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HON. MR. CARVELL.

In commenting on the appointment of Hon. F. B. Carvell to the position of chairman of the Railway Commission, the St. John Globe has this to say:

"Hon. F. B. Carvell's appointment as head of the Railway Commission, to succeed Sir Henry Drayton, created Minister of Finance in succession to Sir Thomas White, is generally commended. No minister of the Union government played fairer than the Minister of Public Works. An uncompromising opponent of tory rule in the days of party government, Hon. Mr. Carvell was one of the first to advocate union as a war measure, and when given a place, a most important place, in the war government, he faced the responsibilities and the obligations of the position in the true spirit of union, sinking past differences, forgetting past prejudices and working with a mind centred on the great problems which called union government into existence. War was a very real thing to Hon. Mr. Carvell, and his administration of the great spending department of the government proved to friend and foe that his one aim was to conserve the resources of the country to do effective work in winning victory and establishing peace. From the moment he took office, Mr. Carvell thought only of the aid his department could render the country's military and naval forces. He gave little thought to the problems of the politician, but much to the problems of the soldier, and on more than one occasion his was the voice which sounded the note of caution against extravagance. He played fair, and if all his colleagues had been animated by the same high ideals and the same determination that the war was the only thing, there would have been few to criticize, few to find fault with Union government.

"Mr. Carvell's legal training and parliamentary and cabinet experience will be valuable to him in the new position to which he has been called. He should prove a worthy successor of the able men who have administered Canada's Railway Commission, but his task will be greater than theirs because of the enlarged scope of the work consequent on the decision to extend the jurisdiction to include the government's system. In Hon. Mr. Carvell's retirement from active political life, New Brunswick loses one of its outstanding parliamentary figures, but as head of the Railway Commission Hon. Mr. Carvell will find new opportunities for the application of those principles which ever made him a champion of the people's rights."

That clever and fearless sailor, Admiral Sir Percy Scott, in a recently delivered after-dinner speech, stated that when he visited the Grand Fleet in November, 1914, he found it at Scapa in an absolutely unprotected harbor, and German submarines could have gone in and sunk it any night. "If," he remarked, "the Huns had had a dozen men of the stamp of our own submarine commanders, we should now be a Hun colony. The knowledge of this will, I think, be the bitterest pill that the Huns have ever had to swallow."

Ottawa despatches intimate that Col. H. F. McLeod, M. P. for York Sunbury, will be appointed to a county

court judgeship in order to provide a seat for Sir J. D. Hazen. At the present moment there is no county court judgeship vacant in New Brunswick, and those who enjoy the acquaintance of Col. McLeod say he is not the kind to let go of a bone to grasp at a shadow. In other words, he will not resign his seat on the strength of a promise even to please a mighty man like Sir J. D. Hazen.

The National Liberal Convention opened at Ottawa this morning with a very large number of delegates in attendance. As forecasted in the despatches, Sir Lomer Gouin, premier of Quebec, and Hon. George H. Murray, Premier of Nova Scotia, were elected joint chairmen. It is expected that the selection of a Liberal chieftain will be made tomorrow afternoon. At the time of writing, it looks as if the choice would be between Hon. W. S. Fielding, Hon. George P. Graham, and Hon. Mackenzie King.

Levi Kurtz, a Pennsylvania farmer has died from the bite of a cat. He found the cat chasing his chickens and seized the animal, which buried its teeth in his hand. The would not let go and a neighbor chopped its head off. Hydrophobia developed some few weeks later and treatment at a Pasteur Institute proved unavailing.

Mr. W. F. Nickle, M. P. for Kingston, has resigned his seat in Parliament. He says that he accepted nomination as a candidate to support a union government up to the close of the war, and feels now that he has finished his work.

One of the King's horses sold by the British government after the war is now the much-prized mount of a member of Philadelphia's traffic squad. "Bugler" is pure white and is so striking in appearance that passers-by stop to admire him.

It is announced that the Dominion Parliament would meet on September 1st to ratify the peace treaty, and attend to some other important matters. A number of by-elections will be held in the meantime.

THROUGH OUR SIEVE

It is just as well to remember that even friends will wear out with constant use.

Self-esteem is the alarm clock that enables a man to rise in his own estimation.

Paddle your own canoe and you won't have to worry about the price of gasoline.

A girl never thinks of a young man as a possible husband until she begins to give him advice.

