

# POOR DOCUMENT

THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., TUESDAY, JULY 19, 1921

## COAL, IRON AND CLAY IN SIMONDS

Prospectors Now on Search, and Reports of Finds are Received.

It was reported by county officials this morning that two prospectors were touring the parish of Simonds in quest of deposits of coal, iron and potter's clay which have been reported in various parts of the parish. They are now reported carrying out their search in the vicinity of the old Black River road. It is understood that some samples have been taken but no definite estimate of their commercial value has been ascertained.

## REPORTS FROM FOREST FIRES BETTER TODAY

(Special to The Times.)  
Fredericton, N. B., July 19.—The report from the McLeod fire which broke out on Sunday night is now much more favorable. Yesterday a call was sent in for more men and about fifty were sent to it, but this crew is necessary to keep the fire from spreading. Aside from this there is no danger as the fire, in its present location is under control.

Recent word from the Bushy's Sliding fire is that the flames have not reached the railroad. It is reported controlled.

The last report from the Mill Stream fire is also favorable.

A fire has broken out three or four miles from Ripples, and two crews have been sent to it. It is now thought to be controlled.

The fire which broke out on Bald Mountain just before the heavy shower of Thursday is now under control.

Two hours rainfall last night at Newcastle and heavy rainfall at Campbellton from Madawaska County.

The smoke has been very dense for the last few days and this makes the work of the look-outs difficult. It is thought that last night's rain was rather general and will aid somewhat in the work of controlling the forest fires.

## EMPIRE SUBJECTS AT CONFERENCE

London, July 19.—(By Grant O'Leary, staff correspondent of the Canadian Press.)—At the imperial conference committee sitting yesterday the subject of wireless telephony was discussed. Statements were made by the British postmaster-general, and a resolution passed recommending that all developments in wireless telephony, whether by governmental or private enterprise, be investigated and technical reports furnished the governments of the dominions and of India.

The committee next considered certain aspects of the question of nationality and a resolution was passed recommending to the favorable consideration of the governments of the dominions and of India the principal proposals put forth by Hon. Edward Shortt, the home secretary. These proposals provide for the acquisition of British nationality by persons of British descent of second and subsequent generations born abroad, subject to registration of birth and renewal of registration as British subjects on reaching majority. The committee also discussed empire patent law.

A resolution was passed recommending that a conference of representatives of the patent offices of the dominions be held in London soon to consider the practicability of instituting a system of granting patents which should be valid throughout the empire.

The idea of having a preliminary conference in London to deal with Pacific problems appears to be being ground. The committee was in full sympathy with the object of reducing rates both by cable and wireless, for press messages and recommended the most favorable examinations by the governments concerned of any practicable proposals to this end.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50 cents.

## BIRTHS

HIGGINS—On July 15, 1921, to Mr. and Mrs. John Higgins, 650 Main street, a daughter.

## MARRIAGES

MEHUGH-KENT—At the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, July 11, by Rev. William Duke, Joseph Charles Mehugh to Ada Kent, both of this city.

## USE The Want Ad Way



A general view of the Thames at Henley, England, during the regatta, showing part of the huge crowds which attend this famous annual river festival.

## WAGES REDUCTION FOR 300,000 TO DATE FROM JULY 15

Montreal, July 19.—All Canadian railway companies announced today that the new wage schedule, providing for an average reduction of twelve per cent, and affecting about 300,000 employees, which were recently submitted to the officials of the brotherhoods, would be effective as from Saturday, July 16. The companies, it was said, at first intended to make the reduction as effective as from July 1, but found that in the case of the maintenance of way employees the thirty days' notice required under the Canadian industrial disputes act did not expire until last week.

## PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. James Strang, of New York, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Foley, Leach Island road.

Miss Grace Holmes of the office staff of N. B. Telephone Co., left on Saturday for a holiday trip. Frederick Mall—Mrs. R. H. McGrath and family have left for Point de Chene where they will spend a vacation at their summer cottage. Miss Helen Thurstall, who has been studying nursing at St. Luke's Hospital, New York City, returned to this city on Thursday for her vacation. Miss Nellie Estey, who has been studying nursing in the Deaconess Hospital, Boston, returned on Friday and will spend a month's vacation with her father.

