

## SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

Their Excellencies the Governor General and the Countess of Bessborough honored the Dowager Lady Shaughnessy at her summer home, Fort Tipperary, St. Andrews-by-the-Sea, with their presence at dinner last evening.

Major T. C. Barker motored to St. John this morning where he will confer with His Honor Lieutenant Governor Col. Murray MacLaren about the coming reception which is to be given in honor of Lord Bessborough and Lady Bessborough.

Mrs. W. R. Bustard, Sussex, was re-elected president of the Saint John Presbyterial of the Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterial Church in Canada at the concluding session of the 46th annual meeting, held in Greenock Church rooms, St. Andrews, yesterday. The full slate of officers follows: President, Mrs. W. B. Bustard, Sussex; vice-presidents, first, Mrs. J. B. Crocker, Fredericton; second, Mrs. J. H. Stevenson, Saint John; secretary, Mrs. William Fitzsimmons, Stanley; recording secretary, Mrs. William Clarke, Fredericton; treasurer, Mrs. James Porteous, Saint John; literary secretary, Mrs. Emery Woodstock; home helpers' secretary, Mrs. James Scott, Fredericton; young people's secretary, Mrs. Alexander Elliott, Saint John; mission band sec-

retary, Miss Mabel Bannerman, Hampton; home missions and welfare secretary, Mrs. Bernard Johnston, St. Andrews; county vice-presidents—Carleton, Mrs. J. T. Montgomery, Woodstock; Charlotte, Mrs. P. K. Pringle, St. Stephen; York, Mrs. S. S. Miller, Fredericton; Saint John, Mrs. A. R. Melrose, Saint John; Kings, Mrs. B. Wishart, Hampton; Westmorland, Mrs. Murray Condon, Moncton.

Lady Meredith is entertaining at dinner in honor of Lady Moyra Ponsonby and Lord Duncannon at the Algonquin Hotel, St. Andrews-by-the-Sea, on Saturday evening before the dance, and the guests invited are Hon. Hazel Shaughnessy, Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Ballantyne, Miss Cairine Wilson, Miss Peggy Robinson, Miss Barbara Cowans, Captain David Fisher-Rowe and the Messrs. Barclay Robinson, Donald Markey, George Hall and Hugh Cowans.

Many friends will be pleased to hear that the condition of Mrs. A. E. Mathewson is improving. Mrs. Mathewson suffered a fall some time ago and injured her shoulder. Mrs. Mathewson was recently elected vice-president of the Women's Press Club at the annual convention which met in Ottawa. Mrs. Mathewson representing New Brunswick.

Mrs. W. D. Herridge, of Washington, and her little son, Billy, who have been the guests of Mrs. Herridge's brother the Right Hon. R. B. Bennett, left Ottawa this week for St. Andrews-by-the-Sea, to spend the next few weeks.

Mr. Justice and Mrs. C. D. White and Mrs. Graeme Taylor are leaving Sherbrooke tomorrow for Kennebunkport, Maine, where they will be guests at the Narragansett for several weeks.

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Miss Cairine Wilson, daughter of Mr. Norman F. and the Hon. Cairine Wilson, of Ottawa is entertaining a number of young people at a boat picnic tomorrow at St. Andrews-by-the-Sea for Lord Duncannon.

Miss Margaret Seely is leaving on Saturday to spend a few weeks with friends at Grand Bay.

Gordon Clarke, of Fair Vale, N. B., who has been spending the past several days with Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Seely of this city, returns to Fair Vale tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Boulter of Currieburg were in the city today.

The marriage of Miss Dorothy Niles to Arthur Crowe has been arranged to take place on Wednesday, the twenty-fourth of July in the Baptist Church at Devon.

R. W. McLellan is entertaining a house party including his daughter Mrs. Norman E. Kenrick and Mr. Kenrick and Mr. McLellan's son Douglas all of Montreal.

Mrs. Delmas Oltz and Mrs. Donald Smith are hostesses this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Smith at a cut glass shower in honor of Miss Dorothy Niles, a bride-elect. The house is tastefully decorated with a profusion of roses and peonies. The tea-table is centred with a silver bowl of pink roses and yellow candles in silver holders. Mrs. D. E. Crowe will preside over the tea-cups, with Miss Mary Henry replenishing. Mrs. George Niles will cut the ices and Mrs. W. J. West will usher the guests to the dining-room. Miss Niles has been the guest of honor at several social functions lately including a shower at the home of Mrs. Harold Logan and Mrs. Robert Forbes.

Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Monahan are enjoying a motor-trip through Maine, Massachusetts and New Hampshire.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Miller and daughter, Muriel are enjoying an automobile trip through Nova Scotia.

Mrs. Jas. M. Scott, Mrs. W. M. Clarke, Mrs. J. B. Crocker Miss Magdalen Scott and Miss Georgie Pringle returned to the city last night by motor from St. Andrews where they attended the forty-sixth annual meeting of the Saint John Presbyterial.

Mrs. William W. Macredie, daughter Marjorie and son Jack, motored to St. Andrews yesterday, returning last evening. The party who were accompanied by Miss Nellie Macredie attended the forty-sixth annual meeting of the Saint John Presbyterial.

## BISLEY CAMP HOLDS PUBLIC SCHOOLS DAY

Best Shots from Famous Institutions Take Part

BISLEY CAMPS England, July 12—Weather conditions were the best of the week as "public schools day" was celebrated at Bisley Camp yesterday.

The service marksmen here from all parts of the Empire for the 72nd annual meeting of the National Rifle Association retired to the sidelines or practice ranges as the best shots from the famous old public schools renewed historic rivalry in the Ashburton and Spencer-Mellish, team and individual service rifle shoots.

As usual it was a great social function with hundreds of people high in society turned out for the "Ascot" of the shooting world. The temperature dropped considerably and cool breezes swept the ranges.

## AUTOS TURN BACK MIGRATING BULLFROGS

GUELPH, Ontario, July 12—Led by a patriarchal bull-frog, thousands of frogs left a pond here yesterday and set out for better lands—or ponds. But a river of traffic failed to part for them, and after hundreds were killed on the road, the remainder fled back to the shelter of their old lily pads.

## H. H. STEVENS FAVORS BRITISH EXPORTERS

Reduction in Tariffs On Imports Advantageous To the Farmers, Is His Policy.

TORONTO, Ont., July 12—Drastic reductions in such tariffs that affect British exporters will be advocated by the new Stevens party as one of its main planks, Hon. H. H. Stevens, former minister of trade and commerce, announced on his arrival here last night.

Mr. Stevens said his proposed tariff reduction policy would apply especially to those imports which are necessary and advantageous to Canadian farmers.

His party would take no stand, either way on the question of repeal or amendment of Section 98 of the Criminal Code, he said.

The leader of the Canada's fourth party his decision to advocate certain tariff reductions had been reached following his investigations with the mass buying and price spreads commission.

Immediately upon his arrival, Mr. Stevens went into conference with Warren K. Cook, Toronto; Thomas Lisson, of Hamilton and Thomas V. Bell, Montreal, party organizers.

The conference will draw up the party's platform and definitely decide on a name, it was said.

## 25TH ANNIVERSARY OF CAMPBELLTON FIRE PASSES

CAMPBELLTON, July 12—Yesterday was the 25th anniversary of the Campbellton fire, when practically every building in the town was destroyed. The electric lighting system was put out of commission, the entire plant being destroyed along with the distribution lines, and so badly tangled and damaged were the wires that they were disposed of as junk. The water system also suffered considerably, through damaged fire hydrants, as did everything above ground. Many days' work were required with a particularly large staff to get the water services cut off from the destroyed buildings. In many cases these services running full force, and at a time when the water was particularly low. The town lost no time in erecting a new electric lighting and power plant, electric current being turned on on Christmas Eve, 1910.

The citizens also lost no time in rebuilding their homes and in practically all cases erected modern buildings so that today Campbellton is a much better town in this regard than it was in 1910.

The fire started on Monday at noon and before 8 o'clock in the evening the whole town was in ruins. It was with the greatest difficulty that one could distinguish the streets.

Practically every town and city in the province was generous in supplying relief, and this was general throughout Canada and the United States.

Within a few days' government tents arrived and the people used these until they could erect temporary shacks to live in until permanent buildings were erected.

