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Fresh easterly winds cloudy  
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easterly to westerly winds  
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## His Majesty Reported to Have Passed a Fair Night

The Official Bulletin Issued at Eleven O'clock Says the Recrudescence of the Infection is Being Moderated—Anxiety Over the Sovereign's Condition is Unabated.

(Special to The Daily Mail by the British United Press.)

LONDON, Dec. 5—King George passed a fair night and there are reasons to hope the recrudescence of the infection which caused the last rise in temperature is being moderated an official bulletin issued at 11 a. m. said: "The King passed a fair night. There are reasons to hope that the recrudescence of the infection which caused the last rise in temperature is being moderated.

(Sgd.) STANLEY HEWETT,  
DAWSON OF PENN.

His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales is speeding towards England by the fast cruiser Enterprise and it is now believed will be able to reach the Suez Canal by Friday of this week.

The condition of the Sovereign is still the cause of grave anxiety throughout his far-flung empire.

## STAUNCH FRIEND OF CONSERVATION PASSES AWAY

Mr. Thomas F. Allen for 39 Years Supt. of the Tobique Salmon Club is Dead—Well Known in N. B.

A dispatch from Bangor, Maine, announces the death at his home in that city last night of Mr. Thomas F. Allen, superintendent of the Tobique Salmon Club. Mr. Allen had been in poor health for upwards of a year, but news of his death will come as a surprise to his many friends in New Brunswick. In the fall of 1927 while motoring near Doaktown, he met with an accident which confined him to his home the greater part of last winter. With the approach of spring his condition improved and in May he again took up his abode at Andover to attend to his official duties. In October he had a severe attack of illness, and was removed to his winter home at Bangor. The change, however, failed to bring about an improvement and death has proved the victor.

### Long Period of Service.

Mr. Allen in his early life served as a member of the Bangor police and also as a state detective. In 1889 when the late Mr. F. W. Cram, manager of the New Brunswick Railway Company was asked to find a suitable man to become superintendent of the newly organized Tobique Salmon Club he was able to persuade Mr. Allen to accept the position. Mr. Allen entered upon his duties in the spring of the following year and continued to hold the position up to the time of his death. Prior to the formation of the club the poachers held full sway on the Tobique and paid little or no attention to the fishery laws. It was customary for them to net salmon right off the spawning beds late in the fall, string them on to a clothes line attached to a canoe and tow them down the river. During Mr. Allen's first season on the Tobique the total catch by members of the club was only seven. In recent years when weather conditions were favorable, thanks to the protective methods inaugurated by Mr. Allen, the season's catch by fly fishermen often exceeded three and four hundred. The net fishermen along the St. John river and Bay of Fundy have also reaped the benefit of Mr. Allen's labors in pro-

## APPEAL OF ALDERMAN DISMISSED

New South Wales Judge Comments on Civic Graft as a Contemptible Form of Stealing.

(Special to the Daily Mail by the British United Press.)

Sydney, N. S. W., Dec. 5—The appeal of ex-alderman Maling against the sentence of six months' hard labor and fine of \$15,000 imposed upon him last July following his conviction on civic graft charges, was today dismissed.

Commenting on the "contemptible form of stealing", the Judge declared that if he had the power he would sentence the prisoner to two years, not because of any ill-feeling but because the type of Maling's offence must be stopped.

By a singular coincidence, on the day that Maling was imprisoned his wife obtained a divorce from him on the ground of misconduct.

## P. E. I. SILVER FOXES BOUND FOR THE WEST

Moncton, Dec. 4—The largest shipment of live silver foxes to pass through Moncton this season, arrived here from Prince Edward Island today. There were two express cars loaded to capacity with these valuable animals. They were destined mostly to points in Quebec and the Canadian West, although a few were for the United States.

Protecting the salmon on the spawning beds of the Tobique.

