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EATON'S TAXES

As questions have often arisen as to the amount of taxes that T. Eaton Company are paying into this in connection with business transacted here it may be interesting to note that A. E. McSweeney, a prominent Moncton merchant alleges that Moncton is losing money on the Eaton's who he alleges owe that city \$65,700.00 in taxes on income earned by the Company from 1928 to 1933. Mr. McSweeney asks for a chartered accountant to make an investigation. Monctonians are live wires and they take an interest in public affairs whether school board or city council board and attend the meetings of each organization in a body. Last night they went to the council meeting to learn about Eaton's taxes. The Mayor tried to stop Mr. McSweeney from reading at the Council board a letter regarding Hon. Mr. Stevens, but the citizens made it so hot that Mr. McSweeney was allowed to proceed with his reading of the letter.

A report of the meeting is as follows:

The first resolution moved by Ald. W. E. Marks, was that a special meeting of the council be called shortly that the T. Eaton Company (Maritimes) Limited be furnished with copies of the allegations of Mr. McSweeney, and that, at that meeting the company be given the opportunity of presenting their side of the story, and further that the newspapers give the said company's side of the story the same publicity as given to the allegations of Mr. McSweeney.

The second resolution, moved by Ald. C. C. Gillespie, was to the effect that all information concerning the establishing of the company here and regarding their taxation be prepared and presented to the members of the council at the special meeting, so that the council members may have at their disposal all that data concerning the charges, together with the possible rebuttal evidence of the company, and will thus be in a position at that time to deal intelligently with the matter.

Following the reading of the minutes of the meeting concerning Mr. McSweeney's remarks and his affidavit, Alderman Tremblay asked if the allegations were concerning income alone, to which Mr. McSweeney replied "yes". He urged the council to take action at once, stating "the people of Moncton are aroused to this question".

Mr. McSweeney said, "It is time for a showdown. This is apparently going to be sidetracked. I have a letter from. . .", he was interrupted at this point by Mayor King, with the retort, "you will read the letter when we wish it". The spectators asked that he (McSweeney) be allowed to read the letter, and Ald. Marks jumped to his feet with the remark, "I insist that Mr. McSweeney be allowed to read the letter". The members affirmed his stand and Mr. McSweeney continued, "I have here a letter from Hon. H. H. Stevens, marked private and confidential, which says that I am at liberty to use the facts and figures presented in my affidavit", and the speaker again urged immediate action by the council.

Are the merchants of Fredericton who pay taxes on their homeowned stores and incomes being used fairly here in proportion to T. Eaton Co., or Canadian Stores which are the same thing. Have the Fredericton Board of Trade, or Fredericton Merchants made any enquiry regarding the taxes paid in Fredericton by this millionaire concern. They may be paying the proper amount. They may be paying too much like some private individuals are doing. They may not be paying enough but check them up. Then every one will be satisfied.

ILLITERACY

It is an astonishing statement, in a province that has had free schools for more than sixty years that "on in-

terviewing the overseers of the poor it was found that in many cases they were unable to read or write". The statement is made in the report of a government commissioner in Kent County who investigated the administration of relief in that county. He found that many monthly statements sent to Fredericton were not only prepared but in many cases signed by persons other than the overseer in charge.

Making full allowance for the use of two languages in Kent, it should not occur that any appreciable number of persons holding a responsible position, such as that of overseer of the poor, and called upon to make reports, should not be able to read or write. It is not surprising that illiteracy should be found to some extent among the older folk, but the situation as reported in Kent County is far from satisfactory. It is not surprising that the records are not satisfactory, although when public money is being distributed an accurate system of accounts should everywhere be put in effect.

Kent County has no lack of educated people, but it does not appear to have put enough of them into official positions to keep its record in the matter of relief above criticism. And illiteracy to any large extent is not excusable in any part of New Brunswick.—Telegraph-Journal.

SNAPSHOTS

The Parish of Lancaster, Saint John wants more water according to the delegation heard at the Legislature this morning. It is surprising that one of those advocating a standpipe for more water is our old friend Councilor Joseph O'Brien who is sales manager for a large beer concern at that place. Does it mean more water less beer?

