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The Humber Policy Means More work--Better wages

L. O. A. CONVENTION HELD AT GRAND FALLS

Reports of Proceedings in Newfoundland's Great Industrial Centre—Church Service Sunday morning—Banquet tendered by Local Brethren in Town Hall

The fifty-second annual session of the R. W. Provincial Grand Orange Lodge of Newfoundland, convened for the transaction of business in the Interior, Orange Hall, Grand Falls, on Wednesday, April 12th.

The Grand Lodge opened in the Royal Scarlet Degree at 9.30 a. m., R. W. Bro. F. G. Bradley in the chair owing to the absence of the Grand Master, R. W. Bro. R. J. Smith acting Deputy Grand Master, with all the other Officers in their places.

There were some 75 delegates present from Morceton's Harbour in the North to Pouch Cove in the South. On resolution the following message was forwarded to His Excellency the Governor:

Office will be successful and beneficial to the Colony. It respectfully requests that you will convey to His Majesty the King expressions of Loyalty and Good-will to His Majesty's person and the Royal Family and to the British Institutions in the Mother Country and the Dominions beyond the seas."

The Grand Lodge expressed its pleasure of the fact that the initial stages of the National War Memorial were nearing completion.

The Grand Lodge impressed upon its members and the Primary Lodges throughout the Colony the necessity of giving both their moral and financial support to the Permanent Marine Disaster Fund and the Outport Nursing Committee, also their duty as Orangemen to provide for the Education and welfare of deceased members children.

On resolution, votes of thanks were extended to the A. N. D. Co., and the citizens of Grand Falls for facilitating the progress of the session and the many acts of courtesy extended.

The election of Officers was conducted by R. W. Bro. Rev. J. W. Winsor, and resulted as follows:

Grand Master, F. G. Bradley, Deputy Grand Master, R. J. Smith, Junior Deputy Grand Master, E. A. Crowther.

Grand Chaplain, Rev. J. W. Winsor, Grand Secretary, J. Milley, Grand Treasurer, H. V. Hutchings, Grand Director of Ceremonies, J. Whelan.

Grand Lecturer, A. G. Cronchy, Deputy Grand Secretary, W. K. Mercer, Deputy Grand Lecturer, W. B. Esterbrook, Grand Auditors, R. J. Crummy, G. T. Phillips.

Delegate to the M. W. Grand Lodge of British America, Rev. J. W. Winsor, Bell Island was selected as the place of meeting for the 1924 session.

At the request of the Grand Master R. W. Bro. C. E. Russell, P. G. Auditor, installed the newly elected officers, with the following acting officers:

W. H. Jerrett, Acting DGM, R. J. Ivamy, G. Secretary, Adj. Earle, G. Chaplain, W. Crummy, D. of C.

On Friday night a banquet was held in the Town Hall. The catering was under the capable management of the Methodist Ladies' Aid Society, and three hundred who were present spent a most enjoyable evening.

TOAST LIST
Chairman, G. F. Moores.

WHAT DOES CASHIN MEAN?

Will Mr. Bennett Explain?

Sir Michael Cashin, who is leading the Opposition against Sir Richard Squires in St. John's West, is attempting to develop class prejudice against our fellow-townsmen in St. John's because he is a Conception Bay man. Cashin has had distributed throughout the workingmen's section of St. John's an innocent-looking circular in big type in the following words:

"SQUIRES SAYS HE WILL NOT CAVASS THE BUMS AND SLUMS OF ST. JOHN'S. LABORING MEN ASK HIM WHY?"

This circular has been distributed by Sir Michael in certain sections of the city of St. John's. The people of Harbor Grace want Mr. Bennett to explain why Sir Michael Cashin is making that particular appeal to that particular section of the town of St. John's.

Piccott Will Head the Poll

Steady Manifestation of Liberal Strength in The Second City—Opposition Weakening Daily

PERSONAL VOTE BEING SOUGHT FOR BENNETT

Harbour Grace, April 16—The Liberal Campaign started at Bay Roberts this morning with the full team Piccott, Calpin and Simmons.

