

# Boy and Girl Struck by Motor Trucks

## GIRL NEAR DEATH, STRUCK ON KING ST. THIS MORNING

Joan Buchanan, Age 6, Ran in Front of Truck After Rubber Ball

### UNCONSCIOUS

Driver, Byard Brewer, of Burt's Cor., Not To Blame, Say Witnesses

Battered and bleeding from injuries received when a truck driven by Byard Brewer of Burt's Corner crashed her to the pavement as she chased a ball out onto the street this morning, Joan Buchanan, six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Buchanan of this city was rushed to Victoria Public Hospital in an unconscious condition.

Still unconscious at the time of going to press, slight hopes are held for her recovery, according to Dr. G. E. Chalmers, who attended her. Injuries consisting of a concussion of the brain, severe lacerations on the legs and body, and deep abrasions on the scalp and face make her condition critical.

The accident occurred at ten o'clock this morning on King Street, in front of the Fenety Garage. The little girl had been playing with a ball in front of her home, 255 King Street which is just below and across from the garage, when the ball bounced out into the street and the child ran after it and into the path of the truck, not giving the driver time to avoid the accident.

The crash was totally unavoidable, according to eye witnesses at the scene. Had the child continued across the street there is a possibility that the truck may have missed her, but she picked up the ball and turned back to the sidewalk. The bumper struck her, knocking her to the pavement. The brakes on the truck were in perfect condition according to the City Police, who investigated the accident, and with a reasonable chance the driver could have stopped in time to avoid the child.

Resident of Fredericton for only a few weeks, her father is an employee of Dunbar's Bakery. It is believed that the child, being unused to traffic, had not thought to watch for approaching cars before running out into the street.

## GREEN MOUNTAINS FOR CHILE MARKET, SAYS CUNNINGHAM

Best Suited To Demands of S. A. Consumers—Predicts Large Mart

The Chilean potato market offers great possibilities to the New Brunswick growers, according to a statement made this morning by G. C. Cunningham, potato marketing expert of the N. B. Department of Agriculture.

The Green Mountain variety of tuber will be highly satisfactory to the Chilean market, believes Mr. Cunningham, since South American consumers demand a solid type, not given to meanness when cooked. At the same time he stated that the fine results secured by the Argentine Department of Agriculture in their establishment of this type of potato in their country should do much to boost the New Brunswick stock in the sister republic.

Freedom from virus disease in New Brunswick potatoes is one of the main reasons that the Chilean government has sent their representative, Fernando Mujica, to investigate the possibility of establishing these potatoes in Chile.

While in Chile neither blight nor the Colorado potato beetle are present, the unhealthy condition of the Chilean fields is due to a disease caused by a minute virus which is carried to the plant by another type of potato beetle.

The extent of the market has not been divulged, but it is believed that a large enough market can be secured to greatly cut down the over-production which has to be dealt with at present.

Mr. Mujica spent the morning at the Dominion Experimental Station. While there he conferred with E. M. Taylor of the Department of Agriculture. He was greatly interested in the work done in the experimentation beds, in the interests of potato crop improvement, and the eradication of crop disease. He was also interested in the methods of certification used in New Brunswick, and spoke highly of the excellence of the farm.

## GOLD ORE LOOKS GOOD AT NIGADU

Fairly good quality gold ore has been struck in the drilling operations now being conducted in Gloucester County, it was stated this morning by Dr. W. J. Wright, provincial geologist, who returned Saturday from that area. Drilling has been underway all winter at the Nigadoo Mine, and several parties are actively prospecting the Millstream district.

## 22 CREDIT UNIONS ORGANIZED IN N. B. DURING PAST YEAR

First Ten Formed Have Assets in Excess of \$10,000

1,000 MEMBERS

14 Rural and 8 Urban—Report by Director Of Work

Twenty-two active credit unions with assets well in advance of \$10,000 are reported by S. Wilfred Keohan, director of the co-operative credit division of the New Brunswick Department of Agriculture, at the completion of his first year's work.

"At the end of June, 1937," Mr. Keohan reports, "the ten credit unions which had been organized for a sufficient length of time to make a monthly report to the registrar had assets of \$10,000. Their record in accumulated loans was \$11,000 with \$7,000 outstanding in loans at June 30th. Membership in the ten unions reporting in June exceeded 1,000."

Of the total of 22 unions, 14 are rural and 8 urban. Of the urban credit unions, three are industrial, being formed from employees of the International Paper Company at Dalhousie, James Pender & Company of Saint John, and Canada Veneers of Saint John. Two are formed of employees of Canadian National Railways at Moncton and one of employees of the same railway at Saint John. Graduate nurses in Saint John compose a group as do members of the Saint John Teachers' Association and of St. Peter's Parish. The first credit union in the province was organized at Blackville and received its charter in September of 1936.

"The coming year," Mr. Keohan states, "will doubtless see the extension of the movement throughout the province with the formation of Credit Union Chapters, regional organizations where credit union officers discuss their mutual problems, and the possible emergence of a Credit Union League comprising membership from the various credit unions in the province for promotional purposes. The Province of Nova Scotia has such a League already formed."

## Fair Preparations Well Underway

All space in the main or industrial building of the Fredericton Exhibition has been sold, and some exhibitors seeking floor space had to be turned away it was revealed this morning by C. L. Sypher, secretary to the Fredericton Exhibition Limited.

A large crew of men are at work in preparation to the opening of the event on September 11. Advertising is well underway, and the first entry was received this morning. The next meeting of the Exhibition management will be held next Wednesday night.

