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STANDARDIZING LINE.—The first steps towards standardizing the P. E. Island Railway west of Summerside was started last week. Ralls are now being hauled up from Borden and going through west, and a crew of workmen began operations at different points this week.

TO RESIDE IN AMHERST.—Many will be pleased to learn that Rev. J. W. McConnell, formerly stationed in Amherst, and recently appointed Superintendent of Missions for the Methodist Church in the Maritime Provinces, plans to take up his residence in this town early in July. Mr. McConnell is now residing at Windsor, N. S.—Amherst News.

EXCELLENT CAR.—Many were agreeably surprised yesterday on seeing for the first time the latest creation of the Willys Overland Company, their new Blue Bird car. This car which is the latest and most complete yet put out by Mr. J. R. McLaine proprietor of the Blue Bird Service Station. The Blue Bird built to replace the model 90 Overland is the result of the best and most modern engineering and workmanship skill in car making and judging by the interest shown yesterday, we will ere long see more of this model on our streets.

METHODIST CHURCH.—Yesterday was Educational Sunday in the Methodist Church of the Charlottetown district and in this connection Rev. Dr. Delano of Mount Allison University preached at both morning and evening services. The congregation welcomed the opportunity of hearing this scholarly and popular preacher. The soloist at the morning service was Mrs. A. L. Farquharson and in the evening the choir sang the splendorous anthem by Sir John Goss "The Wilderness" consisting of Recits, Trio, Quartette and choruses—so well received at the Recital on May 1st.

PERSONALS

Mr. Geo. F. Scott, Toronto, is in the city.

Mr. L. H. Smithers, Montreal, is at the Revere Hotel.

Messrs. A. A. Alexander and A. J. Bushell, Toronto, are at the Victoria Hotel.

Messrs. P. C. Rankin, A. J. Bertrand, J. M. Davidson, J. D. MacCullum, E. Burnett and U. R. Bricker, Montreal, are at the Victoria Hotel.

Mrs. Thomas McCarville, Kinkora, has returned home after visiting in Charlottetown.

Mr. L. A. McLellan, manager of the Provincial Bank at Kinkora, spent the week end in the city, a guest at the Revere Hotel.

Miss Katherine Mulligan, Newton, who has been in the city attending the Teachers Convention, returned home Saturday.

Messrs. P. Ray Dunn, W. F. Dunn and L. W. Dunn, of Dalhousie University arrived in the city Saturday night. They were met by their brother Mr. E. E. Dunn, Summerside. They leave today on a visit to their home at Sturgeon.

Mr. E. G. Staunton, President of Staunton's Ltd., wall paper manufacturers, Toronto, and Mr. R. H. Joyce, sales manager, paid a brief business visit to Charlottetown last week.

IN MEMORIAM

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REGULAR MEETING of the Conservative Women's Association to-night at 8 p.m. Everybody welcome.

METHODIST CHURCH.—Dr. C. Belano, Ph. D., of Mount Allison University preached at both services at the Methodist Church yesterday, the evening service especially being an appeal for the educational department of the Methodist Church. He left on return for Sackville this morning.

Interesting Report Made by Miss Holman at Teachers' Meeting

A very interesting report of the Educational Conference held recently at Toronto was given before the Teachers' Union at last week's meetings held in Prince Street School. 600 organizations were represented at the Toronto conference. There were about 2,000 registered delegates, Miss Holman being the only one from the Island.

Miss Holman first mentioned the accomplishments and future aims of the National Council for Education and Citizenship. It has held conferences of educationists from the various provinces with the object of organizing a Central Bureau of Education for research and for collecting information on educational matters to have available for all, whether for the school teacher in the country district or the prospective immigrant. This Bureau is under consideration at present. In the meantime the Council itself has an information bureau limited as yet, but enlarging its scope. It is prepared as well to supply school music for celebrations and anniversaries, cantatas and daily singing, and also historical plays. The Council hopes to organize a lecture ship scheme through which men and women of note in education, literature and public life will address people in all the larger centers of population throughout Canada on subjects of national and international interest. This has already been started by Sir Michael Sadler and Sir Henry Newbold. The Council also hopes to pave the way for annual public conferences on Education in Canada in order to discuss the great educational problems of the day. In fact its object is to emphasize the necessity of a greater degree of idealism and spirituality in education and to endow the ideas of education and citizenship with a unity of meaning and purpose for the nation.

