

## School Affairs Are Under Discussion At Capital Meeting

Board of Education Makes Decision on Several Questions.

Fredericton, N.B. — Announcement is made by the Government concerning the following matters of decision by the Board of Education which had been in session last week.

Revision of the boundaries of School District No. 4 in the Parishes of Dorchester and Sackville in the County of Westmorland was approved in accordance with the recommendation of Inspector R. H. Chapman.

A new school district was established, to be known as Squaw Cap School District No. 3½, Parish of Eldon, Restigouche County, as recommended by Inspector J. E. DeGrace.

A revision was ordered in the boundaries of Robinsonville School District No. 3, Parish of Eldon, Restigouche County as recommended by Inspector DeGrace.

Revision of the boundaries of Youghal School District No. 9, Parish of Bathurst and Peter's River School District Number 10, in the Parishes of Beresford and Bathurst, all in Gloucester County, as recommended by Inspector J. T. Lejeune.

No money having been voted at the annual school meeting or subsequently an assessment of \$200 was ordered to be placed on Birch Ridge School District No 8 in the Parishes of Gordon and Perth, Victoria County.

A small special grant was made to assist ratepayers of School District No. 4½ in the Parish of Caraquet, Gloucester County, to rebuild their schoolhouse burned in January, 1934.

School District No. 4 in the Parish of Moncton, Westmorland County (Leger Corner) was authorized to borrow \$500 for two years for the purpose of purchasing a piece of land adjoining the school property.

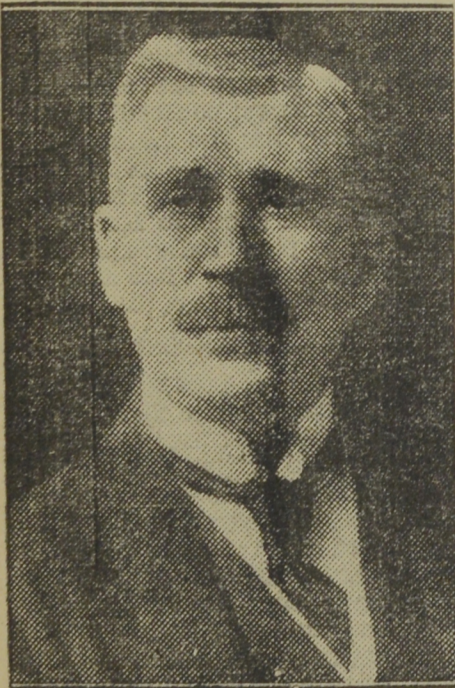
### FORCED TO LIVE WITH MOTHER-IN-LAW

A man of the Bemba tribe of Rhodesia, when he marries, must go and live with his wife's parents, and also work for his father-in-law! In this tribe it is the wife and her mother who rule the roost, and not the husband, of whom little notice is taken.

### A "FLYING" OFFICE

A rise every day is in store for certain workers at a factory in Zlin, Moravia, for they are to do all their work in a lift. Their "office" will be 20 feet square, and a touch on a button will send it to any floor on which business has to be transacted.

### Retains Post



SIR WILLIAM HEARST, former Premier of Ontario, who retains his post on the International Joint Commission which was re-organized a few days ago.

## GOLF NOW DRAWS BABE SOUTH



Babe Ruth and Mrs. Ruth

Golf, not baseball, is the attraction the sports season at St. Petersburg, Fla., now holds for "BABE" RUTH, who is shown arriving at the popular resort with his wife.

## The News On Review

Germany's largest war academy, comprising 22 buildings, was opened at Potsdam last week with ceremonies in which speakers glorified Prussian traditions.

A reciprocal trade agreement was signed last Thursday by the United States and Switzerland, bringing to ten the number of such pacts negotiated by Secretary Hull.

Encephalomyelitis, the dread equine disease which caused many deaths in the west last summer, was carried by dust storms, in the opinion of Dean Alfred Savage, of the Manitoba Agricultural College.

Hon. Walter E. Foster, former Premier of New Brunswick, has been appointed Speaker of the Senate. He succeeds Senator P. E. Blondin, who was appointed following the general elections of 1930.

Cuba elected a president in an election marked by sporadic bloodshed and bombings last Friday and two hours after the polls closed Miguel Mariano Gomez, former mayor of Havana, claimed victory.

Abandonment of annual revisions of the federal voters' list was predicted at Ottawa as a result of a survey of members of Parliament conducted by Harry Butcher, former Liberal member for Last Mountain, Sask.

The United States Government lost \$200,000,000 in impounded Agricultural Adjustment Administration processing taxes last Monday through a supreme court decision which left unsettled the larger question of whether the treasury must refund any of the \$1,000,000,000 it has collected.

A destructive earthquake, followed by landslides which swallowed up villages, killed between 200 and 300 persons in southwestern Columbia, in South America, last Friday. A much greater death toll was feared. A wide-spread area was affected and it is heavily populated.

