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SHOULD MOVE WITH CAUTION

The proposal that the Agricultural Society should take over the trotting park and in future have the Fredericton exhibition and races conducted under one management, although rather ambitious, is one which should be very carefully considered before final action is taken. There are many who believe that the Agricultural Society should be content to let well enough alone; in other words it should be content to bear the risks and ills which it now has rather than fly to others that it knows not of. It might be good business to take over the trotting park and in future have races and exhibition conducted under one management, and again it might not be. The plan has been tried in other places but not always with success. This is particularly true in the case of Halifax where the Nova Scotia Provincial exhibition is held. The race track at Halifax is located on the exhibition grounds and the daily attractions at the fair, include "speed competitions" which is a polite name for horse racing. The exhibition at Halifax never fails to draw large crowds, but it has never yet proved a paying proposition. The deficit usually runs into thousands of dollars and has to be made good by the provincial government and civic authorities. There has been no exhibition at Halifax since the explosion of 1917 and there is not likely to be one during the coming year. In Woodstock, where the racing fever is very strong, horse races and exhibitions are conducted under joint management, and so far it must be admitted with considerable success. In some of the towns in Northern Maine, a similar plan is carried out with more or less success. Fredericton has had many successful exhibitions during the last twenty years, but this city has always been very fortunate in regard to weather conditions. There is no certainty, however, that this will always be the case, as we are told that rain falls on the just as well as on the unjust.

If the horse racing end of the business is certain to yield large financial returns it is a little surprising that the present owners or lessees of the trotting park should be willing to separate themselves from it. If it is not a paying proposition; if the highly successful races here last year did not yield a balance on the right side of the ledger the directors of the Agricultural Society might do well to hesitate before tackling something which in the future they might have cause to regret. Horse racing is a capital sport but it is attended with many uncertainties, in fact there is nothing else quite so uncertain. A few rainy days will put the kibosh on a big program of races. In the past the exhibition authorities have guaranteed purses for a race meet, and as far as can be learned they usually had to make good with the cash. In the case of wet weather the exhibition will have its own troubles in the form of diminished receipts and with a race track on their hands in addition, also depending for success on fine weather the directors are not likely to find their task a very agreeable one. While the proposal made to the directors of the Agricultural Society has some redeeming features it should not be accepted without first being given the most earnest consideration.

The action of Mr. L. J. Gauthier, M. P. for St. Hyacinthe, P. Q., in severing his connection with the Liberal party, while it may bring a crumb of comfort to the moribund government now ruling at Ottawa, will occasion no surprise in the country. Mr. Gauthier is known to be a disappointed man. Last fall he was boomed for a place in the Meighen cabinet and was willing to accept the honor. Hon. Mr. Calder was sent down to Quebec to look over the situation and made the discovery that Mr. Gauthier, in the event of his accepting office, could not be re-elected. This knocked the Gauthier boom in the head. Mr. Gauthier got in bad with his party, but he did not leave it; the party left him.

The British Post Office Department is reported to be making progress with its scheme to establish a chain of wireless communication around the British Empire. Also efforts are being made to improve the cable service, especially between the Mother Country and Canada. At present the question of granting licenses to private wire-

less enterprises is being considered by Great Britain, and in the United States the matter of using wireless naval stations to receive news is to the fore.

Pensions to widowed mothers are the subject of a resolution which is to be introduced in the Ottawa Commons by C. G. Power, Quebec south. Mr. Power proposes to amend the pensions act so as to provide that the pension of a widowed mother or a member of the forces who has died on active service shall not be reduced on account of her income, and further, that pensions shall be granted her of right whether or not there are other living children.

Chatham World: John D. Rockefeller's wealth is estimated from tax returns and other sources of information, at \$1,000,000,000, on thousand millions, and his income at \$32,000,000. He has given away \$500,000,000 and is wondering what he can do with the rest. It is an awful load to carry. And yet he enjoys long life and good health.

The country will heartily approve of the efforts of the Liberal members of the House of Commons to discourage pairing during the present session. Members of the House are now paid an indemnity of \$4000 and it is up to them to remain on the job and try and earn the money.

