

CITY TO CANCEL LEASE OF LAND TO G. G. SCOTT

STRONG PROTEST FROM WEST END

Citizens Want Property Beautified—Advantage Will be Taken of Failure to Meet Conditions.

The city is to cancel the lease of land along the bank of the river, in Queen Street, which was made in 1920 to Gordon G. Scott as an aid to the establishment of the new West End sawmill. The cancellation is to be made because conditions of the lease that the land was to be kept in an orderly condition and was to be used exclusively for lumber piling have not been met.

West End Citizens Petition

Monday night the City Council had before it a petition signed by 189 citizens and property-owners of the West End praying that the city take steps to terminate the lease and beautify the land.

Taken Over Asset

When the original lessee made an assignment the lease was taken over as one of his assets. It then was found that the city had inserted no proviso that the mill had to be operated in order to hold the lease.

It was found however that there was a provision that the property was to be used only for piling lumber and must be kept in an orderly manner. It is claimed that neither condition has been met.

Ald W. L. Jennings and Ald J. Barker of Wellington Ward in which the property is situated, are to act in the matter having been appointed a committee of the City Council.

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CITY AFFAIRS

On Fishing Trip.

Messrs Raymond Currie and Harold Walker left yesterday by auto for Boistown on a fishing trip to be absent several days.

Visited Skiff Lake.

A party composed of Judge Slipp, Manager Hawkins of the Bank of Montreal and Mr. H. B. Atherton motored ea Skiff Lake on Monday.

The Stork's Visit.

A telegram received yesterday by Mrs. James Bird from her son, Major J. E. Hanning, director of Manuel Training for Calgary announced the arrival at his home of a son and heir.

Visiting Newspaper Man.

D. Leo Dolan formerly of this city for several years located in Sydney, N. S., where he is engaged in the newspaper business, is in the city this week. Mr. Dolan who is now with the Sydney Record will be here for some days.

A Good Crop.

Blueberries are reported to be an excellent crop this year and a large quantity have been marketed in the city. They are now selling at some of the grocery stores at 15 cents a box. Wild raspberries are also more plentiful than usual this year.

Letters Of Administration.

Letters of administration have been issued to Howard McLean of the Parish of St. Marys, in the estate of the late Mary A. McLean his wife. The estate is sworn at \$4,375 all personal property. Powell and Mersereau were proctors.

Will Bear Watching.

Alleged returned soldiers who are going about soliciting subscriptions for magazines ostensibly for the purpose of putting themselves through college will bear watching. In the majority of cases these men are frauds and should be treated as such. Recently one of them victimized a number of people mostly women, who after hearing his story, handed him \$2 for which they were to receive a years subscription to a Toronto magazine. The fellow decamped with the money but the magazine has not yet arrived.

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SILVER FOX RANCH WILL BE IN KINGSCLEAR

LOCATED OPPOSITE GOLF CLUB HOUSE

Alfonzo Kelly Manager, Charles Cremin Manager Fur-sale Dept. — W. T. Chapman, Salisbury, Supt.

What will be one of the largest fox ranching companies in the Maritime Provinces is now being organized and will make Fredericton its headquarters. It will be capitalized at ninety-nine thousand dollars, the bulk of which has already been subscribed. Alfonzo Kelly of Kingsclear is one of the leading spirits in the enterprise and the ranch will be located on his farm, which is on the Old Road just above the city directly opposite the golf links. A provincial charter has been applied for and the notice of incorporation will appear in an early issue of the Royal Gazette.

Fredericton Silver Fox Co., Ltd.

The company will be known as the Fredericton Silver Fox Company, Ltd. and will deal only in silver foxes. It is proposed to start with twenty pairs and pens for the accommodation of this number are now in course of erection on Mr. Kelly's farm. They are being built of wood and will have a covering of stout wire netting and floored with the same material. While the company expects to raise and sell foxes for breeding purposes it expects to derive the major portion of its revenue from the sale of furs. This branch will be looked after by Charles Cremin, the well known guide and

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MISSING BOY ALBERT SMYTHE IS IN ST. JOHN

WALKED THERE ARRIVING ON MONDAY NIGHT

St. John Police Reported His Discovery This Morning—Party to Drag Tower Lake.