Some one wants to know how George M. Byron comes to be mixed up as a witness in all the divorce cases. Mr. Byron is only acting in an official capacity to prove the marriage license was issued prior to the marriage. He has no domestic interest in all these cases.

If The Daily Mail says that Ewart is going to run in York County it must be true whether he says so or not. He is a live wire anyway.

Some of those who are invited to all these high hat parties are taking lessons in taking their spoons out of the tea cup so that it won't stick in the eye, and in not drinking out of the finger bowls.

One lady who was invited to a down town affair last winter got hold of spoonful of creamed potatoes and dug the resisting potatoes out with her finger.

How is this for a scheme at a Bridge party where they pass sandwiches? At a recent pay Bridge held at a down town club, one of the players picked up several sandwiches and after opening them and finding they did not contain the filling he was after, placed them back again on the plate for the other players to try.

The number of letters which we received from former residents in regard to our sketches of "Old Times Recalled" show that people away from Fredericton for years still retain pleasant memories of the old citizens who have departed.

LENTEN SERVICES

During the Lenten season Rev. W. A. Burge, pastor of Gibson Memorial United Church, will preach on "The Seven Words from the Cross." On Sunday morning he commenced the series, speaking on the word "Forgiveness." Also during Lent this pastor is conducting a special series of talks to the young people, the talks being held on each Tuesday evening and the theme "What it means to be a Christian." A most interesting series of sermons is the greatest drama of life based upon the biblical hero Joseph, which Rev. Mr. Burge is bringing to a close on Sunday evening. Increased attendance and much comment has shown this series to have been greatly appreciated.

Quebec Potatoes Underselling N. B.

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fearing that if the then proposed board was formed the prices would be set at too high levels. Mr. Cunningham said this surplus had been marketed for some time now but was now almost exhausted and that when it was finished within a week or so the demand for New Brunswick potatoes would again increase.

As evidence of the benefit the board had been to New Brunswick farmers and dealers, Mr. Cunningham said that approximately double the money returns had been brought into this province from Montreal last month, for New Brunswick potatoes sold there in February. A total of 310 carloads were sold in Montreal in February, 1934, while 271 carloads were sold there last month. "Thirty-nine fewer carloads were sold but the prices obtained were almost double those of 1934," he stated. He believed the board had brought in at least 75 per cent more money to farmers and dealers than would have been the case had the board not been formed, he said.

Mr. Cunningham quoted the following figures, showing carload arrivals of potatoes from the provinces of Quebec, Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick on the Montreal market up to March 9, 1935, compared to these up to March 9, 1934:

	1934	1935
Quebec	350	89
Prince Edward Island...	44	190
New Brunswick	1,534	1,524

Mr. Cunningham stated that these figures showed that New Brunswick had maintained its shipments in the 1934-35 season, in spite of the fact that the 1934 Quebec crop showed a surplus last fall of some 2,000 carloads which meant that Quebec farmers had more potatoes to market.

Young Adonis In Love Mixup

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Emmy, was becoming more friendly towards me. But at the time I was still more interested in the horses and my work.

"So I told 'Pinky' (Mr. Hall) that I wanted to change my position. He asked me to stay and raised my pay. It was soon after that I realized things were changing.

"She was a true sportswoman. We often went riding and on drags together.

"While Mr. Hall had a broken collarbone I took her to the Empire City and other tracks. One afternoon I was talking about the roller coaster at Savin Rock and she asked me to take her there. That was the day we took that picture together at the beach. It was about that time that gossip started to get around. Mr. Hall said people were always looking for something to talk about.

"The day I received the telephone call from Emmy, in which she said her father had threatened to disinherit her, 'Pinky' accused me of being interested in his wife and threatened to shoot me.

"After last New Year's the Halls left for Aiken. As there was nothing to do around here, I also went to Aiken. Immediately I called Mr. Hall and Emmy answered the phone.

"From that time on my life was a very unhappy one. Mr. Hall and the police ordered me out of the place and there seemed to be nothing I could do. They looted my bags and I was very unhappy.

"After travelling around a bit I returned to Bridgeport and Mr. Hall even told me to stay away from there. Then I decided to commit suicide and Lieut. Anderson picked me up.

"They kept me from committing suicide and I seem to have gotten things more straight in my head. I'm going away to look for a job."

