



Of Interest to the Women

STRAIGHT AND SLENDER.

Observation of the mid-season models of the French dressmakers shows that the probable mode for the spring of 1924 will be written in three S's—straight, short and slender. Only the full front and straight back survive in sufficient numbers to rival the favorite straight and narrow line. True the dance frocks still show circular fullness, but even here the narrow frock has taken precedence. There will be variations of course and straightness will be tempered with fullness just where it is needed for active comfort.

To obtain freedom of movement and at the same time keep the slinky silhouette is the problem and it is met in various ways—pleats, gathers fullness, using materials "on the straight" and skirts opened up the side or front panels. However "take care of the fronts, and the backs will take care of themselves." continues to be the motto, though the reverse is occasionally tried. There are versions of the side while some keep the flare toward the feet.

Almost every designer is shortening skirts and all for the same reason—the youthful effect. For tailor makes twelve inches from the ground. For more formal afternoon dresses—eight to ten. For evening—six inches in satin touching the ground in transparent materials which, however are worn over short and narrow foundations. In this case the hem line of the overdress is un even with the inequality at any point. As for the waist—the beltless silhouette is the leading one with the hipline in next place.

CRANBERRY PIE.

For 1 pie chop 1 cupful seeded raisins and 1 cupful cranberries. Add 3-4 cupful and cook with 1 cupful water. Flavor with vanilla. Make with 1 or 2 crusts as desired.

AN UNUSUAL PUMPKIN PIE.

Line a pie dish with good plain pastry. Peel pumpkin and slice as apples are sliced for a pie. Sprinkle with a cupful of brown sugar. Season with cinnamon and cloves. Cover with an upper crust.

APPLE COCOANUT PIE.

Line pie pan with pie crust. Pare and core 3 large apples slicing them in crust. Over apples sprinkle 1-2 cup sugar to which add 1 tsp. flour if apples are very juicy. Then put 1-2 cup cocoanut over sugar add top crust and bake in moderate oven.

ORANGE AND GRAPEFRUIT

For this truly delicious pie use 3 oranges 1 grapefruit 1 tsp sugar and 4 eggs. Beat yolks and sugar with the whites of 1 egg. Stir in a double boiler until the mixture thickens. When cool pour into a rich under crust. The remaining whites may be used for the meringue. Flavor with lemon instead of vanilla.

Guy—Ah, er, may I kiss you?
Girl—Just like a man to try and put all the responsibilities on the woman.

The Whole Family Was Laid up With Severe Colds

On the first appearance of a cough or cold our advice to you is to get rid of it before it has a chance to grow worse; gets settled on the lungs, and causes bronchitis, pneumonia or other serious lung troubles.

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Estimates of Receipts and Expenditures for the Year

ESTIMATED REVENUE 1924

Revenue 1923 Estimates 1924

DOMINION OF CANADA:		
Annual Subsidy and allowance	\$ 666,765.76	\$ 666,765.76
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE:		
Miscellaneous Receipts	1,078.29	750.00
Sales of Live Stock		1,200.00

DEPARTMENT OF ATTORNEY-GENERAL:		
Forfeiture of Bail	1,000.00	

DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND MINES:		
Stumpage	740,226.92	1,000,000.00
Royalties	48,767.03	50,000.00
Wild Land Tax	56,531.48	55,000.00
Forest Fire Tax	30,823.90	31,000.00
Fishing Licenses	32,435.52	32,000.00
Timber Licenses (Renewals)	78,374.00	78,000.00
Timber Licenses (Sales of)	11,983.50	8,000.00
Game Licenses	59,804.89	58,000.00
Mining Licenses	6,671.80	6,500.00
Miscellaneous	3,676.12	4,300.00

Total 1,069,295.16 1,322,800.00

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS:		
Miscellaneous Receipts	296.25	100.00

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH:		
Laboratory Fees & etc.	11,293.50	9,220.00