### A Good Lobbyist.

Mr. Allen frequently appeared before Committees of the Legislature in opposition to dam building projects which he believed to be detrimental to the salmon fishing industry. He was a fluent speaker, had a thorough grasp of his subject and could always give a good account of himself in a debate.

The deceased was in his seventy-fifth year and is survived by a widow and one son. Interment will be made at Bangor.

## PASSENGERS TRAPPED BY AN AVALANCHE

(Special to THE DAILY MAIL by the British United Press.)  
Innsbruck, Austria, Dec. 5—An avalanche in the Arlborg pass buried the railroad station at Langen and trapped the passengers in a train. They were liberated today after the train had been partly covered for 52 hours. Buried with them were two Barnum circus vans containing wild animals.

### Left For Toronto

Mrs. A. C. Fleming left on Monday evening for Toronto and will return the latter part of the week with her daughter Miss Helen Fleming, student nurse who is recovering from a serious illness.

## THE CITY FATHERS HAND OUT BOUQUETS TO ONE ANOTHER AT LAST NIGHT'S MEETING

Mutual Congratulations on Good Work Accomplished During the Year—Ald. Hay Decides to Quit the Job—Ald. Ross May be Mayoralty Candidate.

Following last night's business session of the city council there ensued an interesting discussion on the coming mayoralty and aldermanic elections which will take place in January at the opening of the new year. The discussion arose out of Alderman W. K. Hay's expressed intention of retiring from the board at the end of the present year, announcement of which was made by him at the meeting. Ald. Hay said that he did not intend to be a candidate for re-election at the civic elections to be held in January, he stated that his business was conflicting with his duties as alderman and that he did not think that he could give the proper attention to his duties on the board.

Four other aldermen will complete their two years terms at the end of the present month; namely, Ald. Oliver Smith, in St. Ann's Ward; Ald. D. W. Ross, in Carleton Ward; Ald. C. N. Goodspeed in Queen's Ward and Ald. LeBaron Bull in King's Ward.

### The Mayor Praised.

Ald. Hay in his remarks congratulated His Worship Mayor Clark on his fine and untiring efforts in behalf of the city, and spoke of the success which has attended the efforts of the council under his administration. In concluding, he said that he learned that Ald. D. W. Ross was intending to retire, and suggested that Ald. Ross should not be allowed to go without first serving a term or two as mayor in appreciation of his past work.

Alderman Moses Mitchell expressed a hope that the present mayor would see fit to serve another term at the head of the board and in view of the good work which had been done under his leadership during the past several years, he saw no reason why this should not be done. He congratulated His Worship on the clever and successful way that he had conducted the city's business during his term as Mayor.

### The Mayor Speaks.

His Worship Mayor W. G. Clark, in replying to the words of congratulation given to him by each council member, said that he would give the matter of his serving for another term consideration. He said, however, that in the event of his taking up the duties of mayor for another year, it would be his last, as he intended to retire

## CRACK TENNIS PLAYER DIES SUDDENLY

Col. H. G. Mayes, Anglo-Canadian Athlete Dead in London.

VICTIM OF BLOOD POISONING

His Illness Developed From a Boil on His Face.

(Special cable to THE DAILY MAIL by the British United Press.)

London, Dec. 5—Col. H. G. Mayes, Anglo-Canadian tennis player, died suddenly today of blood poisoning. The poisoning was reported to have originated from a boil on the face.

Col. Mayes although well over forty was regarded as one of the fittest athletes in the country. In recent years he reached the last eight in Wimbledon finals. He had written many articles on athletics health and fitness.

## Is Bank of England Responsible For the Trade Depression

British Electrical and Allied Manufacturers Association Demand a State Enquiry Into the Banking Policy of the Country—New Period of Trade Depression Has Set in.

(By HERBERT BAILEY, British United Press Staff Correspondent.)

LONDON, Dec. 5—A serious indictment of the Bank of England as being responsible for trade depression and a demand for a full state inquiry into the banking policy of the country feature a report issued by the British Electrical and Allied Manufacturers Association.

