

GOVERNMENT OF NEW BRUNSWICK

Has Resigned And New Cabinet Formed By Premier Hazen Governor Tweedie Would Not Sanction Appointments

ST. JOHN, March 20—(Special)—The new ministers will be sworn in at Fredericton on Tuesday afternoon in the Executive Council chambers. The date of the by-elections will be determined then.

Before resigning Premier Robinson made the following recommendations for office:

W. H. Trueman for Judge of Probates. W. J. Mahoney for Equity Court Reporter. Hon. W. P. Jones for Supreme Court Reporter and Mayor Squire for Chairman of School Board.

The Governor, however, refused to sanction the appointments on the ground that the Government had lost the confidence of the people.

PROVINCIAL SEED FAIR

Proceedings At The Closing Meetings—Addresses Etc, List Of The Prize Winners In The Different Classes

The meeting in connection with the Seed Fair held in the Market hall Thursday morning was largely attended. The Rev. J. A. McDonald occupied the chair. A very instructive address on the improvement of farm crops by Theo. Ross was delivered. He dealt ably with the subject and specially urged upon the farmers to pay special attention to the sowing of only the best seed obtainable.

A short discussion took place on the autos. The auto again came up and was discussed at some length. A resolution asking the Government to prohibit the running of them on public roads was carried by a large majority. Several other resolutions were also passed, among them one moved by the Rev. P. C. Gauthier asking the Dept. of Agriculture to provide at least two scholarships to each farmer's institute on the Island for a short term course in Agricultural School in Truro. Also one asking that a duty be placed on barrelled pork coming in from United States. The Seed Fair held this year was the most successful one ever held on the Island as regards the number of entries. At the first fair held at Charlottetown there were 94 entries last year at the Fair held in Summerside there were 213 entries and at the fair this year the number of entries was 424.

Following is the prize list:

Domestic Science Department—1 loaf home made bread—1, Mrs. (Dr.) McNeill, S' Side; 2, Miss Monkley, S' Side; 3, Etta Humphrey, Wilmet; 4, Mrs. Thomas Humphrey, do.

1 loaf home made Graham bread—1, Etta Humphrey, 2, Mrs. Baxter, S' Side; 3, Mrs. George Brown, St. Eleanor's; 4, Mrs. Dr. A. McNeill.

Home made fruit cake—1, Mrs. Theo. Ramsay, S' Side; 2, Mrs. Harry Cannon, S' Side; 3, Miss Jane Mawley, S' Side.

Home made pound cake—1, Mrs. T. D. Ramsay; 2, Miss Jane Mawley; 3, Miss E. Humphrey.

1 dish small fancy cake—1, Mrs. Dr. A. McNeill; 2, T. D. Ramsay; 3, Miss E. Humphrey; 4, Mrs. Thomas Hacker, Wilmet.

1 doz. tea biscuits, (not yeast raised)—Miss Anna Rogers, Central Bedouque; 2, Mrs. Dr. McNeill; 3, Mrs. Robblee, S' Side; 4, Mrs. Carrie Dawson, S' Side.

1 apple pie on plate—1, Miss Mawley; 2, Mrs. Baxter; 3, Miss Humphrey; 4, Miss Blanche Craig, S' Side.

1 dish puff pastry, (tartlets)—Miss Mawley and Mrs. Benj. Rogers, Charlottetown, equal; 2, Mrs. Geo. Brown, St. Eleanor's.

1 bottle sweet spice pickles—1, Mrs. A. McNeill; 2, Mrs. B. Rogers, City; 3, Mrs. Dr. A. McNeill.

1 jar orange marmalade—1, Mrs. Daniel Fraser, Kingston, Lot 31; 2, Mrs. Dr. A. McNeill; 3, Mrs. Thomas Glover, S' Side.

1 quart jar canned plums—1, Miss M. A. Schurman, Central Bedouque; 2, Mrs. A. Craig; 3, Mrs. L. Schurman, C. Bedouque; 4, Miss Anna Rogers, C. Bedouque.

Collection fruit jelly (not less than three varieties)—Mrs. H. J. Massey, S' Side; 2, Mrs. A. Craig; 3, Mrs. W. G. Taylor, N. Bedouque.

