QUEBEC COURT CONVICTS COAL COMPANIES

(Canadian Press)

QUEBEC, Dec 12—Prices of coal in Quebec were fixed and proper competition was prevented, Mr. Justice Wilfrid Laliberte found today in a judgment convicting five coal companies of combining in restraint of trade. Fines totalling $30,000 were imposed and costs were assessed in proportion to the size of the respective penalties. Defense counsel gave immediate notice of an appeal.

The companies and the amount of the fines were: The Canadian Import Company $5,000; The Canadian Import Company, Limited, $7,000; F. P. Weaver Company, $5,000; F. P. Weaver Company, Limited, $7,000, and British Coal Corporation $6,000.

Acquitted

The St. Lawrence Stevedoring Company was acquitted, the judgment finding there was no evidence that organization was party to any such arrangement as the one entered into by the others.

Trial of the six companies ended a month ago after several weeks of testimony and legal argument. Eleven companies in all were indicted and the remaining five are to go on trial December 18. They are: Montreal Coke and Manufacturing Company, Scotch Anthracite Company, Elias Rogers, Limited, Mongeau and Robert, and Hartt and Adair.

Banded Together

Prosecution followed inquiry under the Dominion Combines Investigation Act. Charges were laid under the Combines Act and section 498 of the Criminal Code. The charges expressed shortly are that the companies banded together against the public interest to fix prices and restrain trade. There were 10 counts in the indictment.

"The decision of the court is that if there has been no unreasonable enhancement of prices within the meaning of the counts three and six, the fixation of a common price and the structure of prices resulting therefrom have been used to prevent and lessen competition unduly in restraint of trade", Judge Laliberte said in summing up his judgment.

British Coke

In one instance the court drew attention to the effect of the companies' agreement on the price of fuel. Speaking of British coke, which he said the companies had sought to prevent entering Canada, he observed it was "for distribution among the regular buyers of such commodity and who, it may be said, form part of the poorer classes of the community. These people should have received the benefit of that competition in the free flow of trade, but they did not as it was unduly prevented or lessened to their detriment."

As to the amount of the fines, the judge said: "Following precedents, I consider that the penalty to be imposed should, while substantial, not be vindictive, especially in a case where common prices, though unduly lessening competition, have not been excessive, except on coke, as a result of an accidental agreement to exclude British coke."

In another place in the judgment however, he declared: The intention of the parties except on rare occasions, was to keep prices fairly high and one of the accused expressed the wish of holding them "to the very limit.'"

WANTED

Bottles, pints and quarts, also long neck bottles and square bottles. Phone 1107. Will call for.

The members of a married woman's club in the north meet twice weekly to discuss their grievances. The latter, we understand, wait patiently outside to take their wives home.—Punch.

MARRIAGES

WHITE-WEBB—John A. White to Ruth Edith Webb Nov. 23rd at Charlottetown, W. L. Outhouse officiating.

CHOWEN — HOWES — On Thursday, Dec. 7, 1933, at St. James Manse, Miss Idella Chowen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Chowen of Charlottetown, to Mr. Frederick Howes, also of Charlottetown, Rev. Dr. Moorehead Legtae officiating.

BIRTHS

HUGHES—At the P. E. Island Hospital on December 11, 1933, to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hughes, Harrington, P. E. I., a daughter.

LANCASTER—At the P. E. Island Hospital on December 12th, 1933 to Rev. E. C. and Mrs. Lancaster of Milton a son, John Osborne.

N. D. MacLean

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Remembrance Day At Mt. Stewart

Owing to the inclemency of the weather a remembrance day parade was not held at Mt. Stewart as had previously been anticipated. Instead a number of the Legion men and others proceeded by automobile from the hall to the cemetery where they placed a wreath on the monument to the fallen soldiers. After which they returned to their hall where a largely attended service was held.

The service began promptly at 11.00 o'clock, with the usual two minutes of silence which was followed by the singing of "O God Our Help In Ages Past."

Comrade Dr. Martin who acted as chairman then gave a brief address and after expressing appreciation for the large attendance took his hearers for an imaginary trip to some of the war time scenes in France, vividly portraying a number of those impressive scenes.

