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PULP AND POWER

(St. John Globe)

The Province of New Brunswick is wasteful and negligent to the extent of \$5,000,000 annually, and to an incalculable degree in terms of employment, development and general progress, according to results obtained in applying market values to figures compiled by the Dominion Statistics department, Ottawa. An average of 200,000 cords of pulpwood is exported annually, Ottawa indicates in a report covering 1917 and 1921, inclusive, while the same report shows that in that period an average of 131,000 cords of pulpwood was manufactured in the province. The pulpwood manufactured in the province was valued at, taking the average, \$6,107,000, compared with an average value of \$2,356,000 for the pulpwood sent out of the country to be converted into wood pulp in foreign mills by foreign labor. That is the quantity of pulpwood, manufactured at home, represented in wood pulp, twice the value of double that quantity sent out of the province in the raw state. In some years, notably 1920, exporting of pulpwood involved a tremendous loss in comparison with the value of wood pulp in that year. The ravishing of the forests for the benefit of foreign mills and foreign labor is only one of the losses sustained. Considered in relation to the development of our waterpowers, particularly, the Grand Falls, the export of pulpwood has a vital significance. To simplify, let us assume that the average of 200,000 cords of pulpwood is exported annually. That represents 660 cords a day during 300 working days in a year. Authorities on wood pulp manufacture figure that it takes two cords of wood to produce a ton of paper, hence the export represents potentially 330 tons of paper a day. Authorities also estimate that it would require one hundred times 330, or 33,000 horsepower, to manufacture the pulpwood into wood pulp. Right here the Grand Falls enters into the question, since the pulpwood now wasted in export would in its manufacture take half of the proposed initial development of 60,000 horsepower at Grand Falls. Industries allied to wood pulp manufacture would no doubt require a considerable quantity of the energy remaining to be allotted. In other words, taking the 1921 figures, the export of pulpwood represented a loss per ton of \$28, or a total of \$5,964,000 as compared with the manufactured product. Besides, it was a loss in employment, in development, in progress. It is a reason why the Grand Falls is only an example of science grandeur in an area remote and not easy to access, instead of the fountainhead of great material benefit and the heart of a powerful industrial system.

A WORD FOR CARVELL

Now that his political friends have come to power, Hon. Frank B. Carvell of Woodstock has come to trouble in the very house of his friends, as witness the following dispatch from Ottawa this week:

"An alleged election promise of Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Minister of Agriculture, that he would move for the removal of Hon. F. B. Carvell, as chairman of the Board of Railway Commissioners, led to warm discussion of the board in the House tonight. It was C. G. Coote, Progress member for MacLeod, who raised the topic. He said that last year, Mr. Motherwell had promised to make a statement in the House but had not done so. The Prime Minister had also said, added Mr. Coote, that the Minister of Agriculture had made to the Government certain representations with regard to such a removal and that the matter was under consideration. Hon. G. P. Graham, Minister of Railways, replied that the chairman of the railway commission could not be removed except by a vote of the House. It was not in the power of the Government to remove Mr. Carvell even if it wished to do so. So far as I am concerned, it does not wish to add Mr. Graham."

Mr. Carvell was a hard political fighter, a very hard fighter, but when it came a time that Canada was being tried in the balance, Mr. Carvell was for "Canada first." Not so much was known of Mr. Motherwell then and not so much interest in him in his present or his future, neither can too much be counted on from government led by Mr. King, but it will not be with the consent of the people of New Brunswick that any intrigue can prevail against Mr. Carvell.—St. Stephen Courier.

AND THEY CALLED IT JOURNALISM

One of the most notorious family scandals of recent years was reopened during the current week, not, however, by the contending parties who recently washed their dirty linen in a divorce court, but by the newspapers.

The most amazing thing about this disgusting exhibit of so-called journalistic enterprise is that it did not have the support of the favorite excuse "it's news" as a reason for its use by respectable newspapers.

When the threats of the discarded women of certain rich men become page one news it will become time for the thinking men and women of America to register a protest in terms that will leave no doubt of their own decency.

