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## A DAMNABLE OUTRAGE.

The attempt to dynamite the homes of two members of the provincial police force at Edmundston on Monday night has aroused great indignation throughout the province. This damnable outrage was undoubtedly the work of bootleggers and goes to show that the members of the provincial police are doing their duty fearlessly and without favor. Under the prohibition law repealed by the Baxter Government in 1927 bootleggers and rum runners plied their nefarious trade boldly and with little hindrance but today they are up against a far different proposition. The members of the provincial police have made it hot for bootleggers and rum runners and threats and the use of explosives are not got to swerve them from the path of duty. Already they have two men in jail who are suspected of having been concerned in the Edmundston case and the public can rest assured that they will eventually get their accomplices. An overwhelming majority of the people of New Brunswick stand four square for law and order and the Attorney General and the provincial police force can be counted upon to leave no stone unturned that will lead to the capture and punishment of every individual directly and indirectly concerned in the outrage at Edmundston.

## AN EXPLANATION NEEDED.

The statement was recently given out by an official of the Cape Breton Tourist Association that already there had been an increase of 500 visiting motorists to the island as compared with last season. Last year the Sydney Record, which is edited by a former New Brunswicker, claimed that Cape Breton was not getting its share of tourist travel because of bad roads in New Brunswick. Critics of the government nearer home are now claiming that the roads of this province are not so good as was the case last year, and assuming this to be so it is up to our esteemed Sydney contemporary to offer some explanation as to the cause of this season's big increase in motor tourist travel to the island of Cape Breton.

It is highly creditable to New Brunswick that it sent the largest and most representative delegation to Toronto last week of any of the three Maritime Provinces. This province was represented by its Lieutenant Governor, its Prime Minister, the President of the Executive Council, the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly and twenty-three private members of the House, and one member of the Federal Parliament. The only province to send a cabinet minister in addition to New Brunswick was Prince Edward Island, the government of which was represented by its Minister of Agriculture.

Somebody has said that it is easy to be a good sport in any matter that you don't care much about. It is not easy to be a good sport when you are so interested in the outcome of a contest that you are swayed by emotion as much as by logic. There is no more admirable human quality than the capacity for being fair when your own comfort and your own interests are heavily involved.

Airplanes seem particularly fitted for carrying perishable products. It is said that in one month planes of the Royal Dutch Air Lines have transported 150,000 pounds of fruit and flowers from Netherlands farms and gardens to London alone. Flowers are also delivered to Paris and Scandinavian cities within 10 hours of their picking.

Whoever it was described golf as the "consolation of the senile and the

despair of the ambitious" must have recently developed a philosophical turn of mind that reconciles him to the conviction that he must learn to be satisfied with something over a hundred.

Some day the writer of one of those mystery novels is going to strike an entirely new note and make considerable of a hit by having the handsome private secretary of the rich man who is murdered a real fellow who isn't trying to marry the niece and helpless just for her money.

It was Aristotle who evolved the idea that the thing of chief importance to us humans is the head, and that the body was merely added to carry it around, but that was in the days when skull practice really amounted to something.

The Byrd expedition to the South Pole is carrying along several hundredweight of chewing gum. This would correspond to gum drops in the case of a North Polar expedition.

Maybe it is an optical illusion, but one closely cropped lawn in a neighborhood makes the rest look like a hayfield.

Sometimes nowadays it is hard to tell mother and daughter apart, they both look so young, except that the former tries harder.

It develops, after all, that Pughwash, Nova Scotia, (which a Cleveland millionaire is to restore, is not a watering place for boxers.

When it comes to thinking up wedding presents most minds seem to run in the same channel.

When interviewed recently Mary Garden had taken off the same 10 pounds, again.

The oyster has returned. Alone as usual.

## DEMANDS THAT RAILWAYS BE MODERNIZED

Athens, Sept. 5.—With a view to making Greece popular as a tourist resort the Greek press is starting a campaign for the modernization of transportation, which has not advanced much since the age of Pericles. Speeding up of the railways, the elimination of long stops at stations—sometimes lasting hours—and the establishment of an efficient line of steamers run on a convenient time table, between the Cyclades and other islands and the mainland, are suggested as means of attracting travelers.

## PERSONAL MENTION

The Misses Kathleen Gibson and Harriett Vanwart who spent the summer on a tour of Europe have returned home.