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## AWARD CONTRACTS TO REPLACE TWO NEW BRUNSWICK BRIDGES

Estey Bridge and Pokemouche River Mouth To Be Scenes of New Structures — Replacement Necessitated Through Increased Volume Of Traffic, Hon. A. A. Dysart Says, As Awards Are Made.

Awards of contracts for the construction of two highway bridges has been announced by Hon. A. A. Dysart, K.C., in his capacity of Minister of Public Works.

These are the Esty Bridge in York County on the Royal Road between Fredericton and Stanley, awarded to E. A. Caldwell, Edmundston, at an approximate price of \$10,000; and the Pokemouche River Mouth Bridge in Gloucester County on the main highway leading to Shippegan Island, awarded to the Diamond Construction Company of Fredericton at an approximate price of \$40,000.

"Both these projects," stated Hon. Mr. Dysart, "have been made necessary by virtue of the increased traffic resulting from improved business conditions noticeable this season. The old structures in both cases were well able to carry the volume of traffic in former years but have shown definite signs of depreciation this year."

### 900 Feet Long

The new Esty Bridge on the Royal Road will consist of a 57-foot concrete rigid frame span, faced with scabbled rubble masonry, with stone and earth embankment approaches. Total length of the new work will approximate 900 feet. This will necessitate a diversion of the highway at that point about 30 feet down stream from the present right-of-way.

The bridge at the mouth of the Pokemouche River will be a crescent-shaped timber structure with 50 pile bents and three stone-filled cribwork abutments on pile foundations, with a crescent-shaped timber truss span of 122 feet and combination earth-and-stone embankment approaches. The total length of this work will be 1923 feet. The new structure replaces an old covered Howe truss span on cribwork abutments approached by a system of crib blocks and stringer spans. There will be no change in highway alignment but the new bridge will be some three feet higher than the present structure.

The Pokemouche River Mouth Bridge will exemplify a type developed through careful experiments carried on for some time by engineers of the Department of Public Works. This type is especially adapted to spanning the estuaries of rivers such as are found along the east coast of this province.

## REGULATIONS FOR GRADING OF N. B. TOMATOES

Sponsored By Hon. A. C. Taylor—Similar To Dominion Rules

Regulations governing the grades for field tomatoes grown in the province of New Brunswick when packed and offered for sale have been announced in the Royal Gazette.

Resulting from conferences with growers, shippers, wholesale fruit and vegetable handlers and retailers, the regulations now sponsored by A. C. Taylor, Minister of Agriculture, are in line with the Department's policy of furthering the marketing of New Brunswick grown farm products by the adoption of standard grades and packages.

The new regulations adopted for marketing within the Province are the same as are in the Dominion Fruit, Vegetable and Honey Act. Tomatoes imported into the province have for years had to comply with the grade, package and marking regulations of the Dominion Act. Previous to the passing of the new provincial regulations, however, tomatoes grown and marketed within the province did not have to comply with the Dominion grades and regulations but under the new provincial regulations they will be required to do so. Grades specified in the regulations are Select, No. 1 and No. 2.

The regulations require that every person who packs, ships or sells tomatoes shall mark all packages with his initials and full surname and address and a proper designation of the grade of tomatoes as defined in Regulation 1, respecting grades. In the case of a firm or corporation, the firm name shall be used. This applies to tomatoes either in open or closed packages.

## IMPRESSED WITH TUBER LAYOUT IN NEW BRUNSWICK

Dr. H. Barton, Dominion Deputy Minister Agriculture, Visited Potato Districts Saturday.

Dr. H. Barton, deputy minister of agriculture for the Dominion government, left Fredericton Friday night for Woodstock, accompanied by C. F. Bailey, superintendent of the local Dominion Experimental Station, and G. C. Cunningham, marketing expert of the New Brunswick department of agriculture. While in the up river area the party toured the potato-growing districts, and called on growers and dealers in order that the Federal official might get a fuller comprehension of the potato situation in this province.

Dr. Barton expressed himself as being very much impressed with what he saw, especially with the 400 acre farm of Ralph Page, Woodstock. Mr. (Continued on Page Five)

## STRUCK BY TRUCK YESTERDAY, BOY NOW IN HOSPITAL

Phillip Price, of Doak, Suffers Broken Neck, Concussion, Cuts

### CONDITION SERIOUS

Came Out of Side Road Into the Path Of Oncoming Truck

Phillip Price, son of Weldon Price of Doak Settlement was rushed to Victoria Public Hospital yesterday afternoon suffering from serious injuries received when the bicycle on which he was riding was crashed by a truck driven by Raymond McCarthy of Saint John.

The accident occurred at about 4:00 p.m. yesterday in the vicinity of the Dominion Experimental Station. The cyclist came out of the farm road onto the main highway, and turned down towards Saint John. The speed of the bicycle took him across to the left side of the road, and directly into the path of the truck which was coming toward the city.

The truck, unable to stop in the short distance, struck the boy and bicycle, dragging both for a short distance. The ambulance was summoned and the boy was rushed to Victoria Hospital in a dazed condition. For some time identity of the boy could not be discovered, due to his unconscious condition and lack of identification papers.

On the operating table it was found by Dr. J. G. Turner, attending (Continued on Page Five)



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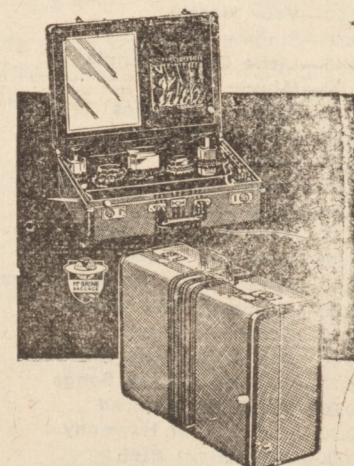
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