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C. P. R. STEAMER EARNINGS SHOW LOSS FOR YEAR

U. S. Immigration Law and Enlarged Schedule Causes, Says Beatty

INCOME LESS AND EXPENDITURE MORE

Atlantic Operations Result in Revenue Decrease of \$1,979,000.

MONTREAL, P. Q., March 22.—C. P. R. earnings from steamships during 1924 dropped considerably through the operation of the United States immigration laws coupled with the enlarged sailing schedule, according to the annual statement of the Canadian Pacific Railways made public here today by E. W. Beatty, K. C. The result of the Atlantic operations of the steamship department showed a decrease in revenue from all sources of \$1,979,000 under 1923 and an addition of \$617,000 in expenses owing to increased voyages.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

The financial statement for the year 1924 follows:

Gross earnings	\$182,502,155
Working expenses	145,274,911
Net earnings	37,227,244
Fixed charges	14,470,297
Surplus	22,756,947
Deduct pension funds	600,000
Net revenue (available for dividends)	22,156,947

After payment of all dividends declared for the year the surplus is \$468,614.

SPECIAL INCOME AFTER ALLOWANCES FOR CONTINGENT RESERVES, \$9,971,252.

Dividends: Half-yearly dividend, payable Oct. 1, 1924, one preference stock, at 2 per cent, \$1,980,889.

DIVIDENDS PAID.

Three-quarterly dividends on ordinary stock of 1-4 per cent paid June 30, Oct. 1 and Dec. 31, 1924, \$13,650,000.

Second half yearly dividends on preferred stock of 2 per cent, payable April 1, 1925, \$2,002,971.

Fourth quarterly dividend on ordinary stock, April 1, 1925, \$4,550,000.

The dividends, deducted from the 1924 surplus of \$22,756,947, leave the net surplus for the year \$18,206,947.

PAYMENTS MADE.

From the special income of \$9,971,252, which was derived from revenue from investments and available resources, interest on deposits and dividends on other securities, and the net earnings on the coastal and steamship lines, the commercial telegraphs, news department, hotels, rentals and miscellaneous, payments were made to shareholders in dividends in June, October and December of last year to the amount of \$5,850,000, and from the balance of \$4,121,252 a dividend has been declared payable April 1, 1925, amounting to \$1,980,889.

CARD OF THANKS.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Alexandra Temple of Honor wish to thank the G. E. Harbour Company for kindly supplying King Cole Orange Pekoe tea for their at home on Friday last.

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SILLS IN NEW YORK.

Milton Sils is in New York playing the part of a policeman in his first "starring" vehicle, "The Making of O'Malley," which Lambert Hillyer is directing.

C. P. R. Treasurer Dies In Atlantic City

NEW YORK, March 22.—H. E. Suckling, treasurer of the Canadian Pacific Railway, died at Atlantic City, N. J., Saturday, according to advices received at the C. P. R. office here.

Mr. Suckling had been convalescing at the summer resort for some time following a prolonged illness.

Hold Service At Old Ladies' Home

The Sunday school class of young girls, taught by Mrs. Robert G. Fulton, who have been making it a practice to go to the Old Ladies' Home every fourth Sunday afternoon after Sunday school to hold a short service, made their usual visit yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Fulton accompanied them and gave a short devotional talk. The girls sang hymns, in which the ladies joined. Miss Gwyneth Hodgson and Miss Gertrude Curll, of the Centenary orchestra, played a duet and Miss Mary Fulton and Miss Louise Adams sang a duet. The accompaniments were played by Miss Charlotte Calkin. Those who assisted were Miss Jean Johnson, Miss Margaret Hanson, Miss Marion Winchester, Miss Norma McAlpine and Miss Violet Stanwhite. Mrs. Fulton entertained her girls at tea at the home, after which all went to church.

The ladies at the home thanked them for their bright visit.

