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A CHANGE IN TIME.

At the last session of the legislature of this province an act was passed declaring that the time commonly known as Atlantic Standard time should, for all official and legal purposes, be used in all parts of the province. It was provided that this act should come into force when a proclamation should be made to that effect. Last week's Royal Gazette contained the proclamation fixing midnight next Saturday as the date on which Atlantic, or more properly speaking, Intercolonial Standard time becomes the legal and official time of the province. The Intercolonial and other railways have also adopted this time in making up their summer time tables, and on and after Sunday next all trains will be run on the new time. The object of this act is to do away with the dozen different systems of keeping time prevailing in different parts of the province. In Richibucto, for instance, there are three different systems of time in use, Eastern Standard time, St. John time, which is thirty-six minutes faster, and local time, which is four minutes faster than St. John time. The confusion that results from the different times kept, often gives rise to much inconvenience. In other places in the province the same confusion exists, and it has been for some time felt that one system of time should be fixed upon and prevail throughout the entire province. This result has been at length brought about and on and after Sunday next there will be a uniform time throughout the Maritime provinces. The new time will be one hour faster than Eastern Standard time and twenty minutes faster than local time. Eastern standard time is the true time of the seventy-fifth meridian west, and the Lew time will be the true time of the sixtieth meridian, the longitude of the extreme eastern end of Cape Breton. The difference in the true time of any two places is four minutes to each degree, and as we are five degrees west of the sixtieth meridian, our local time will be twenty minutes slower than the new time adopted. Greenwich is sixty degrees east, and therefore our time will now be exactly four hours later than Greenwich time which is the standard time of England. We trust that the new time will be generally accepted and adopted.

PEACE TERMS.

The summary of the terms of peace between the British and

Boers as cabled last week was to a certain extent misleading. Details of the agreement which have since been received show that the Boers have in reality accepted terms much less favorable than those offered them more than a year ago. It is true that provision is made for teaching the Boer language in the schools and for its use in Courts of law, but with certain restrictions. It is to be allowed in Courts of law only when necessary "for the better and more effective administration of justice" and in schools only when the parents desire it. Rifles are also allowed the Boers, but only for the purpose of protection and then only upon the issue of a license from the proper authorities permitting the holder to carry the weapon for such purpose. It is also true that one of the terms of the agreement is that no special tax shall be levied to defray the expenses of the war. This however applies only to landed property and does not preclude the levy of a tax on mining and other property. It is further agreed that the question of extending the franchise to the natives will not be decided until after the introduction of self government. This of course leaves the question for the decision of the people of the country and it is not very probable the right of franchise will be granted until the natives show themselves fitted to take part in the government of the country. These terms are sufficiently liberal but do not in the least degree depart from the conditions laid down in the beginning that British sovereignty must be established beyond all question in South Africa.

SENSIBLE ADVICE.

As long as the war lasted General Christian De Wet proved himself to be one of the bravest and most determined of the Boer generals in the field, and now that peace has been proclaimed he has shown himself to be as sensible and reasonable as he is brave. In his address to his men after the terms of peace had been signed he urged them to loyally abide by the terms of the agreement, to cast aside all resentment and ill-feeling and strive to become good, loyal and law-abiding citizens. Indeed all the Boer generals have shown themselves to be men of good common sense. They have accepted the inevitable with good grace and in their manifesto addressed to the burghers they unite in urging a cheerful acceptance of the terms and conditions of the agreement. The manifesto concludes as follows:

"Now that there is peace, and although it is not a peace such as we longed for, yet let us abide where God has led us. We can, with clear consciences, declare that for two and a half years our people have carried on the struggle in a manner almost unknown to history. Let us now grasp each other's hands for another great struggle lies before, a struggle for the spiritual and racial prosperity and welfare of our people. Casting aside all feelings of bitterness, let us learn to forget and forgive, so that the deep wounds caused by this war may be healed." It would appear from the despatches that the people generally are overjoyed at the prospect of getting back to their homes and farms and are disposed to be on the best of terms with everybody, even with their late enemies.

THE BOER LANGUAGE.

The Halifax daily papers express great dissatisfaction with the terms granted the Boers. Their greatest objection is to the clause permitting the use of the

Boer language in courts of law and providing for teaching it in the schools. This they declare will help to keep alive a national feeling among the Boers and forever prevent an amalgamation of the two races. They compare the situation now in South Africa with that in Canada when this country was ceded to the British and declare that the agreement providing for the use of the French language in Canada was a very grave mistake and one that has been instrumental in maintaining the division lines between the two races. This may be true to a certain extent, but the conditions in Canada and South Africa are entirely different. The French language is the language spoken by a large percentage of the people of the earth and in every quarter of the globe. It is the language that is generally used in international intercourse and in treaties. It has a literature rich in poetry and in prose. It is the language of Corneille, Fenelon, Moliere, Racine, Dumas, Hugo and a host of other poetical, dramatical, historical, philosophical, theological and scientific writers whose works have enriched every branch of literature and of science. The Boer or Taal language as it is commonly called, is on the other hand a language unknown except in South Africa. It is a mongrel Dutch and French jargon. It is without a literature and in any event it is probable that before many years it will be unknown except in remote localities. Like the Gaelic and Irish, it is one of the dying languages.

