

MAY GRANT REQUEST

TO HAVE CEDAR ISLAND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.

Deputation Waited Upon Col. the Hon. Sam Hughes, Minister of Militia—Estimate to be Secured of Cost of Wharf.

As the result of the action taken by the Kingston Yacht Club, the board of trade and city council, it is likely that the government will decide to throw open Cedar Island to the use of the public, as a picnic grounds.

On Monday afternoon, a deputation waited upon Col. the Hon. Sam Hughes, minister of militia, while the latter was at Barrfield camp, and asked that he use his influence to have the request granted.

The matter, it will be remembered, was first taken up, a few months ago, by the members of the Yacht Club, it being felt that it would be a good thing to have the island thrown open to the public, and that in addition, the government be asked to build a wharf so that boats could land at the island. At the present time it is a very difficult matter for small boats to land.

The island is at present under lease to W. J. Savage, of Kingston, but it is believed that the necessary arrangements can be made to have the island made public property for the summer months.

The minister of militia promised that he would have his engineer, Capt. Hughes, prepare an estimate of the cost of the erection of a wharf at the island.

Dr. J. W. Edwards, M.P., accompanied the deputation which appeared before the minister. It was representative of the city council, board of trade and Yacht Club, and was composed of the following:

Mayor F. J. Hoag, Dr. E. Ryan, Secretary Mackenzie of the board of trade, Charles Kirkpatrick, C. Macpherson, Neil Polson, Jr., Dr. Winnett, A. Dalton and John McKay.

Jones' Falls and Return.

Wednesday, June 12th, Rideau Queen leaves Swift's wharf at 6 a.m. Fare for the round trip, including Seeley's Bay, 50c.

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IN MARINE CIRCLES.

Movements of Vessels Along the Harbor Front.

The steamer Fisher arrived at Richardson's elevator, from Fort William, with a cargo of grain.

The steamship Jaska passed on her way from Oswego to Rideau canal points with coal.

The steamship Dundee and Danelm will pass up to-night.

The steamship Westport arrived in part from Cape Vincent on her way to Rideau canal ports.

The steamer Conger Coal, which has been undergoing repairs at the dock of the Kingston Shipbuilding company, cleared up the lake Monday night.

The steamer Tozer will soon be docked.

The steamer City of Hamilton passed down last night.

The M. T. Co. barge, Winnipeg, grain-laden, which sprang a leak in the Cornwall canal, will be taken to Montreal, where she will be unloaded.

The Calvin Wrecking company steamer which went to her assistance, put a steam pump on board.

Swift's wharf: Steamer Kingston, down and up; Aetha, down and up.

W. T. Co's elevator: The tug Thomson arrived from Montreal with three light barges; the steamer Kenora, grain-laden, from Fort William, is due to discharge, to-morrow morning.

The Turret Chief, grain-laden, from Fort William, is due to discharge on Thursday morning; the steamer Turret Court, grain-laden, is on the way; steamer Glenmount, grain-laden, from Fort William, will pass down on her way to Montreal, on Wednesday morning, and after discharging her cargo in Montreal, will clear for Sydney, to load steel rails for Fort William.

Food for the Circus.

The furnishing of a circus with food is like supplying a small town. The order for bread for Ringling Bros.' circus, to be here on Friday, is 400 loaves. It is thought, however, that they will use twice that quantity.

They have also ordered 150 gallons of dog cream.

Death of Maple Lawn Resident.

The remains of the late John Williamson, Maple Lawn, Glenburnie, who died about two weeks ago, were interred at Catarqui cemetery on Monday.

Mrs. Williamson, who has been ill in the city, at Joseph Morton's, Queen street, since her husband's death, is slowly convalescing.

THE SPORT REVIEW

THE VARIOUS LEAGUE BALL TEAMS ARE BUSY.

Schedules of the Mercantile and Sunday School Leagues Will Soon Commence—Other News of Sport.

With the City Baseball League teams, the S.S.A.A.A. and the Mercantile league teams all either practicing or playing on the cricket field it will be a busy place every night of the week.

A schedule has been drawn up for the mercantile league and the Sunday school schedule will likely be drawn up this week.

Some arrangements will have to be made to keep the leagues from clashing.

The city league game this coming Saturday is causing a great deal of interest among the fans. Each team has defeated the other.

