

THIRTY PERSONS INJURED IN CALGARY CAR SMASH

Car Crowded With Women Broke Away From Motorman, Struck Telephone Pole And Turned Over. Fire Followed

(Canadian Press) CALGARY, Mar. 17.—Crowded with passengers, mostly women coming in to the city to work, a Tuxedo Park special car broke away from the motorman while descending the steep grade at the foot of Fourth Street East and rushing twenty miles an hour over the ridge, at a sharp curve at the bottom of the hill left the track beyond the turn, smashed into a telephone pole, turned on its side and injured thirty persons.

The injuries, however, in nearly every instance, were of a mild character. Immediately following the turning over of the car an stove upset setting fire to the woodwork and in a few minutes a brisk blaze was in progress. An alarm of fire was sent in and for a while it looked as if some would be severely burned.

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THE PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE YESTERDAY

Hon. John McLean Suggests Instructor Should Visit Farmers—Hon. Chas. Dalton Speaks on Fox Prospects.

The House of Assembly resumed yesterday afternoon, Mr. Speaker Wyatt in the chair.

ANOTHER FOX COMPANY

MR. A. A. MACDONALD gave notice that he would to-morrow present a petition for an act to incorporate the Island Fox Company Ltd.

DEBATE RESUMED

HON. JOHN MCLEAN resumed the debate on the Road Act. After congratulating the mover and second of the Address on their very able speeches, he said he had no doubt that should His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught return to complete his term of office as Governor-General, he would make a second visit to the province, and he was sure he would receive as hearty and as enthusiastic a welcome as he did on the former occasion.

AGRICULTURAL SUGGESTIONS

Proceeding to refer to agriculture, he said he felt confident the farmers fully appreciated the great work the Commissioner of Agriculture had done in the short time he had been in office. The magnificent attendance of over 500 farmers at the Short Course was evidence of the awakened interest in progressive agriculture and the fact that these farmers had gone back home thoroughly satisfied with what they had learned and anxious to concentrate their efforts in the manner suggested by the lecturers was proof that the new policy was thoroughly appreciated.

DEVELOPING OYSTERS

He was astonished to hear the hon. Leader of the Opposition claim that there was no time in the past thirty years when leases could not be secured. If that were so it was the duty of the late government to take action in the matter.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMING EVENTS, MEETINGS, ETC

- Alpha Rebekah Lodge meets tonight at 8 o'clock.
A special skate at rink tonight. Proceeds in aid P. E. I. Hospital.
One cent per word each insertion in this column. Cash must accompany order. Minimum charge twenty-five cents.
Chimes of Normandy practice tonight at eight o'clock, orchestra, principals, and chorus. A full attendance urgently requested.
Wait till you hear the orchestra in the Chimes of Normandy Eastern Monday and Tuesday nights. It is a dandy.
Remember sale of late Benjamin Gill property at Pleasant Grove, on Saturday the 15th instant, at one o'clock, by order of the Court of Chancery.
The C. P. R. are offering low rates to Vancouver and Coast points including Californian from the 15th of March to the 15th of April. Tickets on sale daily. Office Opera House Building, Charlottetown.
The C. P. R. are selling Home-seekers Excursion rates to the Canadian West for summer months. There are return tickets at little more than single fare. Comfortable tourist cars provided from Montreal. Enquire at Opera House Building, Charlottetown.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Continuing, Mr. McLean said there were not two opinions in the province about the changes that had been effected in the Public Works Department. The Commissioner of Public Works, he felt sure, had the confidence of the whole province in the efficient manner in which he was discharging his duties.

ROAD ACT

As regards the Road Act it was useless for anyone to stand on a public platform and say it was a failure. There was a time before the present Government came into office when that could be said, but that was past and he hoped forever. Under the old regime the money that should have been spent on roads was spent among the friends of the then government. The present Government had come into power with a mandate to change all that, and while probably it might have pleased some of its friends better by continuing the old practice, it felt that when it was returned with such an overwhelming majority better things would be expected of it.

SCHOOLS

Referring to education, Mr. McLean emphasized the facts mentioned by the Premier, stating that the Government had already spent \$8,000 additional on the schools, and by the end of the year would have spent \$20,000 or one-fifth of the additional Government grant. The Government had made great strides towards providing better conditions for their teachers and better schools for the children.

FISHING INDUSTRY

In conclusion Mr. McLean expatiated on the bright future there was in store for the fresh fish industry when the car ferry was in operation. There was not a better fishing centre for herring, cod, hake and haddock, in British North America, and with the means of transit to convey the fresh fish to the daily market there was a vista opened up which promised to revolutionize the industry in the market throughout the Dominion and in Boston. The Government intended to go forward on the same lines with other projects, and with such success that he believed that even the Leader of the Opposition would come back to his first love and give the Conservative Party his support.

congratulatory reference to the speeches of the mover and second of the Address, and to the visit of H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught.

The Government had only been in power a few months when the delegates to Ottawa returned with a promise of the additional subsidy which their predecessors had promised but failed to get. He was amused to hear the Leader of the Opposition claim that every successful scheme of the Government had been attempted by its predecessor without result. He need not comment on that further than to remark that it was the difference between efficiency and inefficiency. The Government got nothing because it was helpless; the present government succeeded in everything it had undertaken because it went about its business in the proper manner.

