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BUILDING ROADS

The Halifax Recorder in commenting on the announcement made by Hon. H. H. Wickwire in the Nova Scotia Legislature a time ago that it was proposed to expend thirteen million dollars on the roads of the province, has this to say:

"The Government is to be commended for frankly facing the situation and deciding to carry out the elaborate programme set forth by the Minister. There is no question at present before the people that compares in importance with that of our public highways. They are needed by the farmer to market his products. They are needed by the fishermen, they are needed by the city in order that the farmer may bring his supplies to town. They are needed by the railways to bring the products to the depots which load the trains that make the money for the railway owners. They are needed for the pleasure-seekers, and for the health-seekers, and in this regard it may be said that tourists would come by thousands where they now come by hundreds and the province would reap a vast harvest if the drive-ways of the province were in a first-class condition. No greater stroke of statesmanship could be delivered than that of making every part of the province easy of approach to Summer tourists."

A CAPABLE MINISTER

Hon. Dr. Roberts, Minister of Health contributed an excellent speech to the budget debate in the Legislature yesterday. The Minister presented his views on a number of matters of great importance and strongly urged the people of the province to back up the port of St. John in its efforts to secure fair play from the Federal authorities. He also took occasion to explain in detail the splendid work being accomplished by the Department of Public Health and ably defended it from the attacks of critics. His speech was one of the best and best considered which the House has had the pleasure of listening to during the present session. Hon. Dr. Roberts is one of the members of the Legislature who is striving earnestly to serve the people and better the conditions of life in this province and his work is attracting attention all over Canada. It is gratifying to know that New Brunswick is setting a pace for the other provinces of Canada in the campaign on behalf of public health.

Mr. Sutton of Woodstock was one of the speakers on the budget in the House yesterday and as usual was listened to with interest. Mr. Sutton was a member of the Committee appointed to investigate the matter of teachers' salaries and naturally he had a good word to say on behalf of the members of that useful and hard working profession. He indulged in some criticism of the government's policy, but it was of a mild nature, and he got by with some state agents which had their emanated from another might have been challenged. Mr. Sutton is one of the most popular of the opposition back benchers and is always listened to with interest.

Although the Legislature has been in session less than three weeks the work seems to be well advanced. Nearly all the private bills and most of the important government legislation has been brought down. The budget debate is now in progress and when that is completed there will be a big drive on the legislative program. St. John bills, always a bone of contention are engaging the attention of the committee on Corporations this week.

The collapse of the newly formed Eastern Canneries Company has created quite a sensation in this locality and is being much discussed. At the approaching meeting of creditors a statement should be given out showing what percentage was allowed on stock sales, and how much the concern had to pay for the publicity it received from a portion of the press in this city. There are a lot of stories in circulation and an effort ought to be made to clear the atmosphere.

London Free Press: Canada has a bank to every 2847 people, and a church to every 500. The worship of the "golden calf" is not so absorbing as some persons suppose.

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OVER 28 YEARS

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HUGH ALWARD
DIES SUDDENLY
AT HALIFAX

Deceased a Graduate of U. N. B. and Lighthouse Inspector
—Details of Death Unknown.

A telegram from Halifax announced the sudden death at that place last night of Mr. Hugh Alward, a son of the late Abram Alward of this city. The despatch contained no particulars other than to state that his death had been sudden. The deceased for some years had been light house inspector for the Department of Marine. He was about forty years of age and unmarried. Besides his mother he is survived by three brothers and two sisters. They are Harry F. Alward, solicitor of the C. N. R. Montreal, Mrs. O. B. Stopford of Calgary, Miss Lena at home and Lee and Roy in the west. The deceased was a graduate of the University of New Brunswick taking the degree of B. A. in 1903 and that of B. A. I. two years later. Shortly after graduation he was appointed to the Department of Marine taking a position in the Lighthouse Branch. For some years he had made Halifax his headquarters.

Was An Ex-Councillor.

The late Mr. George Ebbett, whose death at the Barony has been recorded, was a former member of the York County Council, being the colleague of Ex-Warden John Scott of this city. He was returned to the board by acclamation on the retirement of the late Mr. David P. Gilman and represented the parish for five years. Mr. Ebbett was the next door neighbor of Mr. John Anderson, ex-M. P. P., now in his 99th year, and they had been close friends for many years.

A Useful Member.

Hon. John P. Burchill, of Northumberland is the senior member of the Legislature having been first elected to that body thirty-eight years ago. He is a hard worker and his long experience in legislative business makes him one of the most useful members of the House. Mr. Burchill is chairman of the committee of standing rules and also of the committee on corporations, two of the most important committees of the House. He is always on the job and keeps the work of his committees moving along steadily.

Minto Situation.

That the coal operators of the Minto district are likely to grant recognition of the union and substantial wage increases without the mediation of a conciliation board, is the belief expressed by Robert Baxter, district president, who has returned to Sydney. Should this expectation not be realized, however, the U. M. W. will apply to the government for the appointment of the board similar to those which have already considered wage questions at Sydney, Glace Bay, New Glasgow, Sydney Mines and Inverness. A decision one way or another is expected in about four days.

PERSONAL.

Woodstock Press: Mrs. Coels W. Dugan left on Saturday for Fredericton where she will spend a week or more with friends.