Simple Way To Take Off Fat

Can anything be simpler than taking a convenient little tablet four times each day until your weight is reduced to normal? Of course, it is not so simple as it sounds. Thousands of men and women each year remain healthy, slender figures by using Marmola Tablets. Purchase them from your druggist, or send direct to Marmola Co., General Motor Bldg., Detroit, Mich.

BUSINESS LOCALS

SEAMEN'S INSTITUTE.

Montcalm Concert Party, Thursday, March 26, 8.15. Tickets 25c.

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To Let—New house 48 Dufferin Ave. 4 bedrooms, 2 living rooms, sun porch, rent \$40 per month. Apply Box M. 88, Times. 18601—8-24

"Perfect" Jelly Powders, made here, are featured this week by prominent grocers. "The quality warrants the name." 8-24

Miss N. McGrath returned from Boston and New York on Saturday.

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Scotch Specials For This Week

1 lb. Jars Keller's Dundee Strawberry Jam 39c.

1 lb. Jars Keller's Dundee Raspberry Jam 39c.

Odd Little Jars Wild Bramble Jelly 39c.

From Canada Shirliff's—The Marmalade that made Scotland Jealous. 1 lb. Jars Shirliff's Orange Marmalade 27c. 4 for \$1.00

8 lb. Mason Jars Orange Marmalade 75c.

A Big Special in Chocolates

Metcalf's Peppermint Patties only, 1 lb. 39c.

These Are Fresh From The Factory.

Fresh Flowers and Plants Arriving Daily.

181 Union St. McPHERSON BROS. Phone M. 506

DECLINE TO ACCEPT \$5,000 FROM RUSSIA

Cape Breton Relief Committee

Fear Action Taken as Red Propaganda.

SYDNEY, N. S., March 23.—Believing acceptance of the \$5,000 grant to the relief fund of the striking miners from the Red Internationale Labor Union and the Russian Miners' Federation would be construed in certain quarters as Russian propaganda, the Cape Breton Relief Committee has decided not to accept the proffered donation made to it through J. B. MacLachlan.

On being informed of the decision of the committee, Mr. MacLachlan, who is editor of the Maritime Labor Herald, issued a statement in which he declared he would hold the money and if adequate relief was not forthcoming he would distribute it, irrespective of the citizens' committee.

WALLS ARE CRUMBLING.

A retaining wall in front of 89 Wright street has been reported by Police Constable Bettie as being in a dangerous condition. Part of the wall collapsed Saturday completely blocking the sidewalk with stones. The Public Works Department was notified and placed lanterns on the pile Saturday night to warn pedestrians.

Constable Bettie also reports a dangerous hole in Wright street near Goodrich street.

BUSINESS LOCALS

1925 model Fords on display at showroom, 900 Union, this evening. 8-24

Millinery opening, 196 Queen, West End. 19207-5-24

Safe Milk—Borden's St. Charles Evaporated! 19275-8-24

Rummage sale, Syrian Hall, 210 Prince Edward street Saturday, March 21, at 10 a.m. 19278-8-24

1925 model Fords on display at showroom, 900 Union, this evening. 8-24

TWILIGHT ORGAN RECITAL.

Gerrard street Baptist church, Mrs. P. J. Hodgson assisted by Mrs. Curran, soprano, Miss Gwyneth Hodgson, violin and Dr. Percival Bonnell, baritone. Tomorrow, Saturday afternoon, 4 o'clock. Offering at door 25c, children, 10c. 19272-8-24

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

Take notice that Arthur Willis London will at the present session of the Legislature of the Province of New Brunswick apply for legislation to change his name from Arthur Willis London to Arthur Willis McIntyre.

ARTHUR WILLIS LONDON.

8-29-1.

Y. W. H. A. minstrel show, Carleton street synagogue, Wednesday, March 25, at 8.30. Tickets 35c. 18311-3-25

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Regular meeting of Moulton Temple, No. 14, Pythian Sisters, postponed from tonight until Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. 18310-48-24

HERE FROM ROXBURY.