Editor & Publisher has no interest in the affairs of the Stillman family nor the Leeds woman but it is concerned about the state of mind of a profession that will lend itself to the collection of blackmail by threatening greater exposure.

That is the best that can be said of the Leeds story. It was unsupported by court action; in fact, it is nothing but the threat of a discarded plaything

against a man that quit paying.

There are big jobs for a worthwhile journalist to do in this world today and continued public confidence will depend upon the way they are done; so long as uncertainty holds the world in its grasp there will be bigger stories every day than disagreements among the wasters. The doers of the world are in the vast majority and it is them that a sane journalism will try to serve.—New York Editor & Publisher.

GRAND FALLS GORGE

(Grand Falls Observer)

Last week an attempt was made to give some slight idea of the beautiful scenery about Grand Falls. But not less wonderful and attractive than the great waterfall is the magnificent gorge through which the water rushes for nearly a mile. Below the falls the river suddenly narrows to a few hundred feet. At the bottom of this gorge, whose rocky banks rise to a great height, the mad waters rush with tremendous force. There are many sharp bends and miniature waterfalls. In this gorge is the cave, which romantic imaginations may people with ghosts and hobgoblins, and here, too, is the strange feature which distinguishes Grand Falls from all other places—the natural wells. These are deep cavities, most of them perfectly round, in the solid rock, supposedly worn by the action of the water. One is led to think of the ages it took to form these wells. All of them are filled with water, except one, which is supposed to be an outlet at the bottom, as it is filled only in high water. They vary in depth some being twenty or more feet, and from two to eight feet in diameter. Below the wells is the coffee mill, so called, a whirlpool where logs are rushed about and stripped of their bark, which gives the water the appearance of a dark liquid. Below that is the narrowest part of the river and the end of the gorge. The river then widens out and is soon calm as before. Here again, the scenery is magnificent. From the bank, we get a beautiful view of the river far beneath. A bend hides it from us for a distance, and then again we see it—like two calm lakes, deep and still, the wooded banks rising high on either side. We can hear the subdued roar of the falls and of the turbulent water rushing through the gorge, but here all is peace, not a ripple to suggest the wild turmoil. Is it not like life? The brightness of youth, the sparkle and sunshine, then the cares and sorrows, the wild excesses of joy and grief, the mad dashing against the cruel rocks of fate, and then peace, like the calm after storm, and in our ears only the echo of the past.

REGULAR MEETING OF TOWN COUNCIL

Ald. H. R. Nixon was the only absent member from the regular meeting of the Town Council, which was held last evening in the Town Hall. After routine business, the Council the treasurer read his report for May, which showed receipts \$663 and expenditures \$971.15. The different committees also presented their reports, which were on motion adopted.

A. G. Baker appeared before the Council relative to the dangerous roadway in front of Town Hall. Children were daily having narrow escapes with their lives as it is impossible for drivers of automobiles to see children on this road when turning the corner. The Council promised to give the matter serious consideration and steps will be taken towards having this danger removed.

E. A. Britton also appeared before Council as a delegate from the local G. W. V. A., asking the Council to take some steps towards repairing and keeping in condition the trench mortar and machine gun which had been presented to the Town. This being town property, the Veterans did not want to interfere by looking after these war emblems themselves. "Something should be done to have these preserved," remarked Mr. Britton, "but at present they are a disgrace to the town. These monuments represent the lives of some of our boys and the least that can be done by the town is to see that they are kept in a respectable condition."

It was moved by Ald. W. B. Nixon, seconded by Ald. H. H. Hatfield, that the gun and trench mortar be repaired by the town, as frame is placed under the protection of the town in future and under the guidance of Chief Murdock.

