

## FALL CROPS HARVESTED IN GOOD WEATHER

### POTATOES SERIOUSLY REDUCED BY ROT

Turnips Well Up to the Average—Clover Seed Crop is Good and Prices High.

Excellent weather has prevailed for harvesting the fall crops. Good progress has been made in getting these crops under cover. The potato crop is practically all harvested. Reports of rot in the late potatoes have come in from all sections of the province. The percentage of rot given varies from five per cent to as high as seventy five per cent. Those who dug their crop early seem to have escaped loss from rot. The reduction in the total quantity of potatoes produced in the Province, as a result of the rot will be considerable.

#### Clover Seed Crop

The Department of Agriculture Clover Seed Huller has been operating for the past two weeks. The seed crop is turning out well. There will be quite a quantity produced in the province this year. Prospects are that the supply of seed in Canada will be scarce and the price high.

The turnip crop is being harvested and the yield is well up to the average.

#### Dairy Cattle in Demand

Dairy cattle are reported in demand and selling at a good price, grade cows bringing from \$75.00 to \$90.00. The demand for young pigs is poor. The high price of feed is the reason for this.

#### Rink for Mt. Allison

Sackville Post: There is talk of Mt. Allison building a rink this fall for the college students.

#### At Bebbington's

Squash, pumpkins, celery, parsley, smilax sprays, chrysanthemums. Nice ferns and other plants at Bebbington's Gardens.

#### Returned From Trip

City Clerk G. R. Perkins and party have returned from a short motor trip to St. John where they spent several days.

#### Premier Goes to Montreal

Premier Foster left St. John last night for Montreal where he has an appointment with the Prudential Trust Company to take up matters connected with the Valley Railway.

#### Property Transfer

Mr. John Webster formerly of Alaska now of Kingsclear has purchased the residence of Mr. T. W. Sanson on George Street the price being in the vicinity of \$2500. Mr. Webster will move in around the first of next month.

#### Has Removed to Ontario

Rev. Mr. Brown has closed his work at Keswick and has removed to Ontario. His removal is sincerely regretted by the Baptist churches on the Keswick field. His new address is 144 Barrie Street, Kingston, Ont.

#### Re-organization Meeting

Mr. A. S. McAllister, Territorial Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of Halifax is in the city today making arrangements for the re-organization meeting of the local Y. M. C. A. which takes place this evening.

#### Representing Pension Board

Mr. J. E. McLatchey of the North Shore is in the City today representing the Pension Board looking into several applications for pensions. Mr. McLatchey was stationed in this city with the 28th Battery in the spring of 1915.

#### Motorist Paid Damages

A motorist who appeared before Sitting Magistrate E. Allison McKay on Tuesday charged with speeding was fined ten dollars. He was also asked to pay the damages which he had caused by running into a youth on a bicycle and smashing the wheel.

#### Saw Two Moose

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Palmer of this city while motoring from St. John early this week came upon a bull moose and a cow, the animals stood in the middle of the road and were so tame that the car had to be stopped to avoid a collision.

#### Successful Sportsman

Capt. John S. Scott returned last evening from a successful hunting trip after big game at Porcupine Brook near Tracey Station. He was out three days with Mr. Frank Bunker and shot a fine moose and also a buck deer. The deer was knocked over by Capt. Scott at a distance of three hundred yards. Capt. Scott made the trip to and from Tracey in his car and was absent from home just three days.

## MORE INTEREST IN THE CAMPAIGN IS REQUIRED

### VICTORY LOAN AGENTS ATTENDED A DINNER

Addresses by the Sub-District Chairman and Secretary, Also by the District Organizer.

In all about twenty canvassers were in attendance at the Victory Loan banquet which was held today to complete the organization. A splendid dinner was served after which addresses were given by R. W. McLellan the chairman, Dr. D. W. Roberts and J. M. Robertson the District Organizer.

#### R. W. McLellan

Mr. McLellan referred to the fact that the publicity part of the campaign including the circulating of posters and other reading matter was completed and that the public meetings in aid of the campaign would begin with the first of the week in the various parts of the two counties.