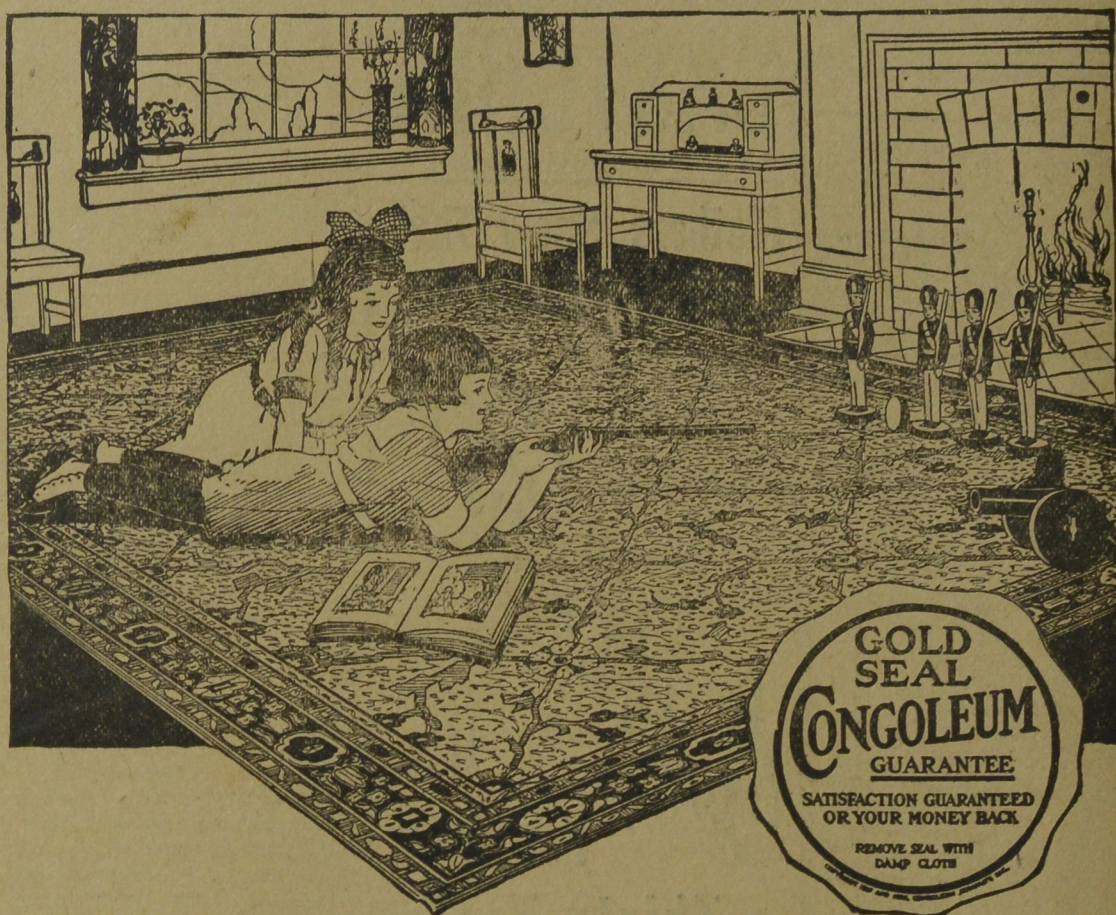
The boy, Albert Smythe, reported missing since Saturday morning when he left his home, Victoria street, in this city, arrived in St. John.

Last night, while Boy Scouts, city officials and numerous unofficial searchers were scouring the woods between the New Maryland and Hanwell Roads, looking for him Albert was making his way steadily toward the "Foggy City".

Detective Reported Discovery

Between ten and eleven this morning Detective Biddiscombe of the St. John Police telephoned Chief Jones of the Fredericton police that Albert had walked in Monday night and had gone to the home of Mrs. McCormack with whom he had lived while his brother John with whom he lived here was overseas. This morning the St. John police learned of the boy's arrival.

The last search party to go out after the boy left this morning with grappling irons to drag Tower Lake on the supposition that he was drowned in it. City Marshal J. H. McCollom was in charge of the party the City Council having decided last night to place him in charge of a party which would make a final and thorough search. Some time after the party left word of the boy's arrival at St. John was received here.



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