NEWSPAPER MEN COMING NEXT WEEK

As reported in this paper two weeks ago, the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association, travelling by a special train which the two great railways claim is the finest that they can assemble, will commence a tour of the Maritime Provinces, their first stopping place being at Fredericton. At our historic Capital the visitors will be guests of the Province. In the evening at the Parliament Buildings addresses will be delivered by Premier that the visitors will not forget the City and also by members of the Association. At St. John on Saturday the Association will be guests of the City, the Board of Trade and the Rotary Club at lunch, following which there will be a motor drive to the city's show places, which will surely be of great interest to the visitors. At the tea hour Mayor and Mrs. Fisher will entertain the ladies of the party at their home, and in the evening a dance at the Venetian Gardens is likely to round out a full day's program.

Fred H. Stevens, President of the Observer Newspapers, Limited, is New Brunswick Director of the C. W. N. A., and the receptions at St. John and Fredericton were initiated by him. Once they caught the spirit and the significance of the visit, of so great a number of newspaper men and women the government nor the cities needed no urging to prepare entertainment to fully sustain their splendid record for hospitality. In its

annual pilgrimages the C. W. N. A. has traversed the continent and has received whole-hearted ovations that have been memorable, and it is most satisfying to know that on their first visit to the Maritimes, Fredericton and St. John will have the opportunity to first extend the glad hand and the welcome will be so sincerely cordial that the visitors will not forget their first two days in what many of them consider the "Far East."

Among the party will be visitors from every province of Canada, more than fifty coming west of Winnipeg.

TO WED TODAY AT U. S. CHURCH

This afternoon, at three o'clock the marriage of Miss Florence Osborne Glass, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Glass and Murray McLaren Hay of Woodstock will be solemnized. The double ring service will be used and Rev. E. F. Holster will perform the ceremony. The bride will be gownned in white crepe-de-chene and radium lace with veil and orange blossoms, and she will carry a bouquet of opelia roses. Mrs. Robert Hay of Woodstock, sister-in-law of the groom, will be matron of honor and she will be gownned in green crepe-de-chene with hat to match and will carry a bouquet of pink carnations. Miss Jean Hay, cousin of the groom, will be bridesmaid and will be dressed in green crepe-de-chene with radium lace and will carry a bouquet of pink carnations. Miss Pauline Hay, another cousin of the groom, will render the solo "Oh! Promise Me." Her dress will be of grey crepe-de-chene and hat to match with strawberry trimming. The groom's mother will wear black tulle and the bride's mother will be clothed in black tulle. Miss Alice Ward and Miss Marion Baker will act as ushers, the former dressed in white voile with leghorn hat and Miss Baker in white organdie with hat to match.

The bride's travelling suit will be of navy polonette twill and hat to match and she will also wear an emerald neck choker, the gift of the groom.

The wedding march will be played by Mrs. C. S. Baker. The bride's home having been recently destroyed by fire there will be no reception and the young couple will start immediately after the ceremony on an auto trip to points of interest in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia to last several weeks. Later they will reside in Woodstock. Among the outside guests is J. P. Brand of Montreal who is the groom's employer. Mr. Brand is the Canadian manager of the L. N. Godfrey Lumber Co.

OBSERVER LOSE: A VALUED MEMBER OF STAFF

On May 31 Miss Mary MacMullin concluded her engagement with the Observer Newspapers, Limited, after four and one-half years of almost continuous service. During the past year she was the Company's secretary, and every department of the business so that she had a complete knowledge of all details of the office. Miss MacMullin's faithful devotion to her duties were recognized by the management and later they upon her departure for Detroit, she was presented with a purse of gold and the following address:

Dear Friend and Fellow Worker: We have heard this morning that you have concluded for the present, at least, your engagement with the Observer Newspapers, Limited, and we desire to express our real regret that you are leaving us. You have been with the Company so long that you seem almost a part of the business itself and we are, every one, sorry to know that you will not be here to share our woes or to help us in our many difficulties.

Wherever you may go we hope you will meet only with the true type of friends you have here and that what the world has in store for you will be always pleasant. We wish you everything good that Heaven can bestow—always good luck, always a chance to smile and that Old Man Trouble will give you a very wide berth. May Lady Luck will always dwell very close to you. We are giving you this purse, not because we are glad to see you go, but because it contains a sample of what we consider your worth is properly comparable to.

