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Weather: Cloudy and somewhat colder; some light snow

## THE PROPOSED TRADE PACT BETWEEN BRITAIN AND U.S. WOULD COVER WORLD

### Civic Election Fight Becomes Hot As Campaign Closes

Vote On Monday Promises To Be A Heavy One At Both Polls

#### DAYLIGHT SAVING

Each Side Has Expressed Itself on Victoria Hospital Grant, Police Commission and Other Issues Of Campaign

The civic political campaign which has been in full swing for the past couple of weeks closes tonight, although there is no doubt that many of the candidates and their friends will spend the Sabbath day in making visits and canvassing for votes up to the last minute. Candidates both of the citizens and the opposition tickets and their friends have been active during the past week or two and the election which is now drawing to a close has been one of the most heated ones in the history of civic elections.

On Monday the polls will be open at nine o'clock and will close at four o'clock in the afternoon. Voters who reside below Carleton Street will vote at the County Court House and those who reside at the upper side of Carleton Street and above will vote at City Hall. In addition to the voting for the regular Aldermen there is a plebiscite on the question "Are you in favor of the adoption of Daylight Saving Time?" The ballot to be used in the present election is an official one. The ballot contains the names of the two candidates for Mayor and two candidates for Aldermen in each of the following Wards: St. Ann's, Carleton, Queens and Kings Ward. You scratch out the names of the candidates for whom you do not wish to vote by using a black pencil or a black ink. For instance the names of the candidates Mayor and Aldermen are:

#### Citizens Ticket

For Mayor: G. Willard Kitchen.  
For Alderman, St. Ann's Ward: Murray E. Hagerman.  
Alderman for Carleton Ward: Dr. Byron R. Ross.  
Alderman for Queen's Ward: Walter H. Vail.  
Alderman for King's Ward: Ivan McKnight.

#### Opposition Ticket

For Mayor: C. Hedley Forbes.  
Alderman for St. Ann's Ward: Roy H. Colwell.  
Alderman for Carleton Ward: Henry Stanley Wright.  
Alderman for Queen's Ward: Allan W. G. Good.  
Alderman for King's Ward: Roland C. Loughlin.  
Strike out those for whom you do not wish to vote.  
Stirling Brannen, A. B. Belyea, Fred Hatt, Peter Farrell, W. E. Farrell.

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P. J. HUGHES, K.C., who has been named senior counsel for the prosecution in the William Robicheau murder trial

### CITIZEN'S PARTY MAKE OFFICIAL STATEMENT

Reply To Statements Made Last Evening By C. H. Forbes

The Citizens' Party has issued the following statement in reply to the remarks made last evening by C. Hedley Forbes, candidate for Mayor on the Opposition ticket.

#### Citizens' Party Statement

"The attention of the Citizens of Fredericton is directed to certain remarks made by C. Hedley Forbes in his radio address last evening. 'He made the statement that there was little or no direct relief in the City last year. The figure for direct

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### Elections Monday

ON MONDAY NEXT the rate-payers of the city will for the first time in many years have an opportunity of expressing their opinion on rival tickets in connection with a civic election. It is a healthy sign when people wake up and take an active interest in city affairs and we believe that while the number of citizens registered on the voters' list is small compared with the total population that an effort will be made by both tickets to get out the entire vote of approximately fifteen hundred on Monday next. The rate-payers of the city of Fredericton will have a chance to register their approval or their disapproval of the present administration at City Hall headed by Mayor Kitchen. The issues before the voters are clear and well defined. The citizens are on the whole intelligent and they have a grasp of the main questions which are before the public. They know the financial record of the present aldermen. They know whether or not they wish to RETAIN AS IT IS AT PRESENT THE POLICE COMMISSION WHICH HAS THE SUPPORT OF MR. FORBES, OF MR. COLWELL, OF DR. WRIGHT, OF DR. GOOD AND OF MR. LOUGHLIN. IF THEY WISH TO VOTE TO PUT THE CONTROL OF THE POLICE COMMISSION IN THE HANDS OF THE ELECTED REPRESENTATIVE OF THE CITY OF FREDERICTON AT THE COUNCIL BOARD THEY WILL RECOGNIZE THE FACT THAT THE TICKET HEADED BY MAYOR KITCHEN AND INCLUDING ALDERMAN MURRAY HAGERMAN, ALDERMAN DR. B. R. ROSS, WALTER H. VAIL AND ALDERMAN IVAN MCKNIGHT HAS PLEDGED ITSELF TO THE ABOLITION OF THE PRESENT SYSTEM OF ADMINISTRATION OF THE POLICE AFFAIRS. THE ALDERMEN WHO SEEK RE-ELECTION ARE PLEDGING THEMSELVES NOT TO COMMIT THE RATEPAYERS OF FREDERICTON TO THE EXPENDITURE OF HUGE SUMS OF MONEY IN CONNECTION WITH HOSPITAL EXPANSION. THE CITIZEN'S TICKET BELIEVES THAT SUCH AN EXPENSE IN CONNECTION WITH THE HOSPITAL WOULD INCREASE THE CIVIC DEBT AND THE CIVIC TAX RATE.

