

WORK AT GRAND FALLS IS ABOUT COMPLETED

Machinery for the Power Plant is Now Being Installed—Power may Be Turned on in August.

Construction work on the Grand Falls hydro-electric power development project is practically completed and installation of the machinery is now going forward, G. G. Gale of Ottawa vice president and general manager of the Canadian Hydro-Electric Corporation which holds the stock of the Saint John River Power Company and the Gatineau Power Company, has announced. He came here accompanied by N. C. Head, assistant to the president of the International Paper Company of New York, for conferences with A. D. Blanchard, resident engineer at Grand Falls.

President expectations are that the power will be turned on in late summer, probably about the latter part of August, Mr. Gale asserted. It is probable that the switching on of the power, marking the completion of two years' development work will be occasion of scenes such as marked the inauguration of the project.

Water Wheels Installed.

The power house is now far enough advanced to enable the installing of the water wheels. Two of these are already in place, said Mr. Gale, while the parts are already on hand for the other two. Following this the generators will go into place. These are being manufactured at Peterboro Ontario and delivery due on March 15. The switching apparatus is also yet to be installed.

The head works which include the concrete intakes and the racks, the latter to prevent drift logs from going into the tunnel, are finished. The tunnel, the greatest single project of the entire development is also practically completed except for a little more concreting to the interior. This tunnel, bored through solid rock for over half a mile is 27½ feet in diameter, allowing for three feet of concrete reinforcement.

CITY AFFAIRS

Case Dismissed.

The case of a local beer shop proprietor charged with violation of the Liquor Control Act some time ago was up for judgment before Police Magistrate Limerick this morning and after brief hearing the case was dismissed.

A New Bridge.

Hon. D. A. Stewart, Minister of Public Works, is calling for tenders for "Quisibis River (Mouth) Bridge"—for building the substructure and approaches of Quisibis River (Mouth) Bridge, Trunk Road, St. Leonards to Edmundston, Parish of St. Ann, Madawaska County. Tenders to close on Wednesday, 7th day of March, 1928.

York Co. Pen Leads.

A Barred Rock pen owned by John Moore of Scotch Lake, York County is leading the New Brunswick egg laying contest with a total of 673 eggs, which have scored 641.1 points. Another York County pen belonging to W. A. Sansom of Covered Bridge, York County, is in second place with 663 eggs and 630.6 points. The Experimental Station pen led last week with 53 eggs which scored 60.5 points. Mr. Moore's pen was second with 45 eggs scoring 51.2 points and Mr. Sansom's third with 48 eggs and 50.5 points.

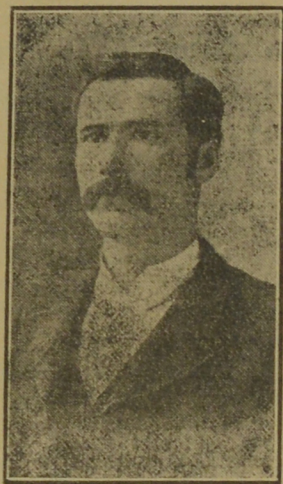
Death of Young Boy

The death occurred early yesterday afternoon of George W. D. Waugh, aged eight years, at his home in Ruslagornish. The deceased youth is survived by his parents, four brothers; Willard, Fraser E., Byron A., and Kenneth M., all at home; four sisters; Muriel G., of St. Stephen; Marjorie E., Alma A., and Laura P.; also at home. Funeral will take place at Ruslagornish church at three o'clock, Thursday afternoon, Rev. D. Patterson conducting the service and interment will be made at the cemetery in that place.

NELSON W. BROWN, REGISTRAR OF DEEDS, PASSES AWAY AFTER LINGERING ILLNESS

Deceased was Well Known Throughout the Country—Was a Successful Tecaher and also a School Inspector—was Twice a Candidate for Political Honors.

After an illness of six months duration brought on by an attack of diabetes and complications, Mr. Nelson Wentworth Brown, Registrar of Deeds, for York, passed away at four o'clock yesterday afternoon at his home at 897 George street. He had been confined to his home most of the time during the present winter, but on Friday last went out for a short walk and apparently over



THE LATE N. W. BROWN
From An Old Photograph.

taxed his strength. On Saturday he had a bad turn and medical attendance had to be summoned during the night. His condition rapidly grew worse and yesterday he lapsed into a state of coma. His only son, Waldo Brown, arrived at noon yesterday from Windsor, Ontario just in time to see his father alive, but apparently he was unable to recognize him. The end came at four o'clock in the afternoon.

Native of Southampton.

The deceased was a native of Middle Southampton and spent his boyhood days on the homestead at that place. In the early eighties he made a trip west and spent some

months in Manitoba with his brother the late Hon. Coyden Brown, then Provincial Secretary of that province. He was urged by his brother to remain in the west, but refused, as he had made up his mind to come east and get an education. Upon his return he took a course at the Normal School and afterwards attended the U. N. B. from which he graduated in 1891 with the degree of B. A. He taught school for a number of years at Dorchester, Hope-well Cape, in Charlotte County and elsewhere, with great success, winning the good will and friendship of both pupils and trustees. He ultimately abandoned the teaching profession and engaged actively in farming at Southampton.

A School Inspector.

In 1906 he was appointed inspector of schools and held the office for two years. Always a stalwart Liberal, in 1908 he contested York as the party candidate against Mr. O. S. Crockett now a Supreme Court judge and was defeated after a spirited campaign. He also unsuccessfully contested York as a candidate against The late Col. McLeod in the war time election of 1917.

Mr. Brown was a delegate to the Liberal Convention at Ottawa in 1893 and also attended the national convention in 1919. For several years following his defeat in the election of 1908 he was employed by the Federal government in connection with the Annuities branch of the Finance department.

Moved to Fredericton.

Mr. Brown disposed of his property at Southampton a few years ago and removed to this city where he has since resided. For some time he was engaged in the real estate business but in the death of Col. W. J. Sborne three years ago he was appointed registrar of deeds, which

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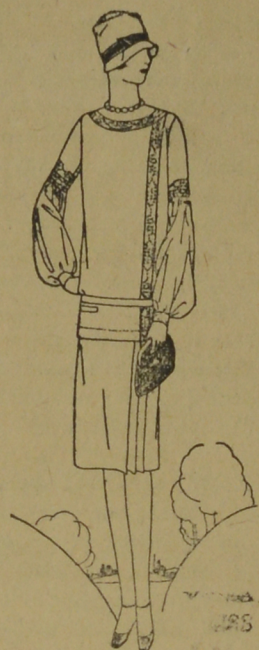
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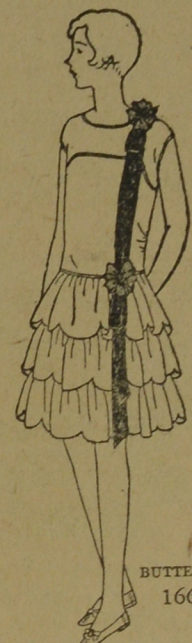
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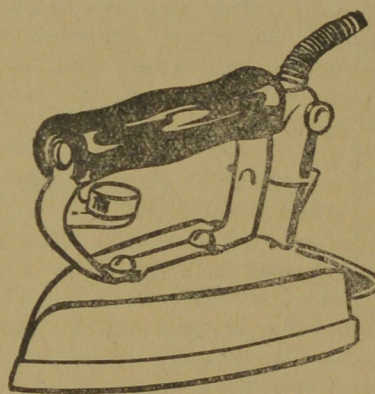
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