

Proposed Dam On St. John River

Fredericton, N. B., April 3 .-- The Corporations Committee met this morning and took up the consideration of the St. John River Hydro-Electric Company bill. Messrs. R. B. Hanson, R. Max McCarty and F. W. Holt, C. E., appeared in the interests of the bill, while Mr. J. Fraser Gregory represented the lumbermen; Mr. J. Hunter White, the St. John Board of Trade; Messrs. J. J. F. Winslow and T. C. Allen, the Tobique Salmon Club; Messrs. Evans and Galbraith the Lorneville fishermen, and Mr. F. R. Taylor, the N. B. Railway Company.

Mr. Holt presented the plan of the dam which the company proposed to construct at the foot of the Meductic Rapids. It would not be more than 25 feet in height and probably only 20 feet.

Mr. J. Fraser Gregory said that such a dam would interfere with the operations of the St. John River Log Driving Company and opposed the bill on that account.

Mr. White spoke of dams on the St. Croix River and said that a fishway was not feasible.

Messrs. Evans and Galbraith said that if the dam were constructed it would interfere with the fishing of the Lorneville fishermen and would prove injurious to all fishing on the river and on the bay.

Mr. Allen said that the fisheries were a very valuable asset and should be pro tected. He was familiar with fishways on many rivers and he knew of no instance where a fishway was feasible study the greatest of all physical powerwith a dam as high as 20 feet. The creators which is BODY NOURISHMENT. of Fundy was above the proposed dam carefully shunned and such pre-digested and if the fish cannot reach the spawning beds it meant inevitable destruction to this industry.

Mr. Hanson said that he believed that shad did not go above Fredericton to

Mr. Allen said that the head waters of the Tobique River were spawning grounds of all the fish of the Bay of

Messrs. Taylor and Winslow also ap-

posed the bill.

Mr. Hanson said that no valid objection had been presented against the erection of the dam which should cause the committee to throw out a project of such magnitude. The chief opponent of the bill, on his own testimony, had said that he had opposed legislation for development on St. John River for 28 years. He (Hanson) had the unprejudiced statement of Mr. Kilburn that the dam would not interfere with the transmission of lumber, but would serve to assist driving operations. The company proposed the act to give cheaper power and that was essential in the development of the industries of St. John. The company was a stable one and had as its chief financial backer Mr. Herbert Guernsey, of London. It was proposed to establish a pulp and paper mill at or near Meductic Falls. The erection of the dam was feasible from an engineering standpoint. A dam 20 feet high would not stop the natural flow of water and would not interfere with the rights of lumbermen or fishermen. He believ-

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ed it impracticable to place a fishway in a dam 35 feet high, but Mr. Hawkins, an expert, had given his unbiased opinion that a proper and efficient fishway could be put in a dam 25 feet high. There was no doubt about the jurisdiction of the Legislature to grant this legislation and the proposition should receive fair play from all concerned.

The committee adjourned at 1.30 till 2.30 o'clock.

When Pride is Justified

Far too many mortals are vain and self-satisfied because of some temporary mercenary advantage, and in their eagerness to display that advantage at every opportunity often destroy their greatest blessing, the physical counterpart of sunshine, which is THEIR OWN HEALTH. Neglected colds, irregular meals, overloaded stomachs and night revelry result in shattered nerves, depressed vigor and fatigue, all of which invite decline and disease.

Each person stands sentinel at the portals of his own health and he who guards, protects,, strengthens and builds up a rugged constitution is justified in pride and finds the rein his own recompense-the capacity to enjoy the fullness of life.

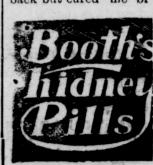
The strain of modern commercial and social living taxes strength and energy and in maintaining the highest self-efficiency we should not only cultivate deep breathing, out of door exercise, regularity and temperance in all things, but spawning ground for the fish of the Bay | In this, alcoholic preparations should be nourishment as Scott's Emulsion which enriches the blood and creates vitality by building, healing and strengthen-

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Women Suffer More than Men

Women have more than their share of the aches and pains that afflict humanity. They must "keep up," in spite of constantly aching backs, or headaches, dizzy spells, etc. Mrs. Edward Calwood of 123 S. Harold Street Fort William, Ont., says:

'I suff red with dull miserable pains, soreness across my back and in my sides for months. They would catch me so badly at times that I could scarcely move around. I would have dizzy spells and altogether, felt generally run down. After using a number of remedies without finding reliet, I learned of Booth's Kidney Pills and found them an excellent remedy. They not only relieved, me of the miserable pains and screness in my back but cured me of my kiduey trouble.'



