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A PAGE OF NEWS ABOUT THE MARITIME

CAPE BRETON IS WORRIED ABOUT ITS COAL TRADE

Wires Government to Endeavor to Secure a Market in South America.

WOULD USE SHIPS OF C. G. M. FLEET

Sydney Wants Cape Breton Resident Appointed to the Canadian Senate.

Sydney, N. B., March 28.—An urgent demand that the Federal government take steps to bring about relief to the coal trade in Cape Breton was contained in a message sent by the Sydney Board of Trade to J. C. Douglas, M. P. for Cape Breton South and Richmond. The message set forth that vessels of the Canadian Government merchant marine, now lying idle at Halifax might be turned over to the Dominion Coal Company for use in the South American coal market.

Seek American Trade.

This market was lost to the Dominion Coal Company during the war, but with added shipping an effort could be put forth to regain it. Mr. Douglas was requested to bring the matter before the government immediately.

The Sydney Board of Trade at a special meeting today went on record as favoring the appointment of a Cape Breton resident to the Senate vacancy caused by the death of Hon. A. B. Crosby of Halifax.

Ice in Cabot Straits.

North Sydney, N. B., March 28.—The Reid Newfoundland steamer Kyle arrived here at 5:30 this afternoon, her first trip to the port since January. She left Port-Aux-Basques at five o'clock yesterday afternoon and was delayed by having to go through a considerable field of ice in Cabot Strait, as well as encountering fog. There is only a little scattered ice off the port, and once through the ice in the Strait, the Kyle had no difficulty in making North Sydney.

The Kyle brought five passengers and a fair amount of freight, traffic to and from Newfoundland being light. She will sail for Port-Aux-Basques tomorrow.

Killed When Drawn Against Big Saw

Benjamin Martin Meets With Fatal Accident While Working in Sawmill.

Stewarton, March 28.—A very sad accident occurred near Bellefleur Station on March 12, when Benjamin Martin, employed as splinterman in Messrs. Bickford & Neils mill, came in contact in some way with the carriage and was hurled against the big saw, cutting his left arm off near the shoulder and receiving several other wounds which resulted in his death. He was taken to the home of Mr. George Bates where Dr. Fraser was summoned who gave first aid. He ordered the man to be taken to the hospital rooms in the Municipal Home at Norton. He was taken to Norton accompanied by Dr. Fraser. They were met there by Dr. J. E. O'Sullivan and Nurse McNaught, but he passed away last evening about 8 o'clock.

The remains were brought here accompanied by his brother, Walter, interment being made in St. James' Presbyterian cemetery. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. Geo. P. Sears, of Norton, assisted by Mr. R. M. Easton, of Halifax's Point. The young man was 19 years of age. He came from England when a lad 10 years old and has made his home with Mr. and Mrs. George Carlisle, of this place, who lost his death very keenly. He is survived by his father, two sisters and one brother in England, and three brothers in this country. The brothers here are Arthur, last heard of in Bath, Maine; Walter, of Halifax, N. S.; and Edward, of West River, N. S.

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FIREMAN FELL DEAD

Amherst, N. S., March 28.—Wright Tower, aged 59, for twenty years a valued member of the Amherst fire department, dropped dead on the sidewalk while hurrying to the fire station to answer to an alarm at eleven o'clock last night. Heart trouble is given as the cause of death.

In connection with the Armistice Day fetes in France this year it is proposed to name one of the streets of Paris Rue du 11 Novembre.

River Free From Grand Falls Down

Floods Near McGinley's Ferry Rapidly Subsiding Since Ice Jam is Broken.

Fredericton, N. B., March 28.—Water to the St. John River, which had risen to abnormal heights today as a result of the big ice jam, which had formed at McGinley's Ferry or Crook's Point, nine miles north of Fredericton, was subsiding rapidly this evening. The ice was running steadily all afternoon and again tonight, and the river is now practically clear of ice from the Grand Falls to its mouth.

E. A. Charters Is Dead At Sussex

For Forty Years a Resident There But Was Born in Memramcook.

Sussex, N. B., March 28.—T. A. Charters, one of the oldest and most respected citizens of Sussex, died at one o'clock this morning, after an illness of several months. He was born seventy-two years ago in Memramcook and has lived here for the last forty years. He was well known throughout the maritime provinces as he was a mine promoter, and traveled a greater part of his time. He had just sold his residence here and with his wife was about to go to live with his son in California.