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION:		
Miscellaneous Receipts	3,754.25	3,750.00

Vocational Education—		
Grant from Dominion Government	18,132.31	22,590.00

DEPARTMENT OF PROVINCIAL SEC-TREAS.:		
Marriage Licenses	8,193.50	8,000.00
Letters Patent	7,815.00	8,000.00
Commissions	938.47	800.00
Moving Picture Fees	8,042.08	8,000.00
License Travelling Shows	120.00	500.00

Total fees 25,109.05 25,300.00

Taxes Incorporated Companies—		
Banks	30,843.49	30,700.00
Trust and Loan Companies	1,950.00	2,000.00
Fire Insurance Companies	48,994.61	49,000.00
Life Insurance Companies	46,922.88	47,000.00
Accident, Guarantee and other Ins.	7,338.56	7,300.00
Express Companies	2,965.00	1,800.00
Telegraph Companies	2,020.23	2,000.00
Telephone Companies	22,560.50	22,500.00
Street Railway Cos.	4,184.73	4,000.00
Extra Provincial Corporations	22,800.00	23,000.00
Railway Companies Tax	58,220.00	58,200.00

Total Incorporated Cos. 248,800.00 247,500.00

Liquor Exporters Tax	135,940.12	1,985.00
Amusement Admission Tax	60,155.23	50,000.00
King's Printer	5,653.26	5,300.00
Private and Local Bills	2,320.00	2,300.00
Probate Court Fund	25,209.98	25,000.00
Supreme Court Fund	4,193.10	4,000.00
Succession Duties	134,370.47	125,000.00
Interest Received and Accrued	18,900.00	12,000.00
School Books	44,673.34	42,000.00
Factory Inspection	2,144.08	2,000.00
Railway Earnings (Southampton)	1,789.14	1,800.00
Rent Reversible Falls Bridge	1,000.00	4,000.00

Total Dept. Secy-Treas. 439,348.72 275,385.00

N. B. BOARD OF LIQUOR COMMISSIONERS	415,237.12	350,000.00
PROVINCIAL PROHIBITION ACT	52,506.39	50,000.00
PROVINCIAL HOSPITAL	87,889.48	90,000.00
JORDAN MEMORIAL SANATORIUM	15,696.00	45,000.00
BOYS' INDUSTRIAL HOME	8,609.00	9,400.00
MOTOR VEHICLE FEES	374,278.88	405,000.00

Grand Total \$3,445,878.48 \$3,524,761.00

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURE 1924

Summary Expend. 1923 Estimates 1924

PUBLIC DEBT:		
Interest	\$ 831,969.34	\$ 861,825.00
Sinking Fund	143,586.00	147,586.00

Total 975,505.34 1,009,411.00

LEGISLATION:		
Legislative Assembly	68,569.97	68,925.00
Librarian, Books and Insurance	489.96	910.00
Legislation, Uniformity of	1,946.69	800.00

Total 71,006.62 70,635.00

DEPARTMENT OF ATTORNEY-GENERAL:		
Departmental Salaries and Expenses	7,000.23	6,950.00
Administration of Justice	35,328.95	38,250.00

Total 42,329.18 45,200.00

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE:		
General	67,387.22	103,231.00
Exhibitions	18,452.88	15,000.00
Immigration	4,932.46	5,800.00

Total 90,766.56 124,031.00

DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND MINES:		
Departmental Salaries and Expenses	27,077.43	28,595.00
Forest Service	212,047.47	179,000.00
Mining and Diamond Drill	2,112.65	5,000.00
Surveys and Inspection	4,582.71	5,000.00
Wild Land Tax Expense	311.21	500.00
Colonization Roads	6,537.11	7,000.00
Aid Acadian Entomological Society		250.00