In a forecast of trade conditions the survey states "that it is already clear that a new period in trade depression has set in and that it must be attributed wholly to the financial policy pursued in this country since the beginning of the year. It is already evident that the financial policy of the Bank of England, approved by the government, has been a very powerful factor in interfering with the normal growth of business and has been directly responsible for the state of depression in the country since March."

## KILLED BY THE FALL OF A TREE IN ALBERT CO.

Hopewell Hill, Dec. 4—Arnold Keough, 20 years of age, of Tignish, Prince Edward Island, was almost instantly killed in the woods at Third Vault, Hastings, a few miles from Alma, Albert County, yesterday afternoon, when he was struck by a stud, knocked down by a falling tree. He was employed by Black Bros., lumbering contractors for Cleveland & Keirstead, of Alma, and with a companion was engaged in sawing down a tree at the time of the accident.

When the tree crashed to the ground knocked down a large stud, which struck the young man on the head.

Councillor J. A. Cleveland, of the firm of Cleveland & Keirstead, on receiving word of the accident, promptly sent in aid and summoned Dr. Carnwath from Riverside but the man was beyond all help.

The body was brought out to River-side last night and left by train today for Prince Edward Island.

He was unmarried and had been working in the woods since his arrival here in the early fall.

## 1929 COLORS FOR CANADIAN AUTO PLATES

The Province of New Brunswick 1929 automobile license plates will be sky blue with white numerals and letters, the same combination used in 1928 by the State of New Jersey.

The other provinces of Canada have the following color schemes for their 1929 motor vehicle license plates, according to reports received by the New Brunswick Government Bureau of Information and Tourist Travel:

Novia Scotia—White numerals and letters on red field.  
Prince Edward Island—Orange on black.  
Quebec—White on black.  
Ontario—Black on light grey.  
Manitoba—White on dark green.  
Saskatchewan—Black on orange.  
Alberta—Royal blue on orange.  
British Columbia—Green on cream.

When a man urges you to be reasonable he is only urging you to agree with him.

## E. J. PAYSON PASSES AWAY AT KITCHENER

Former Fredericton Newspaper Man Dies From Paralysis at the Age of 62 Years.

Yarmouth, N. S., Dec. 4—The news was received in Yarmouth today of the death of Edward J. Payson, which took place at his home in Kitchener, Ont., this morning. About a year ago Mr. Payson was stricken with paralysis, from which he never fully recovered.

Mr. Payson was born in Salem, Yarmouth county and as a young man was in the employ of the Kinney Halsey Manufacturing Co., Ltd., this town. Many years ago he left Yarmouth and went to Saint John and later to Moncton, where he was connected with Y. M. C. A. Work. From Moncton Mr. Payson removed to Fredericton and accepted the position of business manager of the Gleaner in that city. Later Mr. Payson went to Moncton and from there to Ontario, locating in Kitchener. For some time he was associated with newspapers and advertising work but of late years he carried on an insurance business.

Mr. Payson was 62 years of age and is survived by his wife, who was formerly Miss Bessie Goudey, daughter of the late E. S. Goudey, of Barrington Passage, Shelburne county, and two daughters, Misses Beatrice and Dorothy, both in Kitchener. Miss Hattie Porter, Yarmouth, is a half-sister.

(Many of the older residents of Fredericton will remember Mr. Payson. He was secretary of the Y. M. C. A. here for several years and was afterwards employed by the Gleaner as city editor. Before going to Ontario he worked on the Glace Bay Gazette and Moncton Times.)

### Presented With Chair

An enjoyable house warming party was held last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Boyd on King street when about fifty persons gathered at the home of that couple and indulged in games, dancing, and cards until a late hour. The chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Lounsbury who also were the sponsors of the party. During the evening refreshments were served and a presentation of a reed chair was made to Mr. Boyd by Aubrey Clark.