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MAIN RIVER.

Gaspereau fishing is the order of the day and night. The weather of the past has been very unfavorable. Owing to the constant rain showers, the farmers are not done farming. The basket social held at Brown's Yard school, was a pleasure to all who attended. The frolic held at the home of Mr. Isaac Flanagan was largely attended, dancing was the chief feature of the night. Messrs. Farrar, Bailey and McIntosh, have returned from Greenville, Me. We are pleased to hear of the arrival of Miss Obie McLeary; but sorry to hear that she was called home on account of the illness of her sister, Miss Vernetta, who is dangerously ill. We hope that under the skillful treatment of Dr. Tozer, she may soon recover.

Misses Lizzie MacDermott and Jennie Fahey are attending school at Main River, under the management of Mr. Carr. Miss Alice McEachern left last week for Boston, Mass. A number of our young men have purchased horses, that require neither hay or oats. The chief industries of Main River at present, are fishing and quarrying. The quarry found on Mr. Roberts farm is making rapid progress under Burgess Lachance & Viau. The pupils of Brown's Yard school are fast improving under the careful management of Miss Little. Mr. Peter Chrystal paid Main River a flying visit Saturday last. Mr. William Fahey is visiting his home at present. Mr. Hugh Carr paid Main River a flying trip Wednesday.

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ROUCHIBOUGUAC NOTES.
Mr. John McIntyre returned on Friday from Campbellton.
Mrs. Alward of Portland, is visiting her father, Mr. Jas. Cailendar.
Mr. McLean of Black River, visited friends here last week.
Mr. Jas. Tweedie went to Chatham on Thursday.
Several people from Richibucto and Rexton were here last week trout fishing.

Richibucto as a Tourists' Resort.

One swallow cannot make a summer, neither can one man unaided, make Richibucto a favorite resort for tourists. One man tried it, his efforts approached success, when circumstances which he could not control compelled him to relinquish his efforts. Why are not more tourists coming to Richibucto than do come? This is a question for the consideration of all who have the interests of the town at heart. Shediac has a goodly number. We have even more to offer than Shediac then why do we not offer it. We have a beautiful little town, well laid-out streets, the houses, gardens and lawns look pleasing. There are good roads for driving through the country, along the seashore, along the valleys of the rivers, through woods or fertile farming sections. The tourist can easily reach good lake trout-fishing or brook trout-fishing. There is the novelty for the tourist of mackerel fishing, even eel-spearing has a touch of quaintness not to be neglected.

With very little expense for bathing-houses, a bath in Richibucto Harbor is an unrivalled luxury on the North Shore. No place furnishes better and safer boating, be it paddling, rowing or sailing. There are picturesque groves for picnic outings. Our beach is extensive and inviting. Later in the season, excellent hunting for the feathered denizen of the forest or for the wild water-fowl. Big game is plentiful. The climate is unexcelled during the summer months, bracing, cold, clear, invigorating, a very elixir of life, bringing the rose tint to the cheek, lustre to the eye, strength and activity to the muscle, clearing the system of the impurities lying stagnant therein gathered there by the city life of the previous winter. We have good hotel accommodation. Give us the guests and this can only be done by all citizens uniting, doctoring up our sidewalks, driving the cattle, horses and sheep from our streets, calling on the assistance of the Provincial Tourists Association, and giving this association all the assistance possible to advertise the possibilities of Richibucto. One man can do little, all the leading citizens in one united effort can do much. Now is the time to act in order to reap in the years to follow. Let us make Richibucto known. It can only be done by advertisement in the right place and at the right time. Advertise where tourists look for resorts and the results will, no doubt, be fruitful.

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FOR LORD KITCHENER.

BALFOUR PROPOSES VOTE OF \$50,000.

LONDON, June 9.—In accordance with King Edward's message to the house of commons, the government leader A. J. Balfour, in the house asked for a vote of £50,000 (\$250,000) to Lord Kitchener. As a remarkable coincidence parliament on June 5 three years ago voted its thanks and £20,000 (\$150,000) to the same general for his services in Egypt.

Mr. Balfour, in supporting the motion, referred to Lord Kitchener's rapid promotion. He said it had been given to few public servants to compass so much work for their country in so short a time as Lord Kitchener, who, besides being commander-in-chief in South Africa was commander-in-chief designate of India. He found the army in South Africa in a state of disorganization or dislocation, consequent upon the ill-success which attended the British arms at the early stage of the campaign, and he executed his duty with admirable energy and skill. But it was not till Lord Roberts left that the claims of Lord Kitchener to the gratitude of his countrymen reached their present magnitude. King Edward has created Lord Kitchener a Viscount.

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A deserter from the third Canadian special service battalion, garrisoned at Halifax, named Martineau has been arrested at Sault Ste. Marie and will be taken back by an escort which is being sent for him. Martineau, who was at one time a member of a Montreal regiment, was identified by a former member of the same regiment, and arrested.

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