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### TWO SAD DROWNING ACCIDENTS WITHIN A FEW HOURS OF EACH OTHER

Following the News that Mr. Chas. Vickerson had been Drowned at Cascumpee Came Word of Another Drowning Accident at Montague Yesterday Afternoon

Citizens were shocked yesterday to hear of the accidental death by drowning at Cascumpee of Mr. Charles Vickerson one of the Government engineers of this city at the early age of 24 years. Mr. Vickerson left here Wednesday morning in his car, a Ford run about for the western part of the island and the same evening about seven o'clock his body was found underneath the overturned car in shallow water in the stream near Docherty's Bridge Cascumpee. No one saw the accident but it is presumed that something went wrong with the car causing it to go over the bridge. Mr. Vickerson who met his death on the threshold of what promised to be a brilliant engineering career, was a very clever student leader in his class each year in Prince of Wales College, subsequently he attended Mt. Allison and McGill Universities. He was the son of the late Henry Vickerson of Hermitage and leaves a mother and one brother Herbert to mourn.

Mr. Vickerson had a heavy burden of sorrow lately, her mother having died a few days ago. An inquest was held Wednesday night at which a verdict of "accidental death" was returned. It was the intention of the deceased to enter either McGill or Queens University this fall, to complete his studies for Civil Engineering. The late Mr. Vickerson, endeavored to enlist during the war, but was prevented owing to his age. Later, however, he enlisted and was with the Air Force in Toronto. This is the second severe blow to the family within a short time, Mrs. Vickerson receiving word only a few weeks ago of the accidental death of her brother in the United States. The body reached the city by the western train at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon and was immediately taken to Wright's Undertaking Rooms from where it was conveyed to the deceased's late home in Hermitage at 5 o'clock. The funeral will take place at one p. m. Saturday from the residence of Mr. Frederick Vickerson Hermitage. The Guardian joins in sincerest sympathy for the bereaved.



DR. J. A. MACPHEE, President of the Prince Edward Island Medical Society, whose fine Address appeared in the Guardian yesterday.

### PREMIER BALDWIN STATEMENT ON REPARATIONS QUESTION

Britain will Draft Reply to Germany's Note. Premier was Non-committal and His Statement Was Evidently the First Chapter in a Record the Most Interesting Chapters of Which are Yet to Come.

(Canadian Press) The first impression on all in the House was that the premier had delivered a statement of his course so carefully through the trouble waters of reparations in the House of Commons. Stating that there was no danger of offense to France. Another impression was that he had told the world in a very little which they had not known before. The speech was evidently more the first chapter in a record, the most interesting chapters of which are yet to come.

### GOVERNMENT SPEAKERS GOT THE "RAZZ" AT YORK MEETING WEDNESDAY NIGHT

The Conservative Candidates Were Heard with Marked Attention and Received Frequent Applause, but the Chairman had to Intercede Several Times on Behalf of Liberal Speakers, Much to the Amusement of the Audience.

Wednesday night was undoubtedly the most lively yet held in Third Highways, Mr. McDonald declared, when the Liberal candidates were heard. The Conservative candidates, Messrs. J. A. McDonald and Leonard Wood, were heard with marked attention. The Liberal candidates were heard with marked attention. The Conservative candidates were heard with marked attention. The Liberal candidates were heard with marked attention. The Conservative candidates were heard with marked attention.

Mr. J. A. McDonald, the Conservative candidate, received a cordial reception and throughout his address was frequently applauded. He never once interrupted. He viewed the circumstances of the audit made by the Bell Government in 1919, quoting from Mr. Anderson's letter as published in the Patriot to prove that the statement asked for was deceptive. He challenged Hon. David McDonald to show a similar statement of the 1922 accounts. He guaranteed it would show a bigger deficit than in 1919. He compared the manner in which the teachers' salaries had been increased under the Matheson Government, when \$50,000 was paid out of the Federal subsidy, and the Bell method of taking the money out of the people's pockets. He referred to the failure of the Premier to secure any additional subsidy from Ottawa. Mr. Bell could not get anyone to help him; he had to get the fishermen and the farmers to help him at that time? No government can stand unless there is a spirit of cooperation. Mr. Bell had promised to supply an expert to go among the fishermen and to help them in their work. The only expert he employed was the tax man who collected the tax on every lobster pack. (Applause.) Sixty per cent of the poll tax is being paid by the farmers of the country, said the speaker amid their applause which increased as he proceeded. In Charlottetown 1600 persons paid their civic poll tax and only 350 their provincial poll tax. He knew one district in which the road masters declare they will never collect the poll tax. It was admitted in a trial in the Supreme Court that through the efforts of Mr. Creelman McArthur, a Liberal member, Prince County paid taxes on a valuation of \$200,000 while the rest of the Province paid on a \$300 valuation! (Loud applause.)