This was followed by "O Canada" which was beautifully rendered by the pupils of Mt. Stewart and St. Andrews Schools.

The president of the Legion Branch then spoke at some length referring to some of the results of the Armistice and paying warm tribute to the men who made the Armistice possible, chief among whom are Canada's dead.

He also made a strong appeal for sympathy and understanding on behalf of those who must go through life in continuous suffering as a result of their service and concluded by appealing to all returned men to observe their duty to the more unfortunate of their comrades by giving their organization their utmost support and thus be in a stronger position to assist and protect them when necessary.

Comrade Rev. Joseph Rooney of Morell Parish then spoke very interestingly directing his remarks along the line of patriotism and good citizenship depicting the good influence which would be caused by the principles involved in these two qualities and the good results which would be attained if these principles were properly practiced.

Rev. S. J. Boyce, pastor of Mt. Stewart United Church, also addressed the gathering and strongly emphasized the horror and disdain with which war should be regarded. He explained many of the agencies which are conducive to war and gave some sound advice especially to the younger people as to the attitude which should be taken toward these selfish agencies.

Great appreciation was felt for the contribution made by the pupils of Mt. Stewart and St. Andrew's Schools who jointly supplied the entire musical part of the program in the form of choruses which consisted of patriotic and war time songs, all beautifully rendered. This effort reflected great credit upon themselves as well as upon their teachers who prepared them for the part.

Perhaps the most striking part of the service was the donation made to the Legion by the Churches of Mt. Stewart. This consisted of their beautiful war memorial stone which stands in their jointly owned cemetery. Mr. Geo. R. Clark acting on behalf of the cemetery trustees, after making a few appropriate remarks read the paper which conveyed its ownership and care into the hands of the Legion Branch.

The president in accepting the gift expressed deep emotion at its magnitude and nature and feelingly thanked the givers for the confidence and honour extended to the Branch by their action. He firmly stated that the gift would ever be cherished and held sacred by the Branch.

After some further remarks by the chairman in which he thanked the community for their splendid assistance in the building of the new hall, the service closed with "God Save the King."

COASTGUARDS

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He had seven men behind him when he said it, and nothing was started. Only one of the coastguards was armed, according to the story of the Rosalind's passengers had heard.

The Kromhout's engines had been started, and as the motor-vessel swerved seaward the tow line parted.

Zig-zag Course

Captain Ross Mason was said to have ordered all lights extinguished and kept the vessel zig-zagging to avoid the cutter's searchlight.

The officers were quoted as saying they had been offered every available comfort by the rum-runners, who even offered to give up their bunks.

Arrival of the Kromhout at St. Pierre last Thursday night caused quite a stir. Informed of the occurrence, Governor Barrillot and a squad of gendarmes were on the pier. Before the rum-runners realized what was happening they were surrounded, officers were clambering aboard while a police boat was closing in on the starboard side.

"What devil sent you here," the skipper was quoted as saying when he was pushed aside from the helm.

Taken Into Custody

The eight were taken into custody, while the four coastguards were made comfortable by the French authorities. The coastguards were Chief Officer Milton McKenzie of Cutter No. 4, Second Engineer J. McIntosh and Able Seamen W. R. T. Oxford and M. D. MacDonald.

Before they told their story at R.C.M.P. headquarters in Halifax today, Col. E. C. Phinney, K.C., former chairman of the Halifax Harbor Commissioners, was appointed to represent the Crown in the case.

No information on the charges to be laid, it was said officially, would be announced until return of the Kromhout's crew to Canada, which was expected to be voluntary.