Rev. Father Quinn, C. S. S. R., Roxbury, Mass., has arrived at St. Peter's rectory, where he will be stationed temporarily.

Death Penalty Is Well Supported

A well argued debate was conducted at the Young Men's Catholic Institute yesterday afternoon when the resolution "Resolved that life imprisonment should be substituted for capital punishment" was upheld by Leo McCoslin and Freddie Bridges, while the negative side was defended by Walter Hughes and Walter Power. Albina Robichaud was the chairman and the judges were Rev. William Duke, George McErmott and J. P. Coughlin. The judges had considerable difficulty in giving their decision so well matched were the teams, but they finally decided in favor of the negative. They complimented the debaters and spoke of the great benefit to be found in debating which was at once educational and entertaining. The debate was one of those scheduled in the Inter-Society programme.

TO SELECT S. P. C. TREASURER.

The adjourned annual meeting of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty will be called this week to elect officers and especially to appoint a treasurer, F. A. Dykeman having tendered his resignation from that office.

CHEMICAL SOON ENDS FIRE.

The fire department was called out yesterday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock by an alarm from box 412 for a slight fire in a house on Haymarket Square owned and occupied by Miss Martha Wilkins. It was quickly extinguished by the chemical.

ASSISTED TO OUTER AIR.

Police Constable McCavour reports that he was called into Joseph McIntosh's beer shop, 16 Winslow street, West Saint John, Saturday afternoon to assist in ejecting two men who were creating a disturbance.

\$1 Down Gets Best Glasses

\$1 Weekly Pays; Rest At Cash Prices

4 in 5 need Glasses. How can you tell about your eyes? You cannot compare yours to others because you don't get an opportunity of seeing with others' eyes.

Much pain and weariness is traced to straining eyes whose owners are unaware of the strain.

Sharpe's

Opp. Oak Hall WEEKLY

516 Main St. Phone M. 2913

FREE

Our Nestle's Double Egg Beater given free with 6 large cans of Nestle's for 75c.

98 lb. Bags Cream of West Flour \$5.50

24 lb. Bags Flour \$1.40

4 pkgs. Reg. 10 Jelly Powder 25c.

4 cans Sardines 25c.

2 cans Clams 25c.

10 lbs. Onions 25c.

2 lbs. Evaporated Apples 35c.

Pure Lard Best Quality, lb. 23c.

M. A. MALONE

516 Main St. Phone M. 2913

Make Your Old Suites Help Buy You New

On Friday a lady called up that she had a 15 year old suite, which she recognized was now behind the times. She wanted the style of Furniture seen today at J. Marcus Ltd. One of the firm called and allowed her as much as she paid for her suite 15 years ago. It may not always work out so well as this—but one thing is sure. Your old suites are better traded in for new Furniture this very week while J. Marcus Ltd. remain open to make generous allowances. It's Marcus and not you who assumes the risk and bother of its disposal—it's Marcus who takes the chance on what it brings at Potts' Auction Rooms.

And see what your old suites bring into your home. Study this Dining Room. One of the first built that no hot plate can hurt. The new Duo finish as now put on auto. Solid Walnut in the William and Mary period. Two tone Walnut—dark in general and a two inch band of light Walnut bordering panels and edges. Heightened again by a putty gray inlay. Polychrome handles, dust-proof drawers and Walnut panelled China Cabinet. Blue Spanish leather Chair seats.

Would You Be Seen In This?

Furniture Progress Greater

You'd never think of appearing before your friends in a pre-war automobile.

How comical and clumsy they look! How pre-historic! And yet—

As the time is short and appointments stop next week, lose no time in getting your date arranged when a member of the Marcus firm may call and make you an offer.

The improvement in Furniture in the last fifteen years is far greater than the change that has taken place in automobiles. Visit the Marcus show rooms and see.

