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### MONDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1918.

### THE FRIEL REPORT.

The report of Commissioner James in office and he was out to make \$500, Friel on the charges preferred by Mr. | while another reported him as saying J. B. M. Baxter, M. P. P., from his that he intended to "get Currie." The place in the House against Hon. Wm. government of which this man was Currie, Speaker of the Legislature, is an appointee apparently was well satan able and interesting document. It isfied with the service he was pershows that Mr. Friel gave close atten- forming, and he would be holding on the evidence taken by him under raged people bowled the outfit from oath. The commissioner practically office in February, 1917. The "system" rejects the testimony of Mr. Baxter's of which Murchie was so clever an a former lumber scaler, as being un- same time, and under the new adminworthy of belief, and declares that "it istration the Crown Lands are being tinental Lumber Company upon the are now required to make oath to the said reduced amount, well knowing amount of their cut and pay full stumthat it was not the full and proper page on same. The politicians who amount of stumpage, and therefore pulled off and condoned the famous defrauded the province of a portion of timber land steal of 1913 are quite welits revenue." The commissioner fur come to any comfort they can derive ther finds "that the charges were un from the report of Commissioner founded and that they are absolutely Friel. disproved, and that the Hon. Mr. Currie is innocent of the things that Murchie swore against him.'

point of bucking the system."

the commissioner says:

"Mr. LeBlanc says it was not the affairs. fault of the man so much; it was the fault of the system. That may mitigate public opinion, but it is no de- all fronts, the new German Chancellor, fence. It is no excuse that all the lym- Prince Maximilian, has asked Presiduction in his scale by the same dis- it only by an unconditional surrender. honest scaler, and paid the reduced and fraudulent stumpage bill with his check; in fact did the very same thing that Mr. Currie has been accused of doing.

The commissioner pays his respects to Scaler Murchie in this blunt fashion:

"Murchie is lying. I do not believe

ment, not because of any special qualifications for the work in hand, but becouse they were believed to be fit and Published every afternoon (except proper persons to do crooked work reer seems to have been dishonest THE MAIL PRINTING COMPANY. from the start. He swore that he did Subscription Price, \$4 per year by not consider his oath binding after the first year and he seems to have done his best to live up to that belief. On one occasion he grafted \$100 from a

lumbering concern and the item was charged up on his account for "moose meat." Another witness quoted Murchie as saying that it was his last year

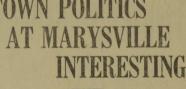
tion to the case and based his findings down his job today had not an out- nation of the Town Marshal which see star witness, one Archibald Murchie, exponent, went by the board at the mainder of the fiscal year. Very is not so that Mr. Currie caused the administered on business principles, gon, the outfit owned by Messers R stumpage to be paid by the said Con- and lumber operators big and little Manzer & Son went over a steep em

The present Provincial Government handled a seed grain proposition this While the commissioner exonerates year involving an expenditure of \$160,-Hon. Mr. Currie from the charge of 000, and made a loss of \$106. The old each and four fines of fifty dollars conspiring with Murchie to defraud government in 1914 undertook to buy and costs imposed. the province, he points out that the 100,000 bushels of potatoes to present Continental Lumber Company did not to the mother country and made such pay stumpage on the full amount of a mess of the transaction that the cost its cut, and regrets that Hon. Mr. Cur- exceeded the estimate by \$60,000, and rie, who had knowledge of the matter, besides this there was a dead loss of did not "screw up his courage to the \$32,000 which "the party" had to make \$32,000 which "the party" had to make FOUR LOCAL MEN

In discussing this phase of the case province was supposed to be getting "a business like administration" of its

Finding their armies harrassed on

bermen are doing it. It is quite true dent Wilson to use his good offices in of hospital he was not allowed to fly that the scaler's return and other evi- an effort to bring about peace. It has but spent his time in acquiring a good dence show that Mr. Currie's political all the earmarks of a Hun trick to gain opponent, the member whom he de- time and will be so treated by the feated, actually a member of the gov- Allies. If the Huns are in earnest in ernment, got the advantage of a re- their demand for peace, they can get



**RESIGNATION OF TOWN MARSHAL CONSIDERED** 

Councillors Wish Official to Stay in Office-Liquor Inspector Busy at Chipman.

#### Marysville, Oct. 7-The ratepayer of the town are looking forward with much interest to the special meeting of the Town Council which has been called for this evening. The most important matter which will be consider ed at this meeting will be the resigeral members of the board are unwill ing to accept, being desirous that the marshal should continue in his present capacity at least for the teresting developments are looked A horse attached to a delivery w bankment on Friday last resulting in serious injuries to the horse and the destruction of the wagon. Dr. McCoy was sumomned to attend to the injuries of the animal which received very serious lacerations.

C. A. Pincombe of Connors, was a visitor in town for the week-end. Sub-Inspector Fraser Saunders has

returned from Chipman where he was engaged in his duties under the Prohibition Act. On Saturday last four cases were tried at Chipman and re sulted in convictions being entered in

Mrs. W. J. Kelly and daughter Margaret have returned from a visit to

Clair Downing has recovered from an attack of rheumatism.

## IN CASUALTIES

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where he was declared medically un fit. He was sent to hospital where he stayed all winter. When he came out knowledge of the practice. When last heard from he had but a few hours to fill in before he gained his pilot's certificate. He has one brother Capt Allan Good who is in command of No. ) Trench Mortar Battery attached to the Brigade Staff.

Private Alfred Smith

Word was received by Mrs. Emma Smith this morning that Private Alfred Smith was admitted to East Geueral Hospital at Cambridge, on October 1st, suffering from gunshot wounds in the left leg. Private Smith enlisted at Halifax some time ago and wounded. Mrs. Smith has made splendid sacrifice for her country. One wounded a short time ago and still MEETINGS in the interests of

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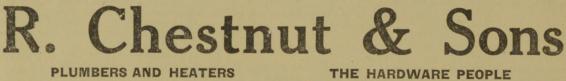
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woods to scale and count, or that eithcount,-or that Murchie ever kept any books, or that either of them ever had anything to go by, except what they could pick up here and there, know-ing some of the operators, and guess-it is impossible for Germany to hold ing quantities to suit themselves."
A little further on the commissioner says: count, or that Murchie ever kept any

"My opinion is that he (Murchie) went to the Hon. Mr. Currie to find \$500 or whatever graft he expected to make that season, his last chance. If that was his object in seeing Mr. Cur-their trip covering about 12,500 miles in all. The first point in view after theying here was Chicago which they settlements he had made. Whatever Perry in Wisconsin take place. I accept Hon. Mr. Currie's turning came by Boston and through Lawrence in Massac find that Murchie had already 'cold | Mr. Richards that four and a half millions would be all right for their cut and that Mr. Currie knew it when Murchie and he were talking."

was appointed to office soon after the was appointed to office soon after the Hazen government came into power in 1908, being one of a number of rabid Tory henchmen appointed i portant positions by the old govern- etery.

London, Oct. 7-American troops are mong the wounded who are arriving er of them ever made any scale or in large numbers at a southern English son Archibald was killed, Charles was ort every day. They are flushed with drowned at Petewawa, Allan was

terday from their coast-to-coast motor trip. The party left here July 1st and were a little over three months on for a Canadian Highland Battalion.

the interview with the assurance from reached after passing through Boston what Mr. Currie said and what he did not say, that there was not likely to not say, that there was not likely to be any interference with his settle-and then up the coast to New West ment with Mr. Richards, and if there was not to be any interference with that settlement it was most unlikely that there would be with any other ment with Mr. Richards, and if there minster in British Columbia. Mr. Le hey struck the epider he went there for, the things he soldiers were stationed. Nine deaths charges against Mr. Currie did not passed through there. The party reversion of the conversation between through Lawrence in sussessment. Mr him and Murchie on that occasion as substantially correct, and the truth. *I* below the boom want ishing every day from the disease. ishing every day from the disease

Succumbed to Influenza Miss Vesta Brewer daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Whitman Brewer of Devon Will stop this and restore your chie and he were talking." The commissioner's report and the evidence on which it is based furnish a pretty good insight into the methods employed by the old government in who was seriously ill with Spanish handling the public domain. Murchie ceased is survived by her parents, two brothers and one sister. The brothers

rabid Tory henchmen appointed to im-portant positions by the old governed ment will be made at the Rural Cem

Mrs. Maude Keith received word At Stanley, Fair, Oct. 8th-

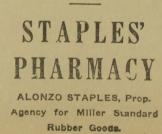
Brook War Hospital at Woolwich, England on September 29th, suffering went to the Hon. Mr. Currie to find out if he was going to get by with the report he had put in and make the 5500 or whatever great he arrived home yes. from gunshot wounds in the right enteen and left here with the 236th Battalion but on reaching England he volunteered to go with reinforcements



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face to its natural beauty.



VICTORY LOAN, 1918

the Victory Loan Campaign have been arranged as follows:

Speakers-Very Rev. Dean Neales. R. B. Hanson, Esq. C. D. Richards, Esq.

At Kingsclear, Temperance Hall, Oct. 9th-

Speakers-Dr. Crocket, M. L. A. Chancellor Jones

At Millville, Oct. 9th-Speakers-Col. McLeod, M. P. Rev. G. C. Warren.

At Harvey Station, Public Hal Oct. 10th-

Speakers-Judge Wilson, R. B. Hanson, Esq. At New Maryland (Nasonworth), Oct. 10th-

Speakers-J. Bacon Dickson, Esq. Prof. Stiles, Rev. Mr. Lewis.

At Marysville, Oct. 11th-Speakers— The Bishop, Hon. O. S. Crocket.

At Pokiok, Public Hall, Oct. 11

Speakers— R. W. McLellan, Esq. C. D. Richards, Esq.

Hall, Oct. 12th-

Speakers-Hon. J. H. Barry, J. J. F. Winslow, Esq. Other Meetings will be announced

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