

THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 1918

## Mayor And Others Address 'Longshoremen'

Offer of Fifty-Seven Cents Made Through His Worship at Meeting of Union Last Evening

The meeting was held in St. Andrew's rink and upwards of 500 men were in attendance. Before the meeting the executive held a conference with Mayor Hayes, A. H. Wetmore, president of the board of trade, T. H. Bullock, commissioner of harbor and ferries, and W. Frank Hatheway. After their conference it was announced that the offer made by the mayor was to be presented to the men. When he was introduced he explained that he had received a wire from H. C. Groat, general superintendent of the New Brunswick division of the C. P. R., who is in Montreal, informing him that Sir Arthur Harris, realizing the gravity of the situation developed at this port and the great need for keeping the steamship service going, offered the men an increase to fifty-seven cents an hour.

His Worship said that he had refrained from taking part in the matter as it was a delicate one and until asked to do so had held out hoping that a settlement would be reached. He spoke of the seriousness of the situation and said that he earnestly hoped that a settlement would be reached. He pointed out the large loss of money sustained by the large number of vessels being forced to remain idle, as well as by the men themselves. He dwelt on the offer made by Sir Arthur Harris to increase the men's pay to fifty-seven cents an hour and said that he hoped that the men would favorably consider the offer. Commissioner Bullock was called on. He had just dropped in and aside from what he read in the newspapers was ignorant of the rate being paid the men. He said he had learned a lot since attending the meeting and he felt that the longshoremen of St. John were entitled to just as high a rate as being paid in any port. He said that it was a serious situation and might become considerably more serious. He said that the shipping interests could give a reasonable wage here if they could do so in Portland (Me.), Boston and New York. He said that there was a time when the cost of living in St. John was considerably less than in the States, but such was not the case today and it cost as much, and in some instances more, than it did in any other port which was in competition with St. John. He advised the men to go slowly, to be sure they were right and hoped that they would win. His remarks were greeted with prolonged cheers.

A. H. Wetmore then addressed the men. He said that he was interested in the matter because he was a citizen and realized it was of great importance. He said that the increase as offered by Sir Arthur Harris was something to work on and said that if they could not agree

to accept the amount he hoped they would decide among themselves upon some definite amount so that negotiations could be continued. He pointed out the seriousness of the situation and what it meant to the port of St. John. W. Frank Hatheway said that if the longshoremen in Portland, which is only 200 miles away, were receiving sixty-five cents an hour, they should get the same amount here. He said that the harbor had this day were just as good as the men in Portland and were therefore entitled to as much pay.

He said that he felt the men would be safe in laying their case before a conciliation board, and he felt that if it was put up to them that they must pay the St. John longshoremen as high a rate as the men are getting in Portland (Me.) they would accede to the demand. He asked that they consider an acceptance if they received an offer similar to that paid in Portland (Me.).

### O'DONNELL CLOTHING SALE ENDS SATURDAY NIGHT

Oak Hall Wholesale Warehouse, 101-107 Germain Street Will Have Busy Week-End.

The O'Donnell sale of men's and boys' clothing and furnishings being conducted by Oak Hall at their wholesale warehouse in Germain street has proven to be one of the largest and most successful events of its kind ever witnessed in St. John.

This immense stock is being turned over at a very small margin of profit and is proving to be of special benefit to the working men and their boys, there being a great array of men's and boys' wearing apparel at prices which represent real money saving opportunities. Soldiers buying their first civilian outfits will appreciate the substantial savings to be made at this sale in good quality garments.

At 10 o'clock Saturday night the O'Donnell sale will come to a close, and for the convenience of the working men and their families Oak Hall will keep their warehouse open tonight as well as Saturday night, closing only from 12 to 1 noon and 5 to 6 to rearrange the stock. Particulars of this sale will be read on page 16 of this issue.

London, Nov. 28—Advance guards of the British troops have reached the Belgian-German frontier in the region between Beho and Stavelot. They are in possession of more than 1,400 German guns surrendered since Nov. 11, according to an official communication issued tonight.

**PROCLAMATION**

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and executive council of New Brunswick will hold a reception in the Legislative Assembly Chamber on the evening of December 8 at 9 o'clock, so that the public may have the opportunity of being presented to His Excellency, the Duke of Devonshire, Governor-General of Canada, on his first official visit to the capital of the province.

Those wishing to attend the reception will kindly provide themselves with two cards each, with the name printed or plainly written thereon, one to be handed to the officer announcing and the other to the official presenting the people to His Excellency.

