

Answers to Enquiries in The Provincial Legislature

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in each county on ordinary bridges from the 1st day of November, 1925, to October 31st, 1926?

A. Shown in the report of the Comptroller General, 1926, pages 145 to 187.
Q. 3. How much money was expended in each county of the Province on public roads and charged to capital account from February 17th, 1926, to October 31st, 1926?

A. The following payments were made in each county between the above dates:

SECONDARY TRUNK	
Albert County	\$16,835.19
Carleton County	33,601.77
Charlotte County	29,791.16
Gloucester County	17,715.44
Kent County	17,133.11
Kings County	26,917.42
Madawaska County	15,471.41
Northumberland County	30,427.81
Queens County	27,363.65
Restigouche County	35,471.64
St. John County	20,831.63
Sunbury County	15,546.25
Victoria County	11,272.21
Westmorland County	26,278.19
York County	28,877.44

MAIN TRUNK

Albert County	\$ 3,535.76
Carleton County	13,933.22
Charlotte County	11,043.15
Gloucester County	677.71
Kent County	4,340.52
Kings County	3,180.29
Madawaska County	2,007.78
Northumberland County	42,617.26
Queens County	27,103.06
Restigouche County	115,082.74
St. John County	10,316.98
Sunbury County	23,671.17
Victoria County	407.74
Westmorland County	6,053.65
York County	9,671.11

Q. 4. How much money was spent in each county of the Province on permanent bridges and charged to capital account from February 17th, 1926, to October 31st, 1926?

A. The following payments were made in each county between the above dates:

PERMANENT BRIDGES.	
Albert County	\$16,506.56
Carleton County	6,442.22
Charlotte County	669.50
Gloucester County	21,649.81
Kent County	4,675.71
Kings County	13,046.89
Madawaska County	12,448.37
Northumberland County	25,168.46
Queens County	

Restigouche County	15,439.80
St. John County	601.35
Sunbury County	2,480.97
Victoria County	618.13
Westmorland County	5,744.96
York County	13,473.33

No. 53.

HON. MR. STEWART in reply to Mr. Richard (Gloucester):

Q. 1. How much money was spent on the Youghall Road in the Parish of Bathurst, County of Gloucester, during the year 1926?

A. \$1,227.46.

Q. 2. Who had charge of the work on said road and what did he receive for his services?

A. Supervisor John M. Boudreau, \$76.50.

Q. 3. What amount was paid for material and to whom paid?

A. \$128.87. Paid to Bathurst Co. Ltd., \$98.09, Nelson Morrison, \$14.08, Alex. Landelle, \$4.20, Frank Comeau, \$11.90.

Q. 4. What amount was paid for services and to whom paid?

A. \$1,099.19. Details of payments shown on payrolls warrant Nos. 53973 and 54571 on file in the office of the Secretary of the Department of Public Works.

No. 4.

DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND MINES.

HON. MR. RICHARDS in reply to Mr. Doucet:

Q. 1. Was there any colonization money spent in the County of Gloucester during last year?

A. Yes.

Q. 2. If so, what amount was spent?

A. \$624.81.

Q. 3. Give names of Parishes and roads on which such money was spent.

A. LeClair Road, \$200.42, Hacheyville Road, \$114.75, Nardin Road, \$109.36, Little River Road, \$100.00, Nepisiguit River Road, north side, \$100.28. (See page 99 of Public Accounts Report.)

Q. 4. State why money voted for colonization roads was not all spent.

A. Not sufficient reason for such expenditure appeared.

No. 34.

HON. MR. RICHARDS in reply to Mr. Niles:

Q. 1. How many Game Wardens in each County of the Province were em-

ployed from the 1st day of November, 1924, to the 10th day of August, 1925?

Q. 2. How many Game Wardens in each County of the Province were employed from the 10th day of August, 1925, to the 31st day of October, 1926?

A. 1 and 2. As the number of Game Wardens varies from month to month, and even for portions of months, it is impossible to answer these questions in their present form.

Q. 3. What is the total amount paid to Game Wardens for services or wages from the 1st day of November, 1924, to the 10th day of August, 1925?

