Charlottetown team travelled to the West and met with a signal defeat. In today's match the Charlottetown men are determined to get the upper hand, and considering that they will be shooting on their own range there is strong reason why they should get the better of the visitors. The match will be shot over the usual ranges—200 yds., 500 yds. and 600 yds., and shooting will commence shortly after the arrival of the special train by which the Summerside team will be coming. The train will arrive here between half-past three and four o'clock and immediately on arrival the visiting team will proceed to the range, where the members of the Civilian Rifle Club will be ready to begin the match. Shooting will commence at four o'clock.

With such a large field of equally good shots to select from, some difficulty has been experienced in choosing the team to meet the Summerside club's representatives, but eventually after a good deal of consideration, the selectors have decided on the following eight to uphold the honour of the C. R. C.: Messrs. Duck, G. F. Hutchison, J. M. Jones, G. R. Beer, R. V. Longworth, W. K. Rogers, G. Moore and P. Barlow.

It has been suggested that a second team of eight members of the Civilian Club should also shoot at the same time for the silver spoon which has been kindly presented by Mr. G. F. Hutchison for competition among the eight, and besides this attraction the members of the second team have the added inducement of beating the chosen eight. The second team will likely consist of: E. G. Love, W. S. Louson, M. Allan, C. W. Patterson, D. Stewart, G. Rogers, W. A. Weeks, S. Grey and E. R. Brown. If any of these should not attend, other members of the club would be eligible.

As to the match itself, with the inducement of the Barlow medal to be given to the first man making 100 points or more, and the silver spoon which Mr. Grey offers to the highest individual scorer of the match, there will be no doubt a good many high scores this afternoon, also especially in view of the fact that some of the best rifle men in the Island will be competing. The range will be open to visitors and it is hoped that there will be a full gathering of local rifle men to give the visiting team a warm reception.

The presbytery of P. E. Island met in St. James Hall, Charlottetown, yesterday morning, the Moderator, the Rev. John Stirling, presiding. There was a large attendance of ministers and elders. The ministers present were: Revs. John Sterling, Dr. Fullerton, G. Millar, E. J. Rattee, D. B. McLeod, W. H. Spencer, J. W. MacKenzie, R. P. Murray, D. Wright, A. J. W. Beer, A. J. McNeill, John Murray, John Gillis, M. N. McLeod, A. D. MacIntosh, D. McLean, A. B. McLeod and A. Craise, (Clerk).

There were also present Rev. M. H. MacIntosh of Middle Musquodoboit. Rev. D. B. McLeod was elected Moderator for the next six months. The resignation of Rev. John Murray of the pastoral charge of New London, Granville and Summerfield was accepted—to take effect October 8th next.

Splendid tributes to Mr. Murray's services, extended over a period of more than 40 years, were paid by the representatives of his congregation and by various members of Presbytery—Mr. Murray is retiring from the active work of the ministry. A very hearty and unanimous call from the congregation of Strathallan in favor of Rev. Alex. Ferguson (late of West Bay, C. B.) was sustained. The stipend offered is \$1,000 with free manse and glebe and four weeks' vacation. As it is expected Mr. Ferguson will accept the call, the following arrangements were made for his induction. The Moderator of Presbytery to preside and induct, Rev. J. H. McHattie to preach, Rev. A. Sutherland to address the minister, and Rev. Dr. Fullerton the people.

Rev. Dr. Jack of North Sydney and Rev. Donald McDonald, Cape Breton, were nominated as Moderators of Synod. After a spirited debate on the proposed changes in the Rules of the Aged and Infirm Ministers' fund, the matter was deferred for full consideration to a subsequent meeting. Presbytery afterwards adjourned to meet at the call of the Moderator and Clerk.

THURSDAY.

PROPERTY SOLD.—The residence of Mr. W. H. Clarke, at 11 King St., Charlottetown, was put up for sale at auction yesterday by Mr. R. Bearst, auctioneer. There was a fairly large number of bidders. Bidding for the property commenced with an offer of \$1,000 and eventually stopped at \$1,820, at which figure it was knocked down to Mr. Milton McLeod, grocer of the city.

