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WEALTH IN TOURISTS

Discussing the value of tourist travel to the Middle West, West the St. Paul Pioneer Press has this to say:

"The Wisconsin State Forestry Board has compiled figures on the tourist travel to the northern woods of that State and finds that more than \$1,000,000 was spent last summer by those in search of recreation. It is likely that the estimate is a conservative one; that the tourists and residents in search of outdoor enjoyment spent much more than \$1,000,000 and that many times a million could be obtained from the same source if the advantages of the Wisconsin lakes and woods were properly exploited.

Minnesota is in a position to derive a much greater revenue from its lakes, woods and climate than does the neighboring State. We have more than 10,000 lakes and each one of them is a natural summer resort with a charm all its own. There are thousands who come to Minnesota each year to fish, hunt and enjoy the luxury of our air and lake and woodland scenery. The people and railroads of this State probably took in last summer several times as much as the Wisconsin total contributed by those bent on an outing.

We have only commenced to realize on our exceptional advantages as a vacation district. We have in the attractiveness of Minnesota a natural resource that can be developed almost to an unlimited extent and we should not neglect our opportunities. The Legislature is making provision for advertising the advantages of the State would do well not to overlook the importance of attracting the summer resident as well as the settler."

What the Pioneer Press says of Wisconsin may be said with greater truth of the Province of New Brunswick. We have the woods and the mountain lakes, unparalleled scenery, a delightful summer climate and plenty of game and fish. In fact from the standpoint of the tourist the Middle West does not hold a candle to New Brunswick. Not only are our natural advantages ahead of theirs but our guides and woodsmen are the most expert on this continent. It is estimated that our tourist travel is now worth half a million dollars a year to this province.

There is no reason why it could not be made to pass the two million dollar mark in the course of a few years. We know of a case last summer where one man paid out \$1200 in cold cash for a three weeks canoeing and fishing trip on one of the rivers of this province and he got good value for the money. Other non-residents have expended large amounts on summer outings in the wilds of the province and have gone home well pleased. We have the country, but in these days of keen competition if we would attract tourists we must make a noise and spread printer's ink. It would be well for the Legislature in making provision for advertising the advantages of the province not to overlook the importance of getting after the summer resident as well as the settler.

A produce dealer in Montreal is quoted by the Star of that city as saying that if the United States government should remove the duties from agricultural products, famine prices would prevail in Canada. In other words if our farm products were given free access to the great markets of the United States the prices here would be boosted to the limit. During the reciprocity campaign of two years ago Tory flag-flappers went about the country telling the farmers that if the duties were removed Canada would be flooded with American farm produce and that the competition would be ruinous to them. Agriculture is the basis of all prosperity and if the farmers can get famine prices for all the produce they can raise those of us who are not tillers of the soil will be able to worry along some way.

The St. John Globe has made the discovery that the party in charge of local affairs in this province is "largely hostile to Liberalism." It is surprising that the Globe, which poses as a Liberal journal should support and accept patronage from such a combination.

According to a statement made in parliament yesterday by the Minister of Railways the cost of operating the Transcontinental railway from November 21st to January 1st was \$6,931. The receipts from freight traffic during the same period were \$2,049 and from passengers \$1233 a total of \$3282. This is not too bad a showing for a new road but no doubt the traffic receipts would be greatly increased if some effort were made to provide decent train connection with the Canada Eastern Branch of the I. C.R.

When Mr. O. S. Crockett, M. P., sat in opposition at Ottawa he thought nothing of spreading a five hour stunt on the pages of Hansard. Now that he is a back bencher supporting the government he seems to have developed into a man of a few words. His little eight word contribution to the naval debate reproduced in these columns yesterday was certainly a gem.

Hon. J. D. Reid, minister of customs, dismissed a Liberal from office and gave the job to his own brother. Hon. J. D. Hazen repatriated a brother-in-law from the United States and gave him a job in the marine department. Nepotism and Toryism go hand in hand.

Mr. O. S. Crockett, M. P., quietly crawled out of political oblivion at Ottawa last week long enough to address a question to his ancient enemy, Dr. Puglsey.

Earl Grey's defence of reciprocity in a letter to The London Times was a solar plexus blow to Old Country Toryism.

FORTY YEARS IN USE, 20 YEARS THE STANDARD, PRESCRIBED AND RECOMMENDED BY PHYSICIANS. FOR WOMAN'S AILMENTS, DR. MARTEL'S FEMALE PILLS, AT YOUR DRUGGIST

STOCK MARKET

New York, N.Y., Jan. 23—While the recovery in yesterday's market was due to short covering rather than any fresh buying in volume there was some evidence that speculative sentiment had veered to the view that much that was unfavorable in the immediate situation and prospect had been largely discounted. The knowledge that the proposed anti-trust legislation in the State of New Jersey would not disturb the status of holding companies already organized under the laws of that state established a helpful factor and also did the strong probability of the establishment of peace in the Balkans. Routine reports bearing upon business at large continued to be favorable of tenor, particularly railway earnings which, in the matter of gross returns at least, indicate no falling off in the volume of traffic.