Total 252,668.58 225,345.00

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS:		
Departmental Salaries and Expenses	37,437.60	38,095.00
Legislative Buildings and Offices, and		27,937.00
Normal School Buildings	44,362.58	9,678.00
Ferries,		11,000.00
Wharves, and		7,000.00
Steam Navigation	62,022.44	24,845.00
Miscellaneous		7,649.00
Ordinary Bridges	360,695.35	225,000.00
Ordinary Roads	324,076.87	100,000.00
Ordinary Roads, Patrol	161,017.08	160,000.00

Total 989,611.92 611,024.00

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH:		
Departmental and Laboratories	54,441.33	64,146.00
Hospitals	16,607.60	15,600.00
Allowance on Loans to Sub-Districts		1,955.00

Total 71,048.93 81,701.00

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION:		
Departmental and General	393,398.10	389,145.00
Pensions to School Teachers, Deficiency	2,104.79	2,000.00
U. N. B. Endowment and Deficit	25,000.00	29,036.11
Vocational Branch	35,861.96	45,180.00

Total 456,364.85 465,361.11

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DEPARTMENT OF PROVINCIAL SEC-TREAS.:		
Departmental Salaries and Expenses	22,744.94	22,700.00
Annuities	3,925.00	3,904.00
Amusement Tax Expense	8,962.61	8,400.00
Children's Protection Act	3,404.72	3,400.00
Claims, Workmen's Compensation Board	10,830.09	8,000.00
Elections	172.40	500.00
Factory Inspection	4,116.25	4,145.00
Guarantee Bonds, Government Officials	781.20	780.00
King's Printer	6,187.22	9,050.00
Labor Bureau	3,737.67	3,000.00
Liquor Export Tax	8,864.95	1,800.00
Moving Picture Censors	3,100.00	3,265.00
N. B. Historical Society	125.00	125.00
N. B. Tourist & Resources Association	2,500.00	2,500.00
Natural History Societies	1,200.00	700.00
Probate Fee Fund	14,284.17	14,000.00
Provincial Rifle Association	300.00	300.00
Revision Voters Lists	4,822.47	4,975.00
School Books	48,340.22	47,000.00
Unforeseen and Miscellaneous	11,448.25	5,000.00
British Empire Exhibition		18,000.00

Total 165,920.47 161,544.00

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL	11,385.89	11,400.00
PROHIBITION ACT, ENFORCEMENT	67,397.85	70,000.00
PROVINCIAL HOSPITAL	181,076.64	185,000.00
JORDAN MEMORIAL SANATORIUM	35,476.70	85,000.00
BOYS' INDUSTRIAL HOME	17,873.84	18,250.00
MOTOR VEHICLE LAW	280,537.83	305,377.00

Grand Total \$3,708,971.20 \$3,469,279.11

THE BUDGET BROUGHT DOWN IN THE LEGISLATURE

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MR. McKENNA said that some years ago he had been one of those in attendance at a convention of trustees and artpayers held at Fredericton at the suggestion of the Chief Superintendent of Education. Vital recommendation had been made at that convention, but the matter had ended there. One of the most important questions was the valuation in rural sections upon which the school taxes were assessed. He knew of farms in back sections which were over-assessed to keep up third-class teachers. He also knew of a property in the near vicinity of Sussex which had been sold for \$2,500 upon which they valued for school assessment had been only \$6,000, in other places could be found instances just as ridiculous. The time had come when the legislature could well take into consideration the disparity in valuation in school districts in front and back rural sections. The town of Sussex has one of the finest school buildings in the province and instruction given in manual training and household science and the usual school subjects had an assessment rate of \$1.50 while neighboring country districts with poor schools had rates of five, six and seven dollars. It was pretty near time that the legislature woke up to the problems of the back sections. The time as appertained for the Chief Superintendent of the Board of Education to make a recommendation which would more equitably distribute school taxes.

The amendment to the amendment was carried.

Marysville Debentures

HON. MR. BYRNE moved an amendment with regard to debenture issue in the town of Marysville. He explained that as a result of a plebiscite recently taken a debenture issue for \$70,000 for a new school would be required and an annual assessment of \$15,000.