It is healthy to see the interest being manifested in city affairs. The candidates on each side are all good citizens. It is a question of whether you want the Police Commission abolished and whether you wish to avoid the expenditure of huge sums of money in connection with the hospital. The Citizen's ticket pledges its members to abolish the Police Commission and to keep down the three hundred thousand dollar grant to Victoria Hospital.

The Opposition ticket headed by C. Hedley Forbes wants the Police Commission retained, and the ticket HEADED BY MAYOR KITCHEN WANTS IT ABOLISHED. The ticket headed by Mayor Kitchen DOES NOT WANT TO COMMIT THE ELECTORS TO THE LARGE HOSPITAL EXPENDITURE AT THE PRESENT TIME. These are the principle issues of the campaign. It is important that all electors should vote. It is the elector's duty to vote in the best interests of the city which is our home and in which our property and other interests are bound up.

The facts are before you, ladies and gentlemen electors. Take your choice.

### STRIKING MINTO MINERS RETURN TO WORK ON MONDAY NEXT, JANUARY 10

Will Go As Individuals, Not As Union Representatives; Local Miners at Minto Take Action On Their Own Hook

(Special to The Daily Mail)  
MINTO, Jan. 8.—The striking miners who have been on strike since October 12th decided this morning to return to work and as many as can be taken back by the operators will go to work on Monday morning. This they decided to do on the advice of the local Union leaders at Minto and against the suggestion made by the U.M.W. officials.

of Hon. G. Howard Ferguson when he was High Commissioner to Great Britain.

Since then, it has been handled by Canada House in London through the Prime Minister's Office. The trade report, however, said in effect it was just money wasted, thus involving Mr. King's department in the dispute. So Mr. King promptly gave the appropriation back to Trade and Commerce.

Developments to date show that Hon. W. D. Euler, the Trade Minister, has won a distinct victory.

Operators at Minto state that since the strike began on October 12 many orders have been cancelled and that it might not be possible to take back all the striking miners who apply for work. It is understood however that the operators will do their best to solve the situation. Decision of the executive to comply with the stipulation of the operators that the men apply individually for work rather than be taken back in bodies was reached yesterday afternoon and was confirmed at another meeting held this morning at eleven o'clock. Thus the men go back to work as individuals and not as members of the U. M. W. of America.

The Conciliation Board sittings will begin at Fredericton on Monday. The U.M.W. executives have requested that these meetings be held at Minto and that they be made public but the ruling of the conciliation board is that they be held at Fredericton instead, and that they be held privately.

### Discussion of the Proposed Trade Pact Set For March 14

British Delegation Will Come To Washington to Confer With U. S. Experts

#### CLIMAX HULL ECON. PROGRAM

List of Articles on Which United States Is To Reduce Tariffs

### DYNAMITE UNDER BED, WOMAN IS NOT DISTURBED

MONTREAL, Jan. 8.—A store of dynamite under the bed might mean uneasy sleep to most people, but to Mrs. J. O. B. Petersen, now in Montreal visiting her mother, Mrs. C. W. Trenholme, it is just one of the things one gets used to. Mrs. Petersen has spent summers since 1931 in Greenland with her husband, who is engaged in geological work in the Halsteinsborg district. Last year for the first time, she remained through the winter, living in an Eskimo settlement. For six months the Petersens saw no other white person.

Conditions are primitive, but Mrs. Petersen considers it "a fine life" and is looking forward to going back. "I am busy every moment of the day there," she said, "helping my husband in the assaying laboratory, doing the cooking and washing—all the water has to be carried from wells or ice melted—and I go to bed every night feeling that I have done something."

In the summer the Petersens live in tents, but for the winter they moved into a one-room house. "It had been used as a warehouse for codfish, so the odor wasn't very good but we got used to that." The one room served as living quarters, work room and storehouse for such supplies as had to be protected from freezing. The dynamite had to be kept indoors, so "we put it under the bed."

Their food is similar to that of their Eskimo neighbors—elder duck, whale or porpoise, "and, of course, fish." A special treat is dried reindeer meat and reindeer tallow eaten together. For Christmas last year they had a rare tidbit—frozen seal.