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Official Secretary.  
Evening dress. 12-2

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Oriental Cream ..... 25c and 59c	
Cortex Manicure Sets 55c and \$1.39	
Orchard White 47c	<b>STAR BLADES</b> 6 FOR 39c
Delstone ..... 97c	<b>STROPS</b> 43c UP
Mum ..... 39c	<b>FACIAL CREAM</b> For After Shave 22 cents
Mulsified Coconut Oil ..... 39c	Albert Shaving Stick ..... 19c
Pond's Vanishing Cream ..... 43c	Williams' Mug Soap ..... 6c
	Williams' Shaving Sticks ..... 45c

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9c, 10c, 12c

Wrigley's Spearmint Gum 3 for 10c

Nut and Cream Bars ..... 5c

**REGULAR 78c GENUINE**  
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**TALCUMS**  
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California Pears ..... 40c. Dozen

Sunkist Lemons ..... 45c. Dozen

California Grapes (Large Bunches) ..... 20c. lb.

Pomegranites ..... 10c. Each

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Nuts, Raisins, Figs, Dates

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98 lb. bag of Purdy ..... \$6.50

49 lb. bag of Purdy ..... 3.35

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98 lb. bag of Robinhood ..... 6.25

98 lb. bag of Ogilvie's ..... 6.25

49 lb. bag of Ogilvie's ..... 3.25

24 lb. bag of Ogilvie's ..... 1.63

**SUGAR**

9 lbs. Finest Granulated for ..... \$1.00

1/2 lbs. Light Brown for ..... 1.00

2 lbs. Cut Loaf for ..... 27c.

**TEA**

Liptons ..... 55c.

Orange Pekoe ..... 55c.

Red Rose ..... 60c.

Ridgways ..... 65c.

1/4c per lb. less in 5 lb. lots.

**LARD AND SHORTENING**

1 lb. Block Pure Lard ..... 34c.

5 lb. Pails Pure Lard ..... \$1.70

20 lb. Pails Pure Lard ..... 6.75

1 lb. Tin of Crisco ..... 32c.

5 lb. Tin of Crisco ..... 2.85

3 lb. Tins Shortening ..... 38c.

10 lb. Tins Shortening ..... \$2.80

20 lb. Pails Shortening ..... 5.50

**JAMS**

4 lb. Tin Pure Fruit Jam ..... 69c.

1 lb. Jar Pure Strawberry Jam ..... 35c.

1 lb. Jar Pure Raspberry Jam ..... 35c.

1 lb. Jar Pure Plum Jam ..... 27c.

1 lb. Jar Pure Jelly ..... 25c.

2 Tumblers Pure Fruit Jam for ..... 27c.

**PICKLES AND SAUCES**

Sweet, Sour or Mustard, large bott. 21c.

Sweet Mustard Pickles ..... 21c. bott.

Libbys Sweet Pickles ..... 17c. bott.

Worcester Sauce ..... 10c. bott.

Holbrook's Worcestershire Sauce ..... 23c.

2 Botts. Tomato Catsup for ..... 23c.

Sanders Tomato Catsup ..... 23c. bott.

Libbys Salad Dressing ..... 23c. bott.

**BEANS**

Finest Small White ..... 28c. qt.

Finest Red Eye ..... 28c. qt.

Finest Fat Pork for Beans ..... 33c. per lb.

**COFFEE**

Red Rose in Tins ..... 50c. lb.

Chase & Sanborn's, 1 lb. tin 47c.; 2 lb. tin, 92c.

Royal Crown, in Tins ..... 45c. lb.

Fresh Ground ..... 45c. lb.

**CEREALS**

3 1/2 lbs. Oatmeal for ..... 25c.

Tillsons, Quaker or Robinhood Oatmeal in pkgs. ..... 30c.

2 pkgs. Shredded Wheat ..... 26c.

2 pkgs. Kellogg's Corn-Flakes for ..... 26c.

Grape Nuts ..... 15c. pkg.

pkgs. Bran ..... 25c.

2 pkgs. Tapioca for ..... 25c.

2 pkgs. Macaroni for ..... 25c.

4 lbs. Corn-Flour ..... 25c.

**CANNED GOODS**

2 tins Pumpkin ..... 23c.

Tomatoes Large ..... 21c.

Peas ..... 15c.

Peaches ..... 25c. 30c. 35c.

Wax Beans ..... 19c.

Shrimps ..... 21c.

Lobsters ..... 29c.

Carnation Salmon, large ..... 25c.

Carnation Salmon, small ..... 14c.