GIVES CHILDREN

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NO.	Name	Age
11	Grace	9
12	Fred	6
13	James	4
15	Winnifred	3
16	Valine	1
16(a)	Gordon	5 mo
17	William	8
18	Clair	9
19	Baby	6 mo.
20	Stella	8
22	Louis	3
23	Joseph	2
24	James	6
26	Ambrose	1
27	John	8
28	Gertrude	5
29	Eleanor	1
30	Francis	8
31	Ernest	6
32	Earle	4
33	Fletcher	7
34	Ralph	8
36	Susie	8
39	Hammond	4
40	Olga	2
43	Louise	1
44	Warbunand	10
45	John	5
47	Lois	4
48	Steve	2
49	Edward	9 mo.
50	Hope	9
51	Frank	10
52	George	5
54	Windsor	7
60	Phyllis	1
61	Victor	6
62	Freda	8
63	John	6
64	George	4
65	Clarence	3
67	Charles	4
68	Lloyd	2
69	Lawrence	7
70	Stanley	9
71	Roy	8
73	Jack	3
74	Alton	5
76	Walter	8
77	Oliver	9
78	Earle	7
79	Marcus	5
81	Jean	2
82	Charles	10
83	Lawrence	10
91	Emeline	10
92	Elsie	9
94	Boy	5
95	Alfred	6
97	Annie	1
98	Irene	10
99	Winston	8
101	Wallie	10
102	Eileen	8
103	Junior	4
105	Baby	8 mos.
106	Viola	10
107	James	5
108	Louis	6
109	Baby	2
110	Bridget	9
111	Katie	9
112	Beatrice	3
112	Austin	8
114	Edrick	4
115	Walter	7
116	Annie	9
117	Lorne	7
118	Sadie	5
119	Wilfred	2
120	Fred	10
121	Bernice	4
122	Mary	3
123	Sunny	1
124	Marion	10
125	Henry	2½
126	Leo	10
127	Ronald	8
128	Francis	3
129	Hilda	9
130	Ralph	9
131	Gerald	7
132	June	5
133	Shirley	4
134	Gloria	3
135	Anita	1½
136	Gladys	7
137	George	6
138	Dawson	10
139	Harry	9
140	Irene	7
141	Ruby	5
142	Adam	10
143	Gordon	7
144	Stirling	5
145	Phyllis	1

SANTA-PALS

Mr. Benj. Bremner, Hon Premier MacMillan, Betty Bruce, Gloria Large, Constance Hyndman, J. O. Hyndman, Margaret Coffin, Arthur Coffin, Mrs. H. E. Miller, Mrs. R. S. McBeath, Mrs. H. S. Henderson, John C. Doull, Dorothy Andrew, Marjory Unsworth McLeod, Mrs. W. Chester S. McLure, Mrs. (Col.) D. A. McKinnon, Frank Saddler, Ann Saddler, Mr. Tom Tees, Miss Joan Williams, Mrs. Percy Williams, Mrs. P. D. Williams, Lorna Creelman, Robin Creelman, In Memory of Mrs. Bennett, Mrs. C. H. Black, Laura Hughes, Mrs. A. H. Smallwood, Sonnie, Elmer Champion, Kensington, Mrs. C. D. McLean, Clyde River.

REQUEST

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Criminal Character

To obtain extradition, charges must be of criminal character or coming under correctional laws involving two years imprisonment in the defendants' country and agree with similar consequences in the sheltering country.

During the proceedings, and until proper decision is given on the extradition request, the defendants and their seized properties cannot be handed over to the requesting government. If the court decides against extradition, the St. Pierre Governor must conform to the decision. But if the decision is given for extradition, the governor is not obliged to conform.

These possibilities were explained here tonight in view of circumstances that might arise, but as the extradition request had not arrived it was stated in informed circles the prisoners would be released.

Diner (to waiter who has served him)—Is this a good restaurant?

Waiter—Yes, sir. If you ask for a fresh egg, you get the freshest egg in the world. If you ask for strong coffee, you get the strongest coffee.

Diner—Oh, I see: I asked for a small steak.

CENTRAL GUARDIAN

This column is reserved for news of local interest but advertising of a newsy nature may be inserted at 4 cents a word strictly payable in advance.

LOW TEMPERATURE—It is believed that last night's cold spell must nearly set a record for this time of year. Early this morning the thermometer had nearly reached the zero mark although the cold was not felt so intensely as the heavy wind had abated.

YORK PERSONALS—Mr. James McCormack has returned to York, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Proud. He spent the summer at Saskatchewan, N. W. T.— The condition of Miss Johanna Mahar continues very serious.— Mr. Herbert Lewis, York, is reported better today.—Mr. Sidney T. Green paid a business visit to York Saturday.

PERSONALS

Miss Mildred Simpson, Auburn, left yesterday morning for Boston where she will visit friends and relatives.