CHURCH SERVICES

St. Paul's Presbyterian.
Rev. J. S. Sutherland, D. D., minister. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday school at 2.30 p.m. All are welcome.

Methodist Church.
Rev. Geo. M. Young, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. The pastor will preach at both services. Evening subject "The Eleventh Commandment." Sunday school at 2.30 p.m. Strangers welcome.

Brunswick Street Baptist.
Rev. Gordon C. Warren, B. D., pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Dr. Harry L. Paddon, of the Grenfell Larabbor Mission, will be the preacher in the evening. Bible school with men's class at 2.3 p.m. All are cordially invited to these services.

George Street Baptist.
Rev. Z. L. Fash, M. A., B. D., pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. At evening service fifth sermon in series "Eight Fools in the Bible." Sunday school at 2.30 p.m. Everybody welcome at The White Church, the People's Church Home.

Reformed Baptist.
Rev. P. J. Trafton, pastor. Service at 11 a.m., Sunday school at 2.30 p.m., evangelistic service at 7 p.m. All are cordially invited.

Salvation Army.
Week-end services: Saturday at 8 p.m., free and easy; Sunday morning, 8 p.m., knee drill; 11 a.m., Holiness; afternoon, at 2, company class; 3 p.m., free and easy, 7.30 p.m., Salvation meeting.

Advent Christian Church.
North Devon.
Sunday school, 10 a.m., preaching services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Loyal Workers' Prayer Meeting Monday evening at 7.45. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.45. Pastor, Rev. R. W. McCaul. All are cordially invited.

PRESENTATION OF ADDRESSES BY METHODISTS

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Church in the various official positions to which you have been called, has earned for you the gratitude and love of the entire congregation.

A hoary head is a crown of glory when it is found in the way of righteousness. We rejoice that in the good Providence of God you are yet with us in such vigor of body and mind and it is our united prayer that for years to come you may be permitted to go in and out amongst us—our Grand Old Man—and, when the shadows are a little longer grown, may you pass through the Celestial portals to see the King in His beauty.

Signed on behalf of the Methodist Church,
GEO. M. YOUNG, Pastor.
JOHN J. WEDDALL, Rec. Steward.
Address to Pastor

The address to the pastor Rev. G. M. Young, read by Mr. Lawson was as follows:
To Rev. Geo. M. Young, who is at present nearly three-fourths of the way through his fourth year as pastor of the Fredericton Methodist church we, your church members extend greetings and good wishes on the 19th day of Feb., the anniversary of your nativity.

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Time would fail to mention the many features in which you excel and those in which you are normal but let your imagination travel afield and satisfaction will be the result as it returns. To your better, younger half, on whose birthday we think of the Battle of the Boyne, we want to wish a long life and that its usefulness may be continued. To your six daughters and one son we wish long and useful lives.

And now farewell! Signed on behalf of the Methodist Church and congregation by many of your church members with invisible but sincere ink.

To Debate Results of War

In the intercollegiate debating league this year King's will meet St. Francis Xavier probably before the end of March. The subject for debate will be "Resolved that the good effects accruing from the late war outweigh the evil results attendant upon it." St. F. X. will speak for the affirmative.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of John Bearher Jones, who died Feb. 19, 1915. Gone from among us, Oh, how we miss him, Loving him dearly, His memory we'll keep. Never, till life ends, Shall we forget him. Dear to our hearts Is the place where he sleeps. Father, Mother, Brother and Sisters.

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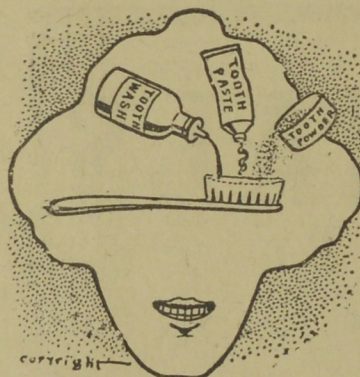
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J. S. SCOTT, Major.

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