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Men Held For Theft In Edmundston Court

Edmundston, N. B., April 2-(Special) - Today before Police Magistrate Martin, the case of Jos. Devillers and Theophile Migneault was tried. Both were better, and, best of all, I began to ensent up for trial in the county joy my meals. The dizziness, languor, and feeling and feeling depression passed away. court to be held here on April 9. They are charged with stealing goods from a warehouse belong-

A FOOLISH QUARREL By Joseph Barlow

The Sun Fairles and the Rain Fairies had a quarrel, because each said that they themselves were the most useful, and it grew so hot between them that they absolutely re-

fused to work together as they were always meant to do. So the Rain Fairies betook themselves to the West, where they felt quite at home, and sulked there among the beautiful mountains; and

the Sun Fairies went to the Prairies. which they had rather neglected for some time past, and neither of them would so much as cross the Border to go either West or East.

Now the people of British Columbia are so well acquainted with the Rain Fairles that at first they took no notice of the constant showers, but when weeks and weeks went past without a gleam of sunshine, and every day was wetter than the one before, they became rather gloomy and said to each other, "This is the worst season we have ever had!" By and by they grew alarmed, and the farmers said, "If the rain doesn't stop we shall have no harvest," and the gardeners said, "This weather is spoiling the flowers, and there will be no fruit in the garden," and the children said. "It's no good having holidays when we can't go out and play. Oh! don't you hate the rain!" But the Rain Fairies took no notice, for they were still sulking, and when people sulk they don't care what anyone says of them.

Soon the country was laid waste, for the rivers overflowed and the fields were under water. A great many cattle and sheep were drowned, and the water came into the houses and made everything damp and unhealthy. And then the little children got ill, and the old people had rheumatism, and food was terribly dear, and a great many people were out of work. In fact it was the saddest, gloomiest summer that poor British Columbia could remember, and all because the Rain Fairies had quarrelled with their relations.

And in the meantime the Prairie was not much better off. When the Rain Fairies took their departure at first the people rejoiced, for everyone loves the sunshine, though it is possible to have too much of it. Day after day the sky was blue, and the golden Sun Fairles danced happily through the sweet air. The flowers bloomed, the fruit swelled, the harvest began to grow ripe, old people sat in their gardens rejoicing in the heat, and the children played and shouted from morning till night.

But all this happiness came to an end at last. The people got sick of the long, hot days, the cloudless skies, and the stiffing air. The corn stopped growing, and the fruit shrivelled on the tree; the grass and the flowers were burnt up, and birds and beasts died for want of water. The country was bare and brown and shadeless, for the trees, getting no moisture either above or below, dropped their leaves as if it were autumn, and in the towns the dry, parched streets were almost empty, for no one walked in them unles they were obliged, and water was so scarce that the children could only have a bath once a week. Many people fell ill, and the doctors were going about from house to house both day and night. It was a terrible

At last the King of the Sun Fairies, who had really a kindly, bright nature, and saw things sensibly when he took time to think about them, came to the conclusion that he had made a great mistake. He sent a stray sunbeam hurriedly to Columbia to summon the King of the Rain Fairies, as he had something very important to say to him.

The Rain-King obeyed the summons reluctantly and met his shining brother with a dark and stormy face. "What is it?" he said gruffly.

The Sun-King spoke gently. "Brother, I wish to tell you that I feel we have made a mistake. Naylisten!" for the other rose in a gusty way as if to depart. " Iacknowledge that I have been in the wrong guite

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Lack of exercise and overwork were the causes that combined to almost kill Samuel S. Stephens, jr., one of the best-known and most influential citizens in Woodstock. In his convincing letter Mr. Stephen says:

"A year ago I returned home after a long trip, completely worn out. I was so badly affected by chronic biliousness, so much overcome by constant headaches, dizziness, that I despaired of ever getting well. I was always tired and languid, had no energy and spirit, found it difficult to sleep for more than five hours. My appetite was so fickle that I ate next to nothing and in consequence lost weight and strength. I was pale and had dark rings under my eyes that made me look like a shadow.

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as much as you. More so, perhaps, for I am the elder, and ought to have known better. Our quarrel was a most foolish one. What was the use of arguing as to which of us is the more useful? We are equal, for the people of the earth require us both. The country where I chose to reign alone is suffering terribly from the drought and everyone is sick of the sight of my face. What has happened in yours?

The Rain-King lifted his head, and the drops on his cheeks looked like tears. He had a soft heart under his stormy manners, and he also was feeling rather ashamed of himself. "The land is lying desolate," he

said sadly, "and the people are weary of me and mine."

The other sighed. "I fear we shall never be able to undo the ill we have done by our silly squabbling, but at least our folly is at an end. Let us forgive each other and work together for the good of the earth, as the Great Master always intended us to do. I will take my sunbeams to the North and you shall bring your cool showers Southward."

So the two fairies embraced and kissed each other. The Sun-King wept tears of joy, and when the people on the earth looked up they saw a glorious rainbow, but they did not know that the cause of it was two foolish fairies making friends.