J. Marcus

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FOR ONE DAY ONLY This "Ideal" Aluminum

DOUBLE BOILER 98c

1 1-2 Quart Size

This handy size Double Boiler is made of heavy Aluminum, panel style. Guaranteed. The kind you generally have to pay \$1.75 for. We have only a limited quantity. Come early.

EVERYDAY SPECIALS

Moth proof Bags 39c.

Smoky City Wall Paper 19c.

Cleaner 25c.

Auto-Gloss 25c.

O' Cedar 23c.

Gillett's Lye 15c.

Old Dutch 13c.

Carbona 15c.

Gold Paint 35c.

Moth Balls, lb. 12c.

Paper Cleaner 19c.

Liquid Veneer 29c. 58c.

Colorite 25c.

Brillo 2 for 25c.

Carpet Cleaner 35c.

Enamels 50c.

Moth Flakes 15c.

WASSONS 2 STORES

9 Sydney St. Pony Votes Given 711 Main St.

CASH SPECIALS

Murtagh's Grocery

256 PRINCE EDWARD STREET Phone M. 8408

13 lbs Granulated Sugar \$1.00

2 qts. White or Yelloweye Beans 25c.

4 Bags Table Salt 25c.

Shaker Salt Box 10c.

4 lbs Oatmeal 25c.

1 lb Rice 25c.

2 Large Tins Carnation Milk 25c.

Sliced Pineapple 2 25c.

Cherries in Jars 18c.

Cooked Peaches, 2 25c.

15 lbs Potatoes 20c.

1/2 bbl. Bag Potatoes \$1.00

Extra Special Brooms 45c.

2 lbs Bulk Raisins 25c.

2 lbs Large Prunes 25c.

JAMS

4 lbs Tin Pure Strawberry 75c.

4 lbs Tin Pure Raspberry 75c.

4 lbs Tin Pure Plum Jam 75c.

4 lbs Tin Orange Marmalade 65c.

Goods delivered to all parts of city, East St. John, Little River, Glen Falls.

Specials at Robertson's

24 lb Bags Robin Hood or Cream of West Flour \$1.45

98 lb Bags \$5.50

13 lbs Lantic Fine Granulated Sugar \$1.00

100 lb Bags \$7.35

Orange Pekoe Tea 55c lb

Morse's Tea 68c lb pkg

Perfection Creamery Butter 40c lb

2 15-oz. pkgs Seeded Raisins 25c

2 15-oz. pkgs Seedless Raisins 25c

2 Bottles English Worcestershire Sauce 25c

Kieller's Orange Marmalade 22c bot.

1/2 lb Tins Red Clover Salmon 18c.

2 1/2 lb Tins Best Pink Salmon 35c.

2 lb Tin Peaches 25c.

2 lb Tin Sliced Pineapple 20c.

2 Tins Clams 29c.

4 Tins Sardines 25c.

3 Tins Kipperd Snacks 22c.

Non-such Stove Polish 16c.

Shredded Coconut 23c lb

6 Rolls Toilet Paper for 23c

2 qts Small White Beans 23c.

2 qts Yelloweye Beans 23c.

4 Bags Table Salt 23c.

3 1/2 Boxes Matches, 400 30c

4 Cakes Fairy or P. G. Naphtha Soap 25c

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13 1/2 lbs Granulated Sugar, with orders \$1.00

24 lb Bag Royal Household Flour, at the store \$1.39

98 lb Bag Royal Household Flour \$5.35

Shoe Polish, any color, reg. 15c. tins 3 for 25c.

Copied Bulk Tea, per lb. 33c.

Choice Dairy Butter, per lb. 33c.

Pink Salmon, 1 lb size, 2 tins for 29c.

4 pkgs. Asst. Jelly Powder 25c.

1 lb Choice Fresh Ground Coffee 45c.

Regular 25c. can Corned Beef 19c.

Finest White Potatoes, per peck (15 lbs) at the store 17c.

5 lbs Best Oatmeal 25c.

Finest small Picnic Hams, per lb. at the store 19c.