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1929

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### CITY OF FREDERICTON

#### NOTICE

The City Public Weigh Scales, being under repair, will not be in working order before Tuesday, January 8th. Arrangements have been made with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company for the use of their Scales in the meantime. The Official Weigher will be in attendance who will charge the regular weighing fee.

FRED I. HAVILAND

City Clerk

City Hall, January 4, 1929.

## GENERAL BRAMWELL BOOTH IS TO ILL TO ATTEND MEETING OF THE ARMY HIGH COUNCIL

London, Jan. 7.—A veil of silence was drawn over both camps in the Salvation Army controversy today on the eve of the meeting of the High Council which is to decide whether General Bramwell Booth is to continue as commander-in-chief of the organization. It was broken only by a bulletin issued by Dr. John Weir, physician to the Prince of Wales, and Dr. Ernest Wardlaw Milne, regular adviser to the General. In it they said that the General's mental capacity has been unimpaired by his long illness and that he would be ready to resume his work in six months.

The medical pronouncement also stated that the Commander was "well able to give decisions and advice on important matters." This was recognized by both sides as a strong weapon for the adherents of the General and one of the officials at international headquarters said tonight: "I shall be the most surprised man in the Army if General Booth is not adjudicated fit to continue his leadership."

#### Too Ill to Attend.

The medical certificate revealed, nevertheless, that Bramwell Booth was too ill to attend the Council meeting at Sunbury-on-Thames with safety.

It was officially stated at international headquarters that the leader would send a message to the Council, but there was no hint as to its import. He will be kept in touch with the proceedings by his wife and his daughter Catherine who will have at their disposal a direct telephone between Sunbury, House and the Booth cottage at Southwood. They intend to use this means of communication in order to obtain advice and instructions from the General.

#### To Speak Often.

It was also learned that Commander Evangeline Booth, the General's sister, and leader of the element which seeks reform in the Army constitution, intends to address the Council several times.

She is expected to emphasize that there is no desire on the part of her faction to weaken in any way the international solidarity of the Army.

Only 63 members of the High Council will gather tomorrow. The absentee is Commissioner William E. Oil-

pant, of London. He is in the south of France on sick leave. His absence means that General Booth needs only 16 instead of 17 votes to retain his leadership. Nine of these are assured in the four members of his immediate family and five other commissioners from international headquarters in London.

#### Deep Secrecy.

Deep secrecy is to surround the Council proceedings. Once the councillors have entered the grounds they will not be expected to leave until the meeting is over. Newspaper reporters will be rigorously excluded and the only news given out will be through Councillors. These are to be issued by Chief of Staff Higgins who is to telephone them daily between 5.30 p. m. and 6 p. m., to his secretary, Colonel Freeman, in the international headquarters in London.

It was through those headquarters that the medical advisers issued their bulletin. In full this announcement said:

"After having carefully examined General Booth on December 30, we are of the opinion that he is making satisfactory progress toward recovery. His physical condition, though still poor, is gradually improving. His illness has followed the expected course and there is every reason to believe that the General should be able to resume his work within six months."

#### Correct Rumors.

"As there have been rumors that the General's mental powers have been affected, we take this opportunity of stating that there never has been any question of mental incapacity. His intellect remains unimpaired. He is now well able to give decisions and advice on important matters, but it is advisable that he should have as much quiet as possible and not be burdened with unnecessary anxieties as this will tend to retard recovery."

An authorized statement from Southwood tonight said that while General Booth had been strong enough to sit up lately he was in no sense strong enough to attend the council meeting. Mrs. Bramwell Booth will attend the high council meeting tomorrow as a commissioner in her own right and will lead her husband's defence before the council.

## A PART OF N. B. EXHIBIT IS OFF TO BOSTON

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the Canadian Pacific Railway. The car is expected to arrive in Boston next Friday morning.

#### Live Game Exhibit.

A palace express car will be used to transport the live animals and game fish to Boston. It will be attached to the regular express and will reach Boston on Wednesday morning.

