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Tribute to Hon. J. E. Michaud

The banquet to Hon. J. E. Michaud, K.C., M.P., at Edmundston last evening was a well deserved tribute to a public man who has done much for his home town and his home county. As a member of the Board of Trade, as Mayor of Edmundston, as representative for Madawaska County in the Provincial House, as a Provincial Cabinet Minister and as a member of the House of Commons and of the Dominion Cabinet, Hon. Mr. Michaud has been an active and energetic worker. He has done and is doing his best to promote the interests of the Department of Fisheries over which he presides at the present time.

Hon. Mr. Michaud's advice regarding the promotion of agriculture struck the right note. The development of the urban communities in the province and the expansion of the agricultural industry of the province is what is needed more than anything else in the province today.

Rules for the Mounties

A supplement to the Canada Gazette, published on Nov. 7, gives the full text of the "Rules and Regulations for the Government and Guidance of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Force in Canada."

They contain 206 clauses in all, and many of these make interesting reading.

To the general public, for instance, little is conveyed when it is stated that the highest ranks in the force comprise Commissioners, Deputy Commissioners, Assistant Commissioners, Senior Superintendents and Superintendents. Such titles are likely to suggest to the laymen that their holders sit in armchairs and theorize on the duties of the Mounted Police.

Their actual standing may be gathered, however, from the rank provided for each when serving in the militia. In such case, the Commissioner becomes a Brigadier; the Deputy Commissioner a Colonel; the Assistant Commissioner a Lieutenant-Colonel; the Senior Superintendent a Lieutenant-Colonel and the Superintendent a Major.

All candidates for enlistment must, of course, be British subjects; but perhaps it is not generally known that the Commissioner may employ civilians "to perform the duties of scouts, artisans, cooks, stenographers, tailors, engineers, agents, interpreters, guides, or for any other purpose."

Such civilian employees will not be required to pass a medical examination, which for the rest of the force is a particularly strict one.

However, both civilian employees and police must fill in a questionnaire on applying for positions, and should it prove later that any answers given are false, the affected individual is liable to instant dismissal.

An interesting item of instruction with regard to the medical examination of the candidates directs that, though the latter's teeth may be sound and healthy, if the condition of his mouth indicates slovenly and unclean habits, he had better be rejected.

That there are ups-and-downs in the life of the Mountie is indicated by instructions for marking the papers of a non-com. or constable in the case of demotion or desertion, as well as in the stern order that any member of the force wishing to marry must request the Commissioner's permission and supply the magistrate with the name of his fiancée. The order adds:

"The Commissioner may refuse such permission if, in his opinion, it would not be in the public interest."

A study of the Rules and Regulations shows that every thought has been taken for the welfare of the men, as well as for the efficiency of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Force of Canada.

Try Britain's Way

Returning from his recent visit to London, where he was the guest of the Lord Mayor of the Empire's Capital and where he conferred with leading bankers and financial experts, Mayor G. G. McGeer of Vancouver, B.C., had some pertinent comment to offer on Dominion affairs at a meeting of the Toronto Canadian Club on Monday.

After having advised Canada to adopt the British policy of assisting recovery by means of long-term, low-interest bonds, Mr. McGeer asserted that this country could not continue to ignore the responsibility of safeguarding her trade avenues on the oceans surrounding her shores.

Other points in Mr. McGeer's address are seen in the following excerpt:

We in Canada have much to learn. If they can do it in Great Britain with evident success, what's wrong over here? Are we doing all we can?

Every Province in Canada with the possible exception of Ontario is in dire financial straits. Two hundred and fifty-seven municipalities are in default, and not because they are repudiators of obligations. Why is there a feeling of dejection over here, which is not evident in British municipalities?

Over there I found there was no tax on unimproved real estate; no tax on unoccupied improved real estate. That gave building operators a chance to breathe. On every occasion of municipal insecurity the Government immediately intervened to maintain and stabilize.

What about housing? Every day thousands of tons of building material is being shipped into Britain to build new homes. What's the matter with us? Haven't we any material? Are there no idle men? Have we no idle engineers? Is there not an urgent need for houses?

There have been times in the past when Mr. McGeer's suggestions have been denounced as wild and impractical, to put it mildly; but his present advice is worth considering.

Britain, struggling against far greater odds than Canada has had to meet, has fought her way back to a position which, for stability and increasing economy, is the envy of most other nations.

There appears no valid reason why a study of Britain's way and an intelligent adaption of that way to Canadian needs should not result in even greater material benefit to the Dominion.

SNAPSHOTS

There are some men who are bad actors. But the three members of the daily Mail staff who took part in the "Go Hollywood" show last night are excellent actors according to the opinion of those who were at the City Opera House last evening. One of them got into the society columns of The Daily Mail.

