

SHIP COAL FROM
ENGLAND TO U.S.Cable Messages State Five
Cargoes Booked For
Transfer To America.Shortage Results in Scram-
ble For Fuel At Higher
Prices.

NEW YORK, July 20.—The expected coal shortage already is here, the Coal Trade Review declared today. The lack of production caused by the miners' strike has been increased by the railroad shopmen's strike, which has brought about a car shortage.

Railroads, public utilities, general manufacturing plants, lake carriers and retail dealers are all clamoring for coal, it was declared.

Anthracite retailers in the New York City district were reported to be almost down to the "scrapings of the yards."

The coal trade journals say that it was improbable that the miners could catch up with the lost tonnage, even if they returned to work immediately.

Cable messages from London said that five cargoes totalling 30,000 tons of gas coal, were booked for

Canada's Cattle Exports At Zero,
U. S. Tariff Bill Proving Deadly

OTTAWA, July 20.—The effect of the emergency tariff bill of the United States upon Canadian exports is somewhat graphically illustrated by trade statistics issued for June. Cattle exports are particularly affected, and have practically dropped to a negligible quantity.

In June, 1920, before the emergency tariff came into effect, Canadian exports to the United States totalled \$5,397,801. In June of 1921, after the emergency tariff came into effect, exports dropped to \$1,397,356. Last month they totalled \$3,992,415, of which total wheat exports accounted for \$2,007,271, as against \$947,924 for June of last year.

Cattle exports totalled last month shipment to the United States this month, and that negotiations were under way for another shipment of 40,000 tons.

Shipping circles reported that conditions at Hampton Roads is acute. Over 50,000 tons of shipping are lying idle, waiting for bunker coal.

"The shortage of fuel," said the weekly review of the Coal Age, "has resulted in a general scramble for coal, in which Mr. Hoover's price list has been definitely outdistanced in the bidders' market which exists today."

Western Kentucky coal, it was said, is being quoted around \$6.25, a dollar higher than last week.

The Coal Review asserted that the steel industry is threatened with the partial reduction of operation. The

only \$98,000, as against \$57,000 in June of 1921, and \$576,983 in June of 1920.

Wheat, wool and cheese make the best showing. Under the Fordney tariff, Canadian wheat was to meet a duty of 35 cents a bushel. But Canada exported 1,498,834 bushels of wheat to the United States last month, as compared with 552,233 in June last year and 41,253 bushels in June, 1920. Exports of wool were \$67,167 pounds in June, 1922, compared with 17,996 pounds in June, 1921, and \$2,422 pounds in June, 1920. Cheese exports to the United States last month totalled 1,187,500 pounds; in June, 1921, 6,700 pounds, and in June, 1920, 12,680 pounds.

Northwest, the paper continued, is on the verge of a critical situation. The stocks of coal at the docks at the head of the Great Lakes are now around 1,500,000 net tons, as compared with 4,342,000 tons this time last year.

POWER SHORTAGE TIES UP
FACTORIES AT BELLEVILLEManufacturers Beseech Ottawa To
Relieve Situation Caused By
Dispute With Commission.

BELLEVILLE, July 20.—The tie-up of industries in Belleville through the lack of power was practically complete today. Practically all of the factories are shut down, and there does not appear to be any prospect of immediate relief.

The local Manufacturers' Association and the Chamber of Commerce are in constant negotiation with the hydro commission and the government at Ottawa, in the hope of forcing a quick settlement of the dispute that has arisen between the two authorities.

Meanwhile, the people are out of employment, and business and industry are at a standstill. The situation as it stands at the present time is critical for the manufacturing concerns of the city.

BLAMES LARGER GALLON
FOR HIGHER GAS PRICES

OTTAWA, July 20.—(By Canadian Press).—Government officials here are not offering explanations of the difference in the price charged for gasoline on the American and Canadian sides of the international border, beyond pointing out that the Canadian gallon contains considerably more than the American gallon.

In the tariff approved at the recent session of Parliament the import duty on gasoline is one-half cent per gallon under the British preferential tariff; three-quarters of a cent per gallon under the intermediate tariff, and one cent a gallon under the general tariff. The general tariff represents a reduction from 2½ cents a gallon.

This reduction in tariff is practically offset by the increase of 50 per cent in the sales tax, which also applies to gasoline.

SUSPENDS POLICEMEN
FOR HITTING CANADIAN

WASHINGTON, July 20.—Chief of Police Sullivan of the District of Columbia, suspended the two Washington policemen, Spaulding and Brommerman, who are under indictment for brutally beating Louis C. Moore, a Canadian, following a dispute.

The police dragged Moore from a street car and blackjacked him.

FOUND GUILTY OF
FORGERY CHARGEClarence Armstrong Promises
To Make Restitution To
Mother-in-Law.

Special to London Advertiser.
WOODSTOCK, July 20.—Clarence Armstrong, a young man living about 20 miles below Ottawa, was arrested at Ottawa this week by Constable Hill on the charge of having forged the name of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Smith, to a note for \$155. He appeared before Magistrate Patterson, and on promising to make restitution of the money, the court of the action, was allowed to go on suspended sentence.