It is expected that His Honor the Lieutenant Governor and his staff will attend the show for a few days, but no official announcement regarding this has yet been made.

It is expected that the New Brunswick exhibit will be the most complete and representative ever made at a Sportsman's Show in the United States.

## WANTS \$5,000 FOR BROKEN RIB

Erie, Pa., Jan. 8.—If allegations are correct, John Schwartzman of Near Northeast, Pa., is quite a strong fellow. Mrs. Aida Porter of Meadville is suing him for \$5000. She avers that when he hugged her one of her ribs was broken and two others were injured.

#### DIED

RYAN.—At Victoria Hospital January 7th, Eleanor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lorne E. Ryan of this city, aged two years.

Funeral Wednesday afternoon with service at two o'clock at the late home 252 Brunswick Street by Rev. Dr. Warren, Interment in Rural Extension.

## NOMINEES FOR CIVIC OFFICE NUMBER SIX

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David McCaughey is the nominee. Both Mr. McCaughey and Mr. Richards have previously served on the board.

#### Three New Members.

The only other new member nominated to the board is C. L. Dougherty, who will take W. K. Hay's place in Wellington Ward the latter having decided to retire on account of business interests. The remaining two members Ald. LeBaron R. Bull and Clarence N. Goodspeed, have been re-nominated to King's and Queen's Wards, respectively.

On election day, which is next Monday, the usual reorganization meeting will take place and the candidates will be elected to office by acclamation and sworn in for the coming term.

## SCOFFER IS CAUGHT AT LAST

New York, Jan. 8.—Edward Anthony, author of "How to Get Rid of a Woman," is married. He was eastern press director of the Hoover campaign. His bride is Esther Howard, who did similar work for the state Hoover committee.

## U. S. ARE NOW AIR MINDED

Washington, Jan. 8.—We are getting air-minded, Secretary Whiting points out that licenses have been granted to 5,200 American pilots; 40,000 student pilots are in training; 5,700 planes are operating; there are 1,600 airports.

## BRAZILIAN IS HOLDING WELL; OTHER ISSUES RATHER WEAK

The stock market today displayed irregularity and further declines in some issues which have been active of late. It is evident that considerable profit taking is going on. Brazilian Traction was the star performer on the Montreal exchange, holding its sharp advance of yesterday. Nickel on the other hand suffered a decline of two points.

#### The Stock Quotations.

(Quotations furnished by McDougall & Cowans, Members of the Montreal Stock Exchange, by special arrangement with their Saint John office.)

#### New York Market.

|                      |      |
|----------------------|------|
| Am. Can.             | 116½ |
| Anaconda             | 118½ |
| Bethlehem            | 83½  |
| C. P. R.             | 235  |
| Continental Can.     | 105  |
| Corn Products        | 151  |
| Consolidated Gas     | 76¾  |
| General Motors       | 196½ |
| General Electric     | 231½ |
| Great Northern Pfd.  | 109½ |
| Hudson Motors        | 189½ |
| International Nickel | 54   |
| Montgomery Ward      | 190¼ |
| New Haven            | 85   |
| N. Y. Central        | 187¼ |
| Radio                | 361  |
| Sears Roebuck        | 174  |
| Studebaker           | 82¾  |
| U. S. Steel          | 158¾ |

#### Montreal Market.

|                       |     |
|-----------------------|-----|
| Abitibi               | 42½ |
| Brazilian             | 79¾ |
| B. C. Power           | 56  |
| Cement, Com.          | 32  |
| Cement, Pfd.          | 99  |
| Car. Com.             | 121 |
| Can. Power and Paper  | 30  |
| Cons. Mining          | 375 |
| Industrial Alcohol    | 40  |
| Dom. Bridge           | 93  |
| Dom. Textile          | 117 |
| Frasers               | 81  |
| Gurd, Com.            | 42½ |
| Hamilton Bridge       | 39½ |
| Int. Nickel           | 53¾ |
| Lake of Woods         | 55½ |
| Massey Harris, com.   | 93½ |
| Montreal Power        | 108 |
| Nat. Breweries        | 134 |
| Power Corp.           | 98½ |
| Shawinigan            | 87¼ |
| Steel of Canada, com. | 60¾ |
| Winnipeg              | 104 |