	Open	Noon
Copper	74½	73½
Smelters	73½	72½
Atchison	105½	105
C.P.R.	245½	244½
Lehigh	161½	161½
Northern Pacific	119	119
Great Northern	128½	128½
Reading	165½	164½
Southern Pacific	106	105½
Union Pacific	160½	159½
U. S. Steel	64½	63½

MONTREAL MORNING SALES

(Quotations by J. M. Robinson & Sons, Bankers, St. John, N. B.)
 Molson's Bank—2 @ 196.
 Merchants Bank—5 @ 203.
 Royal Bank—5 @ 223½.
 Bank of Montreal—38 @ 244½.
 Bank of Hochelaga—5 @ 159½; 50 @ 246.
 C. P. R.—100 @ 245½; 175 @ 245; 1-1-3 @ 21; 284 @ 18½; 78 @ 18½.
 Crown Reserve—3625 @ 360.
 Porto Rico—19 @ 71½.
 Canners—25 @ 77.
 Cotton, Ltd.—20 @ 34½.
 Cement—8 @ 28½.
 Iron Corp.—25 @ 57½; 25 @ 57½; 60 @ 56½; 50 @ 56½.
 Detroit—150 @ 79½; 50 @ 79½.
 Laurentide—100 @ 232; 50 @ 232½.
 Power—150 @ 238½; 270 @ 238½; 200 @ 239.
 R. & O.—81 @ 17½.
 Quebec Rails—10 @ 18.
 Montreal Telegraph—10 @ 145.
 Ottawa Power—50 @ 189.
 Bell Telephone—100 @ 153½.
 Woods—125 @ 144½; 10 @ 145.
 Bell Rights—41 @ 92; 52 @ 92.
 Cement, Pfd.—33 @ 93.
 Spanish River—25 @ 97½.
 Ogilvy's—25 @ 156½; 100 @ 157.
 Tuckett's—3 @ 96.
 Iron, Pfd.—4 @ 102½; 5 @ 102.

PERSONAL

Mr. C. B. Stevens of Amherst is in the city.
 Mr. S. J. McGowan of St. John is registered at the Queen.
 Mr. W. M. Bristol of Halifax is in the city.
 Mr. A. J. Lawrence of Montreal arrived in the city last night.

BOSTON WELCOMES

HENRI BOURASSA

Boston, Mass., Jan. 21—When Hon. Henri Bourassa, the famous Nationalist leader rose to speak at the annual Ladies' Night dinner of the Canadian Club of Boston, one might have believed that all the Canadians who ever emigrated to this part of the States were Liberals. Women and men rose to their feet and cheered him roundly—a thing common enough among New Englanders but rare at the Canadian Club.

Mr. Bourassa instead of a political speech made an academic address upon the elements of patriotism and the needs of a people to preserve its traditions leading to the conclusion that "until Canada is ready to take a stand as a sovereign, independent nation," his only reference to the possibility: "I think it will remain a matter for the future."

"In Canada we are in certain respects better situated than you are. With us the tribal spirit, the provincial spirit is more kept up. We still have the French and English cleavage; it is childish to deny that and it is founded on honest and natural distinctions, there is every effort on the part of both peoples to keep up their traditions. You will find that Canada can exist as a British community, a Canadian entity, only by recognizing that both races must feel at home there, and in friendly competition."

"We are very patriotic in many ways; but I fear our patriotism is a little too strenuous, too boisterous. It gives out much noise on certain dates and takes much satisfaction in making noise on these dates for the country; the rest of the year it takes for itself, and newcomers are apt to even outdo the natives. It seems to me that if we had the proper brand of patriotism this could not happen"

MARKET MATTERS

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wharf site of the rear of the City Hall is again advocated, and may be dealt with by the Council.

AMENDMENT SUGGESTED

An amendment to the market by-law which will be of interest to all house keepers is the suggestion to have eggs sold by weight instead of number. The proposed system is said to work satisfactorily in other cities.

A malted cat belonging to W. H. Bartlett of Hastings-on-Hudson, N. Y. ran out of the house one night and hid in an excavation. Snow drifted on top of it to a depth of six feet. When workmen shovelled out the excavation, the cat jumped out and scampered home.

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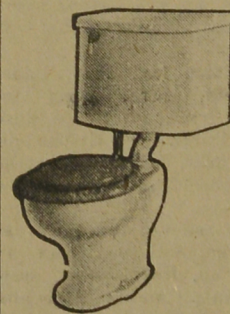
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