Carl Slipp who was employed for the summer at Timiskaming, P. Q. has returned home to resume his studies.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. L. MacKenzie and family who spent the summer on the Gaspe Coast are home again.

James Dolphin left Monday for Kingston, Ont., where he will resume his studies at the Military College.

H. L. Brown a well known commercial man of Montreal is in the city today on business.

Hon. Dr. Taylor, Minister of Health is a guest at the Queen.

Hon. D. A. Stewart, Minister of Public Works is at the Queen today.

Hon. Dr. Baxter, Premier of New Brunswick is a guest at the Queen.

Hon. L. P. D. Tilley of Saint John, president of executive council, is at the Barker.

Mr. Thomas Bell, M. P., for Saint John-Albert motored to the city today and is a guest at the Queen.

Miss Betty Neales, daughter of Very Rev. Dean Neales left yesterday for Montreal to take a course of training at the Children's Memorial Hospital.

## THROUGH OUR SIEVE

One man's principle may be another man's prejudice.

"Slightly cooler" doesn't always meet the popular demand.

When the millennium comes Mr. Devil won't be the only fellow to lose his job.

It's a good plan in every household to put the mosquito out before retiring for the night.

One of the most disreputable characteristics of hay fever is that it will not behave in company.

Swimming the English channel has become an outdoor pastime for members of the gentler sex.

Lima Beane says the automobile comes nearest being within the reach of all at the crowded street intersection.

We have somehow acquired the habit of first glancing through the wonderful advertisements in the magazines, principally to see the number of things we don't need and, if there is any time left out of the evening, we may select a story that seems worth reading, judged from the illustrations.

## MANY GUESTS AT THE WINDSOR

The following guests are registered at the Windsor: J. G. Hennessey H. H. MacMichael, A. N. MacGowan, C. E. Cleather, St. John; G. Max Watling and wife, Amherst; M. E. Fox, Harvey sta.; Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Simpson, Oshawa; M. J. Fillmore, Amherst; M. Buckley, St. John; Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Aigencourt, Eug d'Aigencourt, Rodrigue Lefevre, Montreal; J. Smith and wife, Bridgewater; Mrs. Wilson, Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Kimball, Bridgewater; G. F. Bambridge, Toronto; P. Gosselin, Peterboro, Ont.; David Mitchel, New York; Jane Abbott, Dexter, Me.; Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Hall, Cornwall; Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Tarbell, Symra Mills, Me.; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wanders, Boston; Mrs. B. C. Griffin, Allendale; Mrs. Minnie Floyd, Stanley Cooling, Dr. F. A. Floyd, Arlington; H. I. Estabrooks, St. John; F. L. Dickinson, Hartland; Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Sostello, Lewiston; W. L. Fillmore, Amherst; Ed. Saltino, Miss Santino, F. L. Rowley, St. John; Jas. Dewitt, Shediac; S. M. Dunn, Harcourt; A. T. Partidge, R. H. MacLean, Toronto; I. L. Hardy, Baltimore, Md.; E. W. Rammy, New York; M. J. Cuces and party, Ottawa; P. H. Wilson, Phila; J. H. eBattie, Phila; H. S. Young, Aylmer, Ont.; S. M. Morris, Montreal; Cecil Tatem, New Sactile; Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Lanning, Portland; F. R. McMullin, St. John.

## Return From Camp Borden

Students of the University of New Brunswick who are taking the summer course of aviation at Camp Borden returned this week from the field of their three months' training course. There were in all nine University of New Brunswick men who are taking the course of the Royal Canadian Air Force. The following were those from the local college taking the course: Earl Hickson, who has completed his three years' course; Clive L. Trecarten, E. B. Goodspeed, Phillip Cox, J. S. Hurley, Stewart Bull, B. E. LeGallias, H. L. Campbell, C. A. Barbour and H. P. Lingley.

## To Route Highway.

At the City Council meeting last evening Ald. Currier asked for suggestions regarding the routing of the provincial highway through the city. He said that Engineer McDowell had conferred with the City Engineer in regard to the matter and the advice of the Council was sought. After some discussion it was decided that Queen street be recommended. Ald. Currier explained that the route was to be marked by small cedar posts, one of which had already been erected on Carleton street.

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