Life is one long feud with baggy-kneed trousers. Not so when our grandfathers wore knickerbockers.

This is an age of specialization. For instance, the more a man knows about poetry the less he knows about other things.

After rejecting a young man, nothing is calculated to make a girl so weary as to learn that he has married disgustingly well.

A long, lingering vacation is also asked for that most vague, hazy and indefinite of messages, "I expect him back any minute."

Some men who are worth millions get up early in the morning; others who are worth millions do not. It does not signify anything either way.

HER CHEEKS WERE BURNING

Cincinnati, Aug. 4.—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Edgell following their marriage at Marietta, O., took the first hour of their honeymoon on a fire truck. The groom is a fireman and following the ceremony his fellow-workers kidnapped the couple and with bells clanging and sirens screaming rode them all over the city.

OLD TIMERS CAME BACK HARD LAST EVENING

Shut Out the Pets 4 to 0—Both Pitchers Were in Good Form and it was a Fast Game.

The Old Timers showed true come-back style last evening when they defeated the Pets by a score of four to nothing in an interesting seven inning game. The game was a good one throughout and was featured by several good plays on both sides. The Old Timers showed pep all through the game and began their scoring in the first inning of the game when O'Ree crossed the plate with the first run of the game. Later in the third inning they added one more run and again in the fourth inning two more runs crossed the plate. The batteries were Old Timers, Williams and McDonald, Pets, Wheeler and Hall. Williams had eight strike-outs to his credit and was well supported at all times in the field. O'Ree played a good game at second base and wound up the game with a snappy double play which called for a hearty applause. Wheeler for the Pets pitched a good heady game at all times but was hard hit and this coupled with poor support let in the four runs for the Old Timers. He had ten strikeouts to his credit and allowed six hits, while Williams allowed only two hits. Charles Dougherty umpired very satisfactorily and was impartial.

The line-up was as follows:

Oldtimers	Pets
McDonald	Catcher
Williams	Pitcher
Scott	1st Base
O'Ree	2nd Base
Keenan	3rd Base
Walker	Short Stop
King	Right Field
Kitchen	Centre Field
Seely	Left Field
	Hall
	Wheeler
	Larsen
	Lifford
	Coyle
	Boyne
	Finnamore
	Allen
	Clark

DEFENDED PROHIBITION CASE TODAY

Mrs. Priscilla Cowan, the woman who received such notoriety a few days ago in connection with the Sproul murder and against whom a charge of drunkenness was laid appeared in the Police Court this morning as a witness against a local druggist, the defendant in a charge of selling liquor. The charge was laid by Fraser Saunders Assistant Chief Liquor Inspector under the Intoxicating Liquor Act of 1916. Mr. G. T. Feeney appeared for the defence and Mr. J. B. Dickson for the prosecution. Mrs. Cowan was the first witness called in the case and she stated that while she had been rooming at Long's Hotel she had obtained liquor on two occasions from a druggist without a prescription. As she was not familiar with the city she could not state where the drug store was with any accuracy except that she thought it was a corner drug store. She did not know the name of the druggist but stated that he appeared about middle-aged, fifty years old, that he was bald and was not a big man being about middle sized. When asked if she would know him again if she saw him she stated she did not know.

On coming out of a moving picture theatre she had crossed the street and walked what she considered one block to the drug store where she had obtained the liquor.

As the defendant was represented by solicitor J. B. Dickson demanded his presence at the court. The case was postponed until three o'clock this afternoon.

LOCAL NEWS

Received Fine for Violation
The local physician who was charged with having issued a prescription to a woman without having attended her as a patient came before Police Magistrate Limerick this morning and pleaded guilty to the charge. He was fined \$25.

Capt. Carter Home
Capt. Arthur N. Carter, a New Brunswick Rhodes Scholar who served in a British Regiment during the entire period of the war, arrived at Quebec yesterday on the steamer Scotian. Capt. Carter is a son of Mr. E. S. Carter of Rothesay and a grandson of the late Mr. George E. Fenety, Kings Printer.

Another Will Case
Chatham World: There promises to be a fight over the will of the late James S. Fairley, lumberman of Boiestown. The widow received only a small bequest under the will, and she has filed, through her solicitors, Slipp & Hanson of Fredericton, a caveat against its allowance, on the ground of want of capacity and undue influence. Mr. McDade is appearing for Gregory & Winslow in support of the will.

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