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NEWCASTLE, N. B.

HON. DR. PUGSLEY TO VISIT NEWCASTLE.

Was Bathurst Last Week and Inspected Harbor There.

WILL PROBABLY SPEAK HERE THURSDAY.

Will Look Over Site Selected by the Drummonds for the Shipment of Ore Here.

Hon. Wm. Pugsley, Minister of Public Works, reached his summer residence at Bathurst by the Ocean Limited Sunday night after his tour of the Dominion. The Minister is slightly fatigued after the laborious tour on his tour and will remain here some time. While in St. John he will be tendered a complimentary banquet by his political friends of this city and the province in general.

The Minister of Public Works expressed himself as being satisfied with the results of his tour which placed him in touch with practically all parts of Canada. He was particularly impressed with the possibilities of the northern part of this province, which he visited during the latter part of his tour.

ENTHUSIASTICALLY RECEIVED.

Hon. Mr. Pugsley was enthusiastically received at both Campbellton and Bathurst. The first named place was visited on Friday. The Minister was taken on a special train over the International Railway which is being built from Campbellton to St. Leonard's and which is rapidly nearing completion. Hon. Mr. Pugsley was enabled to see of what benefit the new railway would be to the northern section of the province in opening up the hunting and settlement lands.

The minister also made an inspection of the water front of Campbellton, where certain improvements have been asked.

Friday was spent by Mr. Pugsley at Bathurst. He inspected the harbor and in the evening attended a public meeting in his honor and also a dinner at a public meeting. The development of the Goussier County iron deposits will benefit the shipping of Bathurst as a port. The Drummond mine will need a port for the shipment of its ore and will eventually use Bathurst as that port. Bathurst Harbor needs much improvement, however, before it can be used as a port. Extensive dredging will be necessary and the people of Bathurst are desirous of having the Department of Public Works made aware of the needs of their harbor.

The minister was very favorably impressed with the harbor at both Campbellton and Bathurst.

A telegram from St. John announced that Hon. D. Pugsley will be here on Thursday afternoon and that he will probably address a public meeting in the afternoon. Hon. Mr. Pugsley is a lively man in the way of his conversation and although he has not been in the province for long he has made a number of friends and is finishing his work by an inspection of the facilities of the North Shore. While here he will look over the proposed water front of the Drummond people for shipping ore. He will also visit Chatham.

ANOTHER CRIME AT PLASTER ROCK

Englishman Lying at Point of Death.

SHOT BY AN ITALIAN.

Assistant Arrested and is now in Jail at Andover Awaiting Trial.

Another serious shooting affray which may result in another charge of murder being laid, occurred Monday afternoon on the line of the G. T. P. m. McDonald's camp, three miles from Plaster Rock, when Samuel Polley, an Italian, shot James Gorman, an Englishman. The bullet entered the man's abdomen piercing the bowels.

MEN DRINKING REPORT SAYS.

As near as can be ascertained the shooting occurred about 1 o'clock. It was said that the men had been drinking together. After dinner they commenced quarreling in the yard of the camp and were soon engaged in a fight with the fist in which the Englishman had much the better of his opponent. Suddenly Polley went away from Gorman and walked towards the bunk house. He soon reappeared with a .32 calibre revolver in his hand. He only fired the one shot but Gorman threw up his hands

and fell to the ground with a groan.

WORKMEN DISARMED HIM.

In the meantime the rest of the men who had been spectators of the terrible deed ran to the Italian and knocked the smoking weapon from his hand.

DID NOT RESIST ARREST.

Polley had not time to resist and offered no resistance when arrested. He requested leave to telephone to Phillips & Gorden's camp across the river but this was refused. The constable drove the prisoner back to Plaster Rock in the single rig which he had brought. Here he secured an express wagon with two horses for the further drive of twenty-eight miles to Perth. On the way they passed Phillips & Gorden's camp and the Italian asked permission to call in and speak to some of his friends but again met with refusal. The prisoner showed a disposition to be talkative but was warned that whatever he said would be used in evidence against him. He told the constable that he and Gorman had got into a quarrel which was followed by a fight with fists but he did not state what the cause of the quarrel was.

THE WOUNDED MAN.

Dr. Coffin made the wounded man as comfortable in the camp as circumstances would admit. He was carried into the bunk house and as soon as the serious nature of his injuries was learned, Dr. Taylor, of Plaster Rock, and Dr. Puddington, of Grand Falls, were summoned. Dr. Puddington drove through to the camp in an automobile and as a result of a consultation decided to operate in the hope of saving the man's life.

At 3:30 yesterday morning a telephone message from Andover stated that the three doctors had just completed the operation. They were unable to find the bullet which had lodged in the muscles back of the abdomen. There were three perforations of the bowels. Peritonitis had set in and it was said his chances of recovery were slim.

TWENTY-THREE LIVES LOST.

Mexican Flood Causes Great Devastation and Ruin.

CANADIANS HARD HIT.

Ninety-Six Hours Downpour has Caused Enormous Damage to Many Sections.

Monterrey, Mex., Sept. 1.—Fifty hundred persons are reported homeless, and property estimated at the extent of \$2,000,000, as a result of a flood which broke out between 11 and 12 o'clock yesterday morning.

SEVEN DROWNED.

Mexico City, Mex., Sept. 1. The Associated Press correspondent at Monterrey reports that seven persons have been drowned as a result of the flood which broke out yesterday morning. From other sources it is learned that the damage to property is estimated at \$2,000,000. The flood broke out at the town of the Monterrey Steel Company, 24,000,000 lbs. of Mexican Steel Smelting and Refining Company. The city has had from the United States.

A special dispatch to the Herald says that more than 1,000 persons are homeless and that many have been drowned. The correspondent estimates that property lost at \$2,000,000.

The subject of the flood and the loss of life is under way. The correspondent says that the public opinion is growing of the necessity of a river is rising. The flood broke out at the town of the Monterrey Steel Company, 24,000,000 lbs. of Mexican Steel Smelting and Refining Company. The city has had from the United States.

CANADIANS COULDED.

The electric light and water supply system of Monterrey, modern in every respect, and constructed about three years ago by a Canadian company, in which the Mackenzies of Canada, or heavily interested, was damaged to the extent of approximately \$1,000,000.

The Monterrey water and sewerage systems suffered a loss estimated at \$1,000,000 as a result.

Both the electric and street railway systems and the water works and drainage system were damaged by Canadian capitalists. A hard fight was made to obtain a company to secure concessions for the installation of these modern improvements a few years ago and their loss will be heavy.

It is noted that the river has risen to a height of 50 or 60 feet.

Plaster the Stars and Stripes for American victory—says the Toronto Star—is on a par with sending beautiful young women to teach Christianity to Chinamen. It is a case of watering the soil until it slopes over.

Carleton county potato shippers and growers are looking forward with great interest to marketing time, when a test can be made of the Cuban market. The crop is excellent and the acreage much more than ever before.

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