

Blue Bell Lands Attract Settlers

The Government Lands in this Desirable District are Being Rapidly Taken up--150 Farmers Have Already Taken up Grants, and their Prosperous Condition is Attracting Many More Agriculturists--Government Makes Terms of Payment Easy.

Woodstock, Oct. 18.—James Carr, local Government agent, has arrived home from a visit to the Blue Bells settlement district. It will be remembered that the Government purchased the land from the railway company some years ago and opened it up for settlement purposes. Since that time about 150 farmers have taken each 100 acres in that district, which consists of over 40,000 acres, and selected between the Danish Settlement and Grand Falls. There are large cheese and butter factories in New Denmark and New Eyedon, the product of which finds its way through all sections of the province. Mr. Carr will accompany a dozen English immigrants, now in the town here, to the Blue Bell district about Nov. 1st, as they have expressed a desire to each take up 100 acres under the settlement plan which provides for the payment of \$25, and \$25 a year for three years, they agreeing to clear 10 acres in that time. The land is forest, level, and most desirable for settlement purposes.

Choral Society Organizes. The Woodstock Choral Society met for their first meeting for the winter in the Parish Hall this week with R. C. Allen, the president, in the chair. The report of the treasurer, Mrs. D. E. Holyoke, showed a balance on hand. The following are the officers for the ensuing year: Hon. W. P. Jones, honorary president; R. G. Allen, president; Mrs. R. E. Holyoke, treasurer; Miss Edith Dalling, secretary. Music committee—Mrs. Walters, Mrs. Mitchell, Dr. Baker, Mr. Plimpton and Mr. Betts. Organist—Mrs. H. T. Thorne; assistants, Mrs. E. W. Mair and Mrs. Geo. Mitchell. Senator Baird is visiting Senator King at Chipman for a few days, thence Mr. Baird goes to Cranbrook, B. C., and also to Vancouver, B. C., to join his wife, who is there. Mr. and Mrs. Baird will return to Andover in November.

Removing to Lowell. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Blackie, of Benton, will leave on Monday to make their home with their son in Lowell, Mass. Mrs. B. W. Nobles is visiting friends in Boston and will return to Cranbrook, B. C., on Friday. Rev. Francis Beadley, of Florenceville, and T. J. Carter, M. L. A., of Andover, are in town today. Miss Hilda M. Lamont, school teacher at Bedell, leaves today to spend Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Lamont, at Glassville. Kenneth Dalling, of Plymouth, N. B., is in town today. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peabody are visiting relatives in Boston. Hugh Stairs, of the civil engineering staff of the C. P. R., left on Wednesday afternoon for Montreal, where he has been transferred. C. P. R. Staff Changes. Capt. H. G. Deedes, of the C. P. R. staff, has received word of his transfer from Woodstock on Nov. 1st. Karl Wetmore, who has been in Virginia during the past year, will succeed

CATHOLIC CHURCH EXTENSION WORK

Vast Concourse of Clerical and Lay Members in Convention at Boston.

Boston, Oct. 18.—The famous Chapel St. Peter, attached to a regular train from Washington, brought to Boston today Archbishop Bozzone, papal delegate to the United States, and special Pontifical delegate to the Catholic Missionary Congress, which opens tomorrow. The Chapel car, part of which is fitted up for religious services and other part for living quarters, is used by the Catholic Church Extension Society for holding services in places where there are no churches. Many of the 700 clerical delegates and 1,500 lay delegates arrived during the day from all parts of the country. The object of the congress is to study missionary conditions in this country and elsewhere, and to make plans for carrying on the work of the Church Extension Society with improved methods.

THE WRESTLERS. Los Angeles, Calif., Oct. 18.—Ben F. Roller, heavyweight wrestling champion of the Pacific Coast, was defeated by "Cyclone" Burns, title holder of New England, here last night. Burns was downed in two straight falls.

AUSTRIA SENDS AN ULTIMATUM TO SERBIA TODAY

Further Complications in Balkan Affairs, That May Stir Up Trouble.

DEMANDS EVACUATION OF ALBANIA POINTS

Which Are Still Occupied by Servians Despite Agreement Entered Into.

Vienna, Oct. 18.—Austria today sent an ultimatum to Servia demanding the immediate evacuation of the points in Albania occupied by Servian troops after the recent conflicts between them and the Albanians.

LIGHTING STREETS AT MARYSVILLE

Town Council Taking the Matter Up and Will Prepare Estimates of Cost.