All the men and women in last night's cast were stars in their particular parts.

In order that every one will be satisfied, a thorough investigation should be held into this morning's accident.

When a man is elected to represent his county in the Dominion House he should be a live wire in whom the big guns at Ottawa have confidence, and a man who will get things done. Not a figurehead. Madawaska-Restigouche has a live wire in the person of Hon. J. E. Michaud and he deserves the tribute which was paid to him last evening.

Some one says that the "agnostic" properties at the Provincial Normal School are bad. He of course means the acoustics. Perhaps they should be painted. In any event the acoustics both at the Normal School hall and at the U.N.B. Memorial hall are rank, and both are new buildings. If they cannot "paint them" they should try something else.

We wonder which one of The Daily Mail's contestants in the present circulation drive is to get that lovely 1937 Plymouth car?

Bulky

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This does not imply that the President's personal control of Congress will be put in jeopardy, at least if he wishes to exercise it with the vigor he has shown in the past. If the President as a positive legislative programme, and many signs indicate he has a long and definite one despite his failure to be specific during the campaign, he doubtless will be as successful with Congress as ever.

But Trouble Is Possible
But if the Seventy-fifth Congress is left without detailed executive recommendations to keep it busy, its members will find plenty to do. Likewise, if Mr. Roosevelt points the hard way, such as scrapping New Deal agencies under the guise of governmental reorganization, or a too sudden balancing of the Federal budget, he is certain to step on many Congressional toes. And those include the toes of old-line Democrats of long standing as well as the newly arrived wearers of the party label who swung aboard the bandwagon of the 1936 campaign.

Democratic leaders now rather appealingly confide they wish their majorities were not so unwieldy. They would much prefer to cope with an obvious Republican opposition than to have to manage groups and blocs strung along the fringes of their own ranks, whose support, they acknowledge, is unpredictable, to say the least.

Minority Is Weak
Political breakdown of the Seventy-fifth Congress reveals at once there can be no strong Republican opposition. For this reason the Democratic leaders hope to get the organizational preliminaries disposed of without leaving scars of intra-party strife.

In this they are likely to succeed in the Senate, but organization of the House will be accomplished only after what now promises to be a major battle over the majority floor leadership to be fought out at a Democratic party caucus on January 4, the day before Congress convenes. Its outcome may show where the chips will fall in the House for the next two years and just how much White House pressure may be needed now and then to keep House majority members in line during that period.

The new Senate stands at seventy-five Democrats, seventeen Republicans, two Farmer-Laborites, one Progressive and one Independent, the last being George W. Norris, of Nebraska, who heretofore has affiliated himself with Republican organization in the Senate despite his New Deal votes.

Of the seventeen Republican Senators seven are supporters of part of the New Deal legislation. They are William E. Borah, of Idaho; Arthur Capper, of Kansas; Lynn J. Frazier and Gerald P. Nye, of North Dakota; Peter Norbeck, of South Dakota; Hiram Johnson, of California, and Charles L. McNary, of Oregon, the last Republican floor leader of the present Senate and presumably minority leader in the new Senate.

A half score of stalwarts who will array on the battle for Republican principles includes Frederick Hale and Wallace H. White, of Maine; H. Styles Bridges, of New Hampshire; Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr., of Massachusetts; John G. Townsend, Jr., of Delaware; John J. Davis, of Pennsylvania; Warren R. Austin and Ernest W. Gibson, of Vermont; Arthur H. Van-

OUR MAIL BAG

THE BRIDGE QUESTION

Editor, The Daily Mail,
Fredericton.

Dear Sir:
Will you allow me space in your valuable paper to help solve the bridge building question. I notice by the papers that they are crying for peace, peace; yet they are putting up money to build a bigger building to train the men in for wars. Where is the money coming from to build this armory they are putting up? Why cannot they find the money to build the bridge which is more benefit to the public than the old armory place. We can get along without this far better than we can get along without the bridge. Hoping to see this letter in print, I remain,
Yours truly,

An ardent reader and supporter of building this bridge.

denberg, of Michigan, and Frederick Steiwer, of Oregon.

Three Important Leaders

Senators McNary, Vandenberg and Steiwer, who have played leading parts in shaping Republican policy in the Senate in the last few years are likely to fill even more important roles on the minority side now. The last two doubtless will have to work overtime to fill the gap made in the opposition to the New Deal by the defeat of Senators Daniel O. Hastings, of Delaware, and L. J. Dickinson, of Iowa.

Individual views of Senators may prove a more important factor than party labels. But with the large Democratic majority this stepping across party lines in the Senate, while emphasizing conservative or liberal philosophies, is not likely to make much difference in the final vote on major bills.

