

GOV'T SUPPORT FOR PROVINCIAL BEEKEEPERS

Hon. A. C. Taylor, minister of agriculture, speaking to the members of the New Brunswick Beekeepers' Association at their annual meeting and field day yesterday, said that assistance of some kind would be provided the beekeepers of the province by the government. He admitted little had been done to assist them during the past few years.

A resolution was adopted by the meeting urging the appointment of a provincial apiarist. Hon. Mr. Taylor advocated the organization of junior bee clubs, which he believed would prove beneficial to the younger generation of beekeepers, but members of the Association felt that before much could be done along the line of junior work, a provincial apiarist should be appointed. The minister was of the opinion that beekeeping could be carried on as a profitable sideline in agriculture. A suggestion was made by C. F. Bailey, superintendent of the Dominion Experimental Station, that inspection of some of the N. B. apiaries should be made. Other members of the Association supported the idea.

C. B. Gooderham, Dominion apiarist, at Ottawa, gave an address yesterday afternoon on grading and marketing, recommending the grading of honey in order to compete with other food products. He advised uniformity in grading. Attractive standard containers brought material benefits he pointed out.

The meetings were held at the new agricultural school building with thirty-five members in attendance and the meeting closed with an inspection of the station's apiary. All officers and directors were re-elected as follows: President, R. D. W. Hubbard, Burton; vice-president, P. G. Nase, of Nerepis; secretary-treasurer, Mr. Ricketson; directors, John O. Miller, of Centerville; G. H. Weade, of Roy-alton; R. B. Cresswell and Ersel F. Moore of Prince William; and William McPherson of Marysville. Messrs. Cresswell and McPherson are new directors.

JERUSALEM, June 13—Authorities are completing a second concentration camp at Sarafand, near Jaffa, with a capacity of 250 inmates, it was learned today. It is designed chiefly for Arabs implicated in the current disorders. British troops strength was brought to four full brigades with the arrival of a battalion of the Dorchester Regiment.

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Frances Shelly Wees, well-known writer, is registered at the Queen Hotel in this city on her first visit to the Maritimes.

Mrs. Wees, who is the author of six published novels, has been writing for about five and a half years. Speaking with the Daily Mail, Mrs. Wees stated that her first attempt at writing, "The Maestro Murders," appeared in 1931. Sponsored by the Book of the Month Club it sold over 50,000 copies. Next came "The Mystery of the Creeping Man," the plot of which was laid on the campus of the University of Alberta. This novel was published in England by Eyre & Spottiswood, the same firm that in the eighteenth century was Dr. Samuel Johnson's publisher. In 1933 came "Detectives," "Limited" and "Romance Island." The following year Mrs. Wees wrote "Honeycomb Mountain," a romantic novel, in seventeen days. This first appeared in installments in *Serenade* and was later syndicated and ran as a serial in various newspapers. "It Began in Eden" was published in January of this year and was also syndicated. "Untraveled World," her latest work, will appear in August.

Mrs. Wees uses various themes ranging from mystery through romance to more serious fiction. She finds writing hard work, and spends from six to eight hours a day at her typewriter, to which she writes directly. For every 60,000 words of published material she throws away nine times that amount. She does not believe it possible to burst forth as a great author but that only time and practice can make a finished writer.

Mrs. Wees is with her husband, Dr. Wilfred Wees, who is in the Maritimes on business. They have spanned the continent by motor car without mishap to tires until their arrival in this city where they discovered a deflated tire and the spike that had caused it. The spike, a fine large specimen, will not be kept as a memento of Fredericton. They both commented on the never-failing courtesy and neighborliness of the people of the province.

Mrs. Wees is greatly interested in the Atlantic provinces where, she says, are the roots of Canada. She has, however, no intention of writing an historical novel of Acadia, being interested rather in present people than historical facts.

Before returning to their home in Ontario, Dr. and Mrs. Wees will visit Nova Scotia.

CHURCH SERVICES

Brunswick Street Baptist Church
11:00 a.m., Church and Sunday School. Classes at 12 o'clock. 7:00 p.m., Public Worship. A cordial welcome to these services. Rev. Gerald W. Guio, Pastor.

Saint Andrews Presbyterian Church
Rev. George E. Ross, D.D., Minister. 11:00 a.m., Public Worship, Subject: Acts and Proceedings of the recent General Assembly. 12:15 Sunday School and Bible Class. 7:00 p.m., Public Worship; Subject: "The Living Christ and His Living Church" A cordial welcome awaits all in Saint Andrews.

Devon Baptist Church
Morning prayers at 10:30 a.m., Service at 11 a.m., "Sonship in God" Church school and Brotherhood at 12:15 p.m., Evening worship at 7:00 p.m., Rev. D. L. Kennedy, minister.

Gibson Memorial United Church
South Devon
Nashwaaksis and Kingsley. Nashwaaksis, 11 a.m., Kingsley, 3 p.m., and Devon 7 p.m. Minister, Rev. W. A. Burge, will preach at all services. "The undesigned teaching of the obscure Disciples."

OTTAWA, June 13—The House of Commons yesterday gave first reading to a bill to amend the Combines Investigation Act, making admissible as evidence in criminal proceedings documents produced in investigations under the act.

The bill, tabled without debate, would change a provision of the act barring from evidence at subsequent criminal proceedings documents received during investigations under the act.

SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Tibbitts have left for their summer cottage at Farm Point, near Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Miller motored to Charlotte County yesterday, where they will spend the week-end at their summer cottage at "The Ledges."

The York and Sumbury Historical Society and the Fredericton Science Club are holding a joint picnic this afternoon on the beautiful grounds of Major F. A. Good at Sunny Slope, Kingsclear. A large number of members went up.

