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ADDITIONAL TAXATION IS ANNOUNCED IN NEW BRUNSWICK BUDGET

Gasoline Tax Increased to Seven Cents a Gallon and License Fees Are Raised

TAX INCREASES ARE EXPECTED TO YIELD ABOUT \$500,000; BANKS AND INSURANCE COMPANIES TO PAY MORE; LIQUOR PROFIT EXPECTED TO INCREASE

The imposition of considerable increased taxation was announced when the budget was brought down by the New Brunswick Legislature on Tuesday by Hon. J. Leger, provincial secretary-treasurer. Increased automobile license and gasoline taxes, and additional taxes on banks and insurance companies were among the items.

The gasoline tax is increased from five cents a gallon to seven cents. Automobile licenses were increased from 85 cents a hundred pounds, to 90 cents and operators' licenses were increased from 10 cents to 15 cents. The corporation tax on banks is increased from one-third of one per cent to one-half of one per cent, and an additional levy is made on insurance companies of one-half the present tax.

The total revenue for the current year is estimated at \$678,456, and expenditure at \$678,859. In balancing the budget, however, the revenue from liquor is estimated at \$80,000 more than last year.

Increased revenue is estimated at about \$600,000 of which about \$500,000 is from increased taxation.

MARKET VERY DULL

STILL NO SALE FOR POTATOES IN THIS AREA

The potato market so far as the Woodstock area was concerned remained at a standstill this week. Local warehouses were all closed with no buying being done. Some wire inquiries were being received, but the prices offered at the other end were so low that shippers here said that they would have to buy around 15 cents a barrel for Green Mountains to do any business. Some shipping was going on in other sections of the county, but heavy snow interfered considerably with hauling this week.

DANCE AT I. O. O. F. HALL

St. Patrick's dance at Oddfellows' Hall, March 17. Dancing from 9 till 1. Admission gentlemen 50 cents, ladies 25 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rogers, Benton, passed through here on their way to Lakeville, one day last week, where they will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Crandall. Mrs. Crandall is a sister to Mr. Rogers.

MILITIA NEARING END OF TRAINING

BRIGADIER PARSONS WILL HOLD INSPECTION NEXT FRIDAY EVENING

The winter training of the Carleton Light Infantry, which has been in progress here for the last six weeks, is now entering its closing stages. Training was begun as soon as the reconstructed armories here were ready for use. The first parades were held for company drill on Feb. 2, although signal training had been going on for several weeks, and the headquarters staff on the unit and A and D companies have been drilling regularly ever since.

The unit will be inspected by Brigadier Parsons, C. M. G., D. S. O., on Friday of next week. Signal training has been completed and the signallers classified. The 89th Field Battery has also ended its training, and will be inspected on Friday evening by Brigadier Parsons.

DIES IN FLORENCEVILLE

East Florenceville, March 7.—The community was shocked when it became known that Hedley Vickers McLeod had passed away at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lovely this afternoon. He had been in failing health for some time but the end came very suddenly. He was 74 years of age and had lived here for many years. He leaves to mourn one half-sister, Mrs. William L. McWade.

Town Council Will Consider Budget This Evening

Woodstock Basketball Will See Two Title Games During Next Few Four Days

Woodstock will have two championship basketball games in the next four days. On Friday evening at 7 o'clock (note the time) the Woodstock High School cadets will take on the St. Paul's Tuxis team of Fredericton in a sudden death game for the right to meet the winner of the Saint John-Moncton series for the juvenile championship of New Brunswick. The game was first intended as the opening contest of a home and home series, but owing to the Fredericton squad being short of funds they requested that it be made a sudden death affair. The line-up for the home team will be: forwards, Jones, Buck, B. Lenehan, R. Lenehan; centre, Craig, Hull; guards, Fewer, Kenedy, D. Lenehan.

SENATORS BREAK INTO WIN COLUMN WITH OVERTIME VICTORY FROM HOULTON

BROWN AND WARD CLINCH DECISION IN FIVE MINUTE EXTRA SESSION AS HOME TEAM COMES THROUGH, 36 TO 29; PLAY IS FAST

A trio of baskets by Wally Brown, with another thrown in for good measure by Frank Ward as the whistle ended a five minute overtime period, gave the Carleton Light Infantry Senators their first victory of the season here Tuesday evening by a score of 36 to 29 at the expense of the Houlton Athletic Club. The winning team, played a fast well-balanced game, with big CV Oldham, husky centre, outstanding. The visitors started off with a rush that threatened to leave the home team far behind, but the Senators rallied and were ahead at half time. Houlton had the edge in the second half, which ended 27 all.

