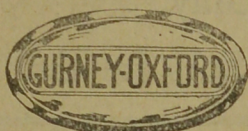




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## IRISH EDITOR'S CRITICISM OF NEW BRUNSWICKERS

Under a heading "The Truth About Canada," Mr. Baird, writes in his paper The Belfast (Ireland) Telegraph some interesting comments. In reproducing the comments no endorsement is intended to be given or implied but possibly those criticized may be interested in learning alleged shortcomings. This Irish Unionist editor says:

"Poverty, as it is found in the Old Country, does not exist in New Brunswick at all. Those few that are needy, are the infirm and aged, who through misfortune have come to that condition. As a rule, if a man wants to work, he can usually find something to do, though it may not be just what he wants or would like. There is generally work to be had on the farms in the summer months, and in the winter the woods and lumber camps find employment for a large number of men. It is not an easy matter for a man to be able to get permanent work with a farmer all the year round, for the simple reason that during the winter months there is practically nothing doing on the great majority of the farms. The corn crops are cut in the first week of August, and the harvest is generally completed before the end of that month. Frost is first felt about the 1st of September, but is not severe enough to affect the ground crops until November. The ground is in the grip of frost and snow until the middle of May, but ploughing is begun about April 20. Taken as a whole, the New Brunswick farmers are not inclined to hustle; they do just as much—or as little—as they are obliged, and there they stop. This is a somewhat sweeping assertion, but it is true of at least two-thirds of them. The other third are progressive and up-to-date. They have good and substantial houses, with barns and other buildings, in good repair. Their houses are fitted with baths and other up-to-date conveniences—telephone, etc., and their farms are well kept. But the great majority of farmers are not of this class, they are content to go on in the same hand-to-mouth style that their fathers and grandfathers did before them, making what they can while the weather is nice, and sitting down when the cold winter comes. The highest aim of this class of farmer is to grow hay and sell it; it is a nice-easy way of making money with the least amount of trouble. As for feeding cattle for beef, that is the last thing they would do; the

consequence is that it is impossible to keep up the fertility of their soil, and the farm is, sooner or later run down considerably. Then the farmer complains of poor crops and hard times. This class of man does not need much farm help, and if he did, he is not, as a rule, a very desirable kind of employer.

"To the man who suffers from land hunger, and cannot satisfy his craving in Great Britain, there are abundant opportunities in New Brunswick the equal in all respects of those to be found in any other part of North America, and better than many. No country in the world has a better home market at the present time for the products of the farm, and there are any number of farms to be had for comparatively small sums. It is true that in the case of some of these farms they are in a more or less run-down condition, but to the farmer who understands his business, and has sufficient capital to adequately stock the farm, it will be the work of only a year or two to restore the land to its former state of fertility. An enormous quantity of farm produce is imported annually into the province which might just as well be grown at home if farmers would only go to the trouble of growing it. In the city of St. John alone, with its population of 45,000, farm produce of all kinds to the value of \$200,000 is imported every year, and the same condition of affairs applies in a lesser degree to the smaller cities and towns. Of course, owing to the difference in climate and seasons prevailing in this province, compared with Britain, it takes an Old Country farmer a year or two to become acquainted with the conditions necessary to success there, but, once learned, there is no reason whatever why he should not do well and make money, but observant caution at first should be the golden rule."

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### THIS DATE IN HISTORY

JANUARY 16.

1778—France recognized the independence of the United States.

1794—Edward Gibbon, the English historian, died. Born April 27, 1737.

1809—Sir John Moore, commanding the British army, killed in battle with the French at Corunna, Spain.

1856—Board of Trade organized in Milwaukee.

1862—More than 200 lives lost in the Hartley colliery disaster in England.

1871—Supreme Court of the United States decided the Legal Tender Act of 1862 constitutional.

1907—The Rt. Rev. Arthur Sweatman, bishop of Toronto, elected primate of all Canada.

### FINE POULTRY AT VERMONT SHOW

St. Albans, Vt., Jan. 16.—Poultry fanciers from all parts of New England are in attendance at the fifteenth annual exhibition of the Vermont State Poultry Association, which opened here today at the City Hall. Owing to the fact that in addition to the regular prizes many new special prizes were offered this year, the number of entries is unusually large and the exhibition exceeds in number and quality even that of last year, when more than 1,400 birds were shown. H. B. May of Boston, and D. P. Shrove of Fall River, Mass., are the judges.

### ILLINOIS DAIRYMEN EXHIBIT CATTLE

Effingham, Ill., Jan. 16.—The exhibit of full bred dairy cattle at the armory in this city, which constitutes one of the leading features of the annual convention of the Illinois State Dairymen's Association, the opening session of which was held here today, is attracting considerable attention among dairymen from all parts of the state. The convention will continue until Thursday and during the three days many interesting and instructive demonstrations of butter making and testing will be given, as well as several lectures upon dairy subjects by noted experts.

