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DAILY HERALD.

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THE COON CAME DOWN.

Premier Tweedie's investigation into the charges made by one Nelson Eveleigh in charge of the government dairy at Sussex, has had prompt and important results that will not be satisfactory to the opposition leaders in the legislature, nor to the man whom they used to further their political ends.

It was apparent early in the recent session of the legislature that the opposition intended to make a determined attack on the affairs of the agricultural department, and the cat was out of the bag when Mr. Smith of Carleton read to the House a letter which he had received from Eveleigh, making charges against the personal habits and alleged inefficiency of the provincial dairy superintendents, especially Mr. Harvey Mitchell.

Eveleigh's insinuations or charges, were promptly met by telegrams which Hon. Mr. Farris read to the House, but the opposition continued to intimate that there was something wrong, and the government finally ordered a full investigation, which has closed at Sussex with the resignation of Eveleigh, and a full retraction of his charges and an apology to the men whom he sought to injure.

Eveleigh in view of the results reached, occupies rather an unenviable position, but he was evidently made the dupe of more designing men, who hoped to reap political profit from what they trapped him into writing. Eveleigh says he had no idea when he answered Mr. Smith's enquiries that his letter would be made public, nor did he realize the force of the charges which he made.

Mr. Smith, who is a very bitter opponent of the government, was on a fishing expedition when he wrote Eveleigh for information about the management of the Sussex dairy and school of instruction, and he found in the superintendent a man willing to make unfounded charges and insinuations against worthy men who were doing their duty in the important and responsible positions which they filled. Mr. Eveleigh no doubt regrets that he entered into confidential correspondence with an enemy of the government under which he enjoyed a good place, and if he occupies an unenviable position before the public, has been forced to resign his office, and appears as a humble retractor and apologist to the men he slandered, he has himself to blame while his intimation that he did not intend his correspondence to be made public demands an explanation from the quarter primarily responsible for the mess in which Eveleigh finds himself.

The Herald hazarded the opinion before the enquiry was complete that the charges against the dairy superintendents would fail; we especially expressed the belief that the slanders against Mr. Harvey Mitchell were unfounded, and it is most satisfactory to the friends of all the gentlemen charged that they no longer rest under the stigma which the opposition through the testimony of Eveleigh, sought to fasten on them.

The dairy superintendents are to be congratulated on having come out of the investigation with clean skirts, the government is to be felicitated on having so effectively pushed the enquiry into the false charges against their faithful officials, and for the men who made the accusations endeavoring to ruin the reputation and usefulness of respected and efficient servants of the government, there will be little commiseration.

There are fair and foul ways of fighting a government, and the parties on whom the dairy school investigation has rebounded with such force, will perhaps, be able to determine whether the plan of inviting servants of the government to furnish information which may be used as the basis of attack on the administration is one that should be followed.

FOOLISH RUSSIANS.

President Roosevelt is exerting himself to induce Russia to sue for peace, but does not appear to have made much progress in his conversation with the Russian Ambassador at Washington. Russia, Count Cassini says, will fight on hoping to secure a victory in the land campaign, but there is about as much prospect of that happening as there was a likelihood ten days ago of Rojstven-sky beating Togg.

The Russian bear just now is a very sick animal, and receives little sympathy as it displays its wounds. Bravado and boasting have counted for nothing against the plucky Japs, who in the end will be able to exact terms of peace that cannot fail to be most humiliating to the haughty Czar and his people.

Count Cassini boasts that Russia has not yet lost an inch of territory as a result of the war which technically may be correct, but she has lost Port Arthur, leased from China for the purpose of securing a southern ocean outlet, the fortress and cities which she has built in Manchuria at an expense of many millions, are in the hands of the enemy, the bulk of her navy is destroyed or captured, and her land and sea forces have been disastrously defeated in every important encounter.

The loss of territory is not everything; the loss of armies and navies and consequent loss of prestige to a foe which she despised is quite as humiliating to a proud and arrogant nation like Russia.

THE WISEST COURSE.

There will not be any bloodshed over the St. John river navigation difficulty, if the wise counsel of Attorney General Pugsley is followed.

Dr. Pugsley is endeavoring to secure by process of law the rights of the lumbermen of New Brunswick to the free progress of their wares to market by that great waterway, and it would be a bad policy to employ force while the legal proceedings are pending.

No doubt Mr. Pond had considerable provocation to pursue a strenuous course in getting the logs through the booms, but he has no justification at present to take measures that might imperil lives, and lead to grave international complications.

It is a peculiar feature of the affair that Mr. Pond, who is the belligerent party on the New Brunswick side of the boundary, is an American citizen, while the Van Rurey Company includes some prominent members who are British citizens and residents of this province.

The efforts that are to be made to effect a compromise of the difficulty pending the decision of the courts, it is hoped, will succeed, and it is hoped that we shall hear no more of armed men occupying the banks of the St. John river.

At the recent meeting of the Orange Grand Lodge at Owen Sound, Mr. Potts, a delegate from Brandon, Manitoba, declared the school legislation now before parliament represented the feeling of 75 per cent. of the western people.