THE FOX INDUSTRY

Some years ago he was endowed with an ambition to start and produce the fox industry to a successful issue. After many years' experiment he had succeeded, with the result that at length the possibilities were realized, and this industry had changed the whole face of the fortunes of Prince Edward Island. At first the experiments were carried out quietly and unostentatiously till they had something to go upon, and then like Dr. Friedman, after experimenting for fourteen years, he had known his discoverer they would succeed beyond expectations. At first there was some difficulty in getting superintendents willing to undertake the new responsibilities devolving upon them, but now with a little experience of the new conditions, he had yet to find a superintendent who was not prepared to go ahead with them. In the long run the roads would be found in a splendid condition, and he would like to see the man who would stand up in face of an audience and say he was prepared to go back to the old system.

IMPARTIAL TAXATION

Referring to the proposed legislation to tax those who had made money in the fox industry, he said he was perhaps more interested in it than any one in the province, but at the same time he wanted to see

ASK GRANT FOR WIDOWED MOTHERS

(Canadian Press) LONDON, Mar. 17.—The Women's Canadian Club and the Union Mothers Club of this city will petition the Dominion government to grant a per capita pension to widowed mothers with families.

PASTORAL LETTER FROM THE POPE

(Canadian Press) ROME, March 17.—Pope Pius today published a pastoral letter decreeing a universal jubilee, from Low Sunday, March 29, to Dec. 8th the Feast of the Immaculate Conception in commemoration of the religious toleration edict issued by the Emperor Constantine in Fourth Century. The faithful must come to Rome and visit twice the churches of St. John Lateran, St. Peter's and St. Paul's, praying, confessing and receiving communion and giving alms, or they must visit six times the churches chosen by their own bishops and carry out the same devotions.

DR. FRIEDMANN NOW IN NEW YORK

(Canadian Press) NEW YORK, March 17.—Dr. Friedmann is ready to treat, without charge, all sufferers from tuberculosis, according to his brother Dr. Arthur Friedmann, who today declared it a crime not to permit him to do so.

ADRIANOPLE OFFERS TO SURRENDER

(Canadian Press) LONDON, Mar. 17.—A Sofia despatch says the garrison at Adrianople has offered to surrender on conditions that Turkey's soldiers be allowed honors of war and permitted to keep their arms, but the terms were refused.

ST. PATRICK'S CELEBRATION

A truly patriotic spirit pervaded the Opera House last evening when the Benevolent Irish Society presented their annual entertainment in honor of their Patron St. Patrick. It was a crime not to allow him to do so. Dr. Friedmann today treated a dozen persons suffering from pulmonary tuberculosis at Bellevue hospital. All are in advance stages of the disease.

INTERESTING LECTURE

(Special by phone) SUMMERSIDE, March 17.—Walter Jones delivered a very interesting lecture on fur farming in St. Paul's Hall, this evening. The attention of the audience was held throughout by his delightful way of giving his address and by the lantern slides illustrating the life and habits of the fur bearing animals.

SEALERS IN COLLISION

NORTH SYDNEY, March 14.—A cable message received from St. John's, Nfld., tonight, brought the information that while leaving the harbor there for the sealing grounds, the steamers Beothic and Bellevue collided Thursday afternoon. The latter boat was so badly damaged that she had to be taken to dry dock immediately for repairs. It is reported that the Beothic also suffered.

UNIQUE FUNCTION OF ODD FELLOWS

(Canadian Press) TORONTO, March 17.—Heading a delegation of prominent eastern Odd-fellows, D. Nicholson, M. P., Charlottetown; A. F. Cox, Toronto; W. E. Brokenshire, Halifax; arrived in the city today to attend a unique fraternal function.

During the meeting of the Grand Encampment at Winnipeg last Sept. Fred Sellers of Charlottetown was a member of the party including Mrs. Sellers, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brooks, Toronto. On leaving Winnipeg Sellers was taken ill. Under the direction of Brooks he was brought to Toronto and taken to the General Hospital here.

750 MILES ROAD ALMOST READY

OTTAWA, March 13.—According to a statement made M. J. O'Brien, chief contractor for the construction of the National Transcontinental railway between Quebec and Winnipeg this stretch of road would be completed by the end of this year if nothing happens.

In the course of an interview with the Canadian Press today, Mr. O'Brien stated that he expects to have an army of 4,000 men at work on the 750 miles yet to be constructed, that is, if he can get that many men. He anticipates some difficulty in this respect. If the Balkan war is settled very soon it will help him considerably, because many men who worked for him last year will likely return. In one week last fall, soon after the war broke out, six hundred men, natives of the Balkan states, left him to return home and fight against the Turks. There are stretches of the line between Quebec and Winnipeg that are already in operation. Some are east of Cochrane and some are west of that town.

CONDENSED ADS TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

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WANTED—A BOY TO LEARN THE barber trade. Apply to Jack Riggs.
WANTED—FOUR OR FIVE GIRLS to learn the millinery. Moore & McLeod.
STRAYED FROM PREMISES OF 64 Bayfield St., Charlottetown, pair of Raccoons. Finder rewarded by returning.
Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia
Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria. Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

\$1600 FOR TWO DAYS CATCH

DEBY, March 14.—With a catch of \$1,600 worth of fresh fish, taken from the sealing steamer Lloydsen had been driven ashore on the ice at Channel, Nfld., this morning, and was badly damaged.