Saturday's committee meeting held by Bay Roberts supporters to meet Mr. Piccott, was a great demonstration of Piccott's popularity.

The Liberal committee rooms in Harbor Grace proper, are filled nightly and the greatest enthusiasm prevails.

Opposition supporters admit their cause is hopeless, and are now bringing all their energies to support Bennett personally on the split vote appeal.

St. John's voters are in doubt as to which of the candidates they will support. A reliable delegate visit the district and accompany the Liberal candidates, and witness their strong support for a few days.

Piccott heads the poll, Archibald will be at the foot.

The Humber Proposition Is A Big Constructive Policy

Establishing a Seventeen Million Dollar Industry in Newfoundland—Employment for Five Thousand Workmen.

The Liberal Party, asks endorsement of a constructive policy calculated to remedy the evils of the times. It is a policy that assures better times to our wage earners. It provides the means of increasing the country's wealth and of decreasing the country's burdens. It centres round the Liberal Humber Policy.

We recapitulate some of its chief features briefly, before passing on to a consideration of its specific advantages to those engaged in the fisheries who may not engage directly in the employment it affords, either as an alternative to fishing or as supplementary thereto.

The Liberal Humber Policy ensures the permanent establishment of a Seventeen Million Dollar industry in Newfoundland.

It provides the means for turning into wealth the unexploited natural resources of the country and of producing therefrom Ten Million Dollars' worth of manufactured products annually.

It affords employment for Five Thousand Newfoundlanders per year. It adds to the earnings of the workmen of Newfoundland the big sum of Four Million Dollars annually; it relieves pressure on the fisheries, it protects markets from over-

supplies of Newfoundland fish, and so, ensures better prices for the products taken from the waters by our toilers of the sea.

But an outstanding and vital connection in which the Humber Industry secures practical benefits to Newfoundland is in connection with its effect on taxation.

That Industry once established and in full operation, will boost the Revenue of the Country by close on THREE MILLION DOLLARS.

Here's how they say the Tory Grafters have it planned in their dreams of more boodle:

RECEIVES FAREWELL ORDERS

Col. Martin, S.A., who has been in charge of the Army's operations in Newfoundland for the past four years has received orders from International Headquarters, to farewell from this territory and will be leaving here sometime in June next.

Colonel Martin is a splendid type of man and has done excellent work in this country, he has made many friends both in the city and other parts of the country who will sincerely regret to hear of his prospective departure.

NOTICE!

All persons having claims against the Estate of the late George Hierlihy, Merchant, Bay Roberts, are requested to furnish same to the undersigned immediately.

EDWARD J. FRENCH,
P. O. Box 100, Bay Roberts.

Special Offers

We offer the following to the buying public at SPECIALLY REDUCED PRICES!

Blankets, per pair\$2.30 to \$2.80
Ladies' Boots, regular \$4.00 per pair. Now\$3.30
Ladies' Shingles. Regular price 90c. Now70c
Men's Working Pants, per pr. \$2.00
Overalls\$1.25 and \$1.50
Also, OATS, BRAN, CORNMEAL and VICTOR FLOUR.

GUS PARSONS
Bareneed Road, Coley's Point.

Department of Agriculture and Mines

SEEDS

The usual stocks of FRESH SEEDS have arrived and are for Sale at the Department Seed Room.

Albert J. Bayly,
Secretary of Agriculture.

THE KING
Prop. Chairman, Resp National Anthem.

THE EMPIRE
Prop. G. T. Phillips, Rep. W. H. Butt.

NEWFOUNDLAND
Prop. E. A. Crowther, Resp. Rev. T. E. Loder.

BAND SELECTION
PROVINCIAL GRAND LODGE OF NEWFOUNDLAND
Prop. Rev. W. C. Morrison, Resp. F. G. Bradley L.L.B.

BAND SELECTION
GRAND BLACK CHAPTER OF NEWFOUNDLAND
Prop. Rev. J. Curtis, Resp. J. Milley

VISITING MEMBERS
Prop. Ches Hann, Resp. C. E. Russell, J. P.