Marysville, Oct. 18.—Mr. and Mrs. G. Leonard Inch are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby girl at their home, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Belyea left on Friday morning for Elmwood, Plymouth county, Mass., to attend the 10th anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Walker, Mrs. Walker, who was Miss Eunice Saphronia Belyea, was living with Mr. and Mrs. B. Belyea, parents of W. B. Belyea, when she went to Houlton, Maine, to marry Mr. Walker, and returned to Woodstock where the couple lived about a year before removing to the United States. The anniversary ceremonies will take place today. Mr. W. B. Belyea, besides the bride and groom, is the only one living who attended the wedding reception in Woodstock on October 18th, 1883.

Sheriff J. R. Tompkins, who was stricken with paralysis about a month ago, is steadily improving and strong hopes are now held out for his ultimate recovery.

A Visitor From Dublin. Miss Marion Kilpatrick, of Dublin, Ireland, who has been visiting her uncle, Mr. Thos. Troy, left on Friday for Montreal, where she will join a party of English tourists who are on their way to Victoria, B. C., where Miss Kilpatrick has a brother and other relatives. She is a very entertaining young lady and has ideas of her own on Irish questions that she freely expresses. She believes that in side a year the Irish parliament will meet in College Green and about a fortnight ago before she left home she was in progress of obtaining the old parliament buildings on College Green, now occupied by a bank, for the new parliament. She frequently heard Larkin, the leader of the strikers, who is a very magnetic but much mislaid being caused by the strike, which she claimed should not have been called for a year or so, until the new parliament meets. In a way the strike was justified, as laborers are only getting \$4 a week and the tramway were getting \$9. Asked about the Ulster question, she said as a Protestant it was all a bluff. Many of her own relatives, all Protestants, were Home Rulers. Over half of Ulster was Catholic, a good portion of the other half were Protestant Home Rulers, including four Protestant members of parliament, and in Dublin the Carson movement was considered a huge joke.

Mr. Elias White expects to leave on Friday in November to visit members of his family in Providence, R. I., and other New England cities.

A meeting of the committee appointed by the council to consider ways and means of lighting the streets, will be held early next week to consider and prepare estimates on certain plans now before them, which they will lay before the council for consideration. We should have lights, and that at once, as it is positively dangerous to move about on dark nights under present conditions.

Mr. John Bon, the expert rifle and revolver shot who returned this week from a hunting trip to the Miramichi woods, spent the evenings of the rainy weather in a novel way in Guide Wm. Griffin, Jr.'s hunting camp.

A pocket search light and a 22 calibre revolver were Mr. Bon's equipment and he shot on an average of five mice on the floors of the camp daily, missing only one shot in the entire time. Mr. Bon was so well pleased with his trip that he is to return to New Brunswick again next season. It was his first trip for moose and other big game, and the mice shooting proved an interesting sideline.

MUST SURRENDER BIRD PLUMAGE

New York, Oct. 18.—Customs inspectors report that since the new regulation preventing the importation of bird plumes into this country took effect a week ago, twelve women arriving from Europe have voluntarily surrendered to the Government plumes they had brought with them. The inspectors have not yet found it necessary to ruthlessly tear feathers from hats, but in most cases the women who gave up their plumes said they were only imitations.

Estate May Prove Valuable. Rev. J. S. Mullan, of Stanley, yesterday made application for the issuance of letters of administration in the estate of his son, the late William D. Mullan, who died at Buffalo, N. Y., some months ago and left an estate consisting largely of mining interests in Gowanda, in Northern Ontario. These interests are reported to be worth as much as \$300,000, but in the meantime the estate has been probated at the nominal value of \$300, while enquiries are being made. Mr. Percy A. Guthrie is proctor.

Miss Minnie McKel, of Greenwich Hill, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin McKel, Gibson.

NAVAL HOLIDAY INVITATION SENT TO THE GERMANS

Winston Churchill Shows to the World That Great Britain is Willing

TO CURTAIL BUILDING OF EXPENSIVE WARSHIPS

If Germany Shows a Disposition to Also Stop Her Construction of Warships.

London, Oct. 18.—The invitation to Germany to indulge in "a Naval holiday" was repeated today by Winston Spencer Churchill, First Lord of the British Admiralty, who in the name of the British Government, made a specific offer to delay the fulfilment of Great Britain's naval construction programme next year, if Germany would consent to do the same.

STAFF POSITION FOR PRINCE ARTHUR

The Rumor Revived That He Will Succeed Father as Governor-General.

London, Oct. 18.—The Daily Graphic this morning states it has good reasons to believe that very shortly Prince Arthur of Connaught will be called upon to resign his commission with the Scots Greys, in order to take up a position on the war office staff under Field Marshal Sir John French, chief of the Imperial general staff.

Now that his Royal Highness has received the rank of Brevet-Major, it is felt that more important work should be given him than is possible in a regiment where there are several captains senior to him.

Hitherto Prince Arthur has had practically no opportunity of studying staff work, except for the short period that he was "aide-de-camp" to the Duke, his father, at Malta. It is now desirable that he should gain this experience before he succeeds his father as Governor General of Canada next autumn.

