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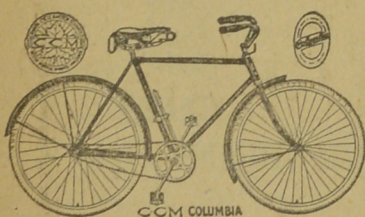
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## FINANCE MINISTER DECLARES THAT LEGISLATION CALLING FOR CUT IN AUTO DUTIES WILL PASS

Ottawa, April 28—Hon. J. A. Robb, Minister of Finance, told a large delegation of automobile parts manufacturers, this afternoon, that there would be no change in the reductions of tariff on automobiles provided for in the budget.

"We are going to put this legislation through and if anybody thinks we can't get it through, I am not afraid of the issue," said Mr. Robb.

The minister denied that it was the desire of the government to injure the manufacturers of automobiles or parts in Canada. It was the intention of the government to assist these manufacturers in developing the export trade and he thought that the reduction would have this effect.

McLaughlin Statement.

Mr. Robb referred to a visit which he said he had paid to Toronto during the early part of March to consult with motor car manufacturers. On that occasion, R. S. McLaughlin, President of the General Motors Limited, of Ottawa, had declared as follows:

"If you change those duties at all, I'll close the doors of my factory."

"I replied to him that he could not get away with that kind of bluff," Mr. Robb told the delegation. The other manufacturers present had taken a more reasonable view of the matter and he had discussed it at some length with them, the minister said.

T. A. Russell, President of the Automotive Industries of Canada, denied that Mr. McLaughlin had made the statement attributed to him by Mr. Robb.

"Didn't he say that he would lock his doors if the reductions went into effect?" asked the minister. "And did I not reply to him that he couldn't get away with that kind of bluff?"

"No he didn't," said Mr. Russell. "Your statement is not fair to Mr. McLaughlin, who is not here."

Mr. Russell said that Mr. Robb had certainly taken an incorrect meaning from the remarks of Mr. McLaughlin.

There was always a tendency to be afraid of things in advance, said the minister. He pointed out the provision in the budget for the 25 per cent rebate when 50 per cent of a motor car was manufactured in Canada. The idea in making this provision was to compel the use of Canadian labor and Canadian products. The Government had been studying the question of automobile duties for a year.

The minister said that 47 per cent of the automobile business last year was export business.

The 25 per cent rebate was designed for the export business. In the New Zealand market, American cars were able to compete with Canadian because they were less costly.

Mr. Robb said there might be some particulars in regard to the budget in which the members of the delegation could assist the Government. If they desired to form a small committee to discuss such matters with officials of the Government they were welcome to do so.

The delegation presented a memorial asking that the matter of tariff reduction be referred to the tariff board.

## VILLAGE OF CENTREVILLE HAD CLOSE CALL

Centreville, N. B., April 28—Fire of unknown origin broke out here last night about 9.30 o'clock in the barber shop of Sloat and Cain, and before it had burned itself out had destroyed that building together with the large general store of the Glen E. Wilson Company, on the one side, and the fine residence belonging to Col. L. L. Kennedy and occupied by James E. Quinn and family on the other side. Some of the contents of the store were saved by volunteers from the community but it was found impossible to save more than a comparatively small amount of the contents of the other two buildings. The loss on the store and contents is estimated at somewhere in the vicinity of \$15,000; the loss on the residence and contents is placed at approximately \$4,000, while the loss on the barber shop and building is about \$1,000.

Several other buildings in the vicinity were ablaze more than once but these fires were caught by the volunteer fire-fighters and quenched in their incipient stages. The Farmers' Store was alight several times.

That the whole village was not wiped out is due to the assistance given by a line of hose belonging to the Sherwood Company, who run a general store in the village, served by the company pump. The village itself has no fire fighting apparatus or organization of its own.

As far as can be learned the Glen E. Wilson Company carried \$7,300 insurance on the store and contents and there was a small amount of insurance on the dwelling house. The store will likely be rebuilt.

Arrested on Warrant.

Two arrests on a warrant under the Intoxicating Liquor Act were made here Wednesday afternoon. The accused later were let go on bail a date being set for hearing. The alleged offence is said to have been committed April 8th and said to be from Plaster Rock giving information.