## ELECTION DATE IN ALBERTA HINGES ON FLOOD OUTLOOK

EDMONTON, July 12—Alberta's general election date will not be announced until there is definite assurance the northern flood situation has improved to the extent preliminary work in preparing voters' lists can be completed within the required time, Premier R. G. Reid announced today.

Hon. Hugh W. Allen, minister of lands and mines, who went north a week ago to obtain definite information for the government concerning flood conditions, is now marooned on a passenger train between Widewater and Lesser Slave Lake.

## WINNIPEG BOXER IS HELD IN MURDER

London Police Say Raymond Bousquet Admits Slaying Waitress.

LONDON, England, July 12—A police officer testified in Lambeth Police Court that Raymond Henry Bousquet, Winnipeg boxer, who fights under the name of Del Fontaine had confessed to the murder of Hilda Meeks, pretty waitress and wounding of the girl's mother, Mrs. Alice Meeks.

The affray occurred in South London last night and Bousquet appeared in court yesterday, charged with the murder of Miss Meeks and with wounding the elder woman with intent to murder her. Mrs. Meeks is in grave condition. Preliminary hearing was adjourned for eight days.

Bousquet's age was given as 30. The girl, who died from bullet wounds while being taken to the hospital was 21.

## RUSSIAN FUEL SLUMP ALARMS LEADERS

MOSCOW, U.S.S.R., July 11—White Soviet industry continues to increase its output. With new plants going into operation and railways having raised freight movements by 10,000 carloads daily over a short period, the country's leaders are perturbed by the decided slump in fuel production, which has continued throughout the first six months of this year.

While, for example, the nation's plants were producing 1,043,000 tons of pig iron and 947,800 tons of steel in May this year, compared to 902,000 and 782,000 respectively last year, the coal mines increased their output only from 7,047,000 tons to 7,948,000 tons. Figures for the first quarter of this year showed that pig iron and steel production increased by 28 and 32 per cent over the same period last year, while coal production was up by only 12 per cent. To date coal production is 1,000,000 tons under the plan.

Similarly oil production failed to increase satisfactorily, and during the first quarter of this year was actually one per cent less than in the first quarter of last year.

Naturally these deficiencies cannot continue indefinitely without slowing up the whole pace of soviet industrial expansion, and measures must be taken.

In the case of the coal mines great difficulties have been caused by the shifting of workers, which is attributed by the soviet press to unsatisfactory living conditions and inadequate pay to capable miners. Expansion of the oil industry evidently requires much costly foreign equipment, much of which has already been purchased from Germany.

## Public Notice

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in accordance with the regulations of the New Brunswick Dairy Products Commission the prices for milk sold in Fredericton area, which includes Fredericton and Devon, on and after JULY 15th, 1935, will be as follows:

	Retail	Wholesale
Quarts	10c	8c
Pints	5c	4c
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## MEN'S DIAPER DERBY LATEST IN SEATTLE

SEATTLE, Washington, July 12—Seattle is to have a diaper derby—for men only fifty proud fathers will demonstrate their skill and their speed in dressing their offspring in public exhibition in Wallingford Park, July 22. Women will be the judges.

It all started when a husband, disputing his wife's contention that it takes two minutes to apply a diaper, said he could do it in one. Wives all over the neighborhood challenged their spouses to show them how.

Contestants appear divided between the one-pin method and the older three-pin style. Prizes will be diapers, talcum powder and cod liver oil.

## SEEK SOCIAL EASE

TACOMA Washington, July 12—College of Puget Sound may offer students a course in "social ease". Nearly 100 per cent of high school students responding to a questionnaire of the psychology department suggested such a course.

## York Co. Orange-men Celebrate

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place at Ketepec. About 800 members representing six L. O. B. A. Lodges and four L. O. L. Lodges of Saint John city and county are to attend. In Lorneville, a parade will be held. Four other lodges will have a picnic at Loch Lomond. Special observances are also planned for Corn Hill, Kings County; Fredericton Junction; Hartland and The Narrows, Queens County.

Grand Lodge officers will attend as many of the celebrations as possible.

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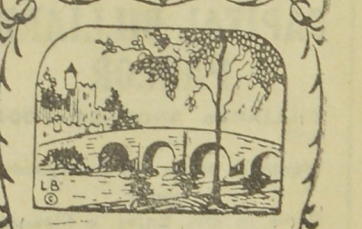
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