The war office appointment will mean that Prince Arthur and the Princess will pass almost the whole time of their tour in Canada, in connection with the understanding that the Prince will take up his new duties at the beginning of December, though the change may possibly be deferred until the new year.

SHOOTING MICE IN HUNTING CAMP

That's the Way Expert Shot Put in His Time During Recent Rainy Weather.

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FOOL INSURGENTS CAPTURE GUAYMAS

Douglas, Ariz., Oct. 18.—General Pedro Ojedas, commanding Federalists, by a trick succeeded in ousting the insurgents from the vicinity of Guaymas, according to a version of recent fighting which reached the border last night. It was reported that the rebels have been driven from Empeño, a suburb of the Gulf port. The Government forces, it was related, had left Guaymas by boat, ostensibly to go to the assistance of Masatlan. Under cover of darkness the Federalists returned and made a night attack on the insurgents' position. The Sonora State troops retreated northward, establishing a new base at Maytorena.

Will Send a Loving Cup. At a meeting of the citizens' committee appointed to decide on a presentation to Mr. Willard Kitchen, who left for his future home last week, was held in the Board of Trade rooms on Queen street last evening. The meeting decided to present him with a loving cup, and to have the address illuminated and forwarded to him.

Mrs. Pankhurst Not to Be Allowed in the U. S.

DEPORTED AFTER A SHORT INQUIRY

New York, Oct. 18.—Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, the English militant suffragette leader, who arrived here today for a lecture tour, was ordered deported by the immigration authorities within a little less than three hours after the vessel upon which she came had docked.

The special board of inquiry which decided her case voted not to admit her to the country under bond, but to send her back to France forthwith.

AUSTRIAN CHARGE AGAINST THE C. P. R.

Claim 100,000 Military Recruits Have Been Induced to Come to Canada.

London, Oct. 18.—The Vienna correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says that the C. P. R. incident has attracted considerable attention in view of yesterday's disclosures. "It has now become known," he says, "that the Austrian war minister was responsible for the strict inquiry which was undertaken into the company's affairs. Military authorities were astonished to find numerous cases in which recruits had emigrated before doing their military service. The Emperor himself had reports laid before him, and inquired repeatedly how the investigation was progressing. A fortnight ago War Minister Ritter von Krobath had an audience at the palace and laid an extensive report before the monarch on the emigration question. The report closed with the words: 'That the activity of the immigration agents may be regarded as a carefully planned attack on the army of the monarchy.' It is stated 100,000 recruits and reservists have left the country for Canada.

The police today closed the offices of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company in this city and throughout Austria, after impounding all the books and correspondence. This action was taken as a sequel to the arrest on Thursday of Samuel Altman, the Company's agent, in connection with a charge that he had assisted Austrians to evade their military services by emigrating to Canada without passports.

TRAIN DROPS IN 40 FOOT RAVINE

Accident to C. P. R. Work Train Near Fort William, Ontario.

Fort William, Oct. 18.—With the train on the tracks, an engine and ten cars of a work train sank a distance of forty feet in a ravine near Rosport last night. It was stated that none of the crew were injured, as all had time to get away when the track first began to give.

The trouble occurred over a ravine where there had been a sink in the days of construction of the C. P. R., and workmen have reported finding kegs of spikes and steel rails in the dump beside the track, as if it had been the spot where a construction train had been lost.

All night the C. P. R. had four hundred men and four work trains filling in the gap, which was seven hundred feet long, and had the line open at eight o'clock this morning.

MARRIED IN JUNE ANNOUNCEMENT NOW

Gibson Young Man Wedded to Marysville Girl for Over Three Months.

Gibson, N. B., Oct. 18.—The wedding of Miss Catherine Kaine, Marysville Road, and Mr. Skiffington Gibson, Marysville, has just been made public.

The young couple were married on June 30th last by Rev. C. J. Flemington and until this week nothing with regard to the wedding had been known by the relatives of the young people, but Miss Kaine's mother made inquiries this week and discovered the young couple had been married. They had been living at separate homes since the wedding, but had intended to take up a residence soon, and were to make the announcement of their wedding this week.

Miss Kaine is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Kaine, Marysville Road, and Mr. Gibson is a son of Mr. Fred Gibson, Marysville.

The Leader of the "Wild Women" of the British Isles Ordered to be Deported by the Immigration Authorities of the United States After Short Inquiry--Will be Shipped Back to France by First Steamer.

PERSONS SAW ME LEAVE. NO ATTEMPT WAS MADE TO PREVENT MY DEPARTURE. DOES THAT LOOK AS IF THE AUTHORITIES WANTED ME? IT SUPPORTS MY CLAIM THAT THEY DID NOT WANT ME.