Frederick Glenner—Mrs. Charles A. Shampers, of St. John, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hooper. Mrs. Percy L. Morgan, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at Victoria Hospital a few weeks ago, has so far recovered as to be able to return to her home at North Devon. Mrs. Wm. A. Clark and Mrs. Harry W. Niles left this morning on an automobile trip to Bangor. At Bangor they will take the train and proceed to Boston to spend a few days. Mrs. John Lounsbury, who has been spending the last six weeks in Massachusetts, has returned, accompanied by Mrs. Edwin Graham and son, of Souvenier, Mass., who will be her guests. Mrs. J. M. Goodspeed and niece, Miss Marion Cameron, left on Saturday for Edmonston to visit friends.

Halifax Echo—Miss Frances Fritchard, formerly of St. John, now of Toronto, is spending the summer at Waverley with Mrs. Frank Young. Mrs. Loggie of Fredericton is a visitor in the city, and the Grosvenor, where she intends spending some time. Miss Greta Macnutt of Fredericton is the guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Earle Macnutt, Acadia College.

## MONCTON PERSONALS.

(Transcript, Monday.)  
Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brown left this morning for St. John. From there they intend motoring to Fredericton and Edmundston.

D. W. Harper manager of the Provincial Bank, St. John, and family, are spending a week or so at the home of Mr. Harper's mother, Mrs. D. S. Harper, Shediac.

B. C. Gesner has been in poor health for the past two months and has been seriously ill since Tuesday last.

Mrs. H. A. May of Ottawa, formerly Miss Snow of this city, arrived yesterday to visit her sister, Mrs. A. H. Jones.

Mrs. A. B. Hamilton and Mrs. L. B. Holteau of Dorchester, Mass., are the guests of their brother H. C. Barnes and Mrs. Barber.

Mrs. W. T. Whitehead, Mrs. Harry G. Hoban and Miss Ella Babbitt of Fredericton, arrived in the city yesterday by motor. Mrs. Whitehead is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Fred E. Whippley and Mrs. Hoban and Miss Babbitt are with their sister, Mrs. W. K. C. Farley.

## SACKVILLE PERSONALS.

(Sackville Tribune.)  
Mrs. W. F. Murray and son, Frederick, of Boston, are here on a visit to the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Rainnie.

Mrs. C. W. Knapp left last week for Fredericton, where she will spend a month with her daughters, the Misses Violet and Eliza Knapp.

Mrs. S. J. Woodward and two children, of North Abington, Mass., are spending the summer months guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chipman Richardson.

Mrs. Pearson and child, of Los Angeles, California, are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. James Estabrooks.

Dr. C. L. Gass is not progressing very rapidly. Dr. Gass is suffering from gonorrhea in his left arm. It will probably be some time yet before he is able to resume practice.

## J. H. McCOLLUM CITY MARSHAL

Fredericton Post for St. John Man—Reports on Liquor Law Matters.

(Special to The Times.)  
Hon. J. Veniel Hughes has been appointed to succeed William Hughes as city marshal. He will take up his duties on Wednesday. The appointment is tentative, the finance committee having named Mr. McCollum, but it is altogether likely that it will be confirmed by the city council.

Ex-City Marshal Hughes will remove to Devon, his native town, where with his brother, Frank Hughes, he will engage in farming upon the Hughes farm.

Mr. McCollum is a native of St. John, but has resided in Fredericton for the last ten years. He formerly was a member of the St. John police force and later was chief of the Fredericton force. He is a veteran of both the South African and European wars. He was wounded in France. Prior to going overseas he was battery sergeant-major with the 9th Siege Battery in St. John. At the time of going to South Africa he was with the Royal Canadian Regiment of the permanent force, with which he served one term of enlistment.

Mr. J. Veniel Hughes has been here until Wednesday. He is securing the Knight of Pythians Hall for Thursday or Friday night to discuss the harbor commission act. Mr. McCollum says he will be glad to have advocates of harbor commission present, and after he has spoken to any question, or answer any questions he may ask. He desires to get the full discussion of the harbor commission.

## ALLEGED BRIBERY OF WASHINGTON OFFICIALS

Washington, July 19.—Mrs. Emma C. Bergdoll of Philadelphia told a house committee investigating the escape of Grover C. Bergdoll, her slacker son, that she gave \$5,000 to Major Bruce Campbell, an army officer at Governor's Island, for use "among high officials at Washington" to help obtain his freedom.

