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PROBING AFFAIRS OF FARMER'S BANK

Toronto, Ont., March 4.—The opening meeting of the royal commission which is to be presided over by Chief Justice Sir Wm. R. Meredith, to inquire into the affairs of the Farmers Bank was held this morning, at Osgoode Hall. As Sir William indicated, it was for the purpose of organization solely and to arrange for future meetings. He suggested that he would be at liberty on Monday next and for several days following and Frank Hodgins K. C. who represents the government asked that the next sitting be held in Ottawa and that the date be set for March 13, as the first witnesses he wished to examine were connected with the treasury board. This proved satisfactory.

AWARDED CONTRACT

Halifax, N. S., Mar. 4.—The Halifax Graving Dock Company has been awarded the contract for repairing H. M. C. S. Niobe. The vessel will be placed in dry dock here at once.

A general strike of all trade union members has been ordered in Brisbane, Queensland, in support of the striking street car employees, who demand that they be allowed to wear union buttons.

Wood's Phosphodine,
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Tones and invigorates the whole nervous system. Makes new blood in old veins. Cures Nervous Debility, Mental and Brain Worries, Despondency, Sexual Weakness, Emissions, Spermatocoele, and Effects of Abuse or Excesses. Price \$1 per box, six for \$5. One will please, six will cure. Sold by all druggists or mailed in plain pkg. on receipt of price. New pamphlet mailed free. The Wood Medicine Co., formerly Windsor, Toronto, Ont.

LATE HON. E. BLAKE ONE OF CANADA'S GREATEST MEN

(Toronto Globe.)

One of the greatest of historical Canadians passed away the other evening in the person of Mr. Edward Blake. The shock to the community will be less than it would have been but for the fact that he has been for months living in seclusion owing to chronic and intensifying nervous disease. His massive and splendidly proportioned frame, once so well known in the streets of Toronto, is still missed by those who knew him years ago, but their number has become comparatively small owing to his prolonged residence in Ireland and London as a member of the British House of Commons for County Longford.

Mr. Blake was distinguished in several ways, but he was best known and most appreciated as a jurist and an advocate. In massiveness of intellect, in cogency of reasoning, in legal erudition, in ability to grasp and marshal details, and in rhetorical effectiveness he was, if not peerless, certainly without a superior in his time or at any time at any Canadian bar. For many years past his pre-eminence in the conduct of cases before the Judicial Committee of the Imperial Privy Council was as unquestioned as his pre-eminence in his own country. His reputation was hardly less at the Antipodes, for he was selected a few years ago to act as arbitrator in a difficult case in New Zealand, and his success in satisfying the disputants on that occasion proved conclusively that he would have been a great ornament to the Bench if he had chosen to accept early in his career the chancellorship offered him by the late Sir John Macdonald.

Mr. Blake entered political life forty-five years ago at Confederation. In the House of Commons, with the half-consciousness of his own greatness that is one of the characteristics of the really great, he passed at once to the front rank of parliamentary debaters and stayed there to the last. He did the same thing in the British House of Commons. There were giants in each of those great halls of debate, but he was easily recognized as belonging to their class, and a speech from him was always listened to with admiration, even when it fell short of becoming convincing. In the Ontario legislative assembly he was pitted, as leader of the Liberal opposition,

against an able veteran and dexterous opponent, John Sandfield Macdonald, and in four years he overthrew the government and thus made possible the continuous Liberal regime of the next thirty-four years.

For several sessions he led the Liberal opposition in the Canadian House of Commons, and when he retired to aid the cause of home rule in Ireland he rendered his party a great service by inducing his associates to elect Mr. Wilfrid Laurier as his successor. Time has amply proved that no better choice could have been made for it has proved that his non-possessed personal qualities and staying powers that gave him a place beside the greater statesmen of their time. He knew Sir Wilfrid better than most of those did to whom he commended him.

To the University of Toronto Mr. Blake was a wise counsellor and a generous donor. He was the first elected chancellor of the institution, and he held the office until his mantle fell to his present worthy successor, Sir William Meredith. So long as the alumni choose to place such men in the position they will be entitled to credit for corporate intelligence of a somewhat unusual kind.