He leaves to mourn, besides his wife, one son, Harold H. Charters of Eureka, Calif.; two brothers, Arthur N. Charters, a lawyer in Calgary, and Crane Charters of Point du Chene and one sister, Mrs. Patrick of Camrose, Alberta. The funeral will be held on Wednesday morning from Trinity church at 10:30 o'clock. Rev. Mansel Shewen, the rector, will officiate. Interment will be at Upper Sussex.

Farmer Leader Is Against U. N. B. Grant

Some Other Leaders of the Farmer Party Oppose His Plan.

Fredericton, N. B., March 28.—A. C. Fawcett, M. P., leader of the Farmer's Party in the provincial legislature, has announced that he will oppose an increased grant for the U. N. B. His ground is that Mount Allison receives no provincial grant and is an well entitled to it as the provincial university. His followers disagree with him on this.

T. W. Caldwell, M. P., and G. O. Sharpe, provincial president and secretary of the U. F. O., said that the U. F. O. policy always was for the encouragement of education as carried on by the state and that Mr. Fawcett was absolutely out of touch with his party in taking the line he had announced.

Stream Drive Starts.

Stream driving in central New Brunswick is now under way. The River Valley Lumber Company of Oromocto today started drives on Shickoek, Rusagorish River, and branches of the Oromocto. Fraser Companies, Limited, will be driving this week.

Miss Susan Boyer.

Sussex, N. B., March 28.—Miss Susan Annie Boyer died today at the home of her sister, Mrs. John Markham, Sussex Corner. Miss Boyer had been an invalid for many years. She was 47 years of age. She is survived by two brothers and three sisters. The brothers are John C. of St. Martin, Robert, of St. John. The sisters are Mrs. Charles H. English, Malden, Mass.; Mrs. John Markham, Sussex Corner; and Mrs. F. W. Wallace, Sussex. The funeral will take place at four o'clock from the residence of Mrs. John Markham on Wednesday afternoon, Rev. J. M. Rice officiating.

PLACIDE BOUCHER DEAD.

Rexton, N. B., March 28.—The death occurred at his home in Richibouctou Village, on Sunday, of Placide Boucher, at the advanced age of eighty-seven years. Mr. Boucher was highly respected and leaves a large family.

FLEET FINDS SEALS.

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Northumberland Has Ind. Labor League

Meeting at Newcastle Decides to Co-operate With Farmers in Legislature.

Newcastle, March 28.—At a mass meeting of Newcastle workers of various trades, including also representatives from Douglastown and other outside points, held in Newcastle Labor Hall, Saturday evening, addresses were given by several labor leaders and the gathering, which was a large and enthusiastic one, unanimously decided to form a Northumberland Branch of the Independent Labor Party, as authorized and recommended by the annual convention of the N. B. Federation of Labor. Joseph P. Manderson, local president of the I. L. A. presided.

Provisional officers were elected as follows: an additional vice-president to be chosen by each parish, town or district, not represented at the first meeting, and the Provincial president, secretary and vice-presidents to form the Provisional Executive: President—J. P. Manderson, Newcastle. Secretary—W. Earl MacDonald, Newcastle.

V. P. for Douglastown—B. Stirling Wood.

V. P. for Nelson—Patrick Gorman. It was unanimously resolved "That an Independent Labor Party and co-operative as closely as possible with the United Farmers members and movement."

The platform of the Northumberland I. L. P. is identical with that of the Westmorland I. L. P.

TO BE TROUBLED WITH Constipation The Cause of Many Ills.

If you do not feel well and go to your family physician, one of the first things he will do is ask you to hold out your tongue. The reason for this is that the condition of the tongue shows the condition of the stomach and bowels.

If you allow your bowels to become constipated you will have bilious attacks, sick headaches, coated tongue, foul breath, heartburn, water brash, etc., and these troubles are the cause of many other ailments.

Keep your bowels moving regularly and you won't be sick.

Dr. J. M. Harris, Box 994, Halifax, N. S., writes: "For two years I suffered with constipation. I could not get anything to cure me, and finally I tried your Lax-Liver Pills. I took one every day and in a few days I was cured. I feel like a new man now."

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Winnipeg Pioneer Born At Hopewell

Geo. A. Bayne, in Fort Garry When Thos. Scott Was Murdered, is Dead.

Special to The Standard.