Mr. Simon Paoli, Sr., who met with a slight injury by falling, is at work at his office as usual.

Mr. G. H. Walker of St. Peters was in the city yesterday to see his son Herbert who underwent a serious operation in the P. E. I. Hospital.

Mr. William Watheson has returned to his home at Valleyfield, after spendink seven weeks with friends and relatives in Boston and vicinity.

::Rub it in for Lame Back—A brisk rubbing with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil will relieve lame back. The skin will immediately absorb the oil and it will penetrate the tissues and bring speedy relief. Try it and be convinced. As the liniment sinks in, the pain comforts and there are ample grounds for saying that it is an excellent article.

GEORGE E. JAY

In the early morning hours of Dec. 2nd, when the quiet countryside of Fanning Brook was sleeping the death angel entered the home of Geo. E. Jay and beckoned him to lay aside his 76 years of toil and enter upon the new and everlasting life which has no ending.

Always rugged and strong he cut down the forest and built a home where eight sons and six daughters were born and reared to strong manhood and womanhood, excepting two who died in infancy. Always kind and sympathetic it can be truly said of im he "wept with those that wept and rejoiced with them that rejoiced.

There are left to moun, his sorrowing widow, formerly Flora Ann Fisher, and the following sons and daughters; Lemuel, Mt. Stewart; Lloyd, at Pisquid East; Crawford, Charlottetown; Frederick, Pisquid West; Alfred, East Royalty; Cyrus Charlottetown; Ruth (Mrs. Ernest Rodgerson) Fanning Brook; Margaret Jane (Mrs. Robert McKay) West St. Peters; Melvin, Little York; Renie at home; Florrie, (Mrs Wallace Wooldridge) and (Mrs. Ward Jay) Fanning Brook and Ruby an adopted daughter at home also forty-five grandchildren and nine great grand children.

The funeral service was conducted by the Rev. Sydney J. Boyce of Mt. Stewart United Church who spoke words of comfort to the bereaved from Ecclesiastes 12 chap. and last clause of verse 5 "Because man goeth to his long home and the mourners go about the streets." The favorite hymns by the choir were "Will the Circle be Unbroken," "When I Get Home" and "God be With You Till We Meet Again."

The honorary pall bearers were his eight sons the active pall bearers were the Hon. J. P. McIntyre Albert Jardine, John J. McDonald and Jonathan E. Birt.

Followed by mourners and friends the very large concourse wended their way to the People's Cemetery at Mt. Stewart where all that was mortal of one who was loved was tenderly laid to rest. The floral tributes were as follows: Wreath from Cyrus and Louise and family; Crescent from Melvin and Hilda and Viola; Spray from Mr. and Mrs. Ben McEachern; Spray from management and employees of Milton's Old Spain, Charlottetown; Pillow and wreath from wife and rest of family.

In Memoriam

ANNIE EILEEN HUGHES

Her grave is not a grave, it is a shrine where innocence reposes, bright over which God's stars must shine. For there when winter closes fair, spring shall come and in her garlands twine. Just like this hand of Thine, the purest of white roses.

The death of Annie Eileen Hughes, aged 12, youngest and dearly beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Hughes, of Atholl, Mass., took place at Heywood Memorial Hospital in Gardner on Nov. 4th, following an operation for appendicis. Eileen was a bright, loving, intelligent child and made rapid progress in her studies at school. Her unexpected death brings much sorrow, not only to the happy home circle, where her cheerful spirit made her so dearly loved, but also to her companions and friends. Although young, she was a devout Catholic, faithful to her religious duties and her life though short seemed so promising and full of happiness.

She leaves to mourn, besides her grief-stricken parents, one sister Marie and brother Joseph, who will long cherish her memory.

Her funeral, which was largely attended, was held on Nov. 6th, in the Church of Our Lady Immaculate with Mass by the Rev. Charles Dolan. Burial, in charge of the Murphy & Whitty Co., was in Gethsemane Cemetery. Numerous Mass Cards, Spiritual Bouquets and Messages of Sympathy were received from friends, far and near. May her soul rest in peace.