Though a great forensic pleader, a powerful advocate, and a phenomenal debater, Mr. Blake was not in the ordinary sense an orator, and he was never fond of public speech-making. In spite of a contrary impression caused by shortsightedness, he was known by his intimates to be a more than usually warm-hearted man, gifted with a keen sense of humor, and rich given to the exercise of private benevolence. He was a broad-minded Anglican in his church relations, but he was a man of peace and a promoter of it as he went in and out among his ecclesiastical associates. We shall not soon look upon his like again.

SOUTHERN SHOE RETAILERS

Atlanta, Ga., Mar. 4.—The annual convention of the Southern Shoe Retailers' Association began in this city today with an attendance representing a dozen States. The members will spend three days in the discussion of numerous matters relating to the retail shoe trade.

NERVOUSNESS AND DYSPEPSIA

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TEDDY ROOSEVELT FOREMAN OF JURY

Minot, L. I., Mar. 4.—Refusing to claim exemption although under the law he might have done so, Col. Roosevelt today was foreman of a jury at the session of the supreme court here. He was excused from duty until Wednesday on account of pressing engagements but on that day will return to serve out the ordinary time of a juror. As a juror he will be paid \$3 a day and his mileage from Oyster Bay. He seemed to be delighted at the prospects and said that he was not worried about the presidential campaign, others, he said, were taking care of that.

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That Dandruff is caused by germs is accepted by every sensible person. Dandruff is the root of all hair evils.

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SALVIA is a hair dressing that has become the favorite with women of taste and culture, who know the social value of beautiful hair. A large generous bottle costs only 50c. at leading druggists everywhere, and in Fredericton by Ryan. The word "SALVIA" (Latin for sage) is on every bottle.

ITALY'S LOSSES IN WAR WITH TURKEY

Rome, Mar. 4.—In order to prevent a misunderstanding the war department has issued a statement of the casualties on the Italian side in the Turco-Italian war from the beginning of the conflict to March 2. According to this statement 37 officers and 498 men have been killed and one officer and 323 men are missing. While it is believed that the missing men have certainly been killed, there is no official record to this effect.

BIG LUMBER CONCERN IN TROUBLE

Philadelphia, Pa., Mar. 5.—Judge McPherson, of the United States District Court, today listened to arguments for the appointment of a receiver for the International Lumber and Development Company, which has its general offices in this city. The concern is a Delaware corporation and has a capital of \$6,000,000. It was organized for the development of timber and agricultural lands in Mexico. The petition for a receiver was filed by four of the stockholders, who charge that the officers and directors of the corporation have by means of payment of salaries and commissions on sales of capital stock appropriated to themselves sums of money amounting to \$500,000.

NOTICE

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Mail Publishing Company, Limited, will be held at the office of Mr. W. J. Osborne (corner of Queen and York Streets) in the City of Fredericton, York County, on Tuesday the nineteenth day of March instant, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving the report of the Directors for the past year, and electing Board of Directors for the ensuing year and generally to do and transact such business of the Company as may be requisite and proper to be dealt with at Annual General Meetings of the Company.

Dated at Fredericton this second day of March A. D. 1912.
R. W. McLELLAN,
Secretary.

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We can furnish you the best outfit to be had and will be glad to furnish estimate of cost if you let us know size of barns.

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DEPARTURES

20 A.M.—For St. John, St. Stephen, St. Andrews, Houlton, Woodstock, Plaster Rock, Grand Falls, Edmundston, Fort Fairfield, Caribou, Presque Isle, and for Portland, Boston etc.

1.45 A.M.—Via Gibson Branch for Woodstock and Houlton, connecting at Newburg Jct for points North. Plaster Rock, Grand Falls, Edmundston, Fort Fairfield, Caribou and Presque Isle.

1.45 A.M.—For Fredericton Jct connecting for St. John and points East.

1.00 P.M.—Via Gibson Branch. For Woodstock and points North to and including Aroostook Jct.

1.45 P.M.—For Fredericton Jct. connecting with Montreal Express which connects at McAdam for St. Stephen, Houlton, Woodstock and points North to Aroostook Jct. Also connects at Montreal for all points West. Also connects at Fredericton Jct with Boston Express.