Hon. Francis Bridges of Campbellton, Speaker for the New Brunswick Legislature, was in the city yesterday, having come to be with his mother, Mrs. Hedley Bridges, in her recent bereavement.

Mrs. G. I. Nugent and Mrs. Chas. Parker returned last evening from Richmond, Va., where they attended the international Woman's Congress. Miss Weldon who also attended the convention is spending a few days in New York.

Miss Mildred MacDonald has returned to the city and resumed her duties on the staff of the Old Age Pension. Miss MacDonald spent a few weeks recuperating from an operation, at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. R. MacDonald at Shediac.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Clarke, Moncton, were recent guests of their daughter, Mrs. Robert Forbes, and Mr. Forbes at Fredericton.

Miss Joyce Mavor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Leslie Mavor was agreeably surprised last evening, when a number of her classmates of Grade 8 of Charlotte street school gathered at her home and tendered her a genuine surprise in honor of her fourteenth birthday. Dancing and games were enjoyed, refreshments being served, featured by a gaily decorated birthday cake. Miss Mavor was presented with a Du Barry cuteset and the gathering broke up at eleven o'clock.

N. B. Spuds

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fertile in potato fields is interesting at the present time, with prices as high as they are. It is reported that one of the cabinet ministers while in that vicinity last fall advised the farmers to hang on to their crops. He anticipated the situation which has arisen at the present time. But many of the farmers sold instead and are regretting it now with prices at such a high level.

Potatoes were offered in large quantities in the week-end market at Phoenix Square this morning. Many farmers, attracted by the recent high prices for potatoes, flooded the market with this produce. Some farmers were still asking \$4.00 per barrel although \$3.50 was the prevailing price. Butter was plentiful at 20 cents per pound.

Prevailing prices were as follows: Tomato plants per dozen, 50 cents to 75 cents; Cabbage plants per hundred, 50 cents; Zinia plants per dozen, 50 cents; Salvia plants per dozen, 75 cents; Marigold plants per dozen 50 cents; Wood, per cord, \$6.50 and \$7.00; Rhubarb, per pound 5 cents; Lettuce, per bunch, 5 cents; Live pigs, each \$3.50; Potatoes per barrel, \$3.50; Buckwheat, per bushel, \$1.00; Butter per pound, 20 cents; Eggs, per dozen, 22 cents; Maple Sugar per pound 40 cents; Maple Syrup per bottle, 40 cents; Lamb per pound 20 to 23 cents; Veal per pound 5 and 8 cents; Veal liver per set, 50 cents; Fowl per pound 20 cents; Beef per pound 8 cents; Pork per pound 11 and 14 cents; Salmon per pound, 18 cents; Smoked Shad each, 15 cents; Smoked herring per dozen, 20 to 25 cents; Beets per peck 20 cents; Fiddleheads, per peck 25 cents; Buttermilk per gallon 25 cents; Bees Honey per bottle 25 cents.

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Mrs. J. D. Palmer and Miss Agnes Kitchen of Vancouver, motored to St. Andrews this morning.

Mrs. D. J. McLeod entertained yesterday at a small but delightful tea at her home at the Experimental Farm.

John Hughes of this city, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Hughes, and John McEvoy, son of Mayor McEvoy of Devon, have arrived home from St. Thomas' College to spend the holidays with their parents.

President Women's Council
Mrs. George O. Spencer of Moncton was yesterday elected president of the National Council of Women. Her husband was elected Governor of Rotary International District this week in Moncton.

Hon. Senator F. B. Black, who has been in Ottawa for the parliamentary session left today to return to his home in Sackville. He was accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. E. A. Flood, who will visit her parents for some time.

Mrs. Lena Lannan Macdonald entertained last evening in honor of Miss Lomie Bailey of St. John. The evening was spent in playing cards. A delightful luncheon was served by Mrs. Lannan and after luncheon fortunes were told by Gerald Jeffery. Miss Bailey has been a student at the Provincial Normal School and left for her home this morning.

Mrs. J. E. Michaud wife of the minister of fisheries, entertained yesterday at luncheon, which she held in one of the private rooms at the parliamentary restaurant in Ottawa. The table, which was spread with yellow linen, was attractively adorned with Talisman roses and gypsophila. Covers were laid for a party of thirty-two.

Several of the young people of St. Dunstan's church have organized a tennis club. The following were recently elected officers: president, Fred Boyle; vice-president, Miss Marion Timmins; secretary-treasurer, Miss Reta Carten; executive committee, Arthur Foster, Miss Aileen Keenan, Miss Helen Burns, Joseph McGinn, and Joseph Quinn.

A number of friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Mildred Webb, Charlotte street, on Thursday evening and gave Miss Josephine Hayes a shower in honor of her approaching marriage. Miss Hayes was presented with an electric iron during the evening. Cards were played and delicious refreshments served. The prizes were won by Mrs. Clifford Stewart and Miss Christina Kiley. The evening was most enjoyably spent.

Bridal Shower
Miss Irene Fitzpatrick and Miss Mary McMullen were last evening the hostesses at the home of the latter on George Street when a variety shower was given in honor of Miss Jean Staples who is soon to be married. About a dozen girl friends were present. Bridge was played and refreshments served. Prizes being won by Miss Eleanor Bartlett and Miss Sarah Burpee.

Mrs. K. C. Clark who with her little daughter Elizabeth has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. MacLeod, left for her home in Halifax, N.S.

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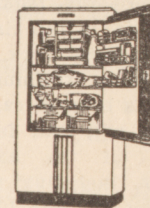
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