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The Dark Ages

Throughout the Dark Ages of Europe an accused person had to carry a piece of red hot iron for some teet barefooted over ploughshares at white heat The hand or foot was bound up and inspected three days afterward. If the defendant had escaped unhurt he was prenounced innocent; if otherwise guilty.

The greatest shipping port for wheat in South America is a tewn in Argentina, Babia Blanca. Spiders as a rule have eight eyes

each, but a few species have only

IN THE WORLD OF SCIENCE

ELECTRICITY AND PLANT-LIFE

An Electrician Has Built a Machine by Whieh Two Crops Can Be Secured.

The study of economic biology is gaining a good deal of attention at the present time, and those engaged in research work have been able to seture results which suggest that there are enormous possibilities in the application of electricity to agriculture and horticulture. The investigators claim that the growth of almost all cereals, fruit, and vegetables can be increased and stimulated by the application of electricity, and, what is equally important, that the products can be gathered earlier. Their statistics go to show that the increase in quantity in certain cases is very high - strawberries 36 per cent., tomatoes 20 per cent., beets 30 per cent., cucumbers 17 per cent., wheat 29 per cent., and barley 9 per cent. more grain and 12 per cent. more straw. In the case of barley, the germinating process which is used by brewers occupies about 27 days; but this period is reduced to 13 days with the assistance of electricity, while it is also claimed that the percentage of germination is greater. These results have been obtained as the result of most carefully conducted experiments, and the question naturally arises as to the possibility of a general cooperation between science and agriculture on these lines. In other words, is it possible to secure apparatus in such a simple form, and at such a reasonable figure, that ordinary nurserymen and farmers will feel tempted to call the great power to their aid? That is a question to which a Bristol electrician, Mr. Thomas Clark, claims to have an affirmative-answer. He has built and patented, a machine which is really an influence machine, and by the application of high-tension electricity a continuous current from insulated overhead wires can be discharged. The machine which Mr. Clark has just built, is shortly to be put to a practical test in one of the largest nurseries in the South. The purchasers have evidently realised that there is a chance of obtaining early Pills keeps the system clear, healthy, crops, and in order to secure the best and thereby prevents all manner of results they have erected a greensickness. 25 cents per box, or like house on the lines desired by the

WHAT ARE ACADIANS!

First People, Who Originally Came from France, to Settle in Nova Scotia.

In 1633 Isaac de Rozelly and Choruisvy brought some families from France to Nova Scotia. This was the first successful attempt at colonization These families were the genetors of the Acadean bruised to the rigors of the severe coast climate, but they were persevering and industrious, and soon reclaimed from the sea a very fertile valley. French exiles from the province of Acades in France, they multiplied until they soon peopled the valley from Port Royal to Pezquie. They spread also around the Bay of Funday. In this race, whose romantio nature furnishes the theme for Longfellow's Evangeline, we find the seat of the French war - a war upon racial lines. The struggles of the Acadeans forms the most striking period of Nova Scotian history.

Sleep Due to Poisoning.

Considerable discussion has arisen in scientific circles over the experiments of MM. Legendre and Pieron in Paris, who have discovered that the real reason why we go to sleep is because our brain has been actually poisoned. Sleep, they declare, is produced through a morbid change in the cells of the frontal lobe of the brain. They discovered a dog that died of insomnia, and injected some of the serum of its brain into another dog, thereby causing it to fall into a deep sleep from which it subsequently awakened in a perfectly healthy condition. From this and similar experiments they assert that sleep is due to a natural poison. The poison of sleep, they contend, is, in fact, an antidote for the poisons that are the by-products of every mental and physical action of our lives, and we awake from sleep when it has cleanse dour higher nervous centres of the poisons that our daily toil has produced.

How to Sleep.

Dr. Fischer, a physician practising In Paris, after a series of experiments has come to the conclusion that the orthodox way of sleeping is wrong and advocates a complete reversal of the existing order of things. You must have your kead on a level with, or lower than, your feet. If pillows are to be used they must be under the feet instead of the head. The result, he claims, will be amazing, being a sure cure for insomnia, as well as a preventive for the nightmare. To prevent any inconvenience by too sudden a change, it is suggested that the pillows should be gradually reduced and finally placed under the feet.

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NERVILINE Cures Chest Colds

sides and settled in my shoulders. used different liniments. none broke up my cold till I used Nerviline. I rubbed it on my neck, chest, and

shoulders morning and night, and all the pain disappeared. Realizing that such a heavy cold had run down my system, I took Ferrozone at meals, and was completely built up and strengthened. Since using Nerviline have no more colds or pleurisy, and enjoy

perfect health.' It's because Nerviline contains the purest and most healing essences and medicinal principles, because it has the power of sinking through the pores to the kernel of the pain-these are the reasons why it breaks up colds, cures lumbago, stiffness, neuralgia, sciatica and rheumatism.