ALLEGED KIN OF KING WILL STAND TRIAL

LONDON, Dec. 12.—Clarence Guy Gordon Haddow, who claimed to be the illegitimate son of the late Duke of Clarence, was committed for trial at the next session at Old Bailey after he had pleaded not guilty today to "demanding money from the King with menaces."

He was remanded to jail after hearing on a charge of attempting to extort money from the King.

Haddon reserved his defence when it was announced today he must stand trial.

"I never had any criminal intention," he declared.

Wrote King

The 43-year-old jobless engineer wrote a letter to the King last June in which he said he was forced to wash his own dirty linen in a backroom "and that of the Royal Family in public for a living."

Haddon wrote he would have been satisfied with £600 annually, and "enough money to start a modern boarding house."

Admitted As Evidence

This and other similar letters were admitted as evidence at the original hearing.

Haddon, who claims kinship with the King on the basis of his assertion of relationship to the late Duke, a brother of His Majesty, was admitted to the Court from an ante room today and smiled at a woman friend in the rear of the chamber.

There was only a brief discussion between lawyers and the Court before the defendant was released on bail of £100.

Noted Pianist On Visit Here

Miss Virginia MacLean arrived in the city last evening on a visit to friends. Noted as a brilliant young Canadian pianist, Miss MacLean recently gave a recital at the Admiral Beatty Hotel ballroom, St. John, N. B., which received the highest praise in the St. John press, in which the following report appeared:

"She plays with great dramatic power and expression, and the breathless attention of her large audience, which taxed the capacity of the ballroom, was an even greater tribute than the enthusiastic applause. She had chosen some of the grandest of the compositions of great masters and her interpretations were gems of beauty.

"For her opening suite Miss McLean played Bach's "Partita in B. Flat" in the praeludium, allemande, corrente, sarabande, minuet and gigue movements. In the second group were given three of Scarlotti's sonatas and the Brahms numbers, Intermezzo op. 119, No. 3; Romance op. 118, No. 5; Capriccio op. 76, No. 2.

"Chopin's "Sonata in B. Flat' was given in masterly fashion, the movements played being, grave, dappio mouvement; scherzo, marche funebre and presto.

"For the closing group Miss McLean played Poulene's "Mouvements Perpetuels" and Ravel's "Minuet" and "Tocatto"."

Son Of Well Known Russian NovelistPasses

(Canadian Press)

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 12—Count Ilya Tolstoi, 68, son of the Russian novelist and in recent years a resident of the hill in Southbury that bears his name, died today at New Haven Hospital. He succumbed to heart and gall bladder complications.

His sister, Countess Alexandra Tolstoi, youngest daughter of the novelist, also lives in Connecticut.

Count Tolstoi was born in Russia May 23, 1865, the third child in a family of 13 children. He was a well known writer and lecturer. In late years, a marked resemblance had been noted between him and his father, with a great grey beard, heavy eyebrows and bushy moustache.

Lumbermen Remanded For Trial In Jail

(Canadian Press)

ROUYN, Que., Dec. 12—Seventy six striking lumber workers were arraigned today before J. O. Tardif, Justice of the Peace, on charges of failing to disperse after reading of the Riot Act and of abetting an unlawful assembly. They were remanded to jail for preliminary hearing scheduled to take place at Ville Marie, Que., on Dec. 21.

Miss Jeanne Corbin, Timmins, Ont., school teacher, was remanded to Noranda, Que., jail on a similar charge after she failed to supply bail of $1,000 cash when she was arraigned on a similar charge. Preliminary hearing was set for Dec. 20. She is considered by police to be one of the leaders of the labor discontent which seethed through Clerion district lumber camps about two weeks ago and was climaxed here yesterday by a clash between police and picketing lumber workers. Miss Corbin was at first believed to be Bella Gordon, prominent Montreal labor worker.

Sir Edward Wallington, Court Official, Passes

LONDON, Dec. 12—(C. P. Cable)—A court official at Buckingham Palace for 30 years, and Treasurer to Queen Mary from 1919 to last year, Sir Edward William Wallington was dead tonight at the age of 79 years.

For 13 years Sir Edward handled the Queen's many charitable benefactions and probably was the recipient of as many royal confidences as any servant of the court in the past half a century.

He never married, and during his long association with the Royal Family lived in a bachelor suite at Buckingham Palace.