Dr. D. W. Roberts then gave a short address dwelling upon the necessity of the canvassers keeping in touch with the local office when in need of supplies. He stated that all matter with reference to the Victory Loan was carried through the post offices free of charge.

#### J. M. Robinson

J. M. Robinson the District Organizer reviewed the work done in the previous campaign and set before the canvassers the present one should come up to it if it did not exceed expectations. Fredericton and York County would have to wake up and make every effort possible or else the campaign would be a failure which would react in great proportion, upon local business. He reviewed the objects of the Victory Loan appeals and contrasted the work of York County with that of Charlotte County stating that so far not enough interest was being taken in the campaign by the canvassers.

#### To Be Tried on 28th

His Honor Judge Barry will preside at the sitting of the Court of King's Bench which will be held in this city beginning October 28th, Tuesday next and at which Werner Horn will appear on the charge of dynamiting the C.P.R. bridge across the St. Croix River. Horn was sent up for trial by Sitting Magistrate E. Allison McKay yesterday afternoon. Horn's defence will be that as a German he was committing an act of warfare on British soil when he dynamited the St. Croix bridge on February 2nd, 1915.

## ILLUSTRATION FARMS FOR DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE

### A REPRESENTATIVE HERE IN THAT CONNECTION

Intended to Have Twelve in Operation by Next Spring—Seed is to be Supplied.

Mr. John Fixter of Ottawa representing the Dominion Department of Agriculture interviewed Hon. J. F. Tweeddale, Minister of Agriculture and Mr. E. P. Bratt, Deputy Minister, yesterday on the matter of establishing illustration farms throughout New Brunswick under a system which has been recently proposed by the Federal Department.

The proposition is that the Federal Department provide selected seed for the farmers whose farms may be selected, that seed to be sown beside the seed ordinarily used by the farmers so that the result in the crops will be plainly observable. The farms will be located on main roads so the largest possible number of people may observe the results of the experiments.

The intention is that twelve farms will be in operation by next spring and eventually one in every parish.

#### Married at Devon

The United Baptist Parsonage at Devon was the scene of a pretty wedding last evening when Mr. Herbert D. Banks of Devon and Miss Ada McGuire, daughter of Mr. James McGuire of this city were united in marriage by Rev. H. H. Ferguson. The happy young couple left today for Fairfield, Me., where they will reside.

#### Tourist Team Defeated

The "Shoe-Shiners Union" defeated the "Tourist Team" at the Palace Bowling Alleys last evening by a margin of 98 pins in a five-string match. The teams were as follows: "Shoe-Shiners Union", Searles, Pederson, Ring, Smith, and Edney—total 2337; "Tourists" Garvey, Keirstead, Powers Paynter and Staples, 2239.

#### Visiting Old Home

Rev. H. M. Manzer, pastor of the field at Southampton, N. S., with his wife and son, passed through this city recently. He is spending some weeks of vacation in this province, for the most of the time at his old home near Millville. Rev. Mr. Manzer formerly resided in Marysville. He is a graduate of U. N. B.

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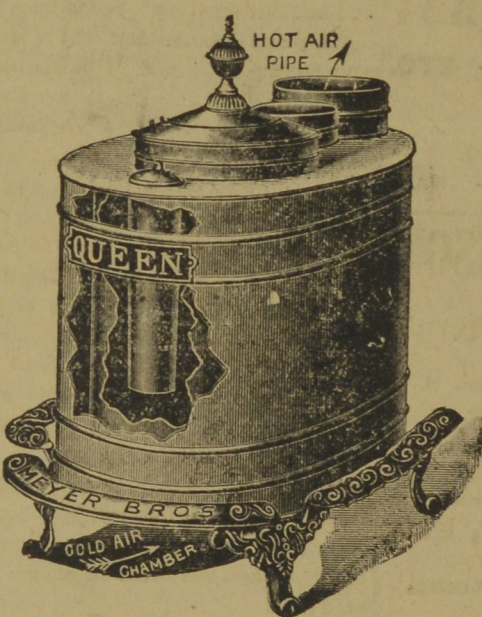
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