France Out of It.  
Paris, July 19.—France was eliminated from this year's Davis Cup lawn tennis competition, in the match with India here today. In the singles, Sienca, of India, defeated Jean Camazouille, of France, 6-1, 6-3, 6-8.

India had previously won the doubles and one of the singles matches.

Meighen and the Conference.  
London, July 19.—The Evening News says: "It is now an open secret that the Premier, Mr. Meighen's, courage, our stand on Canada's behalf, after a heated discussion concerning the renewal of the Japanese Treaty, the Washington Conference might never have been called upon such propitious stars as now."

## CHARLES EVANS HUGHES.

Toronto, July 19.—The London cable despatch published last Saturday to the effect that the well known steel firm of Wm. Jessop and Sons, famous for the world over for its production of crucible steel, had closed down, is incorrect, according to the Canadian managers of the firm, C. L. Bulley, who is located here, and only last Saturday received cable advice to resume acceptance of orders, temporarily discontinued during the fortnight the firm closed down because of coal shortage.

That difficulty has now been overcome. Jessops is one of the oldest steel firms in Sheffield, with a successful business history of 120 years behind it. Recently the firm amalgamated with another large steel firm, the British Arms of Birmingham, with a view to increased and more economical production and an extension of its already large foreign business.

## STILL HOPE, BUT SNAG STRUCK IN IRISH MATTER

(Continued from page 1.)  
Which voices the views of Joseph Devlin, the Nationalist, says: "If the six specially chosen Ulster counties are to self-determine themselves into ruinous conflict with the rest of Ireland, why deny the claim of any country to self-determine itself out of association with secessionists? The claim of St. John, Ireland, is on all fours with that put forward by the southern states of the American republic to assist in the work of removal of road obstructions, filling in trenches and the repairing of bridges to such an extent as is urgently required."

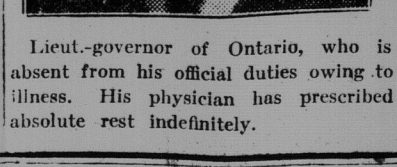
## HEIRS TO ESTATE

Moncton Transcript—Mrs. Annie M. Baldwin, who passed away recently in Melville, left a considerable estate in Denver, Colorado, which now becomes the property of her nephews, Henry and Ernest Worrell Melrose. Mrs. Baldwin had been a resident of Denver for a number of years and her body was taken there for burial beside her husband.

## WATCH! Wait!

St. John's Greatest Mercantile Event

Starts July 21st



Lieut.-governor of Ontario, who is absent from his official duties owing to illness. His physician has prescribed absolute rest indefinitely.

## LOCAL NEWS

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PICNIC.  
Steamer "Sisiboo," leaving Indian town 7:15 Wednesday evening, will stop at Crystal Beach for the accommodation of those unable to leave earlier. 7-20

NEW HYDRANTS USED.  
Some of the new hydrants which are being installed in Lancaster's new fire district, were used for the first time in fighting a fire in D. C. Clark's garage, West St. John, early yesterday morning. The case for the prosecution is closed.

OFF TILL THURSDAY  
The case of C. G. Langbein was taken up again in the police court this morning and set over until Thursday at 12 o'clock. The evidence of M. Ricker, accountant of the Longshoremen's union, was read over to him and signed by him. The evidence of J. J. Donovan will be read over to him at the next hearing. The case for the prosecution is closed.

THE WESTFIELD FIRE.  
The forest fire at Westfield in being kept well under control. At present it is working in back of the Tillamook district away from the settlement but is not considered dangerous, as it can run back only a short distance before reaching a lake. About eighteen men are on the job today fighting it and it is considered to be well in hand. A fairly strong wind is blowing there today. There is no sign of fire at Prince of Wales today.

THE EPIDEMIC HOSPITAL  
The matter of improvements to the epidemic hospital will likely be considered at the meeting of the municipal council this afternoon. The hospital is a building for the accommodation of nurses and staff, while a suggestion has been brought forward to add another story and remodel the present structure. Dr. Wright is of the opinion that it is necessary to increase the capacity of the hospital from twenty-five patients, as at present, to about forty.