MR. FLEWELLING asked if St. Stephen were affected by the amendment.

HON. MR. BYRNE said it was not. MR. RICHARDS asked for an explanation of the amendment. He said if the hon. Attorney General would confine himself to the facts as they were presented instead of giving laborious explanations all would understand.

HON. MR. BYRNE said it was not necessary for him to reply to the heat-

ed remarks of the hon. leader of the opposition, who evidently had not grasped the words of the amendment. He would move it again so that his hon. friend with all his brightness would be seized of the meaning.

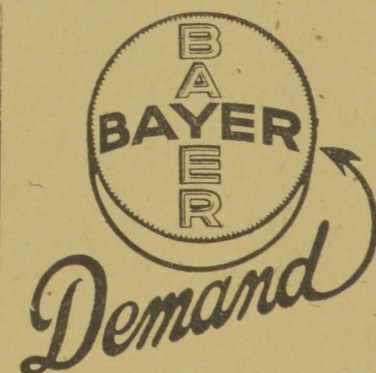
The amendment was carried and the Committee arose and reported progress.

HON. MR. VENIOT moved that the time for filing and introducing private and local bills be extended up to and including Friday, the 28th instant. He said that this would be absolutely the last extension.

HON. MR. VENIOT announced a meeting of the Municipalities Committee at ten a. m. and Public Accounts Committee at ten thirty, Wednesday. Adjourned at 6.45 p. m.

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NOTICE OF LEGISLATION

Public notice is hereby given that application will be made at the next Session of the Legislative Assembly for the passage of an act to authorize the Board of School Trustees for the Town of Marysville to issue serial bonds for an aggregate amount not exceeding \$70,000.00 and for a term of from one to twenty-five years, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding five and one half (5½) per cent per annum. Which issue of bonds is intended to provide funds for the erection of a new school house in the Town of Marysville.

Dated at Marysville, N. B., this twenty-second day of February, A. D. 1924.

By order of the Board.
BRADFORD POND,
Secretary.

Notice of Legislation

Public Notice is hereby given that application will be made by the City of Fredericton at the next Session of the Legislature of New Brunswick for the passage of an Act to enable the Corporation of the City of Fredericton to make grants out of the contingent fund or other funds of the said Corporation, for public, charitable, educational and eleemosynary objects and purposes, and to include the right to make grants to the Fredericton Board of Trade and to Exhibitions, and to legalize all such grants heretofore made.

Dated this Twenty Sixth day of February, A. D. 1924.

(Sgd) G. R. PERKINS,
City Clerk.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION

Public notice is hereby given that application will be made by the Corporation of the City of Fredericton at the next session of the Legislature of New Brunswick for the passage of an Act to authorize the Corporation of the City of Fredericton to make an issue of debentures not exceeding the sum of \$25,000.00 for the purpose of providing an additional unit for the City water pumping system, and additional mechanical and other appliances and for the purpose of extending and increasing the capacity of the present water system.

Dated this Twenty Sixth day of February, A. D. 1924.

(Sgd) G. R. PERKINS,
City Clerk.

Notice of Legislation

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of New Brunswick at the next Session thereof for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Acton Cemetery Company of Acton, in the Parish of Maaners-Sutton, in the County of York.

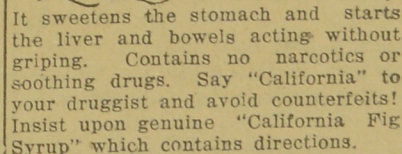
Dated the thirteenth day of February, A. D. 1924.

C. D. RICHARDS,
Solicitor for Applicants.

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Better the Spring of the year
Than the Summer and Fall of it.
Earth is so sweet then with promise
And youth in the thrall of it.

Better than all things gained—a
dream
And the call of it.
And the little of love that's best
Than the glittering all of it.
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