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### WHY NOT CANADA TOO?

The London Times, January 25th, 1913, has the following despatch from Sydney, N.S.W.—

"Mr. Pearce, federal minister for defence, today declares that the naval position is eminently satisfactory. Recruits are being enrolled in good numbers and are taking kindly to the training. The only trouble is to provide sufficient accommodation for the splendid material which is coming forward."

"From the admiralty," said Mr. Pearce, "we have received enthusiastic assistance both in the loan of H.M. cruisers Encounter and Pioneer and in the loan of skilled officers and instructors. In fact, the admiralty has shown it is most willing in every possible way to help the infant navy's development."

This is a striking contrast to the stand taken by the Tory party in Canada. While the Australians are building an effective navy and training an effective force of their own sons to man it, Mr. Borden merely proposes a donation of borrowed money while his followers declare it would be impossible to man a fleet unit with Canadians. The Tory trust in the people is evidently as conspicuous by its absence as ever. Under Mr. Borden's vacillating course Canada is falling hopelessly behind the other overseas dominions.

The Flemming school book policy was up for discussion in the House yesterday and Mr. Flack of Westmorland took occasion to express the opinion that there was too much public money getting tied up in this scheme. Another member suggested that vendors in future be compelled to pay cash for school books and another suggested that they should be handed exclusively by the teachers. The government should give these suggestions due consideration.

The members of the present local government when they were in opposition, took delight in compiling a statement of the liabilities of the province and giving the same to the public. After moving across to the treasury benches they seem to have got all over the habit. A statement of the liabilities of the province at the present time would make interesting reading.

Although the supporters of the Flemming government have things pretty much to themselves in the Legislature, signs are not wanting to show that they are not a happy family. There are quite a number of them who feel like going over to the opposition, but alas, there is no opposition to go to.

The sanctimonious Mr. Flemming has decided that the members of his government shall in future be known as ministers. He has been compelled however to make an exception in the case of the Hon. W. C. H. Grimmer and the Hon. H. F. McLeod. The people will forgive him for not making ministers of them.

The Legislative Assembly as at present constituted, does not furnish the members much of an opportunity to make reputations for themselves. The majority of the great statesmen of this country made their reputations while sitting in the cool shades of opposition.

President Woodrow Wilson is the second Democrat to occupy the White House since the civil war. His predecessor was the late Grover Cleveland, who was elected in 1884 and again in 1892.

In the light of recent developments in the Legislature that offer of \$5000 a year which is said to have been made to Premier Flemming to manage a private corporation has the earmarks of a frame-up.

It is about time that Commodore Stewart was handing a few razor-blades to his ancient enemy, Hon. John Morrissey, across the floors of the House.

## THE GOOD ROADS

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Mr. Tennant stated that the estimated cost was \$1,500 per mile.

Premier Flemming stated that he had been informed that the cost would be \$5,000 a mile but striking an average the cost of the proposed trunk roads would be \$2,000,000. To borrow that much would add \$80,000 per year to interest charges and that would mean taking just that much money from some provincial service already served.

Mr. Tennant stated that the trunk roads were not proposed to be built at once. Probably they would not be built in less than twenty years.

Hon. Mr. Flemming pointed out that the proposed trunk roads covered territory already served by railways. Prior to 1875 New Brunswick had assisted railways to the extent of upwards of two million dollars and to the extent of about three millions since that date. He could not see the wisdom of adding one hundred millions to those amounts in order to parallel those railways. He must ask Mr. Tennant who should be served, the autoists from Maine or the residents of the province. For himself he could state that he would favor no policy which would entail the expenditure of two millions for trunk roads as mentioned.

Outlining a highway policy for the future Hon. Mr. Flemming forecasted the appointment of a provincial engineer who would supervise highways and an annual expenditure of \$100,000 on permanent work to repair the highways.

The Good Roads Association had a chance to do a great work in educating the people of New Brunswick to the value of good roads.

In reply to Mr. Tennant the premier stated that Federal aid was expected toward the sum he had mentioned. It was intended that the province should give an amount equal to the Federal grant.

Mr. Tennant thanked the premier for his exceedingly lucid statement. He was gratified to learn that the Government had forestalled the Good Roads Association in the most important matter of the petition that of the appointment of a provincial engineer.

Mr. W. F. Burlett spoke briefly emphasizing the necessity for more education in the matter of highway improvement.

