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Furniture and Undertaking

Appointed Chief Engineer

Mr. J. M. R. Fairbairn has been appointed Chief Engineer of the C. P. R. system, replacing Mr. J. G. Sullivan, Chief Engineer, who is retiring to enter private practice.

Mr. Fairbairn, who has been the result of a service rendered to the company since he joined them in 1892, Mr. Fairbairn was born in Peterborough 15 years ago. He entered the Toronto University where he graduated in 1912.



J. M. R. Fairbairn

Following a short private practice in British Columbia, Mr. Fairbairn joined the Canadian Pacific Railway in 1912, in the position of Assistant Engineer at Montreal. He was later promoted to the position of Resident Engineer at Ottawa 12 months later. After three years in the Ottawa Division, he returned to Montreal as Division Engineer and was transferred to Toronto some months later, from where he returned to Montreal in November 1921, in a similar capacity. It was in October, 1923, that Mr. Fairbairn was made Principal Assistant of Montreal, two years later being promoted to Engineer of Maintenance of Way, and in June, 1931, was made Chief Engineer of Eastern lines, a position he occupied up to the time of his present promotion, which is the highest railway position attainable.

COME TO

Falls Summer Clearance Sale--- and August Furniture Sale

Thousands of Yards of Wanted Goods are in the Remnant and Mill End Sale

All at Prices one third less than their regular worth to-day
--They consist of Table Linens--Wash Goods--Towelings--Prints--
Flannelettes--Ginghams, Cottons

A Quick Sale of Men's Mighty Comfortable Hot Weather Suits

You go about in an ordinary worsted or serge suit and the weather is dreadful. You see the other fellow as cool as a trout in a stream--well dressed too. Breeze weave crash and tropical worsted suits that fit and look good, are in the Summer Clearance Sale at \$9.50, 12 to \$15 is their real worth.

These Days are hard on Feet

Better have enough Hosiery to change often it will help matters tremendously. Comfortable hosiery for all the family is to be had at small prices during the summer sale.

32c for \$1.00 silk Boot Stocking in many colors and white.
27c for Black or white Lisle thread Hose for women a 35c value.
33c for Children's lisle thread Hose in Pine and Sky, sizes 5 1-5 to 9 1-2, these are worth 60c a pair

Don't fume---Wear a Panama Hat

It is one of the simplest, quickest and cheapest solution of hot weather problems. \$2.25 now is the price of a lot of Men's Panama Hats that ought to bring \$3.50 and they do in most stores.

Even in the hottest, sultriest weather you will find Falls store cool--comfortable and a Pleasant Place to visit.

Cedar is Pleasanter to Smell than Camphor

And it is equally effective to keep away the moths--We are selling Red Cedar Chests that are ornamental as well as useful for \$6.00 that are worth \$7.00. The largest ones are selling for 7.50 and are worth \$8.50.

Pretty Wash Goods are going Fast at about Half Price

All the delightful materials that you want for Summer Frocks, Blouses, Skirts and children's Clothes fill Table after Table with their prettiness.
37c for pretty wash goods worth up to 65c a yard
47c for pretty wash goods worth 75c a yard
67c for pretty wash goods worth \$1.00 a yard.

Take a Dip in Lake Erie

A cooling thought and one that suggests Bathing Suits. All are liberally reduced for our Summer Sale.
--Women's Bathing Suits.
--Girls' Bathing Suits.
--Men's Bathing Suits.
--Boys' Bathing Suits.

