

SPEAKERS FOR ENCAENIA ARE ANNOUNCED

Dr. W. O. Raymond, of Bishop's College, To Be Alumni Orator

U. N. B. Graduate 1902

Hon. R. B. Hanson Will Deliver Address to Graduates

The alumni oration at the encaenia exercises of the University of New Brunswick next month will be delivered this year by Dr. W. O. Raymond, professor of English at Bishop's College, Lennoxville, Quebec. Hon. R. B. Hanson, Minister of Trade and Commerce, will deliver the address to the graduating class of 1935.

Announcement of these speakers was made today by Dr. C. C. Jones, president of the University. Dr. Raymond was graduated from University of New Brunswick in the year 1902, and did post-graduate work in the department of English at the University of Michigan, where he received his degree of Doctor of Philosophy. He has been in charge of the English department at Bishop's College in Quebec for the past several years.

Hon. R. B. Hanson who will deliver the address to the graduating class, will be given the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws from the University of New Brunswick.

Dr. Raymond is the son of the late Rev. Dr. W. O. Raymond, a former Church of England rector of Saint John, who was a well known historian and being the author of "The History of the St. John River," and other works.

Dr. Raymond was graduated with a B.A. degree from University of New Brunswick with honors in Natural Science and Chemistry. Besides his present post at Bishop's College, Dr. Raymond taught English at the University of Michigan.

NEWS BRIEFS

"IT NEVER RAINS"

"It Never Rains," the play which was so successfully produced here last week by the Bliss Carman Chapter of the I.O.D.E., will be repeated on the evening of Wednesday, April 24, commencing at 8:30 o'clock in the Auditorium of the Provincial Normal School. Admission will be 40 cents. Better take this opportunity for an evening of fun and entertainment!

GIVEN A REMAND

John Granger, who was brought here from McGivney Junction by R. C.M.P. several days ago, appeared before Police Magistrate Walter Limerick here yesterday and was remanded until Thursday. Granger is charged with theft from a neighbor. Dana Gallagher, charged with assaulting Harry McLaughlin and occasioning actual bodily harm, also was given a remand, until April 23.

MEETING TONIGHT

The general committee which is arranging for the provincial celebration here on May 6 of the King's Silver Jubilee, will hold its third meeting this evening at the City Hall. Reports of sub-committees will be received and dealt with according to Ald. C. Hedley Forbes, chairman of the general committee. Sub-committee reports to be considered tonight are those from the Ball committee, and the Parade committee.

LUMBERMEN REPRESENTED

At lengthy afternoon and evening sittings of the New Brunswick Forest Operations Commission here yesterday, a number of representatives of the lumbering industry of the province appeared before the Commission and presented their views regarding certain matters under consideration. A. B. Gilbert, of St. John, the chairman, had nothing further to announce at the conclusion of the meeting at midnight last night. Among other things considered yesterday were a number of claims. There was considerable routine. All members of the commission were present.

TIMOTHY SEED PRODUCTION ON COMMER. BASIS

Advocated by E. M. Taylor for New Brunswick Farmers

Prepares Paper

Information on Fertilizing and Seed for Best Results Given

Timothy seed production on a commercial basis is advocated in a paper prepared by E. M. Taylor, Field Husbandman of the New Brunswick Department of Agriculture. The 1934 crop of timothy is styled by Mr. Taylor as "a real cash crop."

The paper, which deals at some length with best methods of fertilizing and seeding, is reprinted here-with:

Timothy seed production has become a commercial enterprise in Carleton county within the past three years. In 1932 it solved the surplus hay problems and while returns were not large it represented a commodity which was required and saleable. In 1933 it was effective in providing a market for surplus hay, and the crop drew a reasonably good cash return for farmers.

Market Price for Crop

It would be futile to prophesy the market price for this crop in the following year but conditions point to a fair price. Having in mind the uncertainty of the hay market and the fact that the Province imports a large quantity of this seed annually, it would seem that a demand could at least be expected along with a fair return.

First consideration should be given to quality. In this respect the attention of producers is drawn to experiments conducted last year with the application of fertilizer to timothy seed stands. These indicate that an application of from 100 to 150 pounds of nitrogenous fertilizer per acre will very considerably increase the seed crop and also result in a cleaner crop. This should be applied in the spring when the first signs of growth are evident.

The suggestion is also made that consideration should be given to seeding this crop in rows, when seeding down, and practising cultivation in the years following. It is felt that this would result in seed cleaner from weeds and with light applications of fertilizer a stand might be maintained for several years. This method of culture is reported from other countries. The writer has seen experimental plots of timothy in rows and if the results from these are of any value, they point to a practical method of growing timothy seed of good quality and satisfactory yield.

Choice Limited

To New Brunswick farmers the choice of cash crops is limited. Timothy seed production appears to be one of the most likely alternatives for the potato growing section. No special consideration has been given to the crop. Like Topsy "it has just grown," but that does not say there is not a better way of doing it. The above suggestions are made with a view to determining if there are better ways of growing this crop, and in order that those interested may experiment for themselves. The big problem is to control the ox-eye daisy which is difficult to separate from the seed which the Seed Act describes as a noxious weed.

If New Brunswick farmers acquire the same skill in growing timothy seed that they have in growing potatoes they will at least have two cash crop chances instead of one. Competition will exist with the trade but it is likely to be some time before Maritime seed requirements are supplied from local production.

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LOWER FREIGHT RATE EFFECTED FOR THE CAPITAL

Freight Rate from Western Canada to Maritimes Discussed

Executive Meeting

Display Window Will Be Utilized by Board as Advertising Scheme

At an executive meeting of the Fredericton Board of Trade last evening the information was given that the same freight rate from Western Canada to the Maritimes had been obtained to this city as is obtained for the city of Saint John.

It was pointed out that formerly it had been ten cents more to this city than it was to Saint John. The readjustment had been effected by the Maritime Freight Rates Commission. W. W. Hubbard, president, was in the chair at last night's meeting, others being, F. L. Cooper, G. W. Hodge, His Worship Mayor W. G. Clark, R. P. Allen, J. H. Malcolm, H. S. Murray, S. S. Miller, A. A. Shute, R. L. Phillips, W. T. Walker, J. T. Jennings, J. A. Reid, G. S. Armstrong and R. B. Edmonds, secretary.

It was moved by F. L. Cooper, seconded by W. T. Walker, that the resignation of the secretary, presented to the last general meeting of the Board, be accepted, to take effect April 30. The motion was carried.

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It was pointed out that a display window can be had from Emerson (Continued on Page Five)

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