

## SUPERVISOR SELECTED FOR PLAYGROUND

**F. O. STREDDER OF  
HALIFAX TO COME**

**Has Had Experience in Similar  
Work—Drive for \$1,000  
to be Held on the  
17th May.**

A meeting was held at Christ-church Parish House last evening of the committee of men chosen by the Older Boys' Organization United to consider the appointment of an athletic supervisor to direct the activities in connection with the public athletic field to be established at the race course. Those present at the meeting were the representative men of the various churches including H. A. Smith, R. S. Barker, W. T. Gerald, R. H. Wickett, F. J. Patterson, W. E. McMullen, W. R. Belyea. Only one member of the committee A. J. Wheeler was absent.

### Halifax Man

After a considerable discussion it was decided that Mr. F. O. Stredder assistant of the Y. M. C. A. Boys' Work for the Maritime Provinces, who has been engaged under the direction of Rev. Lou. Buckley, would be given the position. Mr. Stredder will begin his duties on June 1st to continue during the summer months ending with August.

### Drive May 17th.

A committee of W. E. McMullen, R. S. Barker and W. R. Belyea was appointed by the boys to look after the publicity end of the organization. It was decided that the campaign for funds would be started on May 17th the objective being \$1000. The committee will later make an official announcement showing the public how the money has been expended. The hearty support of the citizens of Fredericton will without doubt be given the boys in their campaign for funds when they recall the time when they themselves were youths.

### Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tracy, of Church street, Fredericton, announce the engagement of their daughter, Florence Leona Tracy, to Edward Leslie McFarlane, of Nashwaakisis, York Co.

### Horse Running Loose

This morning between two and three o'clock a horse was found wandering on King Street evidently disturbed by the change in time. It was put in Camp's livery stable over night and this morning was claimed by H. W. Estabrooks.

### One Armed Bowler Won

About thirty-five bowlers took part in the weekly roll-off at the Palace Bowling Alleys last evening. Stillwell, a one-armed bowler won the roll-off with a total pinfall of 274 followed by Capt. Roxborough with a total of 270. Duncan came third with a total of 269.

### Held Meeting Last Evening

A meeting of the collectors for the improvement on the Methodist Church building was held last evening and the committees showed very satisfactory results, although the sum of \$15,000 has not yet been reached. The soliciting for this purpose will be carried on until the expected results have been attained.

### A Thrifty Hen

A lady resident of Northumberland street is the owner of a hen which in addition to being some class as a chicken producer knows how to steer clear of an unlucky number. Early in April the hen became broody and was put on the job with thirteen eggs. One day last week she surprised her owner by emerging from the nest with a brood of fourteen chickens.

### Horse Had to be Shot

A black mare owned by Mr. Alex. Gibson, ex-M. P. of Marysville becoming frightened by a car last night ran away on King Street and dashed out Westmorland Street and down Queen. On turning the corner of Queen Street she slipped and broke her leg against the curbing in front of the Grand Hotel. The animal was then taken down to the river bank where it was shot by the Chief of Police.

### Preparations for Presbyterian Synod

A joint meeting of the Trustees and Session of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church was held at the Fraser Memorial Hall last evening to discuss preparations for the holding of the Maritime Presbyterian Synod in October. The Moderator, the chairman and the Secretary of the Trustee Board were appointed a committee to meet with the ladies of the various societies to determine on special arrangements. Other matters were casually referred to but no definite stand was taken regarding them.

## DAYLIGHT SAVING DEFEATED IN PLEBISCITE; WORSE CONFUSION THAN EVER OVER TIME QUESTION

**City Hall Clock Changed at Midnight Without Adequate Public Notice—Public Schools in Great Confusion, but Will Adhere to Daylight Saving Time Till School Board Acts—Provincial Offices Not on Uniform Time—Merchants Still to Decide—Will Meet Tomorrow Night.**

"Confusion worse confounded" resulted this morning when the civic time was changed back to Atlantic Standard time after being one hour in advance of that under Daylight Saving. The City Hall clock was set back at midnight last night as the result of the vote against Daylight Saving here yesterday but as no public notice of the change was given there was continual confusion today which probably will continue for some time.

### Schools Hard Hit

The public schools were particularly hard hit this morning pupils and teachers being equally confused in regard to time. The result of the confusion was that the secretary of the School Board announced officially at noon that this afternoon's session would be on Daylight Saving time and that until the School Board should meet and decide upon the matter tomorrow Daylight Saving time would be followed.

### Retail Merchants Undecided

The executive of the Retail Merchants' Association met this morning at the City Hall and discussed the time question. It was decided that the members of the association will continue on Daylight Saving time until a decision is reached at a meeting of all retail merchants Wednesday night.

### Some Have Made Change

The picture houses announced this morning that they would at once adopt Atlantic Standard time in accordance with the wish expressed at the polls. Some of the banks also changed time today and it is likely that all will do so eventually.

### Confusion in Provincial Offices

At the provincial government offices there was confusion this morning. Some were on Daylight Saving time and others had changed to the former time although no official instructions to make the change had been received. The Provincial government will meet in St. John tomorrow and a decision on the matter of official time is expected to be reached then.

### Adhering to Daylight Time

The wholesale merchants, the newspapers, the hotels and businesses

connected directly with the railways all are adhering to Daylight Saving time. The Eastern Standard Daylight time now in force on the C. P. R. is two hours earlier than the Atlantic Standard time which is now official Fredericton time. The Atlantic Standard Daylight time in force on the C. N. R. is one hour earlier.

The majority of factories and mills in and about Fredericton did not run on Daylight Saving time and will not have to make a change.

### Facts Shown by Polling

The fact that there were 538 ballots cast including those of 131 soldiers who voted under the legislation recently passed shows that many persons did not trouble to go to the polls. At the Court House the majority for the old time was only 13 showing that opinion was evenly divided in the eastern section of the city. At the City Hall the majority was 115 of which 75 was from the military poll. The soldiers voted strongly against Daylight Saving and organized labor opposed it also being the principal cause of the plebiscite. With these two elements of the vote taken out it looks as if the majority of the other voters were for Daylight Saving.

The result by polls was as follows:

| City Hall   |     | For Against |  |
|-------------|-----|-------------|--|
| A to F      | 60  | 76          |  |
| G to Mc     | 49  | 74          |  |
| N to Z      | 65  | 64          |  |
| Soldiers    | 28  | 103         |  |
|             | 202 | 317         |  |
| Court House |     |             |  |
| A to F      | 54  | 62          |  |
| G to Mc     | 51  | 59          |  |
| N to Z      | 48  | 45          |  |
|             | 153 | 166         |  |
| Total       | 355 | 483         |  |

### Speeding Case Up

The case of the young man who was summoned for speeding came up at 2.15 this afternoon before Police Magistrate Limerick.



## No One Can Tell

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