AT GRAND BAY.  
Harold Titus, B. A. student at Rochester Baptist Theological Seminary, who is spending his vacation at Grand Bay, preached at a specially interesting service at that place on last Sunday evening. He chose as his subject, "The Four Nails," on August 3. Furness Withy & Co. are the local agents.

IN WALL STREET.  
New York, July 19.—(10:00)—Foreign bills were active and strong at the opening of today's stock market. House rejection of the proposed tax in the tariff bill prompted heavy short covering Mexican Petroleum recorded an initial advance of four and a half points and gains of one and a half to two and a half were made by Pan-American, General Asphalt and Atlantic Gulf. Motors and their specialties also strengthened but steels and equipments eased slightly. Further weakness was noted in foreign exchange, with the British demand rate at the year's new low quotation of \$3.61-8.

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## SUES FOR DIVORCE

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., July 19.—(Canadian Press)—Action for divorce was begun here on Saturday, by Mrs. Aimee Morris against Dr. Robert Morris of New York. A young woman, not named, is cited as co-respondent.

Two witnesses testified, one of them being Wm. Yates, a farmer and guide living in the Adirondack district, starting from Basswood Lake, Lofely, Ont. There were three persons in the party, the guide said, including himself, the defendant and a young companion. The latter was described by Dr. Morris as his secretary. Dr. Morris is a writer on medical and philosophical subjects.

## POLISH INSURGENT LEADER IN PARIS

Paris, July 19.—Adelbert Korfanty, a Polish patriot and insurgent leader, arrived here on Monday for a visit of several days, the purpose of which he did not reveal.

## CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, July 19.—Opening: Wheat, July, \$1.23-3-4; Sept., \$1.28-3-4. Corn, July, 63; Sept., 61-1-2. Oats, July, quoted; Sept., 41-1-8.

## Notice!

Because of the recent bad reports concerning the purity of the City water supply, naturally people are somewhat concerned regarding that used in the manufacture of beverages of all kinds. For our own reputation and the protection of the public, we submitted samples of the water used by us to the Department of Health with the request that a Bacterial examination be made and a report submitted.

The Department under the direction of Dr. H. L. Abramson advises that the necessary tests have been made and

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## BLUE RIBBON DRINKS ARE PURE

SUES FOR PARENTS' DEATH.  
Son Asks \$75,000 From Cave of Winds Manager.

New York, July 19.—Two damage action, one for \$50,000 for the death of Grand Manan, 179, Hersey, from Wilson's Beach, N. B.; the other of \$25,000 for the death of his mother, have been brought in Supreme Court, Brooklyn, by Joseph C. Hartman of 4118 Avenue P, Brooklyn, against Harold G. Wright, manager of the Cave of the Winds, Niagara Falls.

It was alleged that while he was visiting the Cave of the Winds on Sept. 6, 1920, with his parents, there was a slide of rocks and shale, which came down upon Mr. and Mrs. Hartman and killed them.

Wright told Justice Aspinall he had taken all possible precautions to prevent an accident of this sort, and denied criminal negligence. As fourteen witnesses whom he wished to call live in Niagara Falls, he asked that the trial take place in Niagara county. The motion was granted. The plaintiff's counsel announced that an appeal would be taken from this ruling.

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## VISITS OLD HOME

Rev. P. R. Hayward, Ph.D., of Toronto, who with his family has been visiting his brother, Mr. L. Hayward, at Hartland, and Mrs. Hayward's relatives at Woodstock, is spending a few days in the city. Rev. Mr. Hayward graduated from U. N. B. in 1908 and now holds an important position in connection with the National Council of the Y. M. C. A. and is editor of the Canadian Mentor, a monthly publication for leaders in Canadian Standard Efficiency Training, and is also a contributor each week to the B. Y. P. U. column in the Canadian Baptist.

## TO ATTEND RETIREMENT

Fredericton, Monday. Very Rev. Dean Carney, Rev. Father Carroll of this city; Rev. M. P. Howland of Kingsclere, and Rev. W. F. Hannigan of Peterborough are leaving for Moncton, where the retreat for the priests of the St. John diocese will be conducted at St. Joseph's College by Rev. Father O'Rourke, S. J., of New York.

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