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### Originator of Quoddy Dam Project Has Plan for St. Croix Power Survey

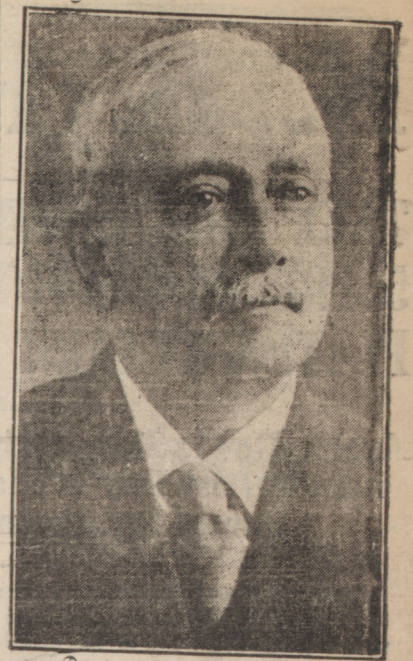
#### Dexter P. Cooper In Washington Seeking Approval of Work As W.P.A. Project; Owners Of Sites Agree

ST. STEPHEN, Jan. 8.—Dexter P. Cooper, originator of the Quoddy dam project, is now in Washington seeking Government authorization for a survey of the power sites on the St. Croix River as a W.P.A. enterprise. The survey would include the river from tidehead at St. Stephen - Milltown to the St. Croix Paper Company's dam at Woodland. Mr. Cooper has already secured permission to make the survey from the owners of the various power sites along the stream.

#### Calculate Power

While details are lacking, it is believed the purpose of the survey (Continued on Page Four)

#### Honorary President



DR. H. I. TAYLOR,

St. George physician, who for many years ably presided over the Department of Health and Labor in the Provincial Government, and who was elected honorary president of the New Brunswick Division of the Canadian Red Cross at the 23rd annual meeting in Saint John Tuesday. Mrs. N. Mark Mills of St. Stephen, was elected a vice-president.

### DR. H. L. STEWART ADDRESSES LOCAL TEACHERS' ASSN.

A meeting of the Local Teachers' Association was held in the High School auditorium on January 7 with the president O. V. B. Miller in the chair.

After a short business period Mr. Miller introduced the guest speaker Dr. H. L. Stewart, Professor of Philosophy and Economics at Dalhousie University.

Dr. Stewart in a comprehensive and thoroughly enjoyable manner delivered an address on "The Teaching Profession."

The speaker pointed out that various reasons may draw people to the teaching profession. They may be temperamentally suited to such a pursuit and feel that there is an enormous field of opportunity in developing the plastic minds which come under their influence. They may take advantage of their leisure time to develop an intellectual hobby. Although as a class teachers may be underpaid yet there are compensations which make the profession attractive to many.

A teacher, suggested Dr. Stewart, must do missionary work. There are people, more formidable by their position than their numbers, who criticize the work of the schools. The teacher, knowing the benefits of intellectual pursuits, must present to the child the riches of our culture before his mind is corrupted by this tide of criticism.

We live in an age of wild ventures when the teacher should be a force in calming bursts of fanaticism by unostentatious yet persistent influence.

The teacher must do more than convey a certain amount of knowledge. Pupils must become habituated to independent effort. The available time must not be wasted but should be directed towards imparting to the child all the intellectual treasures which he is capable of sharing.

The calling of the teacher, concluded the speaker, in spite of its disadvantages has its own exceeding great reward.

The president thanked the speaker expressing the appreciation of the teachers for the delightful manner in which this fine address was delivered and the meeting was then adjourned.

### KING STOPS PRINTING OF MARKETING REPORT THAT ANNOYED HON. MR. EULER

All Criticism of Canadian Advertising in England to be Deleted from Brochure, Ottawa Hears

OTTAWA, Jan. 8.—Prime Minister Mackenzie King has placed an official ban upon further circulation of the British Marketing Report, which caused a dispute in his Cabinet.

The printing presses, which were running off thousands of copies of the controversial report have been halted and the 85-page booklet will be re-written and "toned down." There is every indication that its frank and somewhat harsh criticisms of Canadian marketing methods in Great Britain will be completely removed. When it reaches the presses again, it

will be a much smaller volume, probably containing only the recommendations.

#### Transfers Appropriation

The storm which has raged between the Departments of Agriculture and Trade and Commerce since the report was published on December 9 has also forced Prime Minister King to transfer the annual publicity appropriation of \$350,000 from his own Department of External Affairs back to that of Trade and Commerce. This British advertising account was taken from the Trade Department at the request



CORDELL HULL, United States Secretary of State, who announces steps taken for trade co-operation.



HOLDS THE FORT

Hon. Joseph Napoleon Francoeur, who was elected in the by-election in Lotbiniere, with a record majority over a "nationalist."