A signal honor has just been bestowed upon a Woodstock Mason in the person of J. Gordon Archibald, who was yesterday elected to the position of district deputy grand master of Wilson district, No. 6, A. F. and A. M., at the annual sessions of the Grand Lodge, now being held in Port Arthur. Mr. Archibald was one of the delegates to the Grand Lodge from this city.

SEEK SOLUTION
OF HOUSE ISSUEItaly Calls Parley To Tackle
World Problem.

ROME, July 20.—Not at all discouraged by the failure to bring about reconstruction by means of the Genoa conference, Italy will immediately tackle another world-wide problem via the international congress route.

This time it will be for the housing crisis, which, as a result of the war, remains almost as acute in the western hemisphere as on the European continent.

With an international congress for the economical and co-operative construction of apartment houses, to be held at Rome, September 21 to 26, Italy plans to show the rest of the world just how she has solved the problem herself and to put the fruits of her experience at the disposition of others.

Own Apartments.
The congress will be able to see at Rome whole quarters and suburbs composed exclusively of huge apartment houses, covering acres and acres of ground, which have been built, for example, by certain co-operative categories, employees of various ministries, government employees generally, etc.

Simultaneously with these workmen's suburbs, the congress delegates will be able to see other high-grade residential quarters composed of great apartment houses of the most modern luxury, in which, in turn, every apartment is owned outright by the tenant.

Only Built for Sale.
In fact, so successful has this form of building become at Rome and other Italian cities that there is practically no construction whatsoever now for renting purposes. Houses are built only for the actual sale of the apartments to the tenants.

While this form of building originated in Italy with co-operative societies, it has become the accepted basis for building for all big construction companies, who only build apartment houses for the sale of the apartments.

Naturally this form of building has, because of the vast scale on which it is prosecuted and the vast amount of capital necessary, only been possible in Italy by means of governmental co-operation. Special building laws, exemption from taxation for long periods, free importation of building materials, and even financial help, is part of the Italian government's contribution to this solution of the crisis.

GIRL SAVES LIFE
OF DROWNING MAN

ST. CATHARINES, July 20.—Emily Darling, a Merritt girl, saved the life of W. J. Logan of Montreal, a fireman on the tug Russell, after he had fallen into the canal from the footgates of lock 12.

Miss Darling, who was watching the family cow in a nearby field, heard Logan's cry for help, and running to the canal, threw a rope with him in his grasp.

REFUSES TO GIVE BACK
HAMILTON RADIAL BONDS

HAMILTON, July 20.—The hydro-electric commission has refused to return to this city its hydro radial bonds.

A letter to this effect has been received by Mayor Copley, but as his worship was out of the city today a statement as to his attitude in the matter could not be obtained.

Hamilton deposited bonds totalling over \$6,000,000 in connection with the hydro radial scheme, but when the act was recently changed the city council decided to ask for their return. It is understood that the commission takes the stand that it has no authority to return the bonds.

CONTRACTS DISEASE IN
HIS SEARCH FOR GERM

TORONTO, July 20.—The victim of a virulent disease germ with which he was experimenting in the interests of the advancement of scientific knowledge, Professor J. J. MacKenzie, head of the pathological department of the University of Toronto, is lying seriously ill at a summer home in Muskoka. Professor MacKenzie is suffering from a persistent attack of ulcerated endocarditis, which he is believed to have contracted while experimenting with streptococci germs, a pus-forming bacteria which worked havoc amongst the allied armies operating in the Balkans during the great war.

EXPECT RAILROAD
STRIKE SATURDAYEmployees of M. C. R. Report-
ed Anxious To Fight Wage
Cuts by Walkout.

Special to London Advertiser.
ST. THOMAS, July 20.—Considerable uneasiness is being felt by officials of local railroads over the strike situation. There is a report of a strong possibility of the men going out on Saturday, July 22. The men, it is understood, lack confidence in the effectiveness of arbitration, and are anxious to fight the question out by a strike.

A local railroadman stated Thursday that when the general superintendent of the Grand Trunk System asked the foreman how many men would be at work Saturday, he received this answer: "Two—the night foreman and myself."

It is now regarded as improbable that the railways will issue the next pay checks at the reduced rate per hour, as it is thought that such a course would precipitate trouble.

Will Begin Sitings.
Confirmation has now been received that the board of arbitration, which will try to settle the wage dispute between the local shopmen and the Michigan Central Railway, will begin its sittings on Monday, July 24, at 2 p.m. Word to that effect was received Thursday by John Lane, chairman of the local Federation of Shop Crafts.

While the board will deal with the complaints of all members of that organization in Canada, and while witnesses are expected from several points on the division, the sittings will be held here, and most of those who testify will be employed in the local shops.

Reductions in pay of from 7 to 9 cents an hour led to the application

for a board by the employees, and the board's duty will be to investigate the justice or injustice of the cut. In any case, the parties in dispute will not bind themselves by the board's finding, it is understood, and should no amicable settlement be reached it is thought probable that a strike will result. The industrial disputes act does not require that the board's finding shall of necessity be accepted.