The C.L.C.'s are a better batting team than last year, but as far as fielding goes they are not quite as good. The Victorias will be in fine shape for their clash with the locomotive workers.

Baseball Results.

National League—Boston, 11; St. Louis, 3. Philadelphia, 10; Cincinnati, 1. Brooklyn, 1; Pittsburgh, 0. Chicago, 9; New York, 8.

American League—Boston, 3; St. Louis, 2. Washington, 7; Detroit, 3. New York, 5; Chicago, 1. Philadelphia, 6; Cleveland, 3.

International League—Newark, 12; Providence, 10. Baltimore, 17; Jersey City, 3. Rochester, 7; Montreal, 4. Buffalo, 8; Toronto, 6.

Canadian Baseball League.

Things are stirring in lively fashion in the Canadian Baseball League these days. While Ottawa is stringing out a long lead, and London is talking of dropping out, the other teams are strengthening up.

Guelph has signed Killian, the former Toronto pitcher, and Blanchard, a right-handed pitcher from Utica, N.Y., who two years ago was tried out with the Philadelphia Athletics.

Hamilton has landed "Scotty" Cameron, of Baltimore, who was with Berlin last season. Cameron is a shortstop.

Road Records Broken.

Two world's records and two Canadian records were broken in the fifteen-mile invitation race run at the Toronto Island Stadium, Saturday night, and won by Longboat after one of the steadiest and brainiest contests of the Indian's career.

The starters were Longboat, Shrubbs, Wood and Quail. Shrubbs led from the start to the five miles, for which he set a new Canadian mark of 25:19. Then a weak ligament in his ankle began to bother him, and he stopped after going six and a half miles.

The other three ran bunched in this order: Wood, Quail, Longboat, to eight and one-half miles where Wood and the Indian took a short lead on Quail, which they gradually increased until at ten miles they led Quail by half a lap.

The time for the ten miles was 51:42 3-5, a new Canadian record, and the record distance for the start of 11 miles, 1:26 1-2, held by Shrubbs, was beaten by sixty-four yards. For the last five miles, Wood led by a scant yard, and although he tried to shake Longboat off the Indian clung doggedly.

In the last lap the two rivals ran like free starters, the final quarter being run in 1:02, and at the end of a magnificent sprint, Longboat nosed Wood out by a foot in the last five yards in the new record time of 1:18.10.

To Arrange for Conference.

A joint meeting of the civic finance committee and the marine and railway committee of the board of trade has been called for this afternoon to arrange for a conference with Hon. Frank Cochrane, minister of railways and canals, who will come down the Rideau on Friday on a tour of inspection, accompanied by Sir William Mackenzie, of the C.N.R., and several others. Kingston has several requests to present to the minister, and the committees will formulate them.

Send Out Envelope Stickers.

The past president of the Old Boys' association of Toronto, H. Y. Claxton, has sent to a number of Kingston merchants stickers advertising the Old Boys' excursion to Kingston on July 29th, and requested them to use them on their outgoing letters. This is a most effective way of reaching people likely to attend the reunion.

Rather Odd Sight.

A rather odd sight was witnessed in the harbor on Tuesday morning. The steamer St. Louis, on her way to Gananoque, had on board a couple of cows, and early in the morning one of the men could be seen milking the cows on board the vessel. The members of the crew certainly had fresh milk for their breakfast.

Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Jones, Rochester, N.Y., and their daughter, were in the city on Tuesday.

REPORTS OF QUEEN'S

Presented to the General Assembly at Edmonton.

The report of Queen's College, which was heard in part on Thursday, was taken up on Saturday by the general assembly at Edmonton, and Rev. Prof. Welsh, in a speech of cordial appreciation of Queen's, seconded the adoption of the report.

Principal McKay was in hearty agreement with all that Queen's wished, excepting the clause that allows the board of Queen's to remove or appoint, subject to the veto of the general assembly, to whom such appointments or removals shall be reported.

He moved that this clause be held in abeyance, and that a commission be appointed to frame a resolution covering all colleges in this matter.

Principal Gordon pointed out that it was hard for the assembly to hold an act of parliament in abeyance. The clause in question is just a repetition of a clause in Queen's charter.

Principal Gordon argued that it would be unwise and unprofitable to attempt to disturb the legislation now governing Queen's.

Rev. E. S. Scott, D.D., could not see that the old charter of Queen's should now control the theological department of the university. He strongly opposed the clause, and claimed that it created a chasm between the assembly and Queen's.