Collection preserved fruit—1, Miss Humphrey; 2, Mrs. Daniel Fraser; 3, Mrs. Benj. Tanton; 4, Mrs. Thos. Glover; 5, Mrs. H. J. Massey.

Collection canned fruit—1, Miss A. Rogers; 2, Mrs. L. U. Fowler; 3, Mrs. B. Rogers; 4, Miss M. A. Schurman; 5, Mrs. N. McFarlane, S' Side.

Box home made candy—1, Mrs. Dr. A. McNeill; 3, Miss H. Plant; 4, Wilmet.

Clarke's prize for best collection of exhibits—1, Miss Humphrey; 2, Mrs. T. D. Ramsay.

T. Eaton's special prize for best collection of canned fruit—1, Mrs. L. U. Fowler; 2, Miss A. Rogers; 3, Mrs. M. A. Schurman; 4, Mrs. Thos. Frizel, S' Side.

Wheat (white chaff)—1, W. B. Drake, Cornwall; 2, Louis Burnett; 3, Marchbank Bros., New Annan; 4, John Dalton, Truro.

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Wheat (White Russian)—1, H. Wright; 2, Bedouque; 3, W. D. Drake, Cornwall; 4, Thos. Waugh, N. Bedouque; 5, James Murphy, Augustine Cove.

Wheat (any other variety)—1, Geo. Bagloe, Northam; 2, B. J. McLeod, Mt. Royal; 3, Louis Burnett; 4, Harry Gorrell, Northam; 5, M. D. McLeod, Mt. Royal; 6, L. Burnett; 7, H. D. Arsenal, Urbanville; 8, D. C. Ramsay, Port Hill.

Oats (White Banner)—1, H. Waugh, Wilmet; 2, Thos. Waugh, do; 3, L. Burnett; 4, Marchbank Bros.

Oats (White Legoo)—1, I. Doughart, Long River; 2, Peter Brodie, Little York; 3, D. J. McLeod, Mt. Royal; 4, Benj. Mallett, Little York.

PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE

Questions Asked And Some Lively Debating—Points Procedure Official Ballot Voting Subject Of Discussion

March 19th (Continued from yesterday.)

Replying to Mr. Cummskey's contention with regard to Mr. Morson's resolution on original tender for rebuilding Prince Co. Jail.

Mr. Morson claimed that he was following the practice of the House. If the Commissioner is right it practically means it will be impossible to bring forward a resolution. It came with bad grace from the commissioner who prides himself on having presided over the House for many years. Hon. Mr. Cummskey said such practice had never been followed when he was Speaker.

Mr. Mathieson said he did not think the Commissioner could be in earnest. It is absurd to refer to Rule 5, and, because it says nothing about resolutions, infer that resolutions cannot be introduced in this present manner. It is utterly absurd. According to that doctrine no resolution can be moved at all. The resolutions have always been moved in every session. It was taking up time uselessly.

Hon. Mr. Haszard, supported the Commissioner of Public Works, and said it would be well to have a ruling of the Opposition might introduce resolutions at all times. There is no objection to introducing a resolution in its proper place; but not in the way the present one has been introduced.

Mr. McKinnon quoted from last year's Journal of the House showing where a resolution had been introduced by Premier Peters seconded by Hon. Mr. Haszard.

The Speaker asked time to decide, which was agreed to.

Hon. Premier Haszard introduced an Act to Amend Chapter 2 Acts 1906, entitled "An Act Respecting the Oyster Fisheries of Prince Edward Island." The Act is as follows:

"Be it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor and Legislative Assembly of the Province of Prince Edward Island as follows:

"The following section is hereby added to Chapter 2 of the Acts of 1906:

"Provided, however, that nothing in this Act is intended to affect any public harbour."

A good deal of discussion ensued. The Opposition members contended that this amendment would give the Federal Government too much control in the harbors and rivers of this Province.

It was agreed that the Bill be held over for a day.

House was then moved into Committee of the whole to consider the Election Bill, and was thus engaged till 6 p.m. when adjournment was made till 8 p.m.

EVENING SESSION.

House resumed consideration of the Election Law at 8.30.

A number of clauses were agreed to.