The Downstairs Store is one of the Coolest Places in Simcoe---These You will find On Sale

Tea Pots, Betty Brown and Japanese Tea Pots, worth 25c for 19c.
Bronze and Gun Metal Candlesticks worth \$1.75 pair for 1.00.
Specials in Scrub Brushes at each 15c and 27c.
Sleeve and Ironing Boards in the Clearaway at each 10c.
Specials in Salad Bowls at 33c, 48c, 75c, \$1.00 and 1.25.
Three Bargains in Japanese Cups and Saucers at 20c, 25c, and 35c.
Five only Sick Room Glass Lamps at 50c item, sale price 25c.
Drinking Goblets, 5 dozen only, worth \$1.25 on sale dozen 77c.
English Muffin Dishes "Pointins" at the reductions
worth \$1.50 for 1.00
worth 1.75 for 1.25
worth 2.00 for 1.50
worth 2.50 for 1.75

Unusual values in Toilet Sets at \$4.50 to 8.50.
Odd covered Vegetable Dishes, in several decorations, regular \$1.00 to 2.50, selling at half price 50 to \$1.25.
China Cake Plates, assorted decorations, reg. 35c to 50c each, your choice 23c.
For a quick clearance at Half Price, a table of Sugar Bowls, Cream Pitchers and Gravy Boats--our large and beautiful collection of Dinner Sets will be offered at reduced prices, during the sale \$16 to 33.50.

Falls August Furniture Sale---The Sale that is being very liberally Patronized

Everything from a Footstool to a Drawing Room Suite is offered at great saving. Not a handful of this and a half portion of that and a corporal's guard of another--but a well rounded collection of everything in Furniture in liberal varieties and liberal values at a time when there is a scarcity of both, a sale of Furniture of Furniture that is a joy to own--a treat to live with and economy to buy.

H. S. FALLS

COMPANY, OF SIMCOE, LTD.

Devonshire.



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PROCLAMATION

GEORGE the FIFTH, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, KING, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To all to whom these presents shall come or whom the same may in any wise concern,--GREETING:

A Proclamation of conditional amnesty respecting men belonging to Class I under the Military Service Act, 1917, who have disobeyed our Proclamation of 13th October, 1917, or their orders to report for duty, or are deserters or absent without leave from the Canadian Expeditionary Force.

E. L. NEWCOMBE,) WHEREAS consider-
Deputy Minister of Justice,) able numbers of men
Canada.) belonging to Class I under our Military Service Act, 1917, called out on active service in our Canadian Expeditionary Force for the defence of Canada under Our Proclamation of 13th October, 1917, although they have thus become by law soldiers enlisted in the Military Service of Canada.

Have failed to report for duty as lawfully required of them under the said Military Service Act and the regulations thereunder, including the Order in Council duly passed on April 20 last;

Or have deserted.
Or absented themselves without leave from our Canadian Expeditionary Force.

And it is represented that the very serious and unfortunate situation in which these men find themselves is due in many cases to the fact that, notwithstanding the information and warning contained in Our Proclamation aforesaid, they have misunderstood their duty or obligation, or have been misled by the advice of ill-disposed, disloyal or seditious persons.

AND WHEREAS we desire, if possible, to avoid the infliction of the heavy penalties which the law imposes for the offences of which these soldiers have thus been guilty, and to afford them an opportunity within a limited time to report and make their services available in Our Canadian Expeditionary Force as is by law their bounden duty, and as is necessary for the defence of Our Dominion of Canada.

NOW KNOW YE, that we in the exercise of Our powers, and of Our good will and pleasure in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare and cause to be published and made known THAT THE PENALTIES OF THE LAW WILL NOT BE IMPOSED OR EXACTED as against the men who belong to Class I under Our Military Service Act, 1917, and who have disobeyed Our Proclamation aforesaid; or who have received notice from any of Our registrars or deputy registrars to report for duty on a day now past and have failed so to report; or who, having reported and obtained leave of absence, have failed to report at the expiry of their leave, or have become deserters from Our Expeditionary Force, PROVIDED THEY REPORT FOR DUTY ON OR BEFORE THE TWENTY FOURTH DAY OF AUGUST 1918.