The death occurred at China Point on July 29th, of Joseph A. Carey, in the thirtieth year of his age. Deceased had been for a number of years, engaged in the drug business, at first in Summerside and subsequently in New York. Early in the past spring he was taken ill and returned to his home in China Point where, despite the best medical attendance and the ministrations of devoted friends, he gradually sank until, on the 29th ult., fortified by the last rites of the Roman Catholic church, his young spirit burst its earthly fetters and returned to the God who gave it. He leaves to mourn a sorrowing mother, three sisters and four brothers, besides a large circle of friends and acquaintances.

The funeral, which was largely attended, took place on Thursday morning to St. Joachim's Church, Vernon River. The pall-bearers were Andrew McInnis, J. J. McInnis, Wm. Mitch, Frederick Nelson, Melville Irving and Ernest McInnis.

ENJOYABLE FUNCTION.—At the American Consulate last evening an informal but enjoyable function took place, a musical entertainment being given by Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Frost in honor of the prominent American educationists who are in the city at present in connection with the first session of the Summer School for the teachers of this Island. These were Dr. H. N. Lumus, Ph. D., (with Mrs. Lumus), Mr. M. D. Jones, B. S., (with Mrs. Jones), Miss Julia Ves, Messrs. Frederick F. Smith, B. S., and Franklin E. Hoald, B. S., A. M. Other instructors of the Summer School who were present were Dr. D. W. Hamilton, M. A., Ph. D. (with Mrs. Hamilton) and Principal Morehouse. Among the large number of other guests, who numbered altogether between thirty and forty, were Mr. Henry Gaine, a wealthy American visitor and such prominent local citizens as Hon. Murdoch McKinnon, Dr. Robertson, Professor Ross, ex-Governor D. A. McKinnon, Professor Clarke, Dr. Blanchard and Mr. Percy Pope. A very delightful program of music was rendered by Miss Penelope Daves and Miss Netta Craig, of Washington, D. C.

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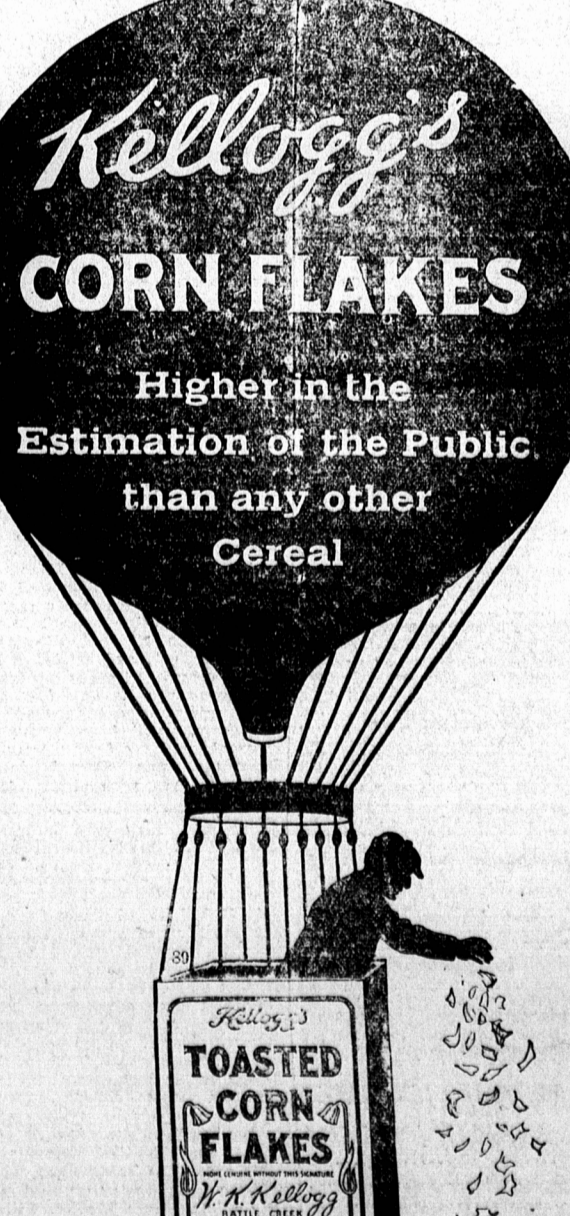


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