Fred H. Stevens, pres.
 Stanley Tompkins.
 Edmund Stratton.
 Howard Taylor.
 Betty Hannon.

PRESENTATION

On Wednesday evening last, a very delightful surprise party was held at the home of the Rev. C. N. Barten of Victoria in honor of his step-daughter, Miss Eva McAdam. Three autos full of young people from Hartland besides a number of people from Victoria helped to make the evening a joyful one. Games, singing of popular music and last of all, the eats! These were excellent, and made more so by generous dishes of ice-cream. As Miss McAdam is leaving this week for Keswick where she resides, her many friends of both sides of the river presented her with a French Navy mirror and comb. Miss McAdam expressed her appreciation for the gifts and before the party broke up, the guests voted Miss McAdam a hearty welcome for anytime she could come back.

IS INSPECTING ROADS

Florenceville, June 4.—D. W. Burpee, government road engineer, has been making an inspection of roads on the upper St. John Valley. While in Florenceville he arranged for local men to do patrol work on trunk roads. George Briggs of Centreville has been appointed to patrol the section from Florenceville to Boundary Line. George Caldwell will work on the section from Florenceville to Bath, while B. J. Bell will patrol from Florenceville to Hartland. James Hallett will do the section from Bath to Upper Kent. Everyone is anticipating a big improvement in the highways when these efficient men have started work.

WONDERS HOW SHE EVER ENDURED IT

Mrs. Connor Declares Stomach Trouble Was So Bad She Could Hardly Eat At All

"If I hadn't gotten Tanlac when I did I believe I would have had to go to a hospital," declared Mrs. Wm. Connor, 226 Hess St., Hamilton, Ont., recently.

"My stomach was so disordered that everything I ate made me deathly sick, and caused pains in the pit of my stomach that nearly drove me distracted. Often the agony was so great I couldn't help crying, and for two or three days at a time I wouldn't eat a morsel of food. I was as nervous as a witch, miserable for the want of sleep, and often wonder now how I lasted through it all."

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ARTHUR W. RICHARDSON

Death Last Wednesday of Former Hartland Boy

Arthur Willoughby Richardson, only child of the late George W. Richardson and of Elizabeth Doak Richardson, died at his home in Fort Fairfield this Wednesday morning, May 30, after being in poor health for the past year. Mr. Richardson was born in Woodstock, N. B., August 4, 1880, and was therefore nearly 43 years of age. He had lived in Fort Fairfield most of the time since he was 13 years of age. For a short time he was in Arizona for his health and for a while afterwards in Hartland, N. B.

Some years ago the deceased was married to Miss Augusta Hatfield of Limestone, who now resides near Boston.

Mr. Richardson was assistant postmaster at Fort Fairfield from 1904 to 1911 and postmaster from that time to 1916, making over a faithful and obliging official.

During the past two or three years of his failing health, as in fact before that time, Mr. Richardson was attended by his ever faithful and affectionate mother.

The hour of the funeral has not yet been announced, but will probably be on Friday, when a service will be held in charge of Eastern Frontier Lodge of Masons, of which Mr. Richardson was long a member.

The body will be taken to Fatten for burial by the side of that of his father, who died a few years ago.

Very many friends are filled with deep regret over the fact that Mr. Richardson was stricken down so early in life, but nevertheless feel a sense of gratitude that his long sufferings are now over. His mother in particular has the sympathy of all in her profound bereavement.—Fort Fairfield Review.

Cards of Thanks

We wish to manifest our appreciation to the many neighbors and friends who in so many ways assisted and sympathized with us during our recent sad bereavement in the death of our darling baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Orser.

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Mrs. H. P. Carvell and Family

IN MEMORIAM

Killed in action at Passchendaele, Nov. 6, 1917, Frank Albert Goodwin. "Gone but not forgotten."

Mother and Family.

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