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## AUSTRALIA PROSPERS

### New Cabinet Members.—Sketch of the Premier.

Melbourne, April 28.—The Commonwealth Socialist cabinet is arranged as follows—Premier and treasurer, Fisher; Attorney-General, Hughes; external affairs, Bathcote; defence, Pearce; postmaster general, Thomas; trade and customs, Tudor; home affairs, O'Malley; vice-president of the executive council, McGregor; honorary ministers, Fraser and Findlay.

Hon. Andrew Fisher, who has become Australian Premier for the second time, is a Scotsman, having been born at Kilmarnock in 1862. When twenty-three years of age he emigrated to Queensland, where he worked on a number of years as a gold digger and prospector. In 1883 he entered the Queensland Parliament, and six years later became Minister of Railways in the Dawson Ministry. In 1901 he was elected to the first Commonwealth Parliament, and with the formation of the first Labor Ministry under Mr. Weston in April, 1904, became for a second time Minister, taking the portfolio of Trade and Customs. The Ministry was of short duration, and on the resignation by Mr. Watson in October, 1907, of the post of leader of the Labor party, Mr. Fisher was elected to succeed him. Mr. Fisher came into power again in November, 1908, following the defeat of the Deakin Government, but was defeated by a Liberal-conservative fusion in May, 1909.

### TRADE

The reports of the Commonwealth for March, were \$4,907,000, an increase of \$253,000 over March, 1909. The exports were \$3,255,000, an increase of \$382,000.

### STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, SS, LUCAS COUNTY.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY  
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1880.  
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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

### A BIG WASHOUT

Campbellton, N. B., April 27.—A serious washout has occurred on the International Railway at a place called Grog Brook, about 25 miles from here. Nearly half a mile of track has been washed away by the unusually high freshet caused by the recent heavy rains.

### TIMBER LIMITS AND MILL SOLD

Rexton, N. B., April 25.—The Swedish Lumber Company, who have for the past few years been doing extensive lumber business in this province, have purchased from Curran Bros., their large band sawmill here, their lumber lands in this county, and all the sawn lumber at the mill. Negotiations have been going on for some months, but have just now been completed. The Swedish company last year bought a large area of lumber land in the vicinity of Kent Junction.

FOR RHEUMATISM it is not necessary to go to Hot Springs. Just use "The D. & L." Menthol Plaster and results will be satisfactory. 25c. at druggists. Eavis & Lawrence Co., manufacturers.

## PEACE RESTORED AT SYDNEY, C. B.

### The Men Agree Unanimously To Resume Work So the Big Strike is Over.

Sydney, April 28.—Yesterday afternoon and evening the members of the U. M. W. resident at the various mines of the Dominion Coal Co. met in their Locals and decided by unanimous vote to bring the strike to an end. The news that the long struggle is ended and that peace has been restored will cause general rejoicing. Hardship and suffering and financial loss are the inseparable accompaniments of unfortunate conflicts of this nature, but there is nothing to be gained by recounting these things in detail or in reviewing the wrongs and wrongs of either side. The great outstanding fact is that the strike is over and, therefore, gladness fills the hearts of a multitude of people. All will unite in the earnest hope that the industrial harmony now begun may not be disturbed for many a long day to come.

Glouce Bay, April 28.—The great colliery strike is over. All the bitter wranglings and fierce internecine strife which camped along the trail of the great labor war is at an end. The men will return to work at the earliest opportunity, and in the joy of work the past will soon be forgotten. The three great contenders in the recent battle—the Dominion Coal Company, the United Mine Workers of America, and members of the Provincial Workmen's Association will join hands in all good fellowship, and in a few short weeks nothing will live but a hazy memory of a cloudy past that cannot be too soon forgotten.

### INTENSE INTEREST TAKEN

The strike is over! Late this afternoon and far into the night excited and eager throngs moved about the windswept and snow splashed streets of the colliery towns, counting over the events of the day, discussing animatedly this latest phase and unexpected turn of affairs. A heavy veil appeared to be lifted from the very souls of the people, and if there was a single individual who was not perfectly satisfied with the turn affairs had taken, your correspondent did not run across him.

### THE GOOD NEWS

About four o'clock this afternoon word was passed about Glouce Bay that the U. M. W. officials had decided to call the strike off, and that just as soon as they felt like it, members of that organization could apply for work at the different collieries. Immediately there was a ripple of excitement discernible and little knots of miners began to congregate at the street corners to discuss the latest move on the labor board.

### GOING BACK TO WORK

The writer was not an eye witness of the following incident, but has it on good authority that before five o'clock this afternoon upwards of one hundred U. M. W. men had applied for their old positions at Calcedonia mine. The applicants for work were greeted kindly by the manager of that pit and told that up-to-date he had no official instructions to take on any more men, but he had no doubt if they applied at headquarters, places would be found for them. My informant also said that similar requests for work were made at nearly all the other collieries.

It is estimated that there are at present between 1500 and 2000 United Mine Workers out of work, and it will take some time before they can all be suitably placed.

