

GENERAL NEWS AND VIEWS

Empire Trade is the issue. The electrical and rain storm which visited this district last Saturday night was very severe in many sections and considerable damage is reported.

George Castator of the seventh of Vaughan had two valuable cows killed by lightning. The lightning struck a tree and the two cows seeking shelter beneath its branches met death.

The outbuildings of Archibald Patterson's farm in Vaughan Township, were almost destroyed after being struck by lightning about 10 o'clock when the storm was at its height.

Work on the new pavement to be laid in Stouffville is likely to start next week, according to Engineer Rose.

Grey County Council lowered the county tax rate for 1930 by half a mill, making the rate 9 1-2 mills.

A total of 598 fishermen with equipment valued at \$667,760, caught \$339,003 worth of fish in Georgian Bay last year.

At a meeting called last week it was decided to elect the officers to form a baseball club, and to enter a team to form a league with Newmarket, Aurora, Uxbridge, and Sutton.

One Victoria County farmer is going in for reforestation, but his forestry plans are unlike those being carried on in York County. He has fall wheat measuring 63 1-2 inches.

Reaching over to take a cigarette from the hand of a companion in a canoe Sunday afternoon, whilst paddling on Wilcox Lake, James Allison, aged 19, a young Scottish immigrant, employed on the farm of Henry Harvey of Bradford, lost his balance and fell overboard.

Struck by lightning during Saturday night's storm, the home of George White, Jane Street, North York was damaged to the extent of some \$200.

Traffic conditions on Yonge Street were freely discussed at the inquest to determine the cause of death of W. A. Scott, 38 Pemberton Ave., in the community hall last night.

Rev. J. E. Anderson, newly-elected minister of Woodbridge and Emery United Church, who comes from the Owen Sound Presbytery, was inducted last night in the United Church before a large congregation.

Although there was a heavy traffic over the week-end only minor accidents were reported on Yonge Street.

MAPLE

During the electric storm on Saturday night, the barn on Mr. Archie Patterson's farm at Carrville, was struck by lightning and destroyed.

Mr. Thos. McEwen, Principal of the Public School at Port Arthur, spent the week-end at the home of his sister Mrs. A. S. Kerr, and Mrs. McEwen is visiting here for the week.

Mrs. Howard Miller, of Toronto, has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Miller.

The Friloh group of C.G.I.T. left on Tuesday to spend a week with their leader Mrs. Fred Routley at her summer home in Muskoka.

Mrs. J. Richards visited her nieces Misses Marjorie and Jean Malloy in Aurora, prior to their leaving for a trip to England.

The monthly meeting of St. Andrew's W.M.S. was held last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. C. H. Snider. The programme was prepared by Mrs. H. E. Keffer and Mrs. Woods with instrumental selections by Miss Audrey McNaughton.

Allie Forrest is to be congratulated on taking the prize for the year's work in form 1-B at Aurora High School.

MAPLE PUBLIC SCHOOL PROMOTION EXAMS

Primer A to B.—Ruth Keffer, Gladys Lowry, Ralph Smith, Eleanor Miller, Orval Wilson, Glenn Rose, Tom Pollock.

Primer B to C.—Jean Keffer, Keith Jennings, Kenneth Jennings, Oscar Wilson, John Cave, Gray Gibson.

Primer C to Junior I.—Nelson Doner, Douglas-Smith, Kathleen Maginn, Billy Bailey, Audrey Baillie, Louise Gale, Howard Chapman, Pearson Jones, Redge Gunn, Bob Jones.

Junior I to Senior I.—Gertie Waud, Roy Thompson, Harvey Wilson, Grace Park, Ruby Pollock, Harry Chapman.

Junior I to Junior II.—Marguerite Smith (H), Doris Wilson (H), Elsie Keffer, Florence Cave, Alec Parson and Myrtle Keffer (equal), Marie Gunn, Lloyd Pollock (Rec. in spelling), Lawrence Wade, Helen Cousins, Harry Cooper, Ben Gale, (Rec. in Arithmetic).

Junior II to Senior II.—Elsie Jarrett. Junior II to Junior III.—Marion Oliver (H), Rose Doner, Mona Gibson, Edna Cave.

O. MacQUARRIE, teacher

Richvale

The annual Field Day of the East Vaughan Ratepayers Association will be held on SATURDAY, AUGUST 16. This was the decision made at a recent meeting and preparations are under way to make the event bigger and better than ever.

Presentation to Mrs. J. Leishman Members of the Women's Association surprised Mr. and Mrs. J. Leishman last Friday evening before their departure to Winnipeg.

CONCORD

PROMOTION EXAMINATIONS OF S. S. No. 7, VAUGHAN

Names are in order of merit. From 1st to 11th Class—Norma Gray (H); Jean Hicks, Betty Keffer, Bert Smith (Rec.)

From 11th to Junior III—Mary Witney.