The showing made by the home team was their best of the year, in spite of the fact that Chandler was out with a twisted ankle and that Pickel was handicapped by an injured leg. Oldham seemed to be the pivot of the team's attacking system. The big boy showed plenty of speed in the way he worked the ball up the floor and gave lots of chances to his forwards. Brown and Ward were much more accurate in their shooting than in former games, although neither appears to be quite at the peak of his form yet. They were getting their shots away in good style and finding the basket with a fairly large percentage of them.

The defence worked well after a rocky start and kept their basket much better protected than in the first half. (Continued on page eight.)

RIFLE CLUB MEETS

FIRST SHOOT WILL BE HELD ON MAY 24.

A re-organization meeting of the Woodstock Garrison Rifle Association was held in the Canadian Legion rooms on Monday evening with a large attendance. It was planned to hold regular shoots during the coming season, the first to be held on May 24. The secretary F. M. Buck was instructed to have the proper rolls prepared, after which a drive for new members will be undertaken. H. A. Chandler presided.

BOWLING

FALCONS 4. CANADIENS 0

The Falcons rode roughshod over the Canadiens Monday night and annexed all 4 points. J. Blake replaced J. Evans and H. King rolled in place of R. Jones on the losers lineup. J. Stronach rolled high single 107 and high three 282 for the Falcons, with J. Blake rolling high single 96 and A. Watson high three 273 for the losers.

Lineups and Scores:
Falcons:
H. Hanson 102 77 91 270
C. Stewart 79 87 77 243
A. Stanbridge 80 79 83 242
J. Stronach 107 90 85 282
G. Allan 90 96 93 279
Totals 458 429 429 1316

Canadiens:
A. Watson 95 92 86 273
M. Corbett 78 82 79 239
H. King 73 74 87 239
F. Baker 79 88 80 247
J. Blake 96 80 87 263
Totals 426 416 419 1261

BRUINS 3 BLACKHAWKS 1
The Bruins took 3 points to the Blackhawks 1 on Wednesday night and forged into the leadership of the league. J. Troy rolled high single 108 and high three 283 for the winners with H. Kearney rolling high single 94 and high three 260 for the losers.

LEAGUE STANDING
Team P W L PTS
Bruins 13 8 5 30
Blackhawks 13 7 6 28
Maroons 12 7 5 27
Canadiens 13 7 6 24
Falcons 13 6 7 23
Rangers 12 4 8 19
* These two teams have a point to decide the next time they meet.
(Other results on Page Three.)

ANDOVER

There passed away on March 2, at Carleton Place an aged and respected resident, William Samuel Everett, in his 78th year. His family were early pioneers at Carleton Place. For many years deceased was Commissioner of the Poor for the Parish of Andover. He leaves to mourn his wife, who he married in 1884. (Continued on page five.)

THEY'RE CATCHING 'EM AT MILLVILLE WITH BARE HANDS

Game is reported both plentiful and tame in this section this winter. Charles Lindsay, of Mapleton, near Millville, recently captured a yearling moose. He found the animal in a starving condition and took it home. For about a week the moose seemed to be gaining in strength, but finally it sickened and died. Mr. Lindsay and Lloyd Haines a few days ago caught a young deer and carried it into the millyard of J. H. Hay & Son. As it appeared to be healthy and able to look after itself it was released. After playing about the millyard for about an hour it disappeared into the woods.

NO INCREASE IN WARRANT IS EXPECTED

EXPENDITURES ARE CONSIDERED AT INFORMAL MEETING HELD WEDNESDAY

The budget for the town of Woodstock for the coming year will be brought down at the meeting of the town council this evening. The council met informally on Wednesday and considered the various items, with a view to cutting all expenditures as low as was consistent with efficiency, and to keep the warrant within the amount set last year.

This necessitated very careful study, as the greater part of the moneys to be assessed are used for expenditures which are practically fixed, and which the council can only vary slightly or not at all.

No formal announcement as to the result of the meeting was made, but Mayor Page said that the entire budget had been considered, and was ready for discussion at Friday's meeting. It was thought, he said, that the council would be able to keep the warrant at a figure slightly less than that of last year.

COUNCIL ASKS CONFERENCE WITH EDUCATION HEAD

NO METHOD OF COLLECTING SCHOOL TAXES ON CONNELL ROAD

A discussion of the problem created by the addition of a part of the parish of Woodstock to the town school district took place at the first March meeting of the town council Monday night. It was pointed out by J. C. Hartley, K. C., town clerk, that there was no statute under which the town could collect school taxes for a part of the district of Hartford on the Connell Road. Children from which were coming to the town schools as a result of an order from the Board of Education. After some discussion the Mayor was requested to arrange a conference between the council and Dr. A. S. MacFarlane, Superintendent of Education, on the matter.