AND WE DO HEREBY STRICTLY WARN AND SOLEMNLY IMPRESS UPON ALL SUCH MEN, and as well those who employ, harbour, conceal or assist them in their disobedience, that, if they persist in their failure to report, absence or desertion until the expiry of the last mentioned day, they will be pursued and punished with all the rigour and severity of the law, SUBJECT TO THE JUDGMENT OF OUR COURTS MARTIAL WHICH WILL BE CONVENED TO TRY SUCH CASES or other competent tribunals; and also that those who employ, harbour, conceal or assist such men will be held strictly accountable as offenders and subject to the pains, penalties and forfeitures in that behalf by law provided for their said offence.

Provided however that nothing contained in this Our Proclamation is intended to release the men aforesaid from their obligation to report for duty as soon as possible or to grant them immunity from arrest or detention in the meantime for the purpose of compelling them to perform their military duty; Our intention being merely to forego or remit the penalties heretofore incurred for failure to report, absence without leave or desertion incurred by those men of the description aforesaid who shall be in the proper discharge of their military duties on or before the said twenty-fourth day of August, 1918.

Of all of which Our loving subjects and all others whom these presents may concern are hereby required to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed. Witness: Our Right Trusty and Right Entirely Beloved Cousin and Counsellor, Victor Christian William, Duke of Devonshire, Marquess of Hartington, Earl of Devonshire, Earl of Burlington, Baron Cavendish of Hardwick, Baron Cavendish of Keighley, Knight of Our Most Noble Order of the Garter; One of Our Most Honourable Privy Council; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Knight Grand Cross of Our Royal Victorian Order; Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

At Our Government House, in Our City of OTTAWA, this FIRST day of AUGUST, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, and in the ninth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

Thomas Mulvey
Under-Secretary of State

County Council

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We also inspected the bridge over the Boston Creek between Walpole and the Indian reserve, and decided to build a new bridge, 14-foot span. All of which is respectfully submitted. (Signed)

U. A. STEWART, Chairman.

Stewart-Doyle--That Mr. Arrel be instructed to investigate the jurisdiction of the County of Haldimand in regard to the McKenzie Creek bridge, next to the Indian Reserve. Carried.

Pyle Sawle--That the report of the Special Committee on Communications be received and read. Carried.

Cayuga, July 27, 1918.

To the Warden and Members of the County Council:

Gentlemen--We, your Committee on Communications, beg leave to report as follows:

1. Re Communication of Seed Wheat, be filed with the Clerk.
2. Re letter from the Chief Architect's office be filed with the Clerk.
3. Re list of Auctioneers be filed and names published in the minutes.
4. Re resolution of County Council of Peterborough, that this Council memorialize the Provincial government to refund the counties the money collected be automobile licenses to be expended on the main roads of the different counties.
5. Re resolution from county of Waterloo; no action be taken.

C. J. SMELSER, Chairman.

Smith-Smithers--That report of committee on Communications be adopted as read. Carried.

McQuillan-Pyle--That we do now adjourn and that a committee of the Council assemble and meet at Caledonia for the inspection of the abutments of the County Bridge crossing the Grand River, as the abutments are in a dangerous condition at present, and decide as to necessary repairs that should be made, to meet at the bridge and decide the matter. Carried.

Lishman-Doyle--That we resume business with the Warden in the Warden in the Chair. Carried.

Sawle-Smith--That the Road and Bridge Committee be empowered to go on and let the contract for repairing the Caledonia bridge over the Grand River. Lost.

McQuillan-Houser in Amendment--That nothing be done to the Caledonia bridge at the present time, and that the matter be considered at the present meeting. Carried.

McQuillan-Doyle--That this Council do now adjourn to meet on the 9th prox at the usual time and place. Carried.

Haldimand Fairs

The following are the dates for the fall fairs in Haldimand:

JARVIS--Oct. 3.
Rainham--Sept. 17 and 18.
Dunnville--Sept. 19 and 20.
Cayuga--Sept. 24 and 25.
Caledonia--Oct. 10 and 11.
And the following are the school fairs dates.
Jarvis--Sept. 11.
Cayuga--Sept. 12.
Dunnville--Sept. 24.
Caledonia--Sept. 25.
Selkirk--Oct. 1.

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