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sings its way into the heart of beginner and artist.

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**MASON & RISCH PIANO****J. Clark & Son, Ltd.****MEIGHEN, BEATTY, THORNTON AND  
CRERAR ARE VERY OPTIMISTIC IN  
REGARD TO THE FUTURE OF CANADA**

Toronto, Jan. 1.—All phases of Canadian financial business, industrial, mining, forest and agricultural activity are reviewed by prominent Canadian and world financial men in the annual financial surveys issued by both The Globe and The Mail and Empire of this city. Government finances of the Dominion and all of the Provinces of the Dominion are all subjects of review by leading members of the legislatures and the House of Commons.

Writing in the Mail and Empire, Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, leader of the Federal Conservatives, recalls the late Sir Wilfrid Laurier's remark that the twentieth century would belong to

of new track during 1925, but other works, such as a new pier at Vancouver, made necessary by greater Canadian trade with the Orient, two new vessels on the British Columbia Coastal Service, lining the Connaught tunnel, and enlarging hotels, were gone ahead with at a large expenditure. He mentions these things in connection with the valuable and ever-increasing tourist traffic.

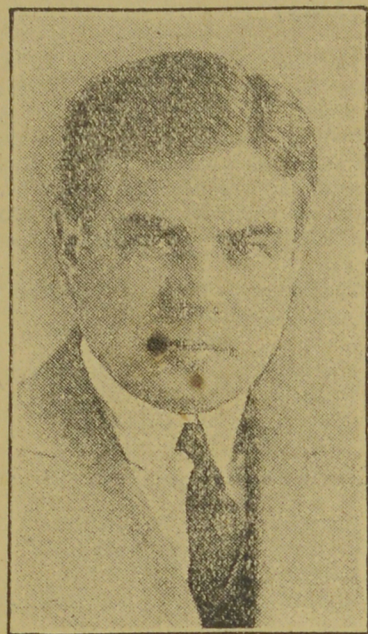
**Impetus Awaited.**

Commenting on the Canadian situation in general, Mr. Beatty says: "It will probably come to be seen that for the past two or three years we have been erecting a new and sounder foundation for our future economic growth that as a country, we have learned some of those economic lessons that adverse conditions have forced to our attention and that, finally aided by a bountiful crop and by slow but sure betterment of overseas markets for our products, which have combined to increase the monetary wealth of the country, we have come to a position where we await some impetus to revivify our domestic trade."

The impetus, Mr. Beatty sees in filling up the great vacant spaces with people and then commerce will flow as it did in pre-war days.

**Thornton Optimistic.**

Sir Henry Thornton maintains a very optimistic outlook upon the future of Canada, and within it of the railways. He delves into history for comparisons with the United States and all are favorable to Canada. He states that as far as Canada is concerned, he is a super-optimist and quotes figures in support of his optimism. From 1901 to 1911 Canada, he says, increased its population by 34.1 per cent, which was the equal of any



MR. E. W. BEATTY, K. C.

Canada. "Although a quarter of the century has gone by without too great progress having been made, there is still ample time for the fulfillment of Sir Wilfrid's prophecy in the greatest degree," says Mr. Meighen. In two decades, he writes, Canada should double its present population.

**Lack of Unity.**

The most dangerous of Canadian weaknesses, as Mr. Meighen sees it, is a lack of real unity.

"Too many Canadians deceive themselves by believing they are thinking in terms of Canada when in reality they are thinking only in terms of their own province or district."

Mr. Meighen states the two biggest problems, in his opinion, are an insufficiency of work and high taxation. With these solved all others, including the railway problem, would disappear.

"Let us banish suspicion, let us work together, race with race, province with province, and achieve again in our time a triumph such as that which crowned the efforts of our fathers two generations ago," he appeals in conclusion.