Rev. F. L. Carney returned from St. John last night.

J. L. Neville was in St. John on business yesterday.

W. R. Fraser was in St. John yesterday.

Fisheries Inspector H. E. Harrison returned from Hampton last night.

When Earth's scientists say "hello" to Mars by means of signals from a smoke barrage what assurance have they that Mars will not think the message is "goodbye".

HON. DR. ROBERTS
REVIEWS WORK

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out supervision unless under Health Service. Unhealthy housing was probably as frequent in country districts as in towns. In New Brunswick the racial character was as necessary in one as in the other.

A matter of importance was the scarcity of physicians. That had been very noticeable in the epidemics of 1918 and 1919. Six of seven enquiries had stated that there was not a physician within thirty-five miles. He had considered the problem and believed he had reached a solution. As a member of the Federal Department of Health Advisory Board he intended at the next meeting to ask that body to memorialize the medical universities throughout Canada, asking the Deans to receive from each province a list of areas at present without physicians describing area, character of population, industries, and probable value to a physician. Such list would furnish medical graduates with information of value in establishing a practice. Only the day before he had had the pleasure of meeting the Dean of Toronto University Medical School, Dr. C. K. Clark, who had warmly approved of the suggestion. The scarcity of nurses also formed a problem. Some time ago he had attended a meeting in St. John at which a force of 100 volunteer nurses had been organized. When a call came for their services, however it was found that the number was not sufficient to meet the demand. It was surprising what one Victorian Nurse could do in a community, and there should be one in every parish. In the city of St. John as in other places a strict supervision of the city water supply was being maintained weekly by the Department. The milk supply in various places, also, was being watched by Sub-District Boards. It being six o'clock the Speaker left the chair to resume at 8 p. m.

Another thing that hits the family purse is the custom of the high school girl of dressing as if she were going to an exclusive social function instead of to a place of work and study.

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LECTURE TONIGHT

DR. FRED E. BURDEN to Lecture in Assembly Hall of Provincial Normal School This Evening.

Through the efforts of Mr. Fred Magee, M. L. A., the Minister of Health has been able to secure the services of Dr. Burden of Moncton to give his illustrated lecture "Some Dental Items of Interest" before the students of the Normal School in their Assembly Hall. This should be of great interest at this particular time to the citizens of Fredericton. A cordial invitation is extended to them to be present.

The Honorable Dr. Roberts will be present and introduce the Speaker. The lecture will begin sharp at eight o'clock.

NOTICE

The Board of Assessors of Taxes for the City of Fredericton in the present year hereby require all persons liable to be rated, forthwith to furnish to the Assessors true statements of all their Real Estate, Personal Estate and Income, and hereby give Notice that blank forms, on which statements may be furnished under the Assessment Law, can be obtained at the office of the Assessors and that such statement must be perfected under oath and filed in the office of the Assessors within thirty days of the day of this notice.

Dated this 31st day of March, A. D. 1920.

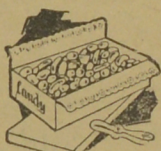
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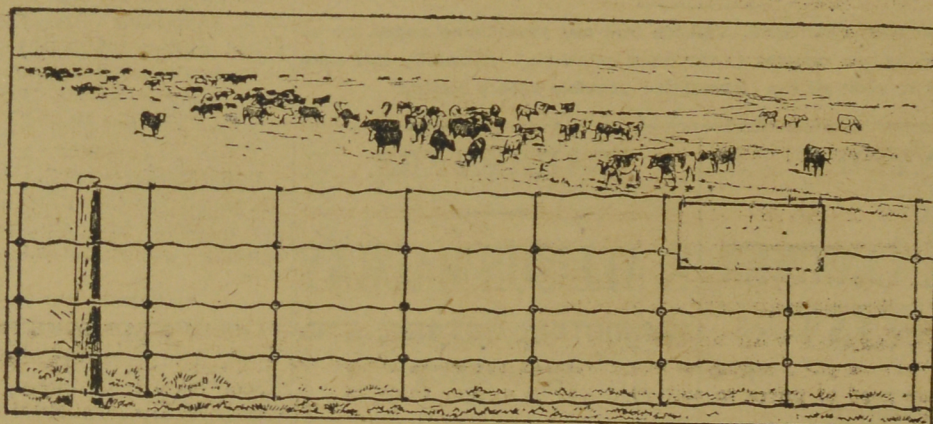
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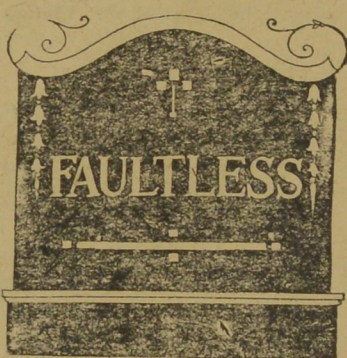
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Notice is hereby given that a bill will be presented to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next session thereof to incorporate the Union Church at McAdam, N. B. The object of the said Act is to incorporate the religious body now known as the Union Church, situate at McAdam, in the County of York.

Dated this 31st day of March, A. D. 1920.
J. D. P. LEWIN,
Solicitor for Applicants.

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THE GAIETY TODAY and
THURSDAY

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