### GUBERNATORIAL FUNCTIONS.

The regular weekly reception of His Honor the Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Wood is taking place at the Queen Hotel this afternoon. Tomorrow night a double dinner will be given by His Honor at the Queen.

### NEW OFFICE CREATED

In accordance with the policy which has been adopted on other parts of the C. P. R., a new office, that of divisional surveyor, on the Atlantic division has been created. The new official, Mr. H. A. Chandler of Campbellton.

### PLEADED GUILTY

Joseph Kehoe and John Davidson of Sydney appeared before the police court this morning in connection with the disturbance at a school near Springhill on Thursday last. They pleaded guilty and were remanded till Friday for sentence.

### G. T. P. FREIGHT RATES

Mr. C. M. Rideout, traffic manager of the New Brunswick Division of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway is conferring this afternoon with members of the City Council and the Board of Trade executive with regard to freight rates on the G. T. P.

### SMALL MARKET TODAY

The country market today was slimly attended. Prices showed little change being as follows:—potatoes per lb., \$1.00; butter per lb., 28 cents; eggs per dozen, 28 cents; mutton per lb., 5 and 6 cents; lamb per lb., 8 to 10 cents; pork per lb., 10 to 11 cents; beef per lb., 5 to 9 cents.

### WENT TO ST. JOHN.

Detective James Roberts was in Kingsclear yesterday searching for the men who created a disturbance in a school-house last week. Two of the five concerned were arrested in the city yesterday morning. In Kingsclear Detective Roberts was informed that the other three had walked through to Harvey Station and there taken a train for St. John where they belong. The men now under arrest are said to belong to Sydney.

### DR. MACDONALD TO LECTURE

On (this) Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Brunswick Street Baptist Church Dr. MacDonald will deliver his lecture "Prayers from the Poets," Miss Lynds of the Normal School Staff will assist. The musical numbers include a solo by Mrs. Good and a male quartette and selections by the choir. As Dr. MacDonald is shortly to depart from the city no doubt many of his friends will take advantage of what will be one of the last opportunities to hear him in public.

## MARYSVILLE

### Town Council Held Their Last Regular Meeting--Mayor Hatt Present For The First Time in Several Months

Marysville, N. B., March 5.—The regular monthly meeting of this town council was held in Town Hall last evening, His Worship, Mayor C. H. Hatt was in the chair and the following aldermen were present: Millard Reid, William Reid, William Harris, Eugene Savage, Freeman Gilbert, Fred Brown and Thos. Morrison. Town Clerk A. D. Macpherson read the minutes of the previous meeting which were adopted. The usual monthly bills were ordered paid. Mr. D. E. Pickard was appointed polling clerk for the coming civic election which takes place on the first Monday in April. Those in charge of the polls in the different wards will be as follows:

Ward No. 1, Duncan Reid, Ward No. 2, James Estabrooks, Ward No. 3, Elwood Allen, Ward No. 4, Wm. Bubar.

The most amusing part of the meeting was the presence of Mayor Hatt, who has not been to a council meeting for several months. It was remarked that he wanted to be in at the death of the old board. The meeting was a very quiet and peaceable one, not much debating having taken place.

As yet no names have been made public as to who will be the next mayor, although it is understood that a dark horse will be in the field as who the next aldermen will be it is not yet known, some of the old ones will likely seek re-election.

Some of the members of Fredericton Lodge No. 6 Knights of Pythias are to visit Marysville lodge tomorrow night, on which occasion a second rank will be worked.

The Knights of Pythias Dramatic Club are getting along nicely with their show which will be put on at Hatt's Hall next Wednesday and Thursday evenings. A good evening's entertainment is promised to all those who attend.

### DR. TOWNSEND HERE

Dr. Townsend, superintendent of the Jordan Memorial Sanitarium at Riverglade, is at the Queen today. He is here for the purpose of inaugurating the system under which applications of tuberculosis subjects for admission to the sanitarium may be received. He was at Victoria Hospital today receiving applications.

### LIVELY FIGHT.

A lively fight followed last night's hockey match between the West End Angels and the Gibson team. The scrap started during the game and afterward was resumed on the highway bridge, where it was witnessed by several hundred people. A colored youth from the West End and a young fellow from Gibson were the principals and according to report, the Gibson boy had the better of it. The cry that the police were coming brought the fight to an abrupt end.

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