A. \$30,330.50.

Q. 4. What is the total amount paid to Game Wardens for services or wages from the 10th day of August, 1925, to the 31st day of October, 1926?

A. \$62,878.75.

No. 37.

HON. MR. RICHARDS in reply to Mr. Doucet:

Q. 1. How many applications under the Labor Act were approved in the County of Gloucester during the year 1926?

A. Twenty-eight.

Q. 2. How many grants under the Labor Act were issued in that County during that year?

A. Twenty-two. (One of these was issued to the Soldier Settlement Board in trust for the applicant.)

Q. 3. What was the total number of applications under the Labor Act approved in the Province?

A. Ninety-eight. (See Page 16 of the 66th Annual Report of the Department of Lands and Mines.)

No. 39.

HON. MR. RICHARDS in reply to Mr. Dyrart:

Q. 1. Who were the members of the Advisory Board of the Department of Lands and Mines on August 1st, 1925?

A. The Minister (Chairman), Deputy Minister, Chief Forester, Mr. J. W. Brankley, General Manager of the Miramichi Lumber Company, Chatham, and Mr. W. E. Golding, Managing Director of the New Brunswick Railway Company, St. John.

Q. 2. Who were the members of the Advisory Board of the Department of Lands and Mines on August 1st, 1926?

A. The Minister (Chairman), Deputy Minister, Chief Forester, Mr. J. W. Brankley, General Manager of the Miramichi Lumber Company, Chatham, and Mr. W. E. Golding, Managing Director of the New Brunswick Railway Company, St. John.

Q. 3. Who are the members of the Advisory Board of the Department of Lands and Mines at the present time?

A. The term of office of Mr. Brankley and Mr. Golding expired on January 1st, 1927, and their successors have not yet been appointed.

Q. 4. How many meetings were held

by the members of the Advisory Board of the Department of Lands and Mines since August 1st, 1925, on what dates, where and who were present when such meetings were held?

A. One meeting was held on May 14th, 1926, at the Minister's office in Fredericton, the first meeting to be held since August 21st, 1923. All the members were present.

Q. 5. Were the members of the Advisory Board consulted or did they make any recommendations in reference to the increase of stumpage rates made by Order-in-Council as of August 1st, 1926?

A. No.

Q. 6. If the Advisory Board was not consulted, why not?

A. The matter of stumpage rates does not come within the jurisdiction of the Advisory Board.

No. 52.

HON. MR. RICHARDS in reply to Mr. Michaud:

Q. 1. Are the lands on both sides of the Nepisiguit River crown lands or private property?

A. There are both crown lands and private lands on each side of the Nepisiguit River.

Q. 2. If crown lands are under lease, to whom?

A. Crown lands under lease to the following licensees: Miners Bank of Wilkes-Barre in trust for Bathurst Company, Ltd.; Gloucester Lumber & Trading Co.; Canada Iron Foundry Company; A. T. Hinton; J. D. McKay.

Q. 3. Is the Government aware that large quantities of lumber were cut and removed from the said district by or on behalf of the Bathurst Lumber Company, Limited?

A. Yes.

Q. 4. What was the amount of stumpage paid on lumber so cut and removed and at what rate?

A. Impossible to answer question unless year referred to given.

Q. 5. Was there a special rate of stumpage established for the Bathurst Company, Limited?

A. No.

Q. 6. If so, what is the rate, why was it established and for what period?

A. See number five.

DEPARTMENT OF ATTORNEY-GENERAL.

No. 6.

HON. MR. BAXTER in reply to Mr. Richard (Kent):

Q. 1. What action has the Department of the Attorney General taken with respect to the death of Agapit LeBlanc, Fishery Officer for the District of Buctouche Bay, Kent County, who met death in October, 1926?

A. The Department of the Attorney General arranged with the Royal Canadian Mounted Police to investigate the death of Agapit LeBlanc and the reports of investigations made by the officers are on file in the office of the Attorney General.

Q. 2. Were detectives engaged in solving the mystery surrounding his death? If so, who were so employed, by whom employed, and what report if any did they make to the Department?

A. The officers who investigated were detectives. Besides this the Attorney General's Department has made further private inquiries, the results of which it is not expedient to expose.

