

VALUABLE GIFTS PRESENTED TO HIST. SOCIETY

John R. Tweeddale of B. C. Sends Royal Standard and Indian Cradle

Many Matters Discussed

Progress Reported in Matter of Memorial to 104th Regiment

The York and Sunbury Historical Society has received an interesting and valuable gift through the courtesy of John R. Tweeddale, of Salmon Arm, B. C., a son of the late Augustus Tweeddale of this city. The gift is the Royal Standard which for years previous to Confederation flew from the flagstaff in front of Old Government House for many years under the regime of different governors. The flag is fifteen feet long and was used before the day of the Canadian Ensign. It is now resting in the museum and is one of the most highly prized exhibits of the large collection in the museum.

In addition to this Mr. Tweeddale has also sent the Society an Indian cradle, such as is often seen in the western country and is used by the Indian women to carry the papoose on their back and also left hanging on a tree when necessary. Many of these are to be seen through the western plains and in British Columbia.

Charles A. Taylor presided at last night's meeting of the executive committee of the York-Sunbury Historical Society Ltd., when many matters were discussed. These will doubtless receive much attention from visitors to the Society's Museum. Progress was reported in matters relating to the Memorial to the Old 104th New Brunswick Regiment, and the entertainment to be held when the evenings are cooler.

A committee consisting of Major F. A. Good, C. A. Taylor and R. P. Gorham, will arrange and care for the Society's entries at the Exhibition. It is anticipated that a uniform of the Old 104th Regiment will soon be presented to the Society. Lantern slides are being prepared, which will picture to those of the present time some people who in their day here were prominent or who later in life attained prominence in various fields. Many a notable person got his or her early education in Fredericton, a fact which perhaps many of us do not sufficiently recognize.

NEWS BRIEFS

TRIP TO GASPE

Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Smith have left on a motoring trip to the North Shore and will tour the Gaspé Coast before returning here. They plan to be gone for about ten days.

MARRIED YESTERDAY

A marriage of interest was performed at Christchurch Parish church yesterday afternoon at three o'clock when Ven. Archdeacon A. F. Bate united in marriage, Alice May Briggs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Briggs of Rusagons, to George Robert Hines, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hines also of Rusagons. The couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Byron A. Waugh of Rusagons. The bride was charmingly dressed and carried a bouquet of sweet peas.

TRAVELLED 4,000 MILES

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. G. Ledger of Toronto have been here for several days, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Woods. They left by motor this morning en route homeward by way of Ridgely duoup. Mr. and Mrs. Ledger came to the Maritimes on the recommendation of Mr. and Mrs. Woods daughter, Kathleen, and have travelled a distance of about 4,000 miles. Their car is equipped with trailer carrying all the equipment of a home, including kitchen and refrigerator, also sleeping accommodation. Only recently they arrived here after an enjoyable trip through Nova Scotia and parts of New Brunswick. Yesterday the couple, together with Mr. and Mrs. Woods, went to Brown's Flats for the day.

PROGRAM OF TESTS FOR ERADICATION OF T. B. IN CATTLE

Arrangements Now Being Made with Federal Health Branch

A Good Work

Planned to Examine 100,000 Head of Cattle For Reaction

A programme of testing cattle for the eradication of tuberculosis from New Brunswick dairy herds is at present being outlined by Hon. A. C. Taylor, Minister of Agriculture. The present untested area includes the counties of Restigouche, Gloucester, Northumberland, Kent and Albert.

As a preliminary step to this undertaking, Hon. Mr. Taylor has during the past several weeks been shaping arrangements with the Federal Health of Animals Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, under whose jurisdiction tuberculosis elimination work is conducted.

"I am fully appreciative," stated Mr. Taylor, "of the benefits already visible and likely to accrue as a result of the establishment during the past few years of a tuberculosis-free area now embracing roughly the western half of our province. Today I seek the support of our farmers in the task of making New Brunswick's dairy herds one hundred per cent pure."

Light reaction to the test in the present tuberculosis-free area of the province has been a weighty factor in the decision to extend the work to the remaining counties. Only one-half of one per cent of 145,000 cattle already tested have proven reactors. This total includes herds in Madawaska, Victoria, Carleton, York, Sunbury, Queens, Kings, Charlotte and St. John counties.

Cattle in the untested counties number somewhere near 100,000 head, and it is believed that the percentage of reactors among these will compare favorably with that of the tested area. All reactors will be promptly destroyed upon detection and a bonus paid to their owners.

Elimination of bovine tuberculosis is now recognized as an important safeguard to human health. Particularly it is a protection for young children who might otherwise be exposed to tubercular infection through consumption of unpasteurized milk produced by afflicted cattle.

OPERATED UPON

Donnie Minniweather, son of Fred Minniweather, was operated upon at the Victoria Hospital this week for appendicitis. Today his condition was reported to be improved.

MRS. HARRY M. INGRAHAM DIES

The death occurred at her home at Bear Island this week of Mrs. Florence A. Ingraham, wife of Harry M. Ingraham. She was 60 years of age. She had been ill for several weeks. Deceased was formerly Florence Williams, of Keswick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Williams. She is survived by five sons, Frederick, of Kingsclear; Ralph of Plaster Rock; Harry of Bear Island; William of Rossville, and Hazen, at home; also two daughters, Mrs. Alvin Scribner, of Scotch Settlement, and Miss Ella Ingraham at home; two sisters, Mrs. Alfred Williams of Devon, and Mrs. Grant Hawkins, of Mouth of Keswick; six brothers, Walter, Benjamin, Winfred and Archie of Keswick, and Charles of Houlton, Me., and Colborne of Kingsclear; also her husband. The funeral took place this afternoon with service from the late home at two o'clock with Rev. J. A. Corey officiating. A large number attended the service and interment was made at Bear Island.

POULTRY FIELD DAY TODAY AT EXPER. STATION

Officers Elected in Annual Meetings of Three Bodies

Luncheon At Noon

Special "Free-for-All" Judging Competition Underway

The Dominion Experimental Station's special poultry field day which began this morning at nine o'clock, attracted a large number of farmers today. C. F. Bailey, superintendent of the Station, was in charge.

Special features this morning were the annual meetings of the R. O. P. Society, the New Brunswick Poultry Producers Association, and the New Brunswick Registered Poultry Breeders' Association, at which reports were made and election of officers.

Carl Smith was elected president of the R.O.P. Society. John Woods was elected president of the Poultry Producers' Association, and W. A. Sansom was elected president of the Registered Poultry Breeders' Association. Extended discussion resulted on feeds for poultry and it was decided to report to the government and have them make a definite standard, giving full vitamin contents.

One of the outstanding items this morning was the "free-for-all" poultry judging competition, starting at nine o'clock. The Experimental Station donated five pedigreed cockerels as

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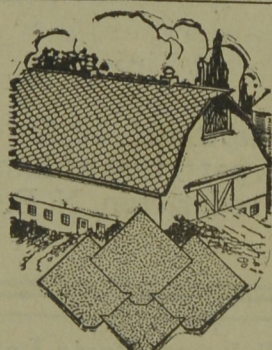
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