EGG LAYING CONTEST

The weekly report of the New Brunswick Egg-laying contest conducted by the Dominion Experimental Station shows that for the week ending March 13, C. Melvin Grieves' pens were the leaders. Mr. Grieves' hens laid 59 eggs during the week and total eggs to date are 852 for this pen.

St. Patrick's ice cream bricks, vanilla and pistachio, serves five to eight people, at Ken. Staples Drug Co. Ltd.

SOCIAL WELFARE TOPIC OF MEETING AT SACKVILLE

(Special to The Daily Mail)

SACKVILLE, March 13—A meeting of representatives of various religious bodies in the Maritime Provinces was held in the University Library, here the 14th inst., for the purpose of considering the methods of co-operation of the several communions in promoting moral and social welfare. The meeting was called by Rev. C. K. Crowell, Amherst, N. S., President of the Maritime Conference of the United Church of Canada. Ven. Archdeacon Parker, of Chatham, was appointed chairman and Rev. W. T. Ross Flemington, head master of Mt. Allison Academy, was secretary.

Others present were Rev. F. L. Orchard, D.D., Amherst, N. S.; Rev. N. A. MacNeill, D.D., Sussex; R. B. Wallace, president of the Maritime Baptist Convention, Fredericton; Dr. G. J. Trueman, president of Mt. Allison University; Rev. George Morris, Rev. M. M. Lappin, D.D., Rev. Alexander Craie and Rev. W. F. Partridge, Editor of the United Churchman, Sackville.

A resolution was unanimously adopted requesting each denominational body in the Maritimes to appoint a committee of two representatives to form a Maritime Council. A meeting of this general committee will be called later by the chairman, Ven. Archdeacon Parker.

OLD METHODS OF EDUCATION ARE SCORED

Emotional Adjustment Deared More Important Than Learning.

Old-fashioned ideas on education were pilloried by Dr. A. S. Wile, formerly commissioner of education, New York City, who claimed that the so-called frills of education and not the three R's were indispensable for a happy life, before a large audience yesterday this week in the Montreal High School. The speaker, introduced by Dean C. F. Martin of McGill, gave the second of the series of three lectures on "Mental Hygiene in Education".

Dr. Wile claimed that it was more essential to be able to settle satisfactorily emotional conflicts and be able to adjust oneself to the various circumstances and conditions of life than to be fluent in reading, writing and arithmetic. "We have all witnessed", he said, "the walking encyclopedia make a miserable failure of life while another individual, who is in many respects illiterate, meets the problems of life with ease".

How And Why

The speaker emphasized that it was more important to know how to live and even why to live, than to accumulate knowledge. The memorizing of facts must more and more take a secondary position to the learning of how to live, he said.

How the modern application of mental hygiene in the school system enables pupils to adjust emotional conflicts was illustrated by the speaker through several instances taken from actual life. He cited the case of the young girl who as her teacher said "would do nothing but draw brides all day long". The mental hygienist satisfactorily solved the problem and the girl is today a successful dress designer.

He cited the case of a small boy who persisted in making daggers in the classroom. The teacher was at her wits' end for these activities denoted to her criminal tendencies.

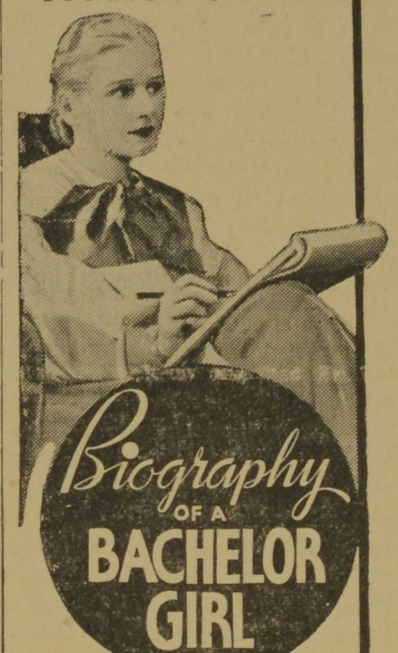
A knowledge of mental hygiene was used to solve the problem. The boy was asked to make daggers for the whole class. When he had done this his ambitions were fulfilled. The work of the class continued smoothly.

LEAVING FOR MONTREAL

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