BITS OF NEWS.

Items of Interest Culled from Our Exchanges and Other Sources.

Severe earthquakes have occurred in Central Japan, extending generally from the province of Hiroshima to the straits of Shimonoseki. The extent of the damage and loss of life are not yet known, but it is feared the losses are extensive.

A. F. McDonald, who for five years has been news editor of The Morning Chronicle of Halifax, has been promoted to the managing editorship of the paper in succession to W. E. McLellan, who has been appointed post office inspector for Nova Scotia.

It is understood that the British ambassador at Washington has notified the Canadian authorities that the United States government has refused to assent to the St. John River navigation matter going before the waterways commission for consideration and adjustment.

Robert Baird, a thirteen year old lad of Hopetown, Ontario, was found dead in his mother's barn Friday, hanging by the neck. He had been practising a game where the rope was put around the player's head and the player hanging longest without becoming dizzy was declared the winner. The game had become very popular with the boys at school but it will probably not prove so fascinating now. Baird was dead when his mother made the gruesome discovery.

The Orange Grand Lodge of British America, in its closing session at Owen Sound, Ont., elected the following officers: Grand master and sovereign, Dr. T. S. Sproule, M. P.; deputy grand master, Wm. Galbraith, Montreal; chaplain, Rev. Wm. Walsh, Brampton; secretary, W. M. Lockhart Allison; treasurer, W. J. Parkhill, Midland; director of ceremonies, T. Wallace, Woodbridge; lecturer, James F. Harper, Hamilton; deputy grand treasurer, Daniel McDougall, Glace Bay, N. S.; deputy grand treasurer, J. T. Joyce, Owen Sound, Ont.; deputy grand lecturer, Neil J. Morrison, New Brunswick; E. F. Purdy, Prince Edward Island; At W. Kelley, Nova Scotia; Thos. F. Butt, Newfoundland.

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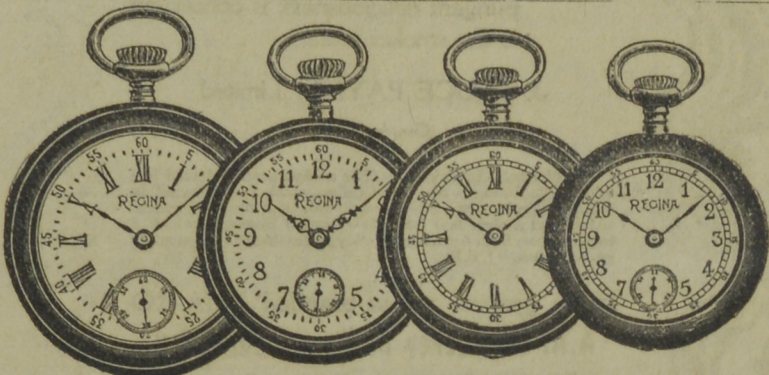
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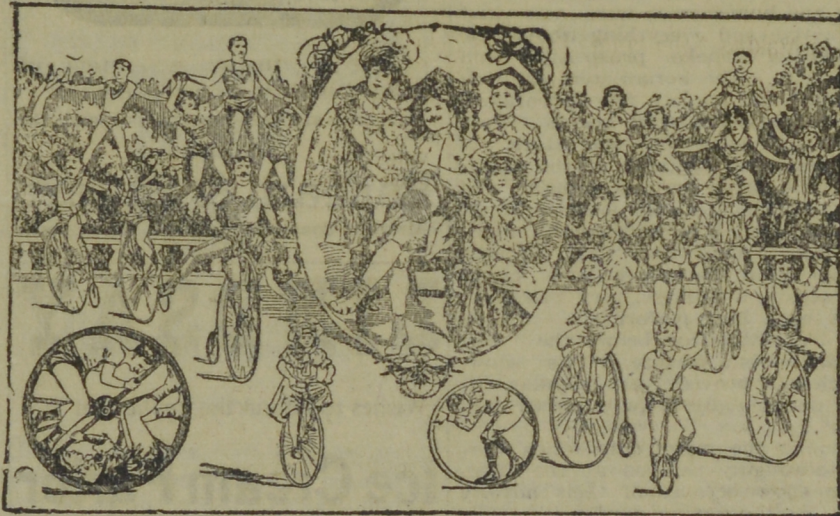
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AT THE CENTRAL PHARMACY

A few TOILET ARTICLES just received:

La Blache Face Powder,

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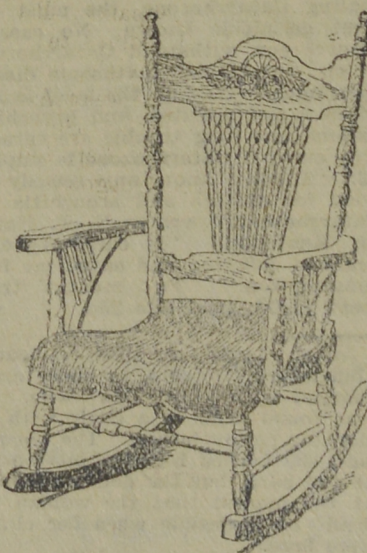
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