

# MARITIME CASE IS ENDORSED BY ECONOMIC CONFERENCE

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### MIRACLE WROUGHT BY COMMITTEE

Dominion Bodies' Formation, Government Economy, Imperial Trade Included in Resolutions; President Beatty of C. P. R. Urges Immigration at Winnipeg Banquet

#### Maritime Resolution

Special to The Times-Star.

WINNIPEG, Nov. 18.—"Whereas the statements made to this conference of Boards of Trade and Chambers of Commerce of Canada by representatives of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island reveal a serious economic situation in those provinces.

"And whereas this serious situation is a menace to the welfare of the Dominion of Canada as a whole and therefore a matter of concern to all Canadians.

"Therefore be it resolved that this conference urge the Dominion Government immediately to take such steps as may be necessary and justifiable by the circumstances as will remedy the economic disabilities which now prevent the Maritime Provinces from realizing the advantages which under Confederation and the subsequent development of the Dominion of Canada should have accrued to them."

The above was the first resolution adopted by the great conference this afternoon, and it was greeted with more vigorous applause than any others of those adopted.

Canadian Press and Special Despatches

WINNIPEG, Nov. 18.—Formation of a Dominion Board of Trade, recognition and endorsement of the Maritime case, creation of a non-political advisory board on colonization and agricultural development, etc., were endorsed in resolutions formulated today at the final session of the first Dominion-wide economic conference.

Action, which-day deliberations of the conference which was participated in by individuals, and leaders from every section of Canada.

#### TELLS APPRECIATION

J. D. Palmer, in a few fervent words, expressed appreciation of the Maritime's resolution and declared that all the seaboard wanted was the removal of disabilities and its people would make it the gem of Canada.

Universal applause showed the feeling of the meeting. The last word of the convention was spoken by A. M. Belding, who introduced the delegates to themselves as the Fathers of the Second Confederation, the Confederation of mutual understanding, good-will and confidence, of whom it might be said as the tablet in Charlottetown says of the original fathers that they builded better than they knew.

Three cheers were given for Chairman Gundy and Mr. Belding and the conference closed with the fervent singing of the National Anthem.

The program and resolutions committee had wrought hard throughout the conference and are entitled to all credit for the manner in which they brought and kept the Maritime case before the rest of Canada. President L. W. Simms and F. MacLure Sclanders worked constantly, the former getting little sleep because he was on the resolution committee sitting very late each night. The whole Maritime delegation will return home entirely satisfied that the business men of the rest of Canada will back the Maritime along the lines indicated in the resolution. The Toronto Canadian Club has wired J. D. McKenna to address it next Monday, and he has accepted. Most of the delegates leave for home tomorrow.

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#### C. N. ASSURANCE GIVEN

Vice-President Vaughan, of the Canadian National Railways, in an address to the conference this afternoon assured the Maritimes that the management would do all in its power to deliver goods to Maritime ports for export, and he added that the Maritimes in his opinion deserved special consideration from the rest of Canada. The adoption of the resolution calling for the permanent organization of a Dominion Board of Trade, was the signal for an outburst of spontaneous enthusiasm.

#### NEW BODY'S FUNCTIONS

The functions of the new body, President Dawson, of the Montreal Board of Trade, explained, would be to act as the business intelligence of the Dominion, operating continuously and giving constant thought to the many problems of the country as they arise.

The national board, he said, would work on a similar basis to the United States Chamber of Commerce. It would be expected to reflect the views of the various boards of trade throughout Canada.

Important questions would be submitted to a referendum of the membership and when the decision of the members was ascertained, the results would be printed in pamphlet form and eventually presented to Parliament. Such a weight of opinion, Mr. Dawson believed, would establish in the minds of the legislators a policy of open frankness.

#### QUESTIONS TO CONSIDER

Some of the questions that the Dominion Board of Trade could consider and pronounce upon embrace tariff.