### THE FACT IS ENOUGH

The strike is ended! That is the cry which goes ringing through the streets of the coal towns tonight, and a prayer of thankfulness wells up from the hearts of the people that the great labor war has ended. Particularly do the women and children join in offering up blessings on this occasion, as on their shoulders rested the greater weight of the burden and sorrow which followed in the wake of the labor difficulty.

It is immaterial who brought the trouble to a close the fact remains that the strike has ended and therein lies cause for general rejoicing. For nine months the great fight for supremacy has been waged and now that it has finished it is the unanimous wish that the past be buried in deepest oblivion.

## YOU WON'T KNOW THE PEACE

### St. John Exhibition Grounds to be Transformed for Dominion Exhibition

Visitors to St. John at Exhibitions in past years are quite familiar with the general aspect of the Fair grounds—the buildings and general surroundings—but this year when Canada's National Exposition, the Dominion Fair, takes place from September 5th to 15th, the conditions both outdoors and indoors, will be so greatly changed that former visitors will think they have arrived at a new place. Heretofore the open area between buildings has been exposed to the sea breezes of the Bay of Fundy, which at night, particularly, has frequently proved an uncomfortable condition; but heretofore the new Horticultural building, immense Grand Stand and Pike structures will close in the exposed side of the field, converting the grounds into a court or enclosure. The new Horticultural building, to be 150 feet long by 60 feet wide, and 3 stories in height, is planned to adjoin the wing of the Main Industrial building, running in an easterly direction towards Courtenay Bay. The new Grand Stand, to be 208 feet by 40 feet deep, with accommodations for 1,750 people, is to be situated in the south east corner of the area, nearly directly opposite the old Grand Stand, which has been torn down by the Dominion military authority to make room for an

## CHINESE PRINCE IN WASHINGTON

### Chief of Staff of Chinese Army is Studying Military Methods

Washington, April 28.—His Imperial Highness Prince Asat To, brother of the Prince Regent of China, chief of staff of the Chinese army and uncle of the Chinese Emperor, who is making a tour of the world on a mission of vital importance to the future of the Chinese Empire, arrived in Washington today.

A troop of cavalry and Chandler Halo, assistant secretary of state, representing the state department, and Capt. Butt, the president's aide, representing President Taft, took the Prince in charge. During his stay in Washington until Saturday night, functions in his honor will be numerous. Ten officers of the Chinese army accompany the Prince. They are making a study of military methods in Europe and America. Saturday night the Chinese minister will give a dinner and Sunday morning the Imperial party will leave for New York. They leave for England on May 5.

### THE MATERIALS USED IN "THE D. & L." EMULSION ARE THE FINEST

market affords, regardless of expense. In cases of wasting diseases, loss of weight, or loss of appetite, it is taken with great benefit.

### WHAT A U. M. W. OFFICIAL SAYS

Discussing the situation with Mr. Hargrove he said that "the considered settlement a fair one and accepted by the locals of the U. M. W. Briefly, it stands that the strikers will be taken back and no discrimination will be made against any miner on account of the strike or because he belongs to the union. The Company will receive committees of the men and any dispute or grievance will be heard, if necessary, by the manager. The Company will not recognize the U. M. W. A. as such, and no dues will be collected by the Company for the union. The available houses will be given to the men and some equitable and perhaps generous settlement of arrears of rent will be made."

### CONFIDENCE IN MR. McDOUGALL

The officials of the U. M. W. express the fullest confidence in the present management. For three months matters have been slowly broadening down to a point where agreeable and friendly discussion of the situation was possible. Everyone seems to have the utmost confidence in Mr. D. H. McDougall, and he is spoken of by the officials of the U. M. W. as a perfect gentleman. Under such conditions the way appears open for the termination of the strike in a way that will not leave any root of bitterness to foster and ferment future trouble.

### WHAT THE STRIKE COST

Mr. Hargrove further said: "Roughly speaking the U. M. W. have spent about \$700,000 in the strike which estimate does not include many incidental outlays. The union has provided food, clothing, houses, medicine, and to a large extent, fuel for the strikers."

### OPINION OF BUSINESS MEN

Some of the business men of Glouce Bay say that the business has been good during the whole of the strike period. One man said that he considered this a boom year in business in Glouce Bay.

The U. M. W. officials will leave next week and matters will then settle into the old routine.

## COLONIAL STOCK COMPANY COMING

### Will Appear in Newcastle Opera House All Next Week.

Leah Kleeschna, the great melodrama, was presented by the Colonial Stock Company to a large and fashionable audience in the Opera House last night. Leah Kleeschna, is the play that Mrs. Fiske has made famous in New York, London and other places. There are five acts and from the rise to the fall of the curtain everyone of these is intensely dramatic and strikingly thrilling. The whole cast of the Colonial Stock Co. seventeen people were required to put on the play and the scenery and stage settings and costumes were all in harmony, at times he effect was very beautiful. This company have given many performances in Charlottetown and have had the satisