

RETURNS FOR LATE ELECTION ARE COMPLETE

UNIONIST MAJORITY IN YORK-SUNBURY IS 3,864

N. W. Brown Received More Soldier Votes From France Than From Britain and Canada.

High Sheriff J. B. Hawthorne of this city, returning officer for York-Sunbury in the recent Federal election, has received from Mr. W. F. O'Connor, General Returning Officer for Canada, the complete returns for the election, including both civilian and military vote. By the returns the Unionist candidate, Col. H. F. McLeod, received a majority of 3,864. The military vote was overwhelmingly in favor of the Unionist candidate. Mr. N. W. Brown received 73 of the soldiers' votes. One feature of this vote was that Mr. Brown received more votes from the troops in France than from those in Canada and the British Isles, the figures being respectively 45 and 28.

The returns are as follows:

Under Part III. of the Dominion Elections Act.	5,922	3,020
Under Part IV. of the Dominion Elections Act—		
Within North America.	176	11
Within the United Kingdom.	442	17
On the continent of Europe.	417	45
	6,957	3,093



His Honour the Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Pugsley will be at home at the Queen Hotel during the Session of the Legislature on the afternoon of Wednesday, from four to six o'clock.

R. S. BARKER,
Private Secretary.
Fredericton, N. B., March 8, 1918.

English Mails.

Some English mail arrived in the city yesterday, a steamer carrying the mail, having docked at St. John on Sunday.

City Printing Contract.

The contract for city printing has been cancelled and awarded to the McMurray Book & Stationery Co., Ltd., their tender being the lowest.

Property Transfer.

Mrs. J. H. Dickson has disposed of her fine residence on St. John street to Mr. A. A. Shute, who will take possession on May 1st. Mrs. Dickson has rented the house at present occupied by Mr. Shute.

Clock at Auction.

The grandfather's clock donated by Mrs. R. FitzRandolph to the Daughters of the Empire for patriotic purposes will be sold at public auction in the assembly chamber of the Legislative Building on Thursday afternoon, March 21st, at 4.30 o'clock.

Ran Crochet Hook in Hand.

Mrs. William M. Clark met with a painful accident on Saturday last, running a crochet hook some distance into one of her hands. The accident occurred at her home, Brunswick street and a doctor had to be summoned to cut the hook out.

Vocational Training.

The committee on vocational training appointed by the Legislature will meet in the public accounts committee room of the Parliament Building tomorrow morning. The committee has completed much work and will have a report to submit to the House this session.

1869 A Cold One.

Says the Caribou River correspondent of the Pictou Advocate: "We are often asked if we remember such a cold, steady winter as this, and so much snow. If we remember aright, the year 1869 was something similar to this one. That year Halifax harbor was frozen over and your scribe walked over from the Dartmouth side to Halifax Dockyard in company with Rev. Mr. Stewart of Lawrence town. That winter the snow fell two weeks before Christmas and never broke up till the last week in March, and was very cold all winter."

ANOTHER NOTE

Received Today.

Fredericton, N. B., Mar. 19, 1918.
Mr. George Y. Dibble, Fredericton.
Dear Sir: My wife and I have been very much interested in following the diplomatic notes between your firm and High Cost Living.

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Yours for the pennies,
A. ORDINARY MANN.
George Y. Dibble,
The Rexall Store.

ALBERT EMACK DIES FROM SCALDS AT BOSTON

A FORMER RESIDENT OF SOUTH DEVON

In Business as Taxidermist in This City for Some Years—Widow and Three Children.

Mrs. Marven L. Dunphy of Royal Road this morning received a telegram from Boston informing her that her brother, Albert M. Emack, died Sunday night in the Boston City Hospital as the result of being scalded at the Victor plant Sunday morning. Details of the accident are lacking. The message was from the master mechanic of the plant.

In Business Here.

The deceased was a native of South Devon and for a number of years conducted a business as a taxidermist. The business was conducted under the name of Emack Brothers for some time in South Devon and later in Fredericton. A few years ago the deceased removed to Calais, Me., where he conducted a similar business until the first of the present year when he went to Waltham, Mass., the war having reduced the number of visiting sportsmen to such an extent that his business was affected.

Surviving Relatives.

The late Mr. Emack was forty-one years of age. He is survived by a widow, formerly Miss Simms of South Devon, who is now in Waltham, three young children, two sons and a daughter, now at Calais. Two brothers and two sisters also survive, Miles D. Emack of St. John, Thomas I. Emack in England with the Canadian Expeditionary Force, Mrs. William Robinson of Brownfield, Alta., and Mrs. Marven L. Dunphy of Royal Road.

Arrangements concerning the funeral have not yet been made, but it is believed that interment will be made at Calais. Mrs. Dunphy will go there tonight. The widow is reported to be seriously ill at Waltham as the result of the shock of her husband's death.

Boston Account.

The Boston Globe of Monday has the following account of the accident: Quincy, Mar. 17.—Albert M. Emack of 45 Down street, Calais, Me., was terribly scalded this afternoon while at work at the Victory torpedo boat destroyer plant at Squantum. Emack was operating a small travelling crane which was tipped over when trying to lift too heavy a load. He was in the little cab on the crane and unable to jump when the car overturned. A big tank of hot water behind him spilled over and scalded him practically from head to foot.

He was rushed to the hospital on the grounds and given first aid treatment, later being removed to the Quincy City Hospital, where his name is on the dangerous list.

Last night Mrs. Emack, who has not seen her husband since he came here

CLOSED SEASON FOR SHAD CAUSES CONSTERNATION

FISHING PROHIBITED FOR FOUR YEARS IN THE RIVER

Fisheries Department Takes Drastic Action as Result of Report that Shad are Being Depleted.

Consternation has been caused among the residents of the St. John Valley by the announcement that a closed season for shad in the Bay of Fundy and all its tributaries has been declared by the Department of Fisheries. By Order-in-Council passed February 28th shad fishing in the Bay of Fundy and all waters tributary thereto is prohibited from the 1st of March, 1918, until the last of February, 1922. This four years' closed season will be serious for the farmers and others residing along the St. John river, who in past years have made large catches of shad.

Caused by Depletion.

The decision to impose a closed season for four years resulted from an investigation and reports that this fish was in danger of depletion. In fourteen years past there had been marked fluctuations in the catch of shad on the St. John river. Fisheries Inspector H. E. Harrison of this city, whose district extends from Kings county to Madawaska, inclusive, has kept a record of the catch for each season. In 1903 the catch amounted to 2,750 hundredweight. In the years following there was a marked falling off until in 1911 the catch was at its lowest point, 649 hundredweight for the season. Since 1911 there has been a slight recovery and in 1917 the catch was 1,148 hundredweight. This recovery has been due to the operation of a shad hatchery on the Kennebecasis and Washademoak rivers since 1914. Nevertheless the depletion has been sufficiently serious for the Department of Fisheries to take the drastic action mentioned.

Protest Expected.

A protest from fishermen along the St. John river is expected. What result it will have is problematical. The argument is being advanced that when the people are urged to save beef, bacon and wheat flour for use overseas, the time is not opportune for cutting off an important source of food supply.

Going to Ottawa.

Mayor R. B. Hanson leaves this evening on a trip to Ottawa on business connected with the city. He expects to return the latter part of the week.

to work last September, arrived at 19 Corwin street, Dorchester, where he boards, with one of their three children. Soon after her arrival she was told that her husband had met his death and she collapsed, though Mr. Emack was still alive at the hospital late tonight.

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