An influential Canadian political group is preparing to balk plans to place transatlantic air terminals in the United States, it was reported at London, England, recently. This development added complications to the delicate situation which has arisen during negotiations to organize a regular transatlantic service.

The chartering of grain ships from Montreal for spring shipments, according to the London (Eng.) Evening Standard, has suddenly burst into activity. This revival, in sharp contrast to the dullness of recent years, is a reflection of the growing shortage of wheat other than that produced in Canada.

Raging storms which buffeted the British Isles and northern Europe left at least 21 persons dead last week, scores injured and extensive damage. Seventeen persons were killed in the British Isles, which suffered under the gale and rain for the second successive day, after bearing the brunt of another storm a week ago.

An order-in-council, published in the Canada Gazette, authorizes a loan of \$1,200,000 to the Canadian National Railways for repairing equipment in their shops at Moncton, N.B.; Riviere du Loup, Que.; St. Malo, Que.; London, Ont.; Stratford, Ont.; Transcona, Man.; Fort Rouge, Man.; Edmonton and Port Mann, B.C.

At a cost of \$5,000 Cornell University has a machine capable of making artificial radium as a substitute for the real stuff, which costs \$40,000 a gram. Completion of this machine, a cyclotron, the second of its kind in existence, was announced recently. The Cornell cyclotron is already in operation.

The British Columbia Government will increase its contribution toward the relief costs of municipalities from 60 to 80 per cent., it was announced. In addition, if municipal works projects are initiated to take men off relief rolls, the Government will grant the municipality con-

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cerned a sum equal to that which it would have paid out in relief for the men who join the works program.

Development of a non-tarnishing alloy of silver and tin was announced by Professor Lawrence E. Stout of the Washington University chemistry department. Professor Stout said the new alloy, composed of 20 to 40 per cent. silver and rest of tin, looks like pure silver. Polishes as well, wears better and does not discolor. It does not affect the taste of foods.

The Crown has demanded murder trials for ten men held on capital charges arising from the December 4 holdup-slaying of Armand Nadeau, at Hull, Quebec, but it conceded the woman in the case might be tried for a less serious offence. They are Paul Lafleur, Joseph Rochon, Georges Chenier, John Beausoleil, Julian "Chappy" Chapdelaine, Lorenzo Tellier, Ernest Colon, Georges Potvin, Edmond Lojoie, Charles Donnelly and Laura Cote.

The Estonian Cabinet has resolved to arrange a plebiscite on February 23 to express the nation's will regarding the Cabinet's recent project to introduce a new constitutional regime instead of the present dictatorial rule. If a majority favors the project the Cabinet will immediately take steps to call the National Assembly which is requested within six months to elaborate a new constitution along the broad lines indicated by the Cabinet.

### AN QDIOUS COMPARISON

A father and his little boy were having a discussion on legal matters.

"What is a retaining fee?" asked the little boy.

His father replied: "A retaining fee is a fee paid to a lawyer before he will undertake to do any work for a client."

"Oh!" replied the little boy, "like putting a shilling in the meter before you get any gas."

Theatre Guest Tickets for  
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28 Wentworth St., Saint John, N. B.

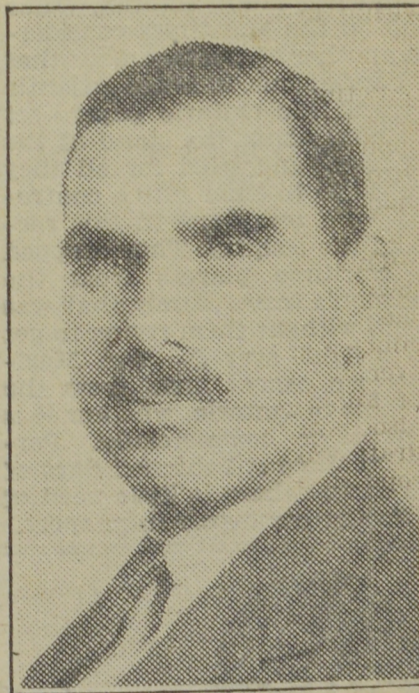
### PET ALLIGATOR

Amiable Alligator, Ali, owned by Robert Lloyd, of South Bank, near Middlesborough, England, is nearly six feet long, but there's not an inch of wickedness in him. He roams the house at will and likes to be used as a footstool by his master.

### KIDNAP-MURDERER TO DIE

Thana, India.—Found guilty of kidnapping and killing a young boy in 1932, Rama Kamalya Patil was sentenced to death here recently. He was arrested last June.

### Made President



L. S. McLaine, chief of the Division of Foreign Pests Suppression, Entomological Branch, Ottawa, who was elected President of the American Association of Economic Entomologists at the recent annual meeting of the Society. Mr. McLaine has been associated with entomological work in Canada since 1913.