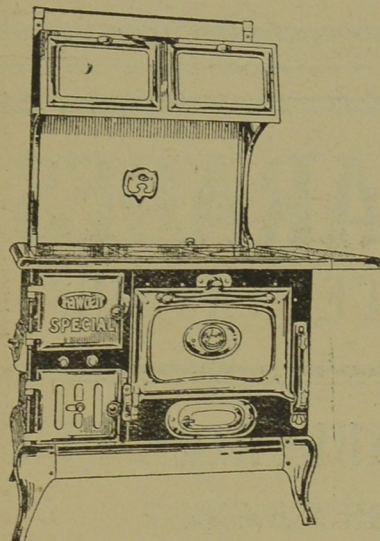


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MAY ENTER IN A TRADE PACT WITH THE ANCIENT COLONY; SQUIRES ON VISIT TO OTTAWA

Ottawa, Feb. 12—In another effort to effect a new trade pact with Canada, Sir Richard Squires, premier of Newfoundland, will come to Ottawa tomorrow to confer with Hon. Charles A. Dunning, Minister of Finance, Hon. James Malsolm, Minister of Trade and Commerce, and Hon. P. J. Veniot, Postmaster-General.

Over two years an agreement was in process of negotiations but a disagreement developed between the Dominion and the Island Colony as to terms, Canada, it is understood, held that certain conditions had not been complied with by Newfoundland, while the latter has been taking the ground that Canada owes the colony certain previous steamship subsidy arrangement.

Subsidy Needed

During the past year, it is learned, Premier Squires has been doing some negotiating in Montreal and New York City, is regard to steamship service, but has now expressed a desire to resume negotiations with the Dominion. Any proposed pact would include the subsidizing by Canada of the steamship service rendered by the steamer Caribou.

As to fiscal terms, it is understood Newfoundland is considering a re-casting of her tariff as it effects Canada to give more generous terms to this country for manufactured goods to be used principally in the Island industries of fishing, mining and agriculture. Some consideration also would be given to terms that would assist education in that colony.

Canadian View

In the previous negotiations Canada expressed a willingness to enter into an agreement and to give recognition to Newfoundland claim of previous

financial obligation on the part of Canada. The extent to which Canada will be ready to go in any new arrangement will be disclosed when the negotiations are actually resumed here between the representatives of the two governments.

Expect Agreement

Attawa, Feb. 12—Appointment with various cabinet ministers have been made for Sir Richard Squires, Prime Minister of Newfoundland, for tomorrow. It is understood that Sir Richard will take up the matter of trade relations between this country and the ancient Colony, and the expectations are that an agreement something in the nature of that which was negotiated last year may result from the conferences.

Following a visit of Sir Richard to the Canadian capital last summer, an announcement was made it behalf of the Government that arrangements were being made to subsidize a steamship service between Canadian Atlantic ports and Newfoundland, in return for which certain concessions would be granted by the Newfoundland Government. The arrangement was never adopted in practice, due to some legislative difficulties in Newfoundland.

It is believed, however, that those difficulties have now been smoothed away and that the path is open for the application of either the old agreement or for the negotiating of a new one along similar lines.

Other matters will be discussed also appointments having been made with Hon. James Malsolm, Minister of Trade and Commerce; Hon. P. J. Veniot, Postmaster-General, and Hon. C. A. Dunning, Minister of Finance.

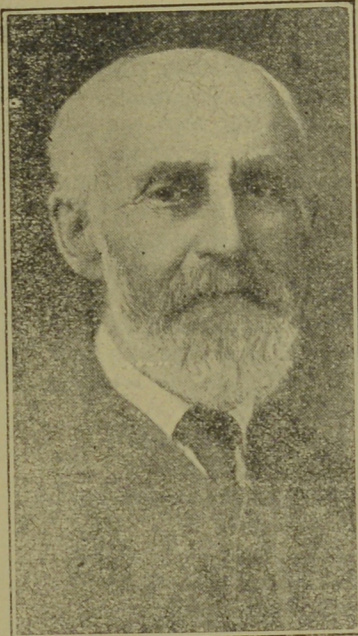
ELIAS WHITE OBSERVES HIS 90TH BIRTHDAY

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plenty of work to keep him busy. He reads the newspapers, including the Daily Mail, regularly and keeps well posted on what is going on in the world.

Has Good Memory

Mr. White is blessed with a splendid memory and can clearly recall events of long ago. When the first



ELIAS WHITE
Who Today Turned His Ninetieth
Milestone.

Atlantic cable was completed he came to Fredericton and assisted in celebrating the event. He remembers the Crimean war, The Indian Mutiny, the American Civil War and the assassination of President Lincoln, whose 131st birthday was observed in the United States yesterday. Mr. White's family consists of four daughters, all residing in the United States, and four sons, three of whom, Alfred, G. Milburn and Alexander are residents of Marysville, the other lives in Massachusetts.

The citizens of Marysville are planning a celebration in honor of Mr. White this evening. The congregation of the United Baptist Church recently adopted a resolution of congratulation and the same will be presented this evening by Pastor MacPherson.

Dr. Robert Colwell of the University of West Virginia, is in the city, having been called here by the death of his mother, Mrs. Minnie Colwell.

F'TON SCIENCE CLUB HELD ITS MONTHLY MEET

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earth in making a complete revolution about the sun. The year is not an even multiple of the "moon" nor is the seven day week evenly divisible into it. The artificial adjustments necessary to make a compromise between these natural units has had, and still has, many anomalies and complications confusing the calendar, but the end seems in sight.