He entered the Court in 1903 as Groom of the Bedchamber to the Prince of Wales. After the death of King Edward in 1910 he became Groom-in-Waiting to the King and Private Secretary to the Queen, becoming Her Majesty's Treasurer nine years later.

In his earlier years Sir Edward established somewhat of a reputation as the perfect private secretary. He served in this capacity, from 1889 to 1900, to successive governors of Victoria and South Australia States, and for a short period later was private secretary to the Marquess of Linlithgow, Governor General of Australia. He was a native of Wiltshire.

COUNCIL

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Streets

The following report was made by Councillor Reardon, Chairman of the Street Committee:

Warren Bituminous Paving Company has to date done the following work on North River Road and McGill Ave.:—

Pipe laid: 750 linear feet, 18 inches at $2.60—$1,950.00; 687 linear feet, 15 inches at $1.90—$1,305.30; 175 linear feet, 12 inches at $1.50—$262.50. Catch basins: 19 catch basins constructed at $30.00 each—$570.00. Total, $4,087.80.

In reply to question Chief of Police Birtwistle stated that there were still some hoboes making their way to the city from the mainland, but that as a general rule they were sent out of the Province as quickly as possible.

Lights

Councillor Holman for the Light Committee stated that there was an investigation on at present. Appraisers had been employed by the Public Utilities Board. He had been assured that there would be a thorough investigation carried out, and hoped that there would be a reduction in the rates. Already the city had received an offer of more street lighting from the lighting company.

Councillor Whear stated that two engineers of the company from New York were working with the appraisers. He thought that the case should be investigated by a competent electrical engineer. What the citizens desired was an investigation of the plant and of the rate construction. He inferred, he stated, that the man employed did not know the first thing about the electrical business. The whole electrical situation in Charlottetown should be looked into.

Councillor Holman stated that it was intended to wait to see what would happen. The assurance had been given by the Government that a thorough investigation would be held.

He was sure that the matter would be brought to a successful issue.

His Worship thought that no purpose could be served by even hinting that there was anything not right about the investigation. Commissioner Cotton had told him that the city would not have to bear the expenses, that after the investigation the five complaining citizens could bring the case before the Public Utilities Commission, and that the man who was conducting the investigation was a competent electrical engineer.

A resolution was passed that tenders for printing the city reports be called.

A resolution authorizing the Mayor and the City Clerk to enter into a contract with the city on one part and the Warren Paving Company on the other was passed.

The resignation on account of pressure of affairs of Premier MacMillan as a member of the City School Board was read. The resignation was accepted.

A resolution was passed that Councillor Reardon be appointed a member of the School Board, as it was desirable that a member of the Council be on the Board.

Councillor Whear gave notice that he would move the following resolutions at the next regular Council meeting:

WHEREAS the cost of education in this city is annually increasing and has now assumed such a large sum as to be a heavy obligation upon the tax-payers and in view of the present financial position of our city, it is necessary that the most rigid economy should be exercised in every department of the public service.

THEREFORE RESOLVED that at the Civic Election to be held in February, a plebiscite for the instruction of the incoming Council and the information of the Legislature shall be taken,

(a) Whether or not an amendment to the Public School Act should be requested in order to give the City Council some control over expenditure without interference with the control or supervision of the schools or the appointing of teachers therefor.

(b) That no capital expenditure be undertaken or debentures issued without the consent of the City Council having first been obtained.

(c) That two of the members of the School Board representing the City be elected, such election to take place at the time of the Civic Election every two years. That the third member of the Board representing the City shall be appointed from the members of the Council and shall also hold office for two years, but shall be eligible for reappointment, if still a member of the Council,

WHEREAS the present financial condition of the City is such as to demand the most rigid economy and the curtailment of all services not essential to efficient government.

AND WHEREAS the administration of the water and sewerage systems can be as efficiently carried on under a board to be appointed from the members of the Council. That the Mayor shall be one of the board and chairman thereof. That the board shall have full control and supervision of the systems, except the authorizing of capital expenditures without first receiving the consent of the Council. Further that the board be required to provide for payment of all interest and sinking fund allotments and apply any surplus funds to the civic revenues and to furnish detailed reports to the Council.