On the basis of unofficial but revised lists, with no promising contests for seats in sight, the new House will be composed of 334 Democrats, 89 Republicans, 7 Progressives and 5 Farmer-Laborites. It must be organized anew and throughout, as against the procedure in the Senate, which is a continuing body with an elected Vice-President of the United States as its presiding officer. It will retain its present president pro tempore and leadership because of continued Democratic control. The Senate has only to fill in vacancies and make changes on committees resulting from the election of thirty-six of its full membership of ninety-six.

SHERIFF SALE

The following property will be sold at Public Auction in front of the County Court House, Fredericton, N.B., at twelve o'clock noon of the 12th day of December, 1936.

THE GEORGE ESTEY PROPERTY
Parish of St. Marys, York County, N.B.
All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, lying and being in the Parish of St. Marys in the County of York, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the upper line between the Seward Place so called and the James Woodworth Estate, at a point on the northern side of the said Seward Place where the line fence dividing the wood land from the cleared land meets the said upper line; thence easterly along said upper line between the said Seward Place and the James Woodworth Estate a distance of eighty (80) rods to the rear of the Seward lot; thence at right angles along the rear of the Seward lot ninety-eight rods or to the line dividing the land hereby sold from the land already owned by the said Parlow Woodworth; thence westerly along the said line mentioned fence to the point of beginning, containing forty-nine (49) acres, be it more or less, and being the rear forty-nine (49) acres of the lot of land conveyed by George T. Bradley to the said Parlow Woodworth by deed bearing date the 12th day of June A.D. 1915 and duly recorded in the York County Records in Book D-7, pages 79 and 80, under official number 5259.

Delinquent Parish & County Taxes
1929.....\$ 2.00
1930.....2.43
1931.....2.38
1932.....2.47
1933.....2.88
1934.....1.20
1935.....1.21
1936.....1.75
Total.....\$16.32
Total Parish & County Taxes.....\$16.32
Total Road Taxes.....\$ 3.20
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Hon. J. E. Michaud

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ston Board of Trade, and Joseph David, ex-president of the board and president of the Edmundston Merchants' Association.

Speaking first in French and then in English, Mayor Proulx introduced Mr. Michaud and thanked him for his efforts in securing 50 percent of the requests of the town from Ottawa, since his appointment to the cabinet, and particularly for obtaining a regular train service between Edmundston and Montreal.

Desperate

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ed in flames when a government gunner scored a direct hit earlier today. Before the insurgents lost their first foothold in Madrid, several beautiful and expensive new buildings of university were wrecked in artillery and machine-gun exchange, the government said.

A small group of the enemy filtered across the shallow Manzanares River and seized one building on the campus, the official statement declared, but heavy fire by the Madrid militia-men kept back reinforcements who sought to join them.

Government soldiers blew up the Los Franceses bridge to keep the Fascists from hauling up heavy equipment to fortify their positions on the campus.

The insurgent attempt to push into University City last night came after the government had declared a small body of insurgents, after penetrating that district within the confines of Madrid proper, had been driven out after 12 hours' fighting.

The defence junta declared five insurgent planes had been brought down during the air attacks. Twenty-three government machines flew over Madrid pursuing the 15 raiders.

One bomb fell on a house at No. 7 Villalar Street, close to the French embassy.

All houses in the vicinity of those which caught fire were evacuated.

The Trinitarians Church—where ashes of Miguel Cervantes, famous Spanish writer, lie—was set afire, as was the Jeronimos Church.

Bombs struck the following streets: Huertas, Joan de Mena, Alberto Bosch, Moreto, Villalar, Atocha, Veronica and Jesus.

The air ministry reported government planes bombed the railroad station at Fascist-held Salamanca, burning war material stored there, and an arsenal at Cadiz.

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Delinquent Parish & County Taxes, Road and School Taxes
Road Dist. No. 4
School Dist. No. 375
1928.....\$.92.....\$.40.....\$ 3.75
1929.....1.00.....40.....3.00
1930.....1.00.....40.....3.00
1931......95.....40.....2.10
1932.....1.00.....40.....1.50
1933.....1.12.....40.....1.50
1934.....2.05.....40.....1.50
1935.....1.40.....40.....1.65
1936.....1.36.....40.....1.61
\$10.80.....\$3.60.....\$19.61
Total Parish and County Taxes.....\$10.80
Total Road Taxes.....\$ 3.60
Total School Taxes.....\$19.61
\$34.01

C. N. GOODSPEED,
High Sheriff for York County,
Fredericton, N. B.,
October 27th, 1936.

DIED

STOCKER—At Fredericton, Nov. 17, 1936, John E. Stocker, aged 82 years. The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon with service at 2:30 o'clock at St. John church Oromocto, and will be conducted by Rev. Mr. Buckland. Interment will be made in the St. John church yard at Oromocto.

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