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HARD COAL STRIKE HAS BEEN AVERTED

U. S. Operators Agree to Make Wage Scale Retro- active to April First.

New York, March 24.—Suspension of work in the anthracite coal fields April 1, when the present wage agreement between the operators and workers, expires, was averted tonight, when owners notified the hard coal diggers that they would agree to make any wage increase decided upon in the new agreement being drawn up retroactive to that date.

No Franchise for Toronto Man To Give Windsor Ferry Service

Windsor, March 24.—No franchise will be granted by either the provincial or Dominion government to Chas. Millers, promoter, of Toronto, for the operation of a competitive ferry system between Windsor and Detroit, with a landing at the foot of the dock street, Mayor Winter has been assured by government officials at Toronto and Ottawa.

HAMILTON

Hamilton, Ont., March 24.—At a meeting held in the lecture room of the new public library building delegates from the high schools and collegiate institutes all over the Niagara peninsula organized the Hamilton District Federation of Secondary School Teachers.

Still Say That Wrong Body Was Sent by Penitentiary

Kingston, Ont., March 24.—(Special.)—The British Whig tonight says the family of the late Finley Stoneham, who died in Portsmouth Penitentiary, still maintain that the body sent to them at Gravenhurst as that of Finley Stoneham, could not be identified, and despite the statement of the minister of justice in the house of commons, the identification, it is alleged, was not admitted by them.

YORK COUNTY AND SUBURBS

TORONTO AND EASTERN.

Soon to Start—But With Wooden Trestles for Bridges.
A municipal man interested in the Toronto and Eastern, in the city yesterday, said he had no doubt of Sir Adam Beck's statement that construction would start early in the spring. To get service going, the commission might use wooden trestles. Instead of steel bridges over three or four of the important streams, and follow later with regular bridgework. They thought the first crossing east of Toronto, namely, that over Massey Creek, at the corner of Woodbine avenue and St. Clair avenue, will be of this character, and the same would apply to Highland Street and the Rouge, and perhaps the crossing at Duffin's Creek.

EAST YORK POULTRY MEET.

Under the auspices of East York Poultry Association, a show of birds comprising all varieties of Orpingtons and Rhode Island Reds, single and double comb, and Mediterranean, was held in Smith's Hall, Main street, last night. George McKillop, president, presided, and W. Smith acted as judge. Cash prizes and silk ribbons were awarded to the winners.

NEWS OF EARLS COURT.

James Cooper, an Earls Court boy, was the winner in the Cadets' rifle contest, held yesterday. He made the highest score, and is a member of the 8th Battalion. He scored 66 points—a remarkable performance. Other participants were from Carlton and Grace Street Schools. The highest honors and the gold medal will go to these schools.

The local branch of the S.O.E. gave a dance and social last night at Morrow's Hall, Nairn avenue, Earls Court, many of the guests being returned men and their wives. A special prize was offered for the novelty prize waltz, which was won by Mr. and Mrs. Cooper of Earls Court. A handsome silver biscuit jar and butter plate were presented to the successful contestants.

Earls Court social circles are somewhat perturbed by a rumor circulated that the police had raided Belmont Hall, headquarters of the Earls Court branch of the G.W.V.A., St. Clair avenue. In this hall dances and socials are held from time to time and are the envy of the neighbors and the Ladies' Aid of the auxiliary. These dances and socials are very popular, and the rumor has caused quite an unpleasant flutter in the district. It probably arose from the fact that a few weeks back a young woman was arrested for sealing a coat from a man, who was taken before a magistrate, and sentenced to the jail for a month. As the police have never raided Belmont Hall, as there has been no occasion for doing so, the rumor is unfounded. Major Stockley, chairman of the executive committee, takes charge of all the dances held under the auspices of the G.W.V.A., and is responsible to the executive committee.

BEECH AVENUE METHODISTS.

The annual visitation of Beech Avenue Methodist congregation to the latter conducted during this week by being conducted by the Rev. J. A. Corlett is a most successful one. J. A. Cummers and William Rennie captains.

BOYS HAD SUPPER.

East Gerrard Street Methodist Epworth League entertained the Intermediate boys' class in the church basement last night. Rev. Braze, pastor, who has recently returned from the States, presided. The program was contributed by local artists and the Rev. Braze rendered several selections. An enjoyable time was spent by all present.

GREENWOOD RATEPAYERS.