1.00 P.M.—For St. John and points East.

ARRIVALS

9.10 A.M.—From St. John and East

11.50 A.M.—From Boston Montreal, St. Stephen, Woodstock, and North and Houlton.

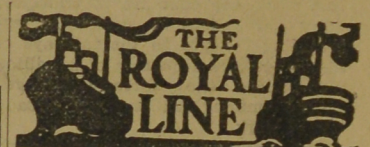
12.30 A.M.—From Woodstock and North via Gibson.

8.55 P.M.—From Woodstock and North via Gibson.

7.55 P.M.—From St. John and East

10.40 P.M.—From Boston, St. Stephen, St. Andrews, Woodstock, Houlton.

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No. 317—Suburban for Gibson and Marysville, 6.15.

No. 321—Suburban for Gibson and Marysville, 11.15.

No. 323—Suburban for Gibson and Marysville, 16.20.

No. 301—Express for Loggieville, Chatham, Campbellton, Quebec, Montreal, etc., 18.30.

No. 327—Suburban for Gibson and Marysville, 18.40.

No. 329—Suburban for Gibson and Marysville, 22.00.

I.C.R. ARRIVALS.

No. 318—Suburban from Marysville 8.15.

No. 302—Express from Loggieville, Chatham Junction 13.20

No. 322—Suburban from Marysville 13.45.

No. 304—Mixed from Loggieville and Chatham Junction 16.30

No. 326—Suburban from Marysville 18.20.

No. 328—Suburban from Marysville 19.15.

No. 338—Suburban from Marysville 22.35.

C.P.R. DEPARTURES.

6.20 a.m.—Express for St. John, Portland, Boston, Woodstock, etc.

7.45 a.m.—Mixed for Woodstock and points north. Leaves St. Mary's at 8.15.

9.45 a.m.—Express for St. John and points east.

4.00 p.m.—Mixed for Woodstock via Gibson branch. Leaves St. Mary's at 4.30

5.45 p.m.—Express for Montreal, Boston, Woodstock, St. Stephen, etc.

9.00 p.m.—Express for St. John and points east.

C.P.R. ARRIVALS.

9.10 a.m.—Express from St. John and points east.

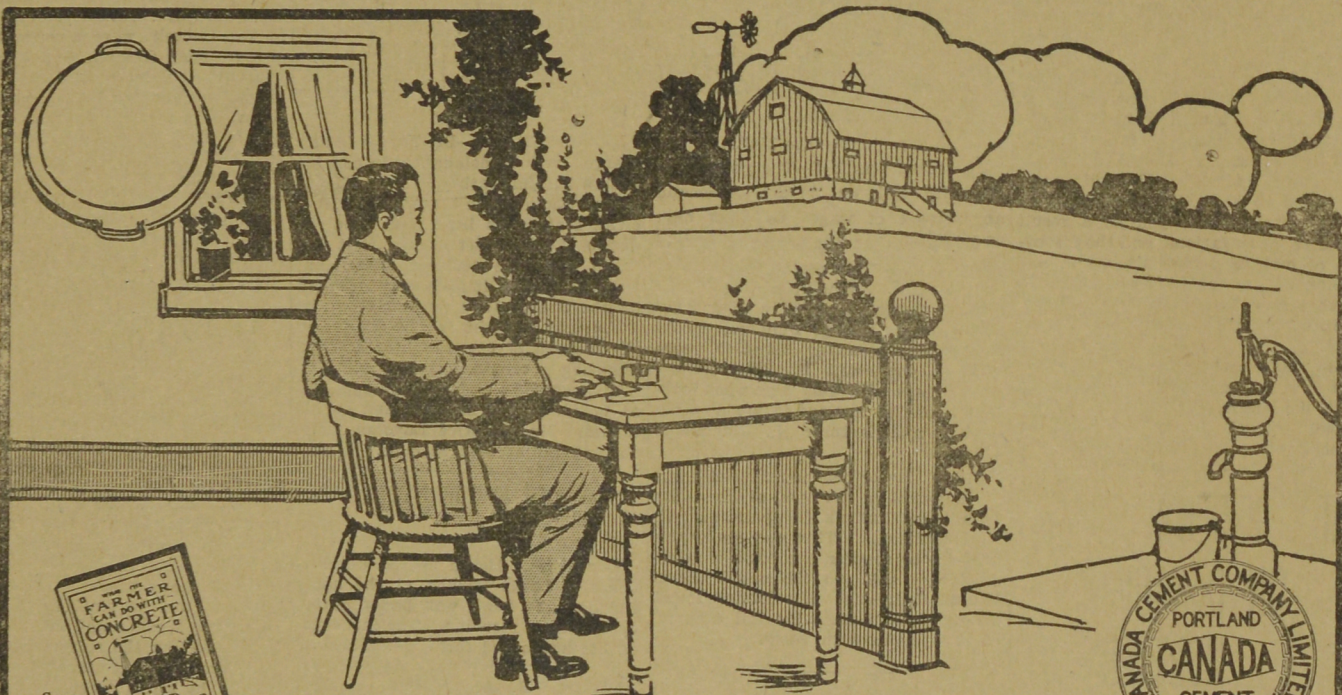
12.30 p.m.—Mixed from Woodstock via Gibson Branch. Arrives at St. Mary's at 12.05 p.m.