When the 74th section was reached Mr. Mathieson asked that part of the Bill dealing with the form of voting—if any consideration had been given to the matter of changing the form of voting. This Province is the only one in the Dominion that has not adopted the ballot system. Hon. Mr. Haszard said the matter had been thoroughly considered. It was not the intention of the Government to change the form of voting.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 20th

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Hon. Mr. Cummskey begged to lay on the table of the House certain information regarding the contract for Mr. Morson.

Mr. Agnew (Alberton) introduced a resolution setting forth the disabilities under which this Province lies with regard to transportation and with regard to the intercolonial freight charges on that this Province should have representation in the Federal Government or on the Railway Commission, and recommending that a copy of the resolution when passed be transmitted to the Federal Government.

The resolution was supported by the Premier, and by Messrs Mathieson, Hughes and Prowse, and was passed unanimously.

Mr. Fraser (Souris) : Mr. Speaker, when the House rose at 4 o'clock, I privately referred to a question that occurred at the meeting of the Public Accounts Committee, which met for the first time this morning.

Hon. Mr. Haszard : Mr. Speaker, I object. The hon. member is entirely out of order.

Mr. Fraser : We called a witness who said that he had been told by

SIFTON SPEAKS ON THE BUDGET

Outlines A Scheme Of Public Works and Lays Stress On Civil Service And Other Needed Public Reforms

OTTAWA, March 20—(Special)—Canadian consular agents should be appointed to look after the interests of Canada in foreign countries.

Simply because we do not possess the proper sort of machinery, said Mr. Sifton, we are failing to get a share of the trade with Japan that we should, also with South Africa.

Mr. Sifton hoped leaders Laurier and Borden would join hands to take the civil service out of the hands of politicians.

No one who had experience would deny that the administration of patronage was a nuisance and the men often appointed were not fit for the job.

Mr. Sifton dealt with immigration and paid a high compliment to Canada's immigrants.

He said while in London he did what he could privately and unofficially to further the All Red scheme and he quoted arguments in support of this.

Pardee and Smith spoke, and Mr. Miller of Grey adjourned the debate.

VICTORIAS LOSE 10 TO 3

In The Second Game With Fredericton For The Starr Trophy

FREDERICTON, March 20—(Special)—In the second game with the Capitals of Fredericton, for the Starr Hockey Trophy, played here this evening the Victorias of Charlottetown were beaten by the Capitals by a score of ten to three.

THURSDAY NIGHT'S GAME

FREDERICTON, N. B., March 20—(Special)—Were beaten by a score of 8 to 5 last night.

With about ten minutes to play the score was Vics 5, Capitals 4, but our boys then went to pieces and the Capitals scored.

Dunpey scored 7 out of the 8 for the Capitals.

At half time the score was 3 to 3. Music went to the fence twice for 5 minutes each time.

Stuart also got five minutes.

Reddin got three minutes for sitting on the puck.

All the boys played well, and Campbell made some sensational stops.

"Shorty" Trites, Moncton, refereed.

The game tonight will be better but expect a poor house on account of show.—Jack.

BOLD BANDIT BOARDS TRAIN

SPOKANE, Wash., March 19—A bandit boarded the mail car on the west-bound Northern Limited of the Great Northern railroad, at Bonner's Ferry, Idaho, before daylight today, bound the two mail clerks, robbed the mail for 100 miles. Then he dropped off the train and escaped. The robbery was not discovered until the train reached Spokane, five hours after the bandit boarded the train.

The train carried the through mail and much of it was registered. The amount stolen will not be known until the registered mail has been checked up.

When the train arrived at Spokane at 9.20 o'clock today the mail car was closed. Employees at the station opened the car and found one of the mail clerks lying bound on the mail sacks. The other clerk was locked in a closet. They said that the bandit boarded the train at Bonner's Ferry, a division point, 100 miles east of Spokane. The bandit entered the car as the train left Bonner's Ferry, subdued the clerks with revolvers, bound them and went through the registered mail. At regular stops the robber threw off the mail sacks, but at smaller places where the train does not stop he did not throw off the mail. He jumped off the train at the Oregon Railroad and Navigation junction, two miles east of Spokane.

ALIENS LEAVING UNITED STATES

NEW YORK, March 19—Immigration statistics compiled by steamship companies, made public today, show that the tide of alien arrivals in this country still remains at low ebb, while the return of foreigners to Europe continues in unusual numbers. The figures disclose that for every fifty immigrants arriving in the United States, 147 of the foreign labor element leave.