J. E. Ray, Canadian trade commissioner, who has arrived in Charlottetown from Manchester, Eng., to interview exporting firms on trade conditions.

### ORANGE TEA YESTERDAY WAS VERY SUCCESSFUL

Estimated Attendance of Four Thousand at Kensington Where the Tea was Held Yesterday.

The Glorious Twelfth was never more gloriously celebrated than at the brilliantly successful Orange Tea yesterday at Kensington. The people of Kensington welcomed with open arms the visitors and every arrangement for the tea and entertainment was carried out admirably. It is estimated that upwards of four thousand people were in attendance. The weather was beautifully fine and warm. Everybody enjoyed themselves. There were no accidents or disagreeable features of any kind. In the creditable list of banner entertainment put on by the Orange Order in this province there was none more highly successful from every standpoint than yesterday's celebration at Kensington. Organizers from Charlottetown and surrounding districts formed up in the morning at the Lodge rooms and paraded, headed by the Caledonia Pipe Band. Drum band, by Post Master Isaac Carter. Arriving at Kensington a large number of members met the train and the pipe band, again headed by the pipe and drum band, marched to the tea grounds where a splendidly prepared tea was served. After this, athletic sports and horse races filled out the time very agreeably. The special train from Charlottetown carried twelve cars and was well filled. The regular train from the west brought many more members and visitors to the tea grounds. In addition there were hundreds of automobiles and carriages from all parts of the Province. Results of the sports and horse races are given elsewhere in The Guardian.



B. M. BELLASIS, who will be in charge of the exhibit of the Federation of British Industries at the Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto, this year.

ST. JOHN, N. B., July 12.—Miss Canada was injured this morning in an automobile accident near Woodstock, where she is taking part in a summer carnival. As a result of a collision, Miss Canada sustained injury to her arm, but after treatment at the hospital, she was able to attend the horse races in the afternoon, the other ladies escaped injury.

Miss Canada Received Injury In Auto Accident

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Wife Gets All VANCOUVER, B. C., July 12.—I bequeath all to my beloved wife, "I Ship," are the words of the will made by Hoy Poy, a Chinese merchant who died here recently, worth \$4,230. His wife is now to become a member of his firm.

"Miss Canada" Is In Great Demand (Canadian Press) ST. JOHN, N. B., July 12.—"Miss Canada," otherwise Miss Winifred Blair, of this city, on the invitation of the Cleveland Board of Trade led the ball given recently by that body, jointly with Miss America. Miss Blair was gowning in a lovely robe of pink satin, chosen for the event. She has not been hired from her typewriter, although offered an opening in the movies. She has been in demand at numerous festivities in the Maritime Province.

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FOR SALE—SEVEN ROOM house, modern conveniences, also large barn. All in good repair. Apply 308 Fitzroy St. 2580-7-12-31

Nothing In It For Farmerettes (Canadian Press) TORONTO, July 12.—Miss Thompkins, of the Government Employment Bureau, being interviewed regarding the decrease in fruit camps, said: "There is really nothing in it for the girls. The farmers are suffering from hard times and simply cannot pay the prices they receive. The result is that only girls who can afford it are picking fruit. Most of those placed this year have been students and teachers who are not so much concerned about money-making as they are about a pleasant summer's outing. Farmers have not changed their opinion of women as fruit pickers. They still appreciate their services, but circumstances make it impossible to employ as many."

FOR SALE—NEW WILLIAMS sewing machine in good repair. Apply 193 Euston St. 2618-7-13-61

TEACHER WANTED FOR HEBRON School, No. 163, Lot 8. Supplement \$80.00, midsummer holidays. Apply to Albert Gay, secretary, R. R. 1, Coleman. 2582-7-12-31

OTTAWA, July 12.—In a telegram to Premier King made public this afternoon Mayor Morrison of Glace Bay urges the Government to withdraw troops in the city will repudiate the expense of strike area and declares that their maintenance.

WANTED SECOND HAND FOX wire, state price and condition. Apply R. care Guardian. 2591-7-13-31

LAWN MOWERS SHARPENED and put in perfect order also repairing stoves and all farm machinery.—Jas. White, 36 Kent street West. 2432-7-6-61

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FOR SALE—ONE BLACK MARE Apply Large Livery Stable. 2579-7-12-21

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WANTED—A YOUNG MAN about twenty years of age, must have good education, also references. Apply F. W. Woolworth Co. Ltd. 2613-7-13-21

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Effort to avoid them but this defence was ineffective. A powerful fist right straight to the chin sent big Jess reeling back to the ropes, hazed and groggy. He dropped slowly to one knee. He shook his head, much as a big mastiff might, as the referee told the count. He tried to rise.

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