A. N. D. CO.
Prop. Rev. S. Bennett, Prop. N. H. Gay.

BAND SELECTION
THE LADIES
Prop. Rev. J. W. Winsor, Resp. R. C. Goodyear.

NATIONAL ANTHEM

On Sunday morning at 11 o'clock the Grand Lodge accompanied by the Young Britons and the Ladies Benevolent Society attended divine service at Holy Trinity Church, which was filled to overflowing. No effort had been spared by the officials in arranging for the service. The order of morning prayer was gone through, the lesson for the day being the 4th Chapter of Joshua and the 6th Chapter of St. Paul's Epistle to the Ephesians. The special Prayers being the 87th and the 122nd and the hymns "Onward Christian Soldiers," "Oh God of Jacob by whose hand" and "As with gladness men of old." The Choir rendered the anthem "Hear my prayer," with Mr. Campbell as soloist, The Rector, Rev. T. E. Loder delivered an eloquent and inspiring address-taking as his text the 32nd verse of the 14th chapter of Isaiah, "What shall one then answer the messengers of the nation? That the

Big Industrial Development

The Hon. Sir. Richard Squires, the Prime Minister, desiring a mandate from the country for the enactment of the measure known as "The Humber Deal," decided to hold an election this Spring instead of next autumn and the Legislature was accordingly dissolved in February. The election is to take place on May 3rd.

The Humber Deal is a proposal for the establishment on the West Coast of a paper-making enterprise like that at Grand Falls, but twice as large. It's being fathered by Arm strong Withworth Company of London, one of the greatest industrial organizations in the British Isles, and promises to revolutionize the future of this country. The proposed mills will have an output of 400 tons of paper daily or 120,000 tons a year. This will call for an original investment of about \$20,000,000 half of which will be spent in Newfoundland, and after the mills are running the outlay will be about \$6,000,000 a year, of which half will be spent in labor amongst the people.

With the example before us of the mills already in operation at Grand Falls, established by the late Lord Northcliffe, and his colleagues to provide paper for his various publications, nobody can doubt that this new enterprise will be the greatest thing for Newfoundland that has ever happened; and every well-wisher of the country has cause to rejoice that the Premier has been able to bring about the establishment amongst us of such a tremendously important labor-giving industry. The proposed mills will be among the largest on this side of the water, being only exceeded in size

by two or three in Canada, where the business of paper making has now reached its greatest development of any country in the world.

At the same time this project is being started on the Humber City Grand Falls mills are also planning to enlarge so as to increase their capacity fifty per cent. In other words, where they now produce 200 tons of paper a day they propose to enlarge it to 300 tons a day. This will mean a very considerable outlay in the construction of new mill buildings, and the erection of new machinery, and will also increase the permanent annual expenditure one half. This mill now employs about 1000 men all the year round, so that it will call for another 500 and with the Humber mill employing about 2000 more it is evident that there will be big opportunities for our working classes through these new ventures.

The improvement in the industrial outlook of the world will also help to revive operations at Bell Island on a large scale, and give an outlet

THE EAGLE'S TURNOUT

The S.S. Eagle finished discharging her seals last evening, the turnout being 10,761. This is not official as the specifications will not be ready till this afternoon. The crews share was sold to Messrs. Baine Johnston and Company, who paid \$4.50 per quintal and the seals are being stowed at their Southside premises to be taken to Harbour Grace to be manufactured later on. The Eagle's crew are leaving for their homes in Bonavista Bay by the S. S. Watchful.

"There is that scattereth and yet increaseth, and there is that withholdeth Moral: Subscribe for The Guardian and watch Bay Roberts grow.

for many of our miners and the return of the Government should therefore be followed by big industrial boon which will be felt everywhere throughout the country.

For Sale

At Shearstown, a Dwelling House practically new, will be sold at a bargain if applied for within two months to

H. SPARKES,
Butcher

For Sale!

A 4 horsepower "Atlantic" Motor Engine. In use only 4 months. In good condition. Apply at this office.

WATCH THIS SPACE

Also look for Big Special Next week.

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"Canada's Best Flour"

Makes the Most Wonderful Bread you ever baked.