## More Motions Also Passed

WINNIPEG, Nov. 18.—Following are the texts of other important resolutions passed at the closing sessions of the first Dominion conference of the Boards of Trade and Chambers of Commerce:

**Resolution of colonization and immigration:**  
"That this conference respectfully urge upon the Federal Government:

"A.—The immediate creation of a small non-political advisory board on colonization and agriculture development composed of Canada's leading experts on the subject, and skilled business executives, such persons to be invited to contribute their time and skill as a matter of public service and without compensation other than expense allowance.

"B.—The official recognition of the fact that any attempt to exclude European agricultural colonists physically fit and of satisfactory mental and moral endowment purely on racial grounds must inevitably delay indefinitely the solution of our present problem for the sufficient reason that desirable agricultural settlers of northern origin are not available in sufficient volume to make any adequate impression on Canada's population problem.

#### FORWARD MOVEMENT

"C.—Recognition of the fact that there no longer exists the condition of free homesteads reasonably close to railroads, long-term credits on farm implements and supplies, and part time employment on railway construction that made it comparatively easy for people with small capital to settle on the land during the decade preceding the war.

#### PLEDGE BY DELEGATES

"E.—That each delegate pledges himself on his return home to devote time and effort towards interesting his board in the subject and creating an intelligent and aggressive public opinion thereon through meetings, the press and every other means in his power in order to give impetus to and strengthen the hands of the Federal Government in taking adequate measures to solve Canada's over-shadowing problem, viz: that of an early augmented population."

#### COAL PLAN URGED

"National coal policy.—Resolved, that in the opinion of this conference, a national coal policy for Canada should be formulated and every effort made by the Government of Canada to develop the coal industry and establish the use of Canadian coals in Canadian markets, so making it unnecessary to import coal and coke from other countries."

#### TRADE PARLEY

Foreign trade conference.—Resolved, that this conference of Dominion Boards of Trade and Chambers of Commerce endorses the principle of a national foreign trade conference for Canada, recommends that the Dominion Board of Trade, if and when formed, appoint a committee to prepare a plan in detail embodying the practical application of this endorsement and that such committee be advised to secure the co-operation of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association in the preparation of such plan."

#### ECONOMY SOUGHT

National economy.—"That this conference of Dominion Boards of Trade and Chambers of Commerce recommends to our governing bodies and to the citizens of Canada:

"1.—The practical recognition of the need for economy by all public bodies spending public monies raised by taxation or otherwise.

"2.—Expert examination by our governing bodies of Government expenditures with the object of eliminating, wherever possible, wasteful expenditure of public monies.

"3.—A determined effort by our federal, provincial and municipal governments to secure reliable information which will enable and justify the curtailment of unnecessary expenditures.

"4.—That our Dominion Government adopt the plan of either the British Government in its appointment of the Geddes Commission or the United States of America Government in its appointment of the Dawes Commission for the purpose of asking where wasteful public expenditure may be prevented so that the general desire for a reduction in taxation may be accorded.

## Weddings

Hamilton-White.

FREDERICTON, Nov. 18.—Hazen Alfred Hamilton and Mrs. Gertrude Belyea White were married at the Brunswick street Baptist parsonage in this city this afternoon, Rev. G. C. Warren performing the ceremony. The bride and groom both belong to Saint John and will make their home in that city.

Miss Maria Wilson.

GRAND FALLS, Nov. 18.—The death occurred here last Thursday of Miss Maria Wilson, eldest daughter of the late Leonard Wilson and Mrs. Wilson. She had been ill only two weeks. Surviving are her mother, Mrs. L. Wilson, and two brothers, Fred B. and William, residing here, and one brother, Ward, and two sisters, Mrs. Ralph Parker and Mrs. John Miller, of Boston. Another brother, Chas, died at Everett, Mass., less than two months ago. The funeral was held Saturday.

## Deaths

Louis Mullin.

Louis Mullin, 34 years old, gateman at the Nashua Pulp and Paper Company's mill, dropped dead from an attack of heart trouble at the mill about 7:30 o'clock last evening. The ambulance was called, but the man was pronounced dead and Dr. F. L. Kenney, the coroner, was sent for. Dr. Kenney declared death the result of heart failure and decided that an inquest was unnecessary. He gave permission for the removal of the body.