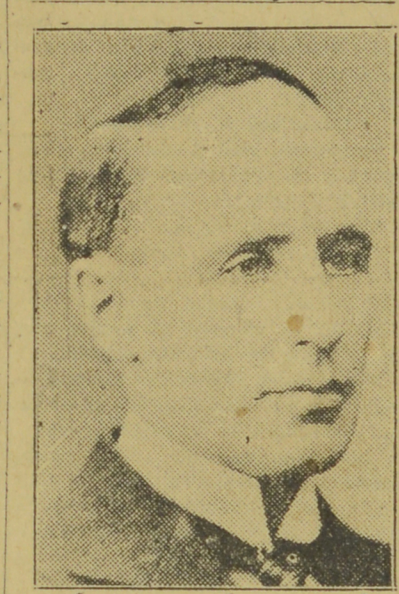
**Crerar Writes of West.**

Hon. T. A. Crerar, president of the United Grain Growers, Limited, writing in the Globe says: "Western Canada has had in 1925, from the point of view of income, the most successful financial year of its history, if we may credit to that year the proceeds from its crop which yet remain to be collected. This following the two previous years of satisfactory progress, is putting western Canada on a sound financial footing."

The railways are dealt with in both papers by Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railways, and E. W. Beatty, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

**Tells of Expansion.**

Mr. Beatty states that, while there has been little railway extension during the year, it does not mean that there was no development. The Canadian Pacific Railway laid only 73 miles



HON. ARTHUR MEIGHEN.

like era in the United States. From 1911 to 1921 Canada's increase was 21.95 per cent as against 14.9 in the United States and this in spite of the Great War. Canada with 9,000,000 people today had a greater export trade than the United States had when it had 76,000,000 people in 1899. From August, 1924, to August, 1925, the per capita export trade was \$125 as against \$37 for the United States. Canada's best years are ahead, declares Sir Henry.

**DAL TEAM IS  
BEATEN AGAIN**

Charlottetown, Jan. 1.—Dalhousie University hockey team suffered the second defeat in two days at the hands of the Abegweits when the local team won from the Halifax Collegians 5 to 2 in an exhibition game played here this afternoon.

He—You are a singular girl.  
She—Well, you can alter that.

**PREMIER BAXTER THINKS TIDE  
HAS TURNED IN MARITIMES**

"I feel that the tide has turned and is now settling definitely toward the Maritime Provinces. Never before has there been such extended and sympathetic interest in our problems. Both spoken and printed propaganda has brought about a complete change of sentiment, or, rather, has awakened a real Canadian sentiment which hitherto was dormant in its expression. To this result, no small share of credit must be given The Telegraph-Journal and The Times-Star.

"We need more, however, and in my judgment it is necessary for the people of this province to cooperate in stimulating—through immigration and the finding of markets—the great agricultural opportunities which are here at our doors. Add to this the promotion of tourist travel and a development of industry which is certain to come and we may count on 1926 as the beginning of a new and bountiful era."

—JOHN B. M. BAXTER.

**CHURCH SERVICES**

St. Paul's United (Presbyterian)  
Rev. J. S. Sutherland, D. D., Minister.  
Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.  
Sunday School at 2.30 p. m.

Wilmot United (Methodist)  
11.00 a. m. Rev. Dr. Weddall will  
preach. 7.00 p. m. The Pastor will  
preach. Subject "An Open Door". Sun-  
day School 2.30 p. m. Lord's Supper  
after evening service. Rev. F. H.  
Holmes, M. A., Pastor. A welcome to  
all.

Brunswick Street Baptist Church  
Rev. Gordon C. Warren, B. D., pas-  
tor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.  
Communion at the evening service.  
Sunday School and Men's Class at 2.30  
p. m.

George Street Baptist Church  
Rev. I. A. Corbett, B. D., pastor  
Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.  
School with Bible Classes at 2.30  
p. m. Prayer meeting 10 a. m. Every-  
body welcome.

**P. A. P. B. ELECTION.**

Gibson Lodge, No. 37 Elected Officers  
New Year's Eve—Installation on  
January 14th.