### FISHING VESSELS CAUGHT IN THE ICE

Lawrence, Mass. Jan. 15.—Most of the textile mills in the city were forced to close their gates today because of the strike. Small numbers of operatives appeared at the mills.

## SUES QUEBEC PAPER FOR SUM OF \$50,000

Quebec, Jan. 14.—The case of Mr. Louis Letourneau, M. L. A. for Saint Roch's against the "Chronicle" and "L'Evenement" were taken up in the Supreme Court before Mr. Justice McCorkill. The plaintiff asks \$50,000 damage from both of the defendants on the ground that they published libellous articles against him in connection with the alleged Quebec East scandal. The main contention is that both papers charged Mr. Letourneau with bribing the Nationalist candidate, Rene Leduc, who was opposing Sir Wilfrid Laurier in that division, to retire. The first witness on the stand was Mr. George Vandry, chairman of the Board of Trade and manager of the Paquet Company, Ltd. The witness declared that he read the affidavits and editorials published in both the Chronicle and L'Evenement and that they were certainly injurious and prejudicial to the plaintiff. Mr. Vandry swore that he would not like to see such things published against himself for as big a sum as \$50,000. These facts and appreciation were corroborated by Mr. Joseph Picard and A. Dion two business men of Quebec East, and both Conservatives. The other witnesses heard were Mr. J. B. Barnard editor of L'Evenement, and Mr. Dave Watson, editor of the Chronicle, who admitted the publication of the articles and said that they had reason to believe that it was in the interest of the public that they should be known at the time. This brought to a close the evidence rendered in the Police Court in the case of Robitaille vs. Letourneau, after the latter had been arrested on a charge of bribery, as the evidence to be argued upon in these new cases. Mr. Justice McCorkill fixed the hearing of these cases for the 16th of this month.

perience and money. About one-sixth to one-seventh of the population of these provinces is American.

### AS TO THE WHEAT HARVESTS.

In speaking of the wheat situation he says it is true that in the States we do not raise any more wheat than we did fifteen years ago but cotton and corn show steadily increasing acreage. Farmers seem to find other things more profitable than wheat, and it is noticeable in Illinois and Iowa that wheat raising is steadily giving way to corn, so it is quite possible that the United States may before long be a customer of Canada for wheat instead of as now, one of her competitors. There is very little holding of wheat in Canada by the farmer as it is sold as fast as possible after being threshed.

Building is on a very great boom. In towns like Saskatoon and Edmonton, Real Estate is quoted at from \$1000 to \$2000 per front foot in the principal business sections. One good element in Western Canada is that every town however small has excellent banking facilities furnished by the numerous branches of the larger banks of Eastern Canada. The growth of the towns is something phenomenal and has the Alladin lamp palaces beat a block.

### AN ELASTIC CURRENCY GOOD

If Ontario be a sample, Canada is in for prosperity and continued growth. The Canadian System of Finance, helps as it does, by practically insuring a steady business free from those money panics and stringencies that the United States go through periodically. The banks are always in a position to furnish money when needed and always seem to be in control of the situation.

In speaking of Western Canada the observer says regarding emigration that a large part of the people Canada is getting is from the United States, and consists principally of American farmers who have both ex-

## TWO MEN KILLED BY EXPLOSION

Quebec, Que., Jan. 15.—Two Bulgarians met with a terrible death on the line of the Quebec and Saguenay Railway, now under construction. They were engaged in thawing out dynamite, when the deadly explosive went off, and they were terribly mutilated. The two men lived about an hour.

## HIS MAJESTY IS A MIGHTY HUNTER

London, Jan. 15.—The Mirror says that His Majesty added another record to his trip in Nepal to a long list of shooting successes. Out of a total bag of 39 tigers, 24 fell to the King's gun while the report also says that he brought down a tiger and bear with the right and left barrels.

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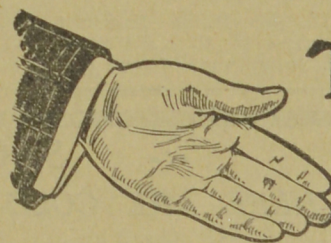
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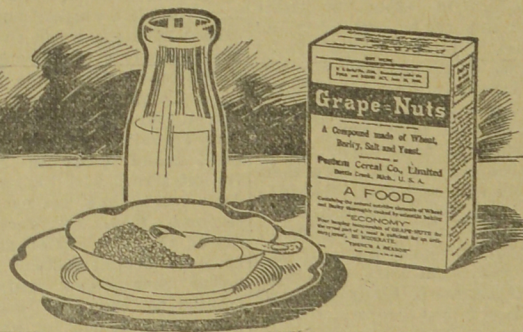
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