From Junior III to Senior III—Elsie Sanderson, Dorothy Foster, Ruth Baker, Bruce Keffer, Earl Bone, Ruth Clark (Rec.), Arthur Poulton (Failed)

From Senior III to Junior IV—Florence Sanderson (H), Ruth Rudd (H), Marie Mortson (H), Irene Baker, Marion Sherman, William Baker (Rec.), Dorothy Gray (Rec.)

From Junior IV to Senior IV—Dorothy Keffer (H), Irwin Keen (H), Thomas Sherman, Gordon Gray, Margaret Hill.

Dorothy M. Ramsay, teacher

Facts People Should Know Carrying Canada's Trade To The Seven Seas

EXPANSION OF TRADE

Do you know that Liberal Policies have produced a greater expansion of trade than has ever been known in Canada.

No nation in the world has enjoyed the same proportionate increase in domestic export trade since the war as Canada, rising as it has from \$740,000,000 to \$1,363,000,000. This spectacular growth in trade is no mere matter of chance but is the result of policies wisely conceived by the Government of Canada and effectively administered by the Department of Trade and Commerce.

It can truly be said that the growth in Canada's export trade rests:— First—upon trade arrangements and conventions negotiated with Foreign Countries and on the British Preferential Tariffs enjoyed in other parts of the Empire.

Secondly—Upon an aggressive system of Commercial Intelligence, which has been constantly extended year by year until today there is hardly a strategic point of trade in the world in which Canada is not represented by an efficient Trade Commissioner staff.

Third—By substantial expenditure of publicity, both at home and abroad, in order to acquaint our people with the value of export trade, and to acquaint the people of foreign lands with the merchandise which Canada has to offer.

Fourth—By providing through subsidy more direct lines of communication from Canada to British and Foreign Countries so that our shippers might enjoy reasonable carrying charges, together with the advantages of direct shipment from Canadian Ports.

Fifth—By assisting in the easy movement of grain in providing increased facilities for the handling thereof on both the Pacific and Atlantic Coasts.

Sixth—By a definite policy for the enlargement of the nation's endeavors in Scientific and Industrial Research, to assist our producers in every line by providing scientific knowledge for the more economic and profitable development of our resources.

TRADE TREATIES NEGOTIATED.

Trade Treaties develop new markets. The Liberal Government has been foremost in making new trade treaties for the benefit of Canadian products and the Canadian consumer. These treaties have greatly extended our export trade beyond the wildest pre-war dreams.

The existing arrangement with New Zealand is to be revised and a new treaty negotiated. As announced by Mr. Dunning in his Budget speech, a new agreement is shortly to be concluded with Newfoundland.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE SERVICE EXTENDED.

The Liberal Government has greatly extended the Commercial Intelligence Service in order to aid Canadian exporters. This development can best be illustrated by the increase in the number of trade commissioner's officers. 1922 there were only 22 Trade Commission Offices abroad for the development of Canadian foreign trade.

SUBSIDIZED STEAMSHIP SERVICE.

Ocean services have been subsidized by the Department of Trade and Commerce to the following countries; New Zealand, South Africa, Brazil, Uruguay, the Argentine and the British West Indies and Australia.

These improved steamship services have led to a pronounced increase in trade with the countries affected.

Table with columns for New Zealand, Australia, and South Africa, showing Exports and Imports for 1921-22 and 1928-29.

BRITISH WEST INDIES In 1921-22 Canadian Trade with West Indies ... 13,408,663 14,460,079

The steamship subsidies to Brazil and the Argentine have been in force for less than two years. Already they have led to an increase of export trade over \$4,000,000.

DO YOU KNOW THAT UNDER LIBERAL POLICIES CANADA HAS BECOME A WORLD POWER IN COMMERCE?

The result of Liberal Policies is indicated by the enormous growth of Canadian trade since the Liberal Government came into power.

In 1921-22 the Foreign Trade of Canada was ... \$1,501,731,341 In 1928-29 the Foreign Trade of Canada was ... \$2,654,575,166

Our flag is on every sea. Our products are sent to the far corners of the earth.

In 1921-22, Canada's Foreign trade was ... \$ 740,240,680 \$747,804,332 In 1928-29, Canada's Foreign trade was ... 1,363,709,672 1,265,679,991

OUR TRADE FROM THE PACIFIC GATEWAY In the last few years there has been a phenomenal increase in Canadian exports to the Orient.

In 1921-22 Canadian exports to China were less than \$2,000,000 while our imports from China amounted to \$1,719,551.

In 1928-29 Canadian exports to China were more than \$24,000,000 and our imports over \$3,000,000.

GROWTH OF EXPORTS IN MANUFACTURED GOODS Conservative speakers will tell you that our export trade has been built on raw materials.

Do you know that the exports of fifty fully manufactured articles have increased from Two Hundred and Forty Millions in 1921-22, to over Four Hundred and Thirty Millions in 1928-29.

Do you know that Canada exports more manufactured goods per capita than any country in the world, with the possible exception of Great Britain?

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