11.50 a.m.—Express from Montreal, Boston, etc.

7.55 p.m.—Express from St. John and points east.

8.55 p.m.—Mixed from Woodstock and points north. Arrives at St. Mary's at 8.25 p.m.

10.40 p.m.—Express from Boston, Portland, Woodstock, St. Stephen, etc.



\$3,600 in Cash Prizes for Farmers

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SUPPOSE your friend Bob Wilson, on the next concession, "pulled up" at your front gate on the way back from market and asked about that silo or barn foundation you built, you would be glad to tell him, wouldn't you? And it wouldn't take you long, either, would it? And, as a matter of fact, you'd find as much pleasure telling him as he would in listening— isn't that right?

First you would take him over to view the silo or barn foundation. Then you would start to describe it—its dimensions—the kind of aggregate used—the proportions of cement used—number of men employed—number of hours' working time required—method of mixing—kind of forms used—method of reinforcing, if any—and finally, what the job cost. So that by the time you finished, neighbor Wilson would have a pretty accurate idea of how to go about building the particular piece of work which you described.

Now couldn't you do the same for us, with this difference—that you stand a good chance of getting well paid for your time?

In Prize "D" of our contest, open to the farmers of Canada, we offer \$100.00 to the farmer in each Province who will furnish us with the best and most complete description of how any particular piece of concrete work shown by photograph sent in was done. The size of the work described makes no difference. The only important thing to remember is that the work must be done in 1911 and "CANADA" Cement used.

In writing your description, don't be too particular about grammar or spelling or punctuation. Leave that to literary folk. Tell it to us as you would tell it to your neighbor. What we want are the facts plainly and clearly told.

Sounds simple, doesn't it? And it is simple. And surely it is well worth your while when you think of the reward in view.

Now sit right down, take your pen or pencil—all out the attached coupon—or a post-card if it's handier—and write for the circular which fully describes the conditions of this, the first contest of the kind ever held in Canada.

Every dealer who handles "CANADA" Cement will also be given a supply of these circulars—and you can get one from the dealer in your town, if that seems more convenient than writing for it.

Contest will close on November 15th, 1911—all photos and descriptions must be sent in by that date, to be eligible for one of these prizes. Awards will be made as soon as possible thereafter. The decisions will be made by a disinterested committee, the following gentlemen having consented to act for us, as the jury of award: Prof. Peter Gillespie, Lecturer in Theory of Construction, University of Toronto; Prof. W. H. Day, Professor of Physics, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph; and Ivan S. Macdonald, Editor of "Construction."

Having decided to compete for one of the prizes, your first step should be to get all the information you can on the subject of Concrete Construction on the Farm. Fortunately, most of the pointers that anyone can possibly need, are contained in our wonderfully complete book, entitled "What the Farmer Can Do With Concrete." A large number of Canadian farmers have already sent for and obtained copies of this free book. Have you got your copy yet? If not, you'd better send for one today. Whether you are really ought to have this book in your library. For it contains a vast amount of information and hints that are invaluable to the farmer.

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