Rev. Dr. Ramsay gave a most distinct and frank and emphatic denial to what Dr. Scott had just said. As chairman of the special committee appointed to co-operate with the authorities of Queen's to secure legislation to cover the new situation he spoke as an expert.

Rev. W. G. Mackay saw difficulty in the assembly adopting the clause.

Rev. Dr. Bruce Taylor advised the assembly not to interfere with the legislation of Queen's as passed by parliament. The assembly voted down the amendment offered by Principal McKay and trusted the report of the board of trustees as submitted.

Dr. Bruce Taylor submitted the report of the temporary board of management of Queen's. James Cummings, of Lyn, seconded the adoption of the report.

WEDDED IN TORONTO.

Vernon Cambridge, Formerly of Yarker, Takes a Bride.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the residence of Rev. Dr. Hazelwood, Toronto, on Wednesday, June 5th, when Martha Maybelle, youngest daughter of Mrs. Catherine Essinger, was married to Vernon Cambridge, of Yarker. The pretty and attractive bride wore black silk and lace, embroidered gown, with pearl and brilliant bandeau. She carried white roses, lilies of the valley, and ferns. The groom's gift to her was a heavy engraved gold bracelet.

There were no attendants. Mrs. Essinger, mother of the bride, wore black silk and lace, and carried a bouquet of white roses and ferns. The ceremony at her home in Rosedale. After a recherche luncheon, the happy couple, amid showers of confetti, left on the five o'clock train for Kingston and eastern points.

The bride travelled in a custom-made blue suit, with black satin and tipped with red whip cord, and wore a large black picture hat, trimmed with satin, French dropping plumes, and Richmond roses. The presents were very costly and numerous, including many good-sized cheques. On their return, Mr. and Mrs. Cambridge will reside at 615 Church street, Toronto.

FORMAL TAKING OVER

Of Steamboat Companies—Robert Crawford Retires as President.

At the annual meeting of the St. Lawrence River and Thousand Island Steamboat company, held Monday afternoon, the former in this city and the latter at Cape Vincent, the chief matter of business was the transferring of these companies to the steamboat merger. The R. & O. company took over both these concerns.

C. J. Smith, general manager; J. V. O'Donoghue, assistant general manager, both of Montreal; H. F. Chaffee, general freight and passenger agent, of Toronto, and Percy Smith, secretary-treasurer, of Montreal, were present, representing the R. & O. company.

No change was made in the managing staff locally, with the exception of Robert Crawford, who retires as president. The local situation will likely stand for some little time as it is.

NEWS FROM THE Y.M.C.A.

More Swimming Medals—Camp Volunteers Use Building.

Additional medals have been awarded to a number of the boys of the Y.M.C.A. for qualifying in the swimming competition. No. 1 (or beginner's medal) was awarded to Andrew Painter, who has now learned to swim fifty feet since the classes started. No. 2 medals were awarded to the following: D. Robinson, H. Searle, C. Baiden, C. Baker and J. Renton, who have learned to swim fifty yards, fifty feet on their back and also to be able to take a neat dive.

A large number of the men attending Barrfield camp are taking advantage of the privileges of the association, which are accorded them free of charge.

A meeting of the board of directors was held in Monday evening, and some important business was discussed. It was decided to buy a safe for use in the office.

Bugle Band Excursion.

The 14th P. W. O. R. bugle band held a successful moonlight excursion to Clayton on Monday evening. The steamer America left at eight o'clock carrying five hundred passengers, who were given an hour at Clayton, arriving home at 1 a.m. The members of the band came out with a good surplus as the result of their undertaking.

Closing of Schools.

It is likely that members of the board of education will move to close the entrance classes on June 14th and the balance of the classes in the high and public schools on June 21st.

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ABERNETHY'S

BRIGHTON IS EXCITED

OVER A RESIDENT LEAVING HIS FAMILY

And Taking up His Abode With a Strange Fanatic—The "Convert" Refuses to Return to His Home.

The village of Brighton was startled on Saturday when Clarence Vincent, a well-to-do farmer near there, left his wife and three young children and set out bareheaded and barefooted to become a convert to Holy Rollerism.

His sudden departure was the result of a strange man's influence, one Sylvester Sabins, who some years ago got his peculiar views from a sect somewhere in the United States. Since that time Sabins has lived in a tent wherever he is permitted to pitch it.