Q. 3. Did the coroner's jury investigate this matter? If so, what was their findings and what action has the Department taken with respect to same?

A. The coroner's jury investigated the matter and found that the deceased came to his death by the hands of some unknown person. The Department of the Attorney General does not consider it to be in the public interest to disclose any details of the information in his possession.

PREMIER KING A POULTRYMAN

Ottawa, May 5—The Prime Minister of Canada, the Right Hon. William Lyon Mackenzie King has become a poultry fancier and has chosen White Wyandottes as the bird he will breed on his Kingsmere estate in the Gattineau district, a short distance from the capital. The premier will also be an exhibitor at the coming World's Poultry Congress to be held in Ottawa from July 27th to August 4th and his display will be included in the Canadian National Live Bird exhibit. Mr. King recently concluded negotiations with the Honourable John S. Martin, Minister of Agriculture for Ontario who is known as the "White Wyandotte King" and has purchased several settings from Mr. Martin's famous farm at Port Dover, Ontario. The premier has secured the nucleus of a splendid flock from the Ontario Minister, and in addition to his adventure in sheep recently announced will add this famous breed of poultry. Mr. King has a most extensive acreage in the Gattineau region his farms running six miles in depth. In addition to his summer residence, he has a guest house and a home for his farmer-manager.

Gwen—I took this letter out of your book. Were you using it for a bookmark dear?

Geraldine—My iats! Yes, I was. Now I'll have to start all over!

Russia, we understand, is making poison gas on a large scale. However, it doesn't seem to be storing much of it.

Here and There

Nineteen ex-service men's families, sent out to Canada by the British Empire Service League, arrived at Quebec recently on the Canadian Pacific liner "Montrose." These families, totalling in all about 100 persons, have been carefully selected and have been given training at the Ministry of Labor's Training Farm at Brandon, Suffolk, England. The men will carry on farming in the Western part of the Dominion.

A unique "Seeing Canada" expedition will set out from Ottawa on August 4 this year to visit the principal points of interest in the provinces from the Atlantic to the Pacific. The party to make the tour will include a selected number of delegates to the World's Poultry Congress, to be held at Ottawa in July. Practically all the nations of the world will be represented, and the party will journey first to the eastern part of the Dominion over the Canadian Pacific lines.

Record wool clip and wheat output for the past year have placed Australia in a condition of prosperity that was never so great as at present, according to J. M. Myres, correspondent of the London "Daily Telegraph," when interviewed at the headquarters of the Canadian Pacific Railway in Montreal recently on his way from the Commonwealth to England. He estimated that the exports from Australia had probably reached a record figure.

The farthest north settlement in the world, Bache peninsula, is cheered by radio programmes. Situated in the Arctic circle, this far-flung outpost is situated ten and one-half degrees off the North Pole. Here there is a post of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, the garrison consisting of Sergeant Joy, two constables, and a few Eskimos. From November to March they do not see sunlight. Their one great pleasure is in listening to radio programmes from the outside world.

A unique musical event will take place at the Chateau Frontenac, Quebec, May 20 to 22, when a folk song and handicraft festival will be held. The songs will be sung by local singers, famous for their knowledge of traditional airs of Old Quebec. French-Canadian folk songs are gaining in popularity throughout the country since so many of them have been translated into English by John Murray Gibbon, of Montreal. Charles Marchand, one of the outstanding interpreters of these old-time songs, will figure prominently at the coming musical festival.

President Coolidge's natal State, Vermont, has been brought vividly to the attention of the Middle West, Ontario and Quebec by a special train, known as the Vermont Maple Sugar Special, which has been touring the western states and which visited Ontario and Quebec in the latter part of April, carrying special exhibit of Vermont products and also a car of Canadian Pacific exhibits. Governor John E. Weeks, Vermont's chief executive, and Mrs. Weeks, together with his staff, the United States Senator for Vermont, and many other State legislators and representatives of leading business interests, were aboard the train during its extended tour.