Coal Situation Serious.
The board consists of J. M. McEvoy, chairman, W. D. Robbins, Toronto, representing the men, and D. T. Malcolmson of Hamilton for the company.

The coal situation is getting serious on this division owing to the coal strike in the United States, it is reported, and it is feared that the company will soon have to begin to refuse even foodstuffs for shipment. The company had some 400 cars of coal stored on its division, but this practically is used up. Small amounts are being brought over the border, but not enough, it is stated. Four trains carrying necessities pass through the city every day on this line for the city of New York and its environs, and a stringent shortage would lead to a very critical condition.

The Wabash and Pere Marquette railways are not in so difficult a position with regard to fuel, according to officials, and up to date have preserved the usual amount of trains of all classes.

CHUM'S STORIES
LURE BOY AWAY

DETROIT, July 20.—Lured by the exciting stories of another boy's adventures, Alfred Dunbar, 15, of 3720 Fourth avenue, left home Tuesday, his mother reported to police Thursday.

Harold Parker, with whom he disappeared, Mrs. Dunbar said, has left on three occasions, taking other boys with him. Tuesday they left word they were going to Cleveland, but were located later with the Parker boy's relatives in an Ohio city.

DRIVER INJURED WHEN
THROWN FROM WAGONBlenheim Resident Attempts to Fix
Harness, and Frightened
Horses Bolt.

Special to London Advertiser.
BLENHEIM, July 20.—Kenneth English narrowly escaped death this morning, when a team of horses he was driving drawing a load of potatoes to the warehouse of the Pere Marquette Railway Station ran away.

It seems that he stepped out onto the tongue of the wagon to adjust something in connection with the harness.

The horses became frightened and bolted, English falling on the tongue of the wagon.

He managed to raise himself and get back onto the wagon, only to be thrown onto the road when the horses made a turn to go off the street toward the station. The wagon broke in two, and away the team went with the two front wheels. Finally they freed themselves from these and were caught.

English had one hand cut, which required dressing by a physician, and he was bruised slightly otherwise. He felt thankful he had escaped with his life.

LEAGUE CONTINUE
SECRET SESSIONS

LONDON, July 20.—The council of the League of Nations continued its policy of secret sessions today, provoking renewed criticism from representatives of the British press.

The army of newspapermen which attended the early sittings of the council has now dwindled to insignificant proportions.

The communiqué issued after the meeting said that questions concerning protection of minorities in Poland and Upper Silesia, as well as the question of the frontier between

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tin ... 33c
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... \$5.73
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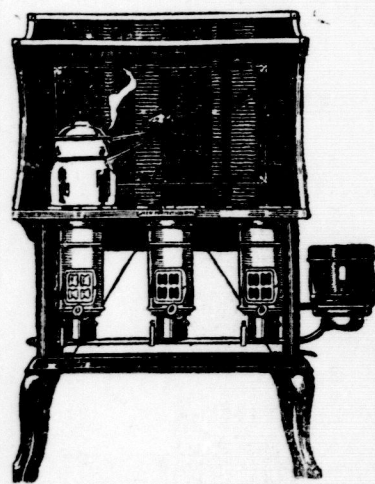
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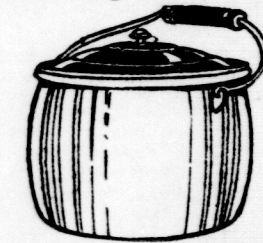
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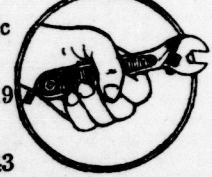
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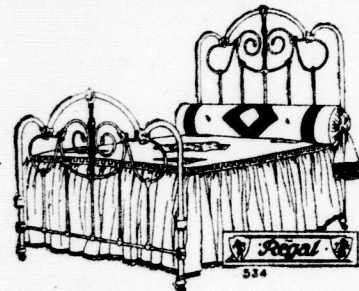
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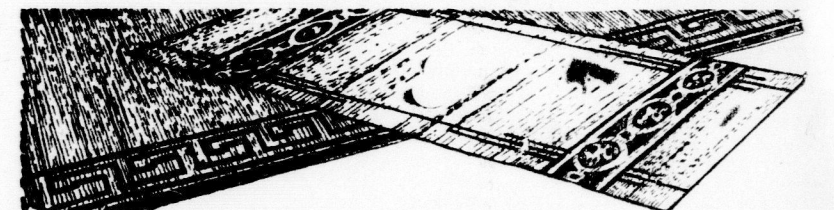
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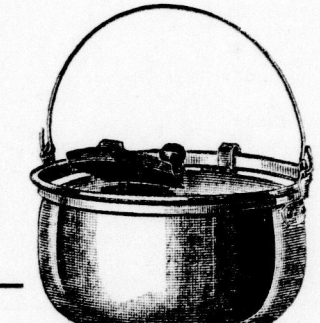
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