The surveys on the teaching of History and Geography in Canada were reported at the request of the Council after its last session three years ago. The University of Toronto was asked to make a survey on the teaching of History and Civics, and McGill on Geography and History. These reports are of great interest and would be of great value to teachers and educationalists, especially the report on history and civics, at the end of which is given a list of books suitable for use in schools, with comments on their scope and value.

Most of these books can be had through the McGill Travelling Library, which supplies a wonderful opportunity for any school.

Miss Holman described briefly the nature of the reports above referred to, stressing particularly the importance of the intelligent study of history. The Commission points out some educational pitfalls, but brings knowledge to the young pupil, "as a discovery of his own." The teacher must be content to co-operate with Nature, the great craftsman, and to do that the corporate life of the school must be nurtured. Loyalty to the school will some day mean loyalty to a

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cause. We must see the meaning of the playground where the powers of endurance, courage, fair play, and generosity are developed. Geography could be so constructed as to foster a love for our land. The history of Canada and the Motherland should come first.

The speaker quoted from the report by McGill professors on the study of Geography. The Commission believes that every child should possess an atlas separate from the text book, also that every school should have a good series of maps and globes. Of all the authorized books in the different provinces they consider the Ontario School Geography the best, but it is none too good. Even in recent editions, they say, these text books are antiquated in method and hark back to the days when Geography was looked upon as an exercise in training the memory rather than as a subject of intense human interest and of great practical utility. Several times at the conference on it.

Sir Henry Newbold, who spoke literature and its prime importance in education, was the chairman of a commission to investigate the teaching of English in England. Their report is an authoritative work and is extensively used in the United States and Canada. It can be had from the National Council, costing with postage 58 cents.

Sir Henry Newbold's appearance is that of a man of high character and high aesthetic taste and a thoroughly high minded gentleman. He spoke with the deepest conviction. Miss Holman quoted at some length from the report of the English commission and from the remarks of Sir Henry himself. She also referred to other prominent people at the conference, among them, Sir Michael Sadler, Canon Cody, of Toronto, Sir Robert and Lady Baden Powell, Lord Robert Cecil, Mr. Ratcliffe and Dr. Tolly.

No word was said during the conference about Canadian material prosperity. For one that gave place at a great Canadian gathering to Canadian character and citizenship. The addresses, a few extracts of which Miss Holman quoted were most inspiring. The speakers impressed the vast and hence not by their intelligent arguments, great as they were, but by their high character and rich personality. They brought but one message, and it was a message not for one nation but for all.

BIRDS OF USE TO FARMERS

(By A. M. Peterson.)

Walking along the railway track in the outskirts of a city one day I saw three boys shooting at a song sparrow that was perched on a post, singing his best. The boys were poor shots and the bullets from the twenty-two calibre rifle failed to put an end to the wonderful song. I asked the boys if they did not know they could be prosecuted for shooting birds. Quick as a flash one replied, "Yes, but that is a sparrow. We may shoot sparrows." I informed the boys that the bird on the post was a song sparrow and not the English sparrow and that, in addition to being a wonderful singer, he was a very useful bird. Many excellent singers and useful birds are lost because they happen to be like the bird on the post, "just sparrows."

During the spring of 1921, I spent considerable time observing the work of a number of yellow-billed sapsuckers that had drilled a large number of tiny holes in some maple trees in a city park. I approached the trees one afternoon and found that the birds were not at their favorite trees. I learned the reason for this, when I caught sight of a boy armed with a sling-shot, chasing a pair of birds. Stone after stone went flying after the birds, which saved themselves from death by dodging back of tree trunks and flying into a bushy thicket. During the spring of 1922, I found a sapsucker in the same park, near the same place, pursued by boys armed with bows and arrows.

I had under by observation during the spring of 1921 a robin's nest and a grackle's nest, located near each other, in a small thicket in a city park. All went well until the nests were discovered by inquisitive or vicious boys. Then one day I visited the place, to find that both nests had been destroyed. The robin's nest was located about

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Dempsey Will Receive \$300,000

CHICAGO, May 4.—Jack Dempsey, world's heavyweight champion will receive \$300,000 for risking his title against Tom Gibbons, St. Paul challenger, in a 15-round contest to a decision at Shelby, Montana, on July 4, while Gibbons will gamble with the promoters for his share of the receipts. This was revealed tonight when all obstacles for the match were overcome. Kearns will receive \$100,000 in cash tomorrow as a first instalment of the three hundred thousand dollars guarantee and will attach his signature to the agreement at Shelby, closing the match.

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