THEREFORE RESOLVED that at the Civic Election to be held in February next, a plebiscite shall be taken as to the advisability of maintaining a separate Board of Water Commissioners as at present or substituting therefor a Board of Control from the Council, as above set forth, such plebiscite to be for the instruction of the incoming Council and the information of the Legislature.

His Worship stated that he did not think that there was anything to Councillor Whear's first proposed resolution. Apart from the matter of expenditure of money, the Legislature would not permit any interference in conducting of educational affairs. An amendment could be made without a plebiscite. With reference to the second resolution he stated that the water commission never could issue debentures without the consent of the council. The resolution was one for consideration.

A resolution for the payment to the company of 90 per cent of the value of the amount of work done by the Warren Paving Co., was passed.

A by-law respecting electrical inspection was passed. It provided that any person desiring a license as an electrical contractor, master electrician, or journeyman electrician shall have at least four years experience in practical electrical work before being granted such a certificate.

Health Report

To His Worship the Mayor and Members of the City Council.

Sirs,—I beg to submit herewith the monthly report of the Department of Health for the City of Charlottetown for November, 1933:

Chest examinations—26.

Communicable Diseases Reported—1 death (diphtheria).

Cases Quarantined—0.

Laboratory Examinations — Blood examinations, 91; smears, 2; sputums, 15; throat swabs for culture, 2; miscellaneous: Urinalyses, 4; Spinal Fluid, 2.

Venereal Disease Report — Patients treated, males, 37; females, 26. Total, 63. New cases reported, males, 1; females, 0. Total number of treatments given, 172.

Nursing Division Report — Home Visits Made, 25; Miscellaneous, Diphtheria Immunizing Clinics started at Model, Rochford Square and West Kent Schools.

Vital Statistics Report (City of Charlottetown)—Births, 24; Deaths, 11; Marriages, 17.

General Remarks—The city has been remarkably free from communicable diseases the past summer, autumn and winter to date.

Respectfully submitted,

B. C. KEEPING,
Chief Health Officer.

Sanitary Report

To His Worship the Mayor and Members of the City Council:

Gentlemen,—I hereby submit my report as Sanitary Officer for the month ended November 30, 1933:

Restaurants inspected	6
Yards inspected	15
Privies inspected	10
Stables inspected	10
Manure boxes inspected	12
Slaughter houses inspected	4
Pig-sties inspected	8
Lavatories inspected	10
Nuisances removed from street	3
Prosecution under Sanitary By-Law	1

I inspected the Dump managed by the Hygiene Service Company on November 16th, and found it kept in good condition.

Other duties performed:

Summonses served—20.

Subpoenas served—3.

Prosecution for non-payment of dog tax—1.

Dog tax collected—$24.00.

Collected on executions City taxes in arrears—$406.67.

JAMES E. BRADLEY,
Sanitary Officer.

Police Report

Your Worship and Gentlemen:

I have the honor to submit herewith the City Police Report for the month ended November 30, 1933.

Twenty-nine (29) arrests were made within the City limits during the month of November under the following classified offences:

Drunk in charge of motor vehicle —Arrests, 1; convictions, 1. 10 days imprisonment.

Drunk and Disorderly—Arrests, 3; convictions, 3.

Drunk and Incapable—Arrests, 14; convictions, 14.

Harbouring smuggled rum — Arrests, 2; convictions, 2.

Operating motor vehicle to common danger — Arrests, 2; convictions, 2.

Vagrancy — Arrests, 5; convictions, 5.

Disorderly Conduct — Arrests, 2; convictions, 2.

Totals — Arrests, 29; convictions, 29.

In addition to the above mentioned arrests there were four prosecutions and four convictions for theft (shop-lifting); six-prosecutions under the Prohibition Act for unlawful possession of intoxicating liquor, resulting in four convictions and two dismissals, four for acting as milk vendors without license; three for trucking without license; six for disorderly conduct; one for abusive language; one for operating motor vehicle to the common danger; two for reckless driving; one for non-payment of dog tax, and one conviction for harboring smuggled rum.

During November the Force collected fifty-two samples of milk and eight of Cream from Retail Storekeepers, delivering same to City Analyst for Test.

