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### WEATHER CONDITIONS IN THE MIDDLE WEST

(Canadian Press)  
Toronto, Feb. 15.—The area of low pressure which was centred in Illinois yesterday has entirely disappeared and the high area which still covers the St. Lawrence Valley now dominates the weather from the Great Lakes to the maritime provinces. Sleet and rain fell yesterday in South western Ontario and heavy snow fell near Lake Ontario but did not extend very far east.

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Thus we find that speaking broadly Fredericton is in a favorable position to compete for distributing trade over the whole of New Brunswick, with the exception of the south coast which is served by water, the I.C.R. line from St. John to Moncton and the N.B. Southern from St. John to St. Stephen.

It must be borne in mind that in speaking thus far I have been referring to a class of commodities of which the freight forms a considerable percentage of the cost, and which cannot therefore be handled except under the most favorable conditions. There are others such as drugs, fancy goods, etc., which could be successfully jobbed from Fredericton all over the Maritime Provinces, as the increased freight rates to some points could easily be absorbed by the jobber, and it must be borne in mind that no City can be the sole centre for a great extent of territory.

### COST OF DOING BUSINESS.

We now come to the question of cost of doing business, and in this respect Fredericton has much to offer for favorable consideration. The cost of premises and warehouse room is naturally less than in a larger centre and numerous buildings are available for renting and favorable sites for building purposes.

The taxes in Fredericton are reasonable compared with other centres, and should be kept so in order to foster successful competition with other cities, for the amount of tax levied is a factor in the cost of doing business, and in that sense is one item in determining the cost of goods, and is as important as freight cost.

### OTHER ADVANTAGES.

Then Fredericton's physical conditions are good. Being a level City, the item of cartage is reduced to a minimum, and a single horse team is capable of handling as many goods as a double team or two single teams could in a hilly city. The importance of this item can be realized when we consider that is costs with drivers' wages, \$650.00 to \$700.00 yearly to maintain a single team, and this without reference to first cost or renewals.

Fredericton's excellent fire protection with resultant favorable insurance rates, might also be mentioned. Perhaps I have said enough to call R. F. Randolph—TWO

attention to some of Fredericton's advantages, which may be briefly summed up as follows:

1. Low cost of goods imported.
2. Large territory over which to do business under favorable conditions.
3. Reasonable taxes.
4. Good physical conditions.
5. Good fire protection.

In thinking of Fredericton's advantages as a jobbing centre it naturally suggests its advantages as a manufacturing centre, as the requirements are to a certain extent similar. Naturally manufactured specialties are not subject to the same restrictions as to distribution, which pertain in the case of heavy commodities, and many lines could be made

here and shipped to all parts of the Dominion, as is now being done with the product of several successful industries already located here.

To say nothing of the low cost of suitable sites to be found in Fredericton, there is one advantage of a small city over larger ones which deserves to be emphasized, and this is that the healthful natural lives that people can live must conduce to developing an intelligent class of work people whose product would be superior to that made by the inferior class to be found in larger cities.

O. H. SHARPE.

Mr. O. H. Sharpe, manager of the local branch of the Bank of British North America, spoke on "Banking." Dealing with Mr. Hubbard's proposal that banks work on a margin of one per cent., he understood that banks work on such a margin in densely populated districts in Germany. In Canada, however, such a margin would not be agreeable to the depositors. He regretted that such controversial subjects as government by commission and reciprocity had been barred. They should be discussed. (Hear! Hear!) He thought the dinner would bring results however. Fredericton ten years hence would be a different city from what it is now. (Applause.)

The program being concluded, President Jennings expressed the opinion that a good beginning had been made and hoped that the business men would co-operate in every way possible to advance Fredericton. The proposal had been made that such dinners be held monthly. He was not in position to say whether or not the proposal could be carried out. However it was probable that similar gatherings would be held in the future.

"God Save the King" brought the meeting to a close.

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## MANY NOTABLES SUBSCRIBE TO SHAKESPEAR'S MEMORIAL

New York, Feb. 15.—A Tribune cable from London says:

A petition was presented yesterday to the London County Council asking for a grant of the most favorable terms possible of the Council's offices in the spring gardens as a site for the Shakespeare National Theatre.

The Catholicity of the memorial movement is shown by the remarkable list of signatures to the petition which is headed by the Duke of Devonshire, the Duke of Argyll and the Marquis of Lansdowne. It contains the names of cabinet and former cabinet members, prelates, judges, university representatives, dramatists and painters—in short every phase of the nation. Intellectual and public life is reflected in pressing the Council to grant the request for a site.

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## A GREAT FIGHT FOR THE ESTATE OF MRS. EDDY

Boston, Mass., Feb. 15.—The first steps in the great fight for the big estate of Mary Baker G. Eddy, the dead founder of Christian Science, which promises some strange developments, have been taken.

The belligerents are the members of the Eddy family and the Mother Church of the Christian Scientists to which she bequeathed the bulk of her property.

The latest phase of the fight was revealed a few days ago in a brief despatch from Concord, N.H., which announced that George W. Baker of that city, a nephew of Mary Baker G. Eddy, had petitioned the Merrimack County Superior Court for permission to intervene in the suit now pending in that court brought by George W. Glover, Mrs. Eddy's son, against Henry M. Baker, executor of Mrs. Eddy's will, and the directors of the Mother Church at Boston.

This really means that the sons of Mrs. Eddy and the directors of the Mother Church are not going to have the big fight to themselves.

It means far more than this in menace to the Boston managers of the cult.

George W. Baker is the son of Geo. Sullivan Baker, the youngest and favorite brother of Mrs. Eddy. He is the only living nephew of the dead Christian Science leader, and, next to her sons, he is the closest of kin.

His legal representative in the fight for a share of Mrs. Eddy's millions will be Sherman E. Burroughs, of Manchester, N.H., member of the firm of Taggart & Burroughs, and one of the most prominent lawyers at the New England bar.

Baker is poor and works as a journeyman printer at Concord, where he was seen and interviewed but no word could be drawn from Mr. Baker as to the financial backing that had enabled him to retain one of the ablest lawyers of New Hampshire.

"I shall join in the action to break the will of my aunt, Mary Baker G. Eddy," said he, "and if the estate passes to me I will surely give a great share to my cousin, George Glover. I like him."

Mrs. Eddy's two sons, Glover and Dr. Eddy, are seriously handicapped by the fact that they, during Mrs. Eddy's life, accepted a large sum of money in satisfaction of their legal claims upon her estate.

Hence they have only been able to move against the will which bequeathes the bulk of the estate to the Mother Church upon the ground that it violates in its stipulations the statute law, and that it is therefore illegal and void.

But George W. Baker is not so handicapped. Although he was a joint petitioner with Glover and Dr. Eddy in the historic "next friends' suit," he was not included in the settlement made with the heirs.

No money was given to him. He was seemingly unconsidered and overlooked by the Eddy lawyers and the directors of the Mother Church.

As a consequence George W. Baker is now in full possession of all his rights as an heir of Mrs. Eddy, the closest next of kin unhampered by the settlement agreement.

Ottawa Journal: Miss Jean Balloch, of Fredericton (N. B.), is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Consens on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. F. de Laney Clements of St. John (N. B.), who were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Consens, have left for Montreal and Halifax.

Mr. H. G. Purdy, a rising young barrister of Amherst, N. S., is a guest at the Queen.

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