Moncton, N. B., March 28.—James A. Bayne of this city this afternoon received particulars of the death of his brother George A. Bayne, who collapsed suddenly from heart failure while running to catch a street car in Winnipeg this morning. He was the third son of the late Rev. Dr. Bayne of Pictou, N. S., and was born at Great Village, N. S. He was 71 years old and had been in the west since 1871, being a pioneer citizen of Manitoba. He was there during the Red Rebellion and was at Fort Garry when Scott was shot. He was a civil engineer and chief inspector for Hudson Bay Land Co. Besides his wife, who was formerly Miss Grace MacLean of Hopewell, N. S., he is survived by one son and two daughters, living near

Albert County Man Killed in Spokane

Richard Geldart Succumbs to Injuries Received While at Work in Mill.

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Moncton, N. B., March 28.—William Geldart of Guntingsville, Albert County and an employee of the C. N. R. has received word that his brother, Richard Geldart, died at Spokane, Washington on Saturday as the result of injuries received in a mill accident a few days previously.

He was forty-two years old, unmarried and was a son of the late Aaron Geldart, of Nison, Albert County. He was well known in Moncton and Albert County and went west fifteen years ago.

Winnipeg, one brother, James A. Moncton, three sisters, Mrs. (Dr.) Neil and Miss Bayne, Toronto and his twin sister in Moncton.

C. P. R. Official Touring Maritime

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GRANT HALL

Ten Hour Day To Make Fight

New Brunswick Lumber Workers Will Oppose Longer Day and Shorter Pay.

Fredericton, N. B., March 28.—There is every indication of an impending struggle, possibly one of negotiation rather than strikes and lockouts, between the mill owners and the workers at the lumber mills in the Fredericton district.

Already most of the operators of lumber mills here as well as elsewhere throughout the province have announced their intention of returning to the ten-hour day, a nine-hour schedule having been adopted last year, and in some cases a reduction in wages amounting to as much as 20 per cent has also been announced; the latest to announce a return to the ten-hour day being Stanley Douglas, Ltd., who operates mills at South Devon and Stanley.

In labor circles the return to the ten-hour day is not received with favor. Local No. 120 of the International Union of Timber Workers have rejected the proposal and the Federation Labor Council have also passed a resolution of protest and have resolved to "resist to the limit of its power the introduction of the aforementioned conditions."

The opinion was expressed in labor circles today that the workers would be more willing to accept a cut in wages than to return to the ten-hour day, but the lumbermen and mill owners are said to be insistent upon a return to the old working schedule.

COLLIERIES ARE IDLE.

Glouce Bay, N. S., March 28.—The collieries of the Dominion Coal Company here are idle again today pending some favorable turn in the depression of the coal trade. Several of the collieries will work tomorrow, it is said. There is only one steamer, the Lingan, at Louisbourg coaling pier and there is no work going on about here.

TIDES PREVENT DIGBY-ST. JOHN TRAIN FERRIES

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SEEKING VESSEL TO REPLACE "EMPRESS"

Daily Boat to be off Route Ten Days for Repair But Substitute Hard to Secure.

Yarmouth, N. S., March 28.—Mr. Grant Hall, vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, accompanied by Mr. George H. Allen, M. P. for South Winnipeg, and Mr. George E. Graham, general manager of the D. A. R., arrived here today and held a conference with the Board of Trade regarding improved railway and steamship services.

Regarding the railway service, Mr. Hall said that the company would put every effort forth to give the public the best accommodation that business warranted.

Tides Stop Ferry.

Mr. Hall was asked if the C. P. R. would place a steamer on the St. John and Digby route while the steamer Empress was undergoing repairs. He said that his company was endeavoring to locate a ship for the service, but it was a difficult matter to secure one for a short charter, as the Empress would only be off the route for about ten days. Mr. Hall also stated that the establishment of a car ferry between St. John and Digby was inadvisable on account of the tides in the Bay of Fundy.

Earthquake Noted By Dalhousie Univ.

Halifax, N. S., March 28.—An earth disturbance of medium intensity was registered on the seismograph at Dalhousie University here this morning at three-fifty-eight, according to Dr. H. L. Johnston, director of the observatory. Dr. Johnston said further examination of the record would be necessary before he could make definite calculations as to the probable location of the disturbance, but he thought it likely that it had taken place within a comparatively short distance of Nova Scotia.

Winnipeg, March 28.—George Bayne, chief inspector and surveyor of the Hudson Bay Co. land department, died suddenly here today, aged 71. He collapsed after running for a street car. He was born at Londonderry, N. S.

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