Clams, 2 for ..... 35c.

3 tins Sardines for ..... 25c.

2 tins Paris-Pate for ..... 23c.

Asparagus Tips ..... 15c. tin.

Spinach ..... 23c. tin.

3 tin D. Ham for ..... 25c.

Chicken Haddie ..... 22c. tin.

Snaps ..... 15c. tin.

Libbys Tomato Soup ..... 15c. tin.

Campbells Tomato Soup ..... 16c. tin.

Soldiers Tomato Soup ..... 15c. tin.

Borden's Eagle Brand Milk ..... 22c. tin.

Mayflower Milk ..... 20c. tin.

4 small tins Carnation Milk for ..... 27c.

2 large tins Carnation Milk for ..... 28c.

2 tins St. Charles Milk for ..... 25c.

1/2 lb. tin Liptons Cocoa ..... 20c.

1/2 lb. tin Hrys Cocoa ..... 15c.

1/2 lb. tin Bensdorfs Cocoa ..... 50c.

California Ripe Olives ..... 42c. tin.

Hunts Royal Anne Cherries ..... 42c. tin.

**CANNED BEANS**

Clarks Chile Sauce ..... 21c. tin.

Davies Plain Beans ..... 19c. tin.

Belmont Beans ..... 22c. tin.

Gunn's Beans, large ..... 20c. tin.

Gunn's Beans, medium ..... 15c. tin.

Heinz Beans, plain or tomato, 23c. tin.

Seedless Raisins, 15c. pkg. \$1.75 per doz.

Seeded Raisins, 17c. pkg. \$2.00 per doz.

New Currants ..... 30c. pkg.

Fancy Dates ..... 25c. pkg.

Fancy Figs ..... 27c. pkg.

Bleached Sulfana Raisins ..... 25c. pkg.

New Mixed Fruits ..... 50c. per lb.

Mixed Nuts ..... 27c. lb.

Maraschino Cherries ..... 15c. bott.

2 tumblers McLarens Mustard for ..... 25c.

3 lbs. Starch for ..... 35c.

2 pkgs. Matches for ..... 25c.

6 pkgs. Cow Brand Soda for ..... 25c.

8 lbs. Choice Canadian Onions for ..... 25c.

Finest Delaware Potatoes ..... 35c. pk.

3 pkgs. Liptons or McLarens Jelly for 25c.

Fruit Syrup, all flavors ..... 27c. bott.

**SOAPS AND CLEANSERS**

Lux ..... 10c. pkg.

3 tins Old Dettol for ..... 27c.

2 cokes Bon-Ami for ..... 23c.

Lilac Rose Soap ..... 10c. cake.

6 cakes Gold Hand Soap for ..... 25c.

4 cakes Lifebuoy Soap for ..... 25c.

4 cakes Lenox Soap for ..... 27c.

4 cakes Ivory or Fairy Soap ..... 25c.

4 cakes Gold or Surprise Soap ..... 30c.

4 cakes White Naphtha Soap ..... 30c.

Good Cooking Apples ..... 35c. peck.

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Four String Brooms ..... 9c. each.

2 lbs. Choice Prunes for ..... 25c.

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2 lb. boxes Paris Lump Sugar ..... 29c.

1 lb. cans Crisco ..... 33c.

1 lbs. Corn Flour ..... 25c.

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2 cans Prunes ..... 25c.

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Lipton's Tea ..... 53c.

Two Tumblers Jam ..... 29c.

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Pure Raspberry or Strawberry Jam 11-2 lb. jars ..... 37c.

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Brown Sugar ..... 10 lbs. for \$1.00

Regal Flour (fine white) ..... \$1.69

98 lb. bags, \$6.45

Royal Household—24 lb. bags ..... \$1.69

Gold Soap ..... 98 lb. bags ..... \$1.69

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Turnips ..... 19c. pk.

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Seeded Raisins, small ..... 2 for 25c.

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Macaroni ..... 12c. pkg.

Spaghetti ..... 12c. pkg.

7 lbs. Best Onions ..... 25c.

Lipton's Tea ..... 60c. lb.

2 pkgs. Bee Jelly Powder ..... 25c.

3 1/2 lbs. Barley ..... 25c.

3 1/2 lbs. Corn Flour ..... 25c.

98 lb. bag Five Roses Flour ..... \$6.25

Good Prunes ..... 2 lbs. for 25c.

Large Prunes ..... 15c. lb.

3 cans Sardines ..... 25c.

3 cans Baked Beans (small) ..... 25c.

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