Calendar making seems to have started with the Egyptians, who found the one-rest-day-in-seven plan to be most efficient for all activities. I presume that Moses, during the Exodus from Egypt, had no revolution or habit to instill into the people of Israel in the form of the fourth commandment.

..... The Egyptian Week
According to an ancient writer, the Egyptian week started with Saturday and after leaving Egypt, the Jews, from hatred of their former oppressors, made it the last day of their week. (Enc. Britt.)

The Egyptian month was of 30 days twelve months making up the year with five "supplementary days" at the end. This last one-quarter day each year or 1 year in 1460, i. e. 1461 Egyptian years equal 1460 years of our calendar. "New Year's Day" then would make the complete round of the year in 1461 years.

In 328 B. C. Ptolemy reformed the country's calendar (Decree of Canopus, discovered by Lepsius in 1866) giving the year 365 1/4 days. This was substantially the calendar that Julius Caesar introduced into use in Rome and from which our present calendar takes its rise.

The Roman year started with March, as one may note from the month names, September (seventh), October (eighth), November (ninth), and December (tenth). February followed by January, closed the twelfth month year. January was named from Janus, double-faced God of Roman mythology—"Mr. Facing-Both-Ways"—presumably, back over the year almost gone and forward over the new year to come.

This arrangement of the months was used prior to 452 B. C. when the Decemvirs, governing body of Rome, under the leadership of Numa Pompilius made a calendar reform which put the end of the year after December, and exchanged January and February to their present places.

The months were 29 and 30 days long alternately, an attempt being

THE NEW YORK MARKET TOOK ON QUITE A SPURT THIS MORNING

The New York stock market today displayed some activity after the holiday, but was inclined to be bullish on all issues except rails. C. P. R. sold off to 215 1/4, but Consolidated Gas rose to 115. Radio sold at 42 and U. S. Steel went up to 186.
On the Montreal Exchange Brazilian was soft at 37 and Nickel had a fractional decline of 38 1/4. Dominion Bridge was strong at 81 1/4.

The Stock Quotations
(Quotations by McDougall & Cowans, Members of the Montreal Stock Exchange, as furnished to The Mail daily by C. F. Tilley, investment broker, 478 Queen Street, Fredericton, N. B.)

New York Stock Market

Alleghany Corp.	33
American Can.	142 1/4
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	231 1/4
Amer. & For. Power	96 1/4
Anaconda	77 1/4
Bethlehem Steel	101 1/4
Canada Dry	71
Can. Pacific Ry.	215 1/4
Chrysler	38 3/4
Columbia Gas	92 1/4
Congoleum	17 1/4
Cons. Gas	115
Curtiss Wright	9 1/4
Fox Film A.	32 1/4
Gen. Motors	44 1/4
Gen. Electric	77 1/4
Hudson Motors	58 1/4
Int'l Harvester	90 1/4
Kennecott Copper	60
Miss. Pacific	91
Montgomery Ward	43
Nash Motors	52 1/4
New Haven	119 1/4
N. Y. Central	188 1/4
North American	107 1/4
Packard	16 1/4
Pan American B.	54 1/4
Par-Fam. Players	64 1/4
Pub. Svce. of N. J.	93 1/4
Radio	42
Remington Rand	36
Sears Roebuck	92 1/4
Standard Gas	123 1/4

S. O. of N. J.	62 1/4
Studebaker	45 1/4
Union Pacific	231
U. S. Steel	186
United Corp.	40 1/4
Warner Bros.	59 1/4
Westinghouse Elec.	172 1/4
Yellow Truck	21 1/4
New York Curb	
Amer. Superpower	31 1/4
Cities Service	32 1/4
Elec. Bond & Share	99 1/4
Pennsylvania Ry.	83 1/4

Montreal Stock Market

Abitibi	28
Brazilian	37
B. C. Power A.	38
Bell Telephone	158 1/4
Brompton	27
Canadian Bronze	56
Canada Car	28
Canada Car Pfd.	30 1/4
Can. Power & Peper	14 1/4
Cockshutt Plow	216
Cons. Smelters	244
Dom. Bridge	81 1/4
Gen. Steel Wares	14 1/4
Fam. Players Can.	51 1/4
Gard's	28
Hamilton Bridge	38
Int'l Nickel	38 1/4
Int'l Power	38 1/4
Massey Harris	38 1/4
Montreal Power	140 1/4
McColl Fron.	26
Nat'l Breweries	29 1/4
Nat'l Steel Car	75
Power Corp.	77 1/4
Quebec Power	66
Shawinigan	79 1/4
Winnipeg Elec.	48 1/4
Montreal Curb Market	
Assoc. Oil & Gas	1.10
British Amer. Oil	42 1/2
Home Oil	10
Imperial Oil	25 1/4
Int'l Petroleum	20
Noranda	43 1/4
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SPUD MARKET CONTINUES IN DULL STATE

Hartland, Feb. 12—The potato market continues to be dull and lifeless with little or no demand or trading. Car lot shipments are also falling off. In view of the small storage holdings this year over last, it is thought the market will improve. Prices today to farmers were \$2.25 per barrel for Green Mountains and \$2 for Irish Cobblers, Canada, grade one.

In Aroostook.

Presque Isle, Me., Feb. 12—The Aroostook potato market continued dull today, with but little demand. The price to growers offered by buyers was from \$3 to \$3.15 and a few higher. There was not much trading, although even at the prevailing drop in prices there is some hauling and sales.

Temperance Meeting

A meeting of the New Brunswick Temperance Alliance was held in this city last evening with a good number present and considerable routine work done. A discussion was held on the probability of establishing a local branch of the Alliance. C. N. Vroom of St. Stephen, N. B., was here for the meeting.

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