He lets his hair grow and wears neither hat nor shoes, in the place of which he uses leather sandals bound to his feet with rags. He goes about ragged, dirty and sunburned. He has a wife and six children and they inhabit five tents which he has arranged on wheels so that they can be moved about from place to place.

This Sabins earns a scanty living by cutting lawns and assisting farmers in their fields. At first his wage system was to accept as pay whatever the Lord promoted his employers to give but finding some of them only very gently moved by the Divine being when handing him his wages, he set on his labors a price of twenty-five cents an hour. He eats no meat and no vegetables, his diet being grain, fish and nuts. He will not dine at the house of a farmer, but will go to his tent if hungry all day. The sight of this ragged-looking being with long black beard and bald head, brown with the sun, has caused to be a curiosity to the people of Brighton.

On Saturday, however, when a good home was dismembered of its support by this fellow's teaching, the whole village was indignant. Mr. Vincent's two brothers went to Sabins' place, where he had gone, and tried to bring him back without success. On Sunday afternoon, hundreds of the villagers were gathered to the place and the brothers had the constable get Vincent and bring him home. He will be examined as to his sanity.

The village is much upset over the matter. A short time ago a Miss Oliver, who lived near the village, was influenced by Sabins and she committed suicide by hanging. He never missed an opportunity of inciting his peculiar views. All the time the crowd was there on Sunday afternoon, he preached to them, but with little effect, however, for there is a grim determination among the people to be rid of him, and it is whispered that the township does not look after it something may happen.

SIX ARE EMPLOYED.

Where One Performed the Work in Years Past.

Addington conservators are reaping the benefit of the tory government at Toronto. On a reserve, in the northern part of the country, which covers about twenty square miles, six fire rangers are now engaged where one fire ranger hitherto performed the work. This will mean an additional \$1,000 for the work. A farmer from that section, in the city to-day, said the government pay \$1,000 for additional fire rangers, but only gave \$500 for the improvement of roads. If the additional \$1,000 had been put on the roads it would have been of some benefit in permitting the residents to get to the front.

Mrs. William Cruise, Sr., Toronto, formerly of the city, left Tuesday to visit her son, William Cruise, of Winnipeg, and her daughter, Mrs. N. G. Van Dyke, of Lacombe, Alta.

Misses Harriett and Mary Linton, Earl street, left on Tuesday for Winnipeg and Regina to visit their sister, Mrs. D. S. Prosser, Swift Current, Alta.

Only one contagious case was reported to the medical health officer last week. It was a case of diphtheria.

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Dominion Department of Mines Considering the Matter—No Further Enquiry Into the Lake Opinicon Disaster.

A special from Ottawa to the Whig says:

The plans for the proposed explosives testing station, which may be built on Division street, have arrived from England and are at the mines department. While this matter has been discussed there has been no definite decision to go ahead with the building.

Enquiry was made at the mines department as to whether the minister of mines or others had ordered an investigation into the explosion that occurred at Lake Opinicon, twenty-five miles from Kingston, lately, when eight lives were lost.

It is understood that both at the request and from other quarters it was learned that all reasonable precautionary measures to guard against accident were taken in this case. This largely weighed with the authorities in taking no steps to conduct an enquiry. At all events, from what can be learned at the department, none has been ordered.

THE SPIRIT OF THE PRESS

Time Will Tell.

Ottawa Journal. F. Green, the new conservative M.P. for Kootenay, was not so many years ago a cook in a lumber camp. He ought to be a good mixer.

Good Campaign Material.

London Advertiser. Ontario Liberals will circulate Sir James Whitney's speech against the banish-the-bar policy. It is good campaign literature for the Liberals.

Hit the Final Blow.

Hamilton Times. Government ownership and operation gets its deathblow—so far as the elevator business is concerned—from the conservative government at Ottawa.

An Irish Joke.

Ottawa Citizen. The Duke of Connaught told the prisoners at the Guelph prison farm that he hoped he would never have the pleasure of seeing them there again. This is not a bad specimen of an Irish joke.

Debt No Hindrance.

Winnipeg Free Press. The conservative party has objections to raise to the \$8,000,000 debt of the province, but it conveniently omits to mention that its internal storage elevator policy means trebling that debt.

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Hamilton Times. A \$20,000,000 railway bridge connecting Vancouver Island with the

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