G. M. McPhail, town manager, reported that he and the Mayor had interviewed the Woodstock school Board regarding their assessment, and that the board had agreed to reduce this by \$1000.

A. E. Jones was heard regarding a claim for damages to his building in Main street alleged to have been caused by a retaining wall belonging to the town. The sum of \$65 was directed to be paid him as soon as a release should be signed.

The Town Manager reported on the cost of buying grates for the furnace at the pumping station. The purchase of these was set over until next year. Robert Brown, manager of the Senators Basketball team, appeared before council to ask a grant for the team. This was set over until the next meeting.

Coun. Turner brought up the matter of the nuisance caused by dogs running at large. He suggested that a solution could be found by raising the Dog Tax from 50 cents to \$2.50 for male dogs and \$1.50 for females. The mayor said that the problem had come up before and was a difficult one to solve unless the citizens would cooperate with the police and council.

The session was a lengthy one, adjournment not being made until after 11 o'clock. It is expected that the council will meet in committee sometime this week to discuss the budget. Those present were Mayor Page, councillors Webb, Johnston, Noddes, Turner, Reed and Everett, the town clerk and the town manager.

WOODSTOCK GETS HEAVY SNOWFALL

MORE THAN TEN INCHES OF SNOW IN TWO DAY STORM

Woodstock and vicinity had one of the most severe storms of the winter this week. The storm began on Monday evening and continued intermittently until Thursday afternoon. Snow fell heavily all Monday night and all day Tuesday. There were additional snowfalls on Wednesday, and a high westerly wind on Thursday morning made conditions unpleasant and drifted the snow considerably. In all more than ten inches of snow fell, and roads in the surrounding country were blocked and are still impassable to automobiles. The storm did not interrupt railway service and all trains were kept running on time.

The storm followed several days of mild springlike weather. On Monday roads and fields were beginning to show up through their covering of snow and the ice, both in the main Saint John river and in the smaller streams, was beginning to show signs of weakening. Crossing by team is still possible here, however.

CAPITOL THEATRE

To-day
To-morrow

"My Sweater May be Funny to You, But It's Warm to Me!"

Tiny Mitts of Dramatic Dynamite—in a facelifting heart-thrilling pep session for kids, kid friends, mothers and dads.

Jackie Cooper
Robert Coogan

Jackie Searl, and that great gang of Shanty-town, in

"Sooky"

a
Paramount
Picture

their mothers, playmates, and dads—in a jilting, laughing classic of the most priceless era in life—YOUR kid days!

Andy Clyde Comedy
"Shopping With Wifie"

Matinee 2.30 Prices 15c-25c Plus Provincial Tax
Night 7.15-9 Prices 25c-40c Plus Provincial Tax

CAPITOL 100% TALKING

2 Days
STARTING
Mon. 14

He Put His Trust In A Fallen Idol!

How he'll win your heart as he fights his father's death, a laugh on his lips, but a pang in his heart! Wallace Beery and Jackie Cooper—these two make motion picture history in the greatest drama made by the great King Vidor!



Pitts-Todd Comedy "Seal Skins"
Interesting Metrotone Talking News

Wednesday-Thursday, March 16-17
Edmund Lowe - Lois Moran
in "The Spider"

Comedy - Musical Reel - Novelty

MASONIC CLUB ELIMINATES I. O. O. F. FROM INTER-CLUB BRIDGE TOURNAMENT

The Masonic Club eliminated the I. O. O. F. from the inter-club bridge tournament on Tuesday evening when they defeated them in the last night of the semi-final play in the K. of C. hall by the narrow margin of 15 points. The Masons had previously established a lead of 1974 points in the first night's play, giving them a margin of 1989 for the series. They will now meet the Knights of Pythias Club in the finals, starting next Tuesday evening.

The duplicate system was used for the play-offs, with each club handling the same hands reversed. Hands were made from a book and results compared with "par" at the conclusion of play. W. J. Dibble and Wendell Slipp were high scorers for the evening.

The results: D. G. Scott and G. A. Dibble defeated F. E. MacDiarmid and G. A. Bailey 243; W. J. Dibble and Wendell Slipp (Masons) defeated J. A. Brody and Ansley Rogers 601; J. L. Stone and J. E. True (I. O. O. F.) defeated E. W. Smith, P. S. Marsten 402; William Rudge and E. G. Smith (I. O. O. F.) defeated A. Gordon Bailey and C. J. Durling 243.