Fraser Companies Limited, applicant for a timber berth of two and a half square miles on St. Andrew's Road west of South Branch Oromocto River, had no opposition at the Crown Land office today bidding in the berth at the upset price of \$20 per mile.

## CLEMENCEAU'S FURNITURE WAS SEIZED

Paris, April 29—Having refused to pay a \$10 penalty for delay in settling a tax bill, Georges Clemenceau, war premier, recently was subjected to seizure of a piece of furniture from his modest apartment in Passy. He bought the furniture back from the tax collector's emissaries, however, before it could be taken away.

The story, as told by the weekly paper, Aux Eclairages, is that "the tiger wasn't notified when his taxes fell due. When he finally got a summons, he went to the collector's office. That official proved stubborn, and Clemenceau refused to pay. He also ignored subsequent summonses. Then the agents appeared and seized the furniture."

Aux Eclairages concludes its account by asking indignantly:

"Can one imagine British executing a tax judgment against Nelson, or Germany against Bismarck?"

## ST. JOHN MAN IS PRESIDENT

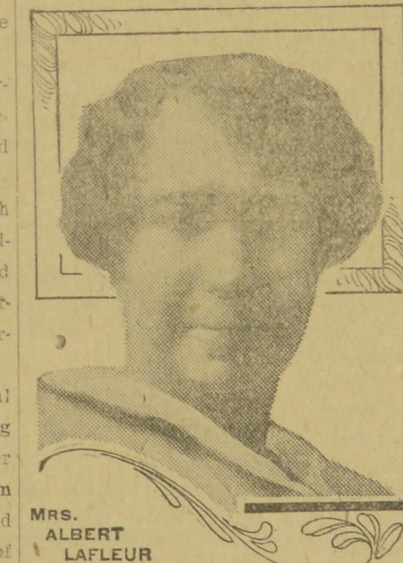
Ottawa, April 28—H. H. McLellan, provincial fire marshal of New Brunswick, was unanimously elected president of the Association of Canadian Fire Marshals at the completion of their convention held here today.

P. J. Jobin, provincial fire marshal of Quebec, was chosen vice-president, and J. Grove Smith, Dominion fire commissioner, Ottawa, secretary-treasurer.

The retiring president, George F. Lewis, was honored by being appointed honorary president.

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## Notice of Meeting

There will be a meeting of Graham L. O. L. No. 20 in the Orange Hall, Queen Street, City, this evening, April 29th at 8 o'clock, to make necessary arrangements for the funeral of the late brother, James Ryder. All Orangemen are requested to attend.

F. E. HICKS, W. M.

## HORSES' TAILS UTILIZED FOR VIOLIN BOWS

Elma, Wash., April 29—A farm has been started here for breeding of white horses for the long, smooth tail hairs used exclusively in the manufacture of violin bows. There has been an acute shortage of this material in Siberia and Manchuria, whence the bulk of the long hairs formerly was obtained.

White hairs are used because the bracing of black or colored ones weakens the structure cells. The horses' tails are clipped in spring and autumn, six months being required for the full switch to grow again.

## POWDER NOT POISONOUS; WOMAN FREED

Chicago, April 29—Mrs. Bernice Zalimas was acquitted by a jury yesterday of a charge of poisoning her husband after her attorney ate some of the powder which the state exhibited as a sample of the poison she used. It was the woman's second trial, she having been convicted and given a 14-year prison sentence at the first trial, but the supreme court reversed the verdict.

Mrs. Zalimas kissed several of the jurors. Women in the court room cheered the verdict.

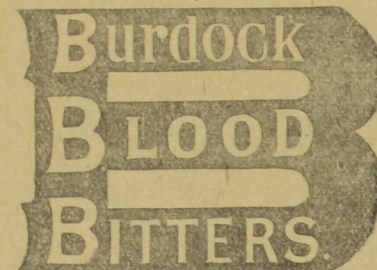
Gasoline Filling Station.

Jacques Vermeiran has applied for permission to erect a gasoline filling-station in front of his place of business, King Street. His request has been referred to the Roads and Streets Committee.

## A Pimpley Face Is Unsightly

Miss C. C. M. Smart, South Battleford, Sask., writes:—"A while ago I was troubled with facial blemishes, especially pimples, and was really ashamed to go out with such a bad looking face."

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