Charles D. Shaw.  
HOPEWELL, HILL, Nov. 18.—Friends in this locality regret to learn of the death in Weyburn, Sask., of Charles D. Shaw, a native of this parish, and a well known and highly esteemed resident of this locality up to a few years ago when he went west with his family to locate. Mr. Shaw was about 65 years of age, and was a son of the late James Shaw, his mother being a member of the late Chemical Road, near this village and carried on farming there. He was also for years road superintendent.

and commissioner of the Great Marsh. He is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Munson, of Wakefield, Albert county, and a large family; also one brother, Willard H. Shaw, and one sister, Miss Sarah Shaw, also residents of Weyburn.

Miss Anne d'Entremont.

YARMOUTH, Nov. 18.—Miss Ann Madilla d'Entremont, one of Yarmouth's oldest ladies, passed away at the Old Ladies' Home on Monday. She was 94 years of age and was a native of West Pubnico. A greater part of her life Miss d'Entremont resided in Boston and was one of the first employees on the Youth's Companion staff on which she served for several years. Following that Miss d'Entremont joined the staff of the Boston Traveler and remained with that journal until a few years ago when she retired and returned to Yarmouth. The funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon from the home and will be conducted by Rev. Bruce D. Knott, pastor of the Temple United Baptist church, of which she was an adherent.

Walter Goodwin.

YARMOUTH, Nov. 18.—The death is reported from Weymouth of Walter Goodwin, for nearly sixty years

a resident of that town. His passing was due to pneumonia. Mr. Goodwin was 71 years of age and in his younger years was a painter and decorator. Of late years he had been engaged in lumbering and farming. He leaves, besides his widow, four sons, Charles, of Chicago; Harry and Wendell, in Stoneham, Mass., and Thomas in Gardner, Mass., but all of whom were with their father at the last; also four daughters, Mrs. Guy Blackadar, Weymouth; Mrs. Emma Balcom, and Mrs. Arthur Tibbitts, and Miss Carrie Goodwin, R. N., all of Boston; one brother, Frank, Weymouth; two sisters, Mrs. William Moore, Weymouth, and Mrs. J. Arch Blackadar, Hebron. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. Gordon Pentz.

## M'Phee Nominated By Conservatives

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Nov. 18.—H. R. McPhee, barrister, of Charlottetown, was unanimously chosen at a Conservative convention to contest the provincial seat in the third district of Kings county, made vacant through the resignation of Hon. J. A. MacDonald, Provincial Minister of Works, who was elected to the Federal Parliament.

## Beatty Backs Large Outlay On Colonizing

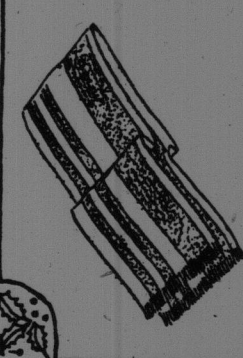
WINNIPEG, Nov. 18.—"The figure suggested by J. M. Imrie, of the Edmonton Board of Trade, of \$50,000,000 a year for five years as representing a proper expenditure by Canada toward colonization is not, in my opinion, too large," declared President E. W. Beatty, of the Canadian Pacific Railway, interviewed here today.

"When one considers that the investment is to secure permanent productive units for this country, it is not excessive and will be repaid in agricultural and industrial prosperity many times over in the next decade," said Mr. Beatty.

## STOCK SPLIT UP FAVORED

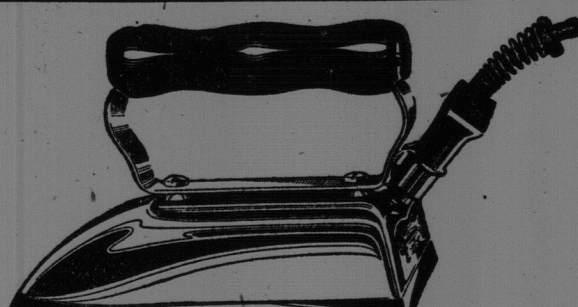
NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Directors of the Chrysler Corporation today, voted to split up the company's common stock on the basis of four new shares for one of the old, and to call a special meeting of stockholders for December 18, to ratify the plan.

## Men's Knitted Neck Scarfs



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## DOLLS!

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