Sidelights on the Chinese situation were thrown by travellers from a trip around the world, who arrived at the Windsor street station in Montreal recently, on the last lap of their journey. They were: Harrison Williams, well-known public utilities financier of New York; Paul Cravath, general counsel of the Missouri Pacific Railroad; and Colonel R. B. Worgan, of the Indian army, who had joined the trip at Madras. Mr. Cravath was in Shanghai, his arrival corresponding with the capture of the city by the Nationalist forces. Mr. Cravath stated that he had not heard a shot fired on that day, and would not have been aware he was in a city taken in open war if he had not been informed of the fact.

THE MODERN MISS.

She was trying to be friendly to the little girl whose mother was a great friend of hers.

Needless to say the little girl regarded her with great pity not to say suspicion.

"I hope you are getting on well at school" she remarked. "Now I wonder if you can spell horse?"

For a minute or two the little girl regarded her with scornful eyes, then:

"I could if I wanted to" she answered quietly "but don't you think it's rather old-fashioned?"

Got Relief From Dyspepsia

Mrs. Clarence Sealy, Bathurst, N.B., writes:—"I suffered a long time from dyspepsia. I used tablets and medicines of all kinds, but got no relief until I started using

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After taking two bottles I can gladly say that I became much better, and can now eat most any kind of food without having to suffer for it after."

For the past 48 years B.B.B. has been put up only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Elsie—Mother says when your nose itches it means you're going to have company.

Tommy—An' I guess when your head itches it means they have arrived.

FIRE ALARM LOCATION IN THE CITY

- 6 Argyle and Lora Sts.
- 7 Victoria Hospital.
- 8 Children's Aid Home.
- 12 Westmorland and Aberdeen Sts.
- 13 Northumberland and Saunders Sts.
- 14 Brunswick and Smythe Sts.
- 15 Charlotte and Smythe Sts.
- 16 George and Northumberland Sts.
- 17 King and Northumberland Sts.
- 21 Queen and York Sts.
- 23 York and George Sts.
- 24 Queen and Westmorland Sts.
- 25 Brunswick and Westmorland Sts.
- 26 Charlotte and Westmorland Sts.
- 27 King and York Sts.
- 28 Saunders and York Sts.
- 31 Queen and Regent Sts.
- 32 Needham and Regent Sts.
- 34 Queen and Carleton Sts.
- 35 Brunswick and Carleton Sts.
- 36 Charlotte and Carleton Sts.
- 37 George and Regent Sts.
- 38 King and Regent Sts.
- 43 St. John and Aberdeen Sts.
- 44 Queen and St. John Sts.
- 45 Brunswick and St. John Sts.
- 46 Charlotte and St. John Sts.
- 51 King and Church Sts.
- 52 George and Church Sts.
- 53 Union and Church Sts.
- 54 Shore St. and University Ave.
- 55 Brunswick St. and University Ave.
- 56 Lansdowne St. and Waterloo Row.
- 57 Grey St. and University Ave.
- 112 Smythe and Aberdeen Sts.
- 113 Argyle and Northumberland Sts.



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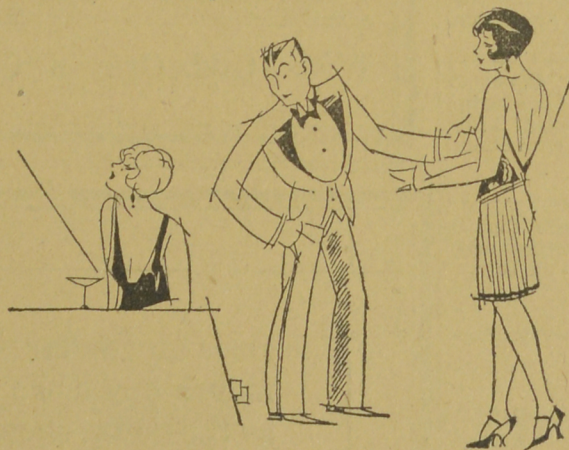


A TERRIBLE THING

A terrible THING happened at last Saturday's masquerade—Left my CUTIE for a second to Howdo to a GUY, who gives me a knock-down to his own particular BUNDLE of CHARM. Then away he goes to telephone, and SHE says, "Let's dance."

I'm not denying it WAS a bad BREAK on my part. The frigid air at our table when I got back would have discouraged an ESKIMO.

I squared it Sunday afternoon though with a box of GANONG'S—it broke the ice. Yessir, she's still my BABY.



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