"Steamship figures show that immigration is practically at a standstill," said Gustav H. Schwab, general manager of the North German Lloyd Line. During the present year but 44,712 immigrants have been landed, while during the same period in 1907 the figures show that 139,052 had landed in the United States.

TOOK HIM FOR A MOOSE

FORT FRANCIS, Ont., March 18—Peter Jansen, a homesteader on the Rapid River, was shot and killed by Charles Wingen, a neighbor, who mistook him for a moose. Wingen gave himself up to the authorities. No person witnessed the shooting.

THE QUESTION OF SPRING SHOOTING

An Expression Of Opinion From Pownal, In Which The Whole Matter Is Thoroughly Considered

At the request of many from different parts of this province, a meeting was called at Pownal, recently, for the purpose of considering the stopping of spring shooting, proposed by the Game Club of Charlottetown. Many things of interest were brought up to show how much those wealthy sportsmen of New York are interested in our protecting game here in Canada, where they send their little porting papers, with much writing in them, advising Canada what to do in the way of protecting game, or it will become scarce.

It was clearly shown by a report from game warden Unchurch of Carleton Place, North Carolina, that those clubs of New York and others, shoot more birds such as we get, in one winter, than Prince Edward Islanders could shoot in 30 years; \$150,000 worth of birds were shot in one year about the Islands owned by those clubs, and on this Carleton Sound, Continued on page 8

CHINA GRANTS JAPAN'S DEMANDS

TOKIO, March 18—A satisfactory settlement of the Tatsu affair was announced this afternoon. China has conceded all the Japanese demands. She will purchase the arms and ammunition on board the Tatsu, and will hoist the Japanese flag over the vessel. While the flag is being hoisted, a Chinese warship will fire a salute.

There is a general feeling of relief in consequence of the settlement of the incident.

THE WEATHER.

TORONTO, March 20—(Special)—Fair and not much change in temperature.

GRAND PRIZE NIGHT AT FAIRYLAND TONIGHT

Magnificent Assortment of presents given away. Read the list given below. Farewell performance by Devene and Shurtz, The Celebrated comedy acrobats

At Fairyland, to-night, there will be given away a magnificent assortment of prizes which will create the greatest sensation of the kind ever known in the city.

Duplicate tickets will be given at the door, and the stub of each will be retained by the person entering. The holders of the various tickets, handsome, durable and serviceable presents, each worth many times the price of the admission.

Among those given away, will be—

- (1) Solid rubber roll wringer.
- (2) Gem food chopper.
- (3) Wash Board.
- (4) Enamel double boiler, and as

The auctioneer says, a list of other articles too numerous to mention.

The big show will include a magnificent performance by Devene and Shurtz, the celebrated comedy acrobats, who will give a change of act, at this farewell performance.

Remember this will be the last opportunity of seeing these clever people in uproarious comedy and wonderful acrobatic stunts.

There will be a magnificent program of moving pictures.

Two new illustrated songs by Mr. Maddison and Mr. Harney will round out an entertainment that will make Saturday night a memorable one in the annals of Fairyland.

ANOTHER MONSTER PROGRAM

The Musical Macs; Kilby, The Hindoo Magician; Miss Anna Mac in song; Viola Wentworth; The Slide For Life by Beatrice Sours etc.

At the urgent request of so many patrons of Wonderland who were deterred from attending last Tuesday's performance in this popular theatre, the management have arranged with the array of capable artists who performed there, that they might to appear once more. Therefore this evening will give the opportunity to see again this splendid program, so brimming over with good features that to single one out as being the best is impossible.

Kilby the Hindoo and his wife, will give even more difficult demonstrations than those of Tuesday evening. He will loosen himself from a special straight jacket, one which encloses his whole body, and this is a feat which is simply marvellous. Other new specialties on the part of both Kilby will be given, the whole performance of itself, worth the admission fee.

The Musical Macs, already prime favorites, will not only give their magnificent music to swell the number of good things, but Miss Anna Mac will sing in that glorious voice of hers, the old favorite "Colleen Bawn."

Double Trapesse acts by the Sours, these wonderful performers who have

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The Ice Is In Perfect Condition For Skating At the Big Arena Rink To-night