The recently organized Greenwood Ratepayers' Association held a meeting last night in Greenwood Presbyterian Church. The executive officers were elected, J. Roberts, president, and J. Roberts, secretary. The association's boundaries were discussed. In the school section number seven, school building which is proposed on the corner of the proposed new road, No. 200, and is intended to relieve the overcrowding at the present school. The proposal, which did not meet with further discussion, the site, it was stated, is already purchased.

WATER AND SEWERS NEEDED.

"Something will have to be done and done speedily in the eastern section of York township north of Danforth avenue regarding the installation of water and sewer systems," said D. McCarty, secretary of the Amalgamated Ratepayers' Association of York township. "The congestion in many sections is also a menace to public health. A committee of the amalgamated organization has been appointed to visit various ratepayers' meetings to discuss the questions of water and sewerage, and to set the views of the different local associations. Mr. McCarty, who expressed his personal opinion that the water and sewerage could not be made with the city at the present time in the matter of annexing a section of the eastern portion to suit both parties.

WEDDING IN TODMORDEN.

Miss Florence Balson, second eldest daughter of Mr. S. Balson, 108 Hogarth avenue, and Mrs. S. Balson, second eldest son of Deputy Reeve, A. Macdonald, 107 Boe street, Todmorden, were united in marriage, evening in Danforth Baptist Church. Many relatives and friends of the couple were present to witness the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Macdonald left last night for a short tour to the United States. They will reside on their return at 99 Hogarth avenue.

Montreal.—Joseph Thibaud, the son of the farmers' hennepots for miles around Montreal, who made a business of wholesale theft of chickens, was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary.

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DUG THEMSELVES IN

Government Troops at Wesel Resisting the Red Army.

London, March 24.—Reports from the frontier are to the effect that heavy fighting continues near Wesel, says The London Times' Rotterdam correspondent. Gun fire has been heard at Hevenaar, in the province of Gelderland, the same as during the war. The German government troops have dug themselves in and are endeavoring to withstand vigorous attacks by the Red Army.

CUP FOR NAVAL BRIGADE

Montreal, March 24.—A silver trophy cup to be competed for by the boys' naval brigade of Montreal and Toronto in theoretical and practical seamanship was presented to the boys' naval brigade of Montreal tonight by T. B. McAulay, who announced that competitions will be held every summer.

CALOMEL!

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ONLY STAGE PLAY TO THE GALLERY

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The board might give its written authority or not for a prosecution.
"I make no comment upon the proceedings that have taken place in Hamilton and Toronto, beyond the fact that the department of the attorney-general will do what it can to see that this question is fully prosecuted if leave be given by the board and will lay an information."
Mr. Curry wished the attorney-general to say whether or not his hands are tied by the authority of the board.
Mr. Raney declared such was the fact by the statute creating the board of commerce.

THE HAMILTON INQUIRY.

H. H. Dewar called the attention of the attorney-general to the letter he had written regarding the Hamilton Dairy Co. Why, if there was substance in the statements contained in his letter, a prosecution of the Hamilton Dairy Co. had not been ordered.
Alleged Stock Watering.
Mr. Raney replied that as to the statement in Mr. Dewar's letter concerning alleged watering of the stock of the Hamilton Dairy Co., of which he found no evidence, he had so written Mr. Dewar.
Mr. Dewar: My point is that as the attorney saw fit in one case to proceed on hearsay, why he did not proceed in the other case on the same grounds.
Mr. Raney replied by invoking procedure in respect to questions in the house.

Howard Ferguson asked permission to say there is a long established right by members of the house to obtain information from government upon public matters. He wished to call attention to the fact that the legislation had drifted away from correct procedure regarding this right. They had, he said, just seen a play staged by the member for South-east Toronto (Mr. Curry), who was supposed to entertain a desire to get across the floor of the house. (Laughter.) The closer he got the more interesting his relations with the attorney-general was apparently the more anxious to assist Mr. Curry in the method chosen for the staging of the present proceedings, the object of which was to give the attorney-general an opportunity of making a declaration upon a matter with which the legislature has no earthly concern.

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that would ring up and down the province. (Laughter.) In his opinion the house had been treated to more than enough of this political clap-net, to which members had just listened. There being nothing before the house, the matter fell flat.

CHARGED WITH BAIL JUMPING.

Hamilton, March 24.—Wanted by the police of Montreal on charges of bail jumping and theft, Ed Hanley, alias Belain, was taken into custody this afternoon by Detective Goodman.

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