The election of officers of Gibson  
Lodge, No. 37, Protestant Association  
of 'Prentice Boys, of Devon was held  
New Year's Eve. The installation will  
take place on the 14th. Loney Thor-  
nton was elected Worshipful Master.

The slate of officers and committees  
is as follows:—

W. M.—Loney Thornton.  
D. M.—Maurice Boyd.  
Chaplain—Fred Haines.  
Rec. Sec.—Douglas Quarterman.  
Fin. Sec.—Wm. Flowers.  
Treasurer—Roy S. Hughey.  
D. of C.—Fred Drillen.  
I. T.—Norman Morehouse.  
O. T.—Howard Doitovan.  
Standing Committee—Henry Boyd,  
chairman, Fred Haines, Fred Drillen,  
Wm. Flowers, Guy Dunbar.  
Auditing Committee, Wm. Flowers,  
Henry Boyd and Guy Dunbar.

Now that the excitement is over  
with all readers, friends and  
enemies, a merry time between  
Christmases.

Reggie—Isn't this a wonderful  
floor for dancing.  
Cleo (after being stepped on all  
evening)—Then why don't you use  
it.

**City Election**

THE ELECTION FOR MAYOR AND  
ALDERMEN FOR THE CITY  
OF FREDERICTON

For the ensuing year will be held on

**MONDAY**

the 11th day of January  
1926

at the Polling Places as follows:

DIVISION NO. 1.—For all voters resid-  
ing or owning property above the  
northwest centre line of Carleton  
street, prolonged, at or near the City  
Hall, in the said City.

DIVISION NO. 2.—For all voters resid-  
ing or owning property in the re-  
mainder of the said City, at or near  
the County Court House, in the said  
City.

**NOMINATIONS**

Every candidate for the office of  
Mayor or Aldermen shall be qualified  
to vote at the election for which he is  
nominated and shall be nominated  
by at least TWO ratepayers residing  
in the City of Fredericton, and qual-  
ified to vote at the ensuing election for  
which such candidate is nominated.

Every nomination paper, with the  
certificate of the City Treasurer, shall  
be filed with the City Clerk or at his  
office, and not later than FOUR  
O'CLOCK on the Afternoon of MON-  
DAY, THE FOURTH DAY OF JANU-  
ARY, 1926, and the City Clerk, before  
receiving such nomination paper, shall  
ascertain from the same that the re-  
quirements of the Election Act have  
been complied with.

No candidate is qualified to be  
nominated for Alderman unless at the  
time of nomination he is a resident of  
the Ward for which he is nominated.

The acceptance of each candidate  
and the signatures of at least TWO  
resident qualified voters, who must  
sign the nomination paper, shall be  
proved by affidavit attached to the  
nomination.

In case of a contest, each elector  
shall be entitled to vote for ONE  
candidate for Mayor, for ONE candidate  
for Alderman for Wellington Ward, for  
ONE candidate for Alderman for St.  
Ann's Ward, for ONE candidate for  
Alderman for Carleton Ward, for ONE  
candidate for Alderman for Queen's  
Ward and for ONE candidate for Al-  
derman for Kings Ward.

Dated this 26th day of December,  
A. D. 1925.

C. FRED CHESTNUT,  
City Clerk.

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| Men's Work Shirts                                   | - | \$1.25 to \$2.25      |
| Men's Wool Sox                                      | - | 35, 50 and 75 cents   |
| Neckwear, Gloves, Braces, Collars and Muff-<br>lers | - |                       |
| Men's Winter Underwear                              | - | 75c, \$1, \$1.25, \$5 |
| Sweaters, Mackinaw Shirts and Mackinaw<br>Coats     | - |                       |
| Handkerchiefs                                       | - | 10c to 75c            |
| Ladies' Hosiery                                     | - | .50 to \$1.50         |
| Corsets   | - | .98 to \$3.00         |
| Ladies' Fancy Umbrellas                             | - | \$2.50 to \$4.75      |

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