The cat and mouse act, Mrs. Pankhurst characterized as torture. "You know how a cat plays with a mouse. It will let the mouse run a short distance, and when it thinks it is free the cat will catch it. That is what the authorities are doing in England with the suffragettes."

Great Mrs. Pankhurst. Among the group who went aboard the Province to welcome the militant leader were Frank O'Neill, the State boxing commissioner. Mr. O'Neill said that he was present in his capacity as an attorney for Madison Square Garden, and as such would endeavor to aid in securing Mrs. Pankhurst's advance agent and Herbert R. Evans, attorney for Mrs. O. M. Belmont, who expected to be Mrs. Pankhurst's host in New York, also joined the militant leader at the dock.

The profits from her lectures in this country, should she be permitted to land, Mrs. Pankhurst said, would be devoted entirely to furthering the cause of the militants in England.

Acting under orders from Washington the special board of inquiry speeded the hearing. At the detention station Mrs. Pankhurst was lodged for a few minutes in the room which Cipriano Castro occupied while at Ellis Island. Then she was taken before the board. Miss Wickham and three other women, who accompanied Mrs. Pankhurst to Ellis Island, were allowed to converse with her and her counsel in her rooms. They were not permitted to accompany her before the board, however, nor was her lawyer.

Will Appeal Case. After it was announced that the board of inquiry had decided to deport Mrs. Pankhurst, her lawyer, Herbert Reeves, announced his intention of appealing the case immediately to Commissioner General Caminetti. Pending decision by Mr. Caminetti, Mr. Reeves said he would seek to have his client admitted to this country under bond, so that she may be able to fulfill her engagement to speak at Madison Square Garden tomorrow night.

Mrs. O. M. Belmont, the New York woman suffrage leader, who was to have been Mrs. Pankhurst's host, was prepared to give bond up to \$100,000 for Mrs. Pankhurst's good behavior while in America.

Under the ruling of the special board she will not be permitted to do so and Mrs. Pankhurst must remain at Ellis Island until deported, unless the board's rulings are rescinded by the authority at Washington.

Mrs. Pankhurst's deportation was ordered under section 20 of the immigration law. This section provides for the exclusion of persons convicted abroad of crime or crimes involving moral turpitude. The board held that Mrs. Pankhurst's conviction in England of conspiracy to commit arson brought her within this class.

Ready to Die for the Cause. "Would I see it through," she repeated, in answer to a question asked by a reporter. "Why of course I would. I would die if I had to for the cause, and there are dozens, yet hundreds, of women in England who would do the same thing. I don't set myself up as different from any other woman or better than any other woman."

"We are having a revolution in England, just as you people of America had a revolution when you wanted your freedom, when you were taxed without representation. We English women are fighting for our freedom. Just as you won yours so will we win ours. You fought against George the Third; we are fighting against George the Fifth. No, perhaps I should not say that; we are fighting against King Asquith, for he is the obstinate old man who blocks the way."

"I do not think I should be denied admittance to your country. I don't think I will be. I am willing to trust to the sense of justice of American people."

Says British Police Do Not Want Her. Mrs. Pankhurst was questioned closely about her departure from England. She told the immigration inspectors that she thought she would not be arrested if she should return there.

"I was at liberty under license," she explained. "My license has expired and I was, of course, subject to arrest at any time, notwithstanding I addressed the International Medical Congress, after the expiration of my license, and was not molested, inasmuch as I had been arrested for addressing public meetings previously. I should think if I had been wanted I would have been arrested while addressing that meeting."

"Further, I announced publicly that I expected to leave England. Many

BIGAMIST'S THREE WIVES IN COURT

St. Thomas, Ont., Oct. 18.—George Smith, alias George Samuel Bowman, self confessed bigamist, was yesterday sentenced by Judge Collet to fourteen years in Kingston penitentiary. Prisoner's counsel put in a plea of insanity, but a medical commission found him perfectly sane. Four of the wives were in court and apparently heard with satisfaction the heavy sentence. The authorities believe that there are three wives besides the four women who appeared in court yesterday. The prisoner is a Scotchman, 55 years old.

ALBERTA PAYS MINISTERS WELL

Edmonton, Oct. 18.—The legislature is in committee of supply on the estimates yesterday. The salary of the Premier has been increased \$1,500, and each of the Cabinet Ministers \$1,000, as well as that of leader of the opposition. Including a seasonal indemnity of \$1,500, the Premier will now get \$10,000 per year. Other Ministers \$3,000, and the leader of the opposition \$4,000.

PASTOR ACCEPTS CALL.

Moncton, Oct. 18.—Rev. Percy A. Fitzpatrick, of Harland, has accepted a call to Wesley Memorial Methodist church, Moncton, subject to approval of Conference. If Conference concurs he will assume his duties here in June.