#### Bank Stocks.

|             |     |
|-------------|-----|
| Montreal    | 397 |
| Royal       | 392 |
| Commerce    | 335 |
| Nova Scotia | 297 |

#### Montreal Curb Market.

|                    |     |
|--------------------|-----|
| Imperial Oil       | 102 |
| International Pete | 58  |
| McColl-Fontenac    | 32  |
| Noranda            | 62¾ |

#### A NEW MANAGER.

Saint John, Jan. 8.—Friends will be glad to learn of the promotion of a Saint John man in the appointment of A. Stuart W. White as manager of the Saint John branch of the Montreal stock exchange firm of McDougall and Cowans.

Mr. White is a son of Mrs. White and the late Frank S. White, who was manager here for W. Malcolm MacKay.

He commenced his business career with the Eastern Securities Company, Ltd. and after a year or so with that firm, entered the employ of McDougall and Cowans in March, 1921, as a junior. He later was appointed accountant, which position he acceptably filled until the death of Major Victor Benson, the manager, when he became acting manager.

#### C. P. R. EARNINGS.

Indications that gross earnings in 1928 would establish a new high record in the history of the Canadian Pacific Railway have now been definitely confirmed by the statement of traffic receipts for the final ten days of December, issued this afternoon. It is now possible to calculate the traffic receipts for the entire month of December, and by adding them to the gross earnings for the first eleven months it is evident that the previous record, established in 1920, has been exceeded by a wide margin.

Traffic receipts for the month of December amounted to \$20,627,000. Gross earnings for the first eleven months were \$207,947,199. Disregarding the fact that the figures will be swelled by the addition of non-railway gross earnings for December, the gross for the eleven months and the traffic receipts for December make a combined total of \$228,574,199.

The best previous record in 1920 indicated gross earnings of \$216,641,349. It is evident, therefore, that the gross earnings for 1928 will exceed that amount by at least \$12,000,000. As compared with 1927, the gross earnings will show an increase of around \$28,000,000.

Net earnings to the end of November amounted to \$48,537,678, and in view of the excellent showing in December, there is no doubt that the net earnings for the full year will establish a new high record. The previous high record for net earnings was established in 1916 at \$49,225,920.

Jack Dempsey is having as hard a time retiring as a poker addict who promised to be home by midnight.

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## Fredericton Vocational Committee's Evening Vocational Classes will open THURSDAY EVENING Jan. 10, in New High School

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TYPING—Mrs. Louise Bailey.  
FIRST AID AND HOME NURSING—Miss K. M. Stewart.  
MILLINERY—Miss Lyla Young.  
CLOTHING—Unit I, Miss Cecil Gallagher; Unit II, Mrs. Gladys Miller; Unit III, Mrs. Bessie Pugh.  
COOKERY—Mrs. K. C. Bishop.  
GENERAL EDUCATION—I, Miss Mildred Haines; II, Mr. F. E. MacDiarmid.  
MOTOR MECHANICS—Mr. H. J. Mawhinney.  
BLUE PRINT READING AND MECHANICAL DRAWING—Mr. E. V. Bell.  
CHEMISTRY—Mr. O. V. B. Miller.  
ELECTRICAL COURSE—F. H. Wetmore.  
FRENCH—Mrs. J. L. Neville.  
If the registration is sufficient a course in Elementary Conversational French will be given by Mr. T. Lejeune.

The office of Mr. R. D. Hanson, secretary Fredericton School Board in the new High School building, will be open on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, Jan. 8th and 9th, from 7.30 to 9.30 for those who wish to register. A fee of two dollars is required. For further information regarding fees and attendance apply to Mr. B. B. Barnes or Mr. R. D. Hanson.