The amounts collected in Fines and Costs during the month of November are as follows:

Prohibition Act, two fines, $200 each—$400.00.

Customs Act, one fine at $100 and one at $50—$150.00.

Miscellaneous Fines and Costs—$229.50.

Total amount collected—$779.50.

Other duties performed by the Force during November are as follows:

Prisoners escorted to Queen's County Jail	9
Prisoners escorted from Jail to Court for Trial	4
Summonses served	25
Subpoenas served	3
Escorted to Falconwood	1
Ticket-of-Leave reported	1
Premises searched under the Prohibition Act	6
Transients in Station overnight	2

Constable J. W. Higgins was granted ten days annual leave of absence with pay, from November 15th to 24th; and Constable C. B. Jay was granted ten days annual leave, with pay, from November 5th to 14th. This completes the annual leave for current year.

Respectfully submitted,

A. BIRTWISTLE,
Chief of Police

Following is the meat and milk report as presented at last night's council meeting.

Condemned as unfit for food and destroyed one carcass of beef, one hundred and one (101) portions of carcasses.

Milk test, samples taken from storekeepers, November 24, 1933. All samples condition clear.

R. T. White	4.3
Harry Craig	4.2
T. L. Smith	4.0
V. S. McQuaid	4.1
A. R. Wise	4.2
O. L. Richard	4.8
N. Tweel	4.4
A. B. Kiggins	4.0
P. N. Manuel	4.4
Cudmore Bros.	4.4
Joseph Shama	4.4
Samuel Korry	4.1
John McKenna	4.0
Joseph Kays	4.0
W. A. Rix	3.8
Burhoe's Grocery	4.0
F. P. McKenna	4.2
W. J. McQuaid	3.8
Michael Michael	4.0
Roy O. MacBeth	4.2
J. Duffy	4.0
Albert Kays	4.8
Mrs. P. A. Smith	4.0
Frank Kays	4.0
A. H. McConnell	4.0
P. J. MacDonald	4.1
Robert Devereaux	4.4
Joseph Bolger	4.0
Charles McHarris	4.3
Arthur DeCoste	4.2
Coffin & Co.	4.0
Joseph Shama	5.0
Thomas Michael	4.8
George Rackham	4.4

CREAM

Harry Craig	20.0
W. A. Rix	26.0
Burhoe's Grocery	30.0
Ray S. MacBeth	27.0
Coffin & Co.	25.0
H. P. Kays	18.0
Robert Devereaux	25.0
P. J. MacDonald	26.0

Milk test storekeepers, Nov. 29 condition, all clear.

E. N. Kays	4.5
Stephen Trainor	4.4
Alex Anderson	4.5
Angus McLeod	4.3
E. G. Hogan	4.4
E. Kelly	4.4
R. L. Day	4.3
E. C. Robele	4.3
M. Murray	4.0
P. Trainor	4.3
A. Tull	4.3
A. Blanchard	4.3
J. B. Flemming	4.2
Albert Kays	4.5
S. N. Kays	5.0
Jenkins & McLeod	4.4
Isaac Holman	4.3
J. J. Storey	5.0

52 samples milk, 8 samples cream, all satisfactory.

I. E. CROKEN, D.V.S
Food Inspector

FOX INDUSTRY IN BRIT. ISLES

MONTREAL, Dec. 12—(C.P.)—Canadian exporters of Silver Fox pelts need not fear United Kingdom competition "for many years to come" despite great development of the Fox Farming Industry in the British Isles during the past 10 years, J. V. L. Aylwin, British fur dealer, said in an interview here today.

Mr. Aylwin is Manager of the Cowichan Silver and Blue Fox Ranch, Ltd., of Petham, near Canterbury, in the County of Kent, and he was the first to import silver foxes from Canada into England for farming purposes.

"There are probably 150 fox farms in the United Kingdom today," Mr. Aylwin said, "which have been started at some time during the past ten years. For some time only blue foxes were farmed, but in 1929 we set the example which many followed, introducing Silver foxes to English farms. There are more than 100 pairs of foxes on our ranch, while the other farms vary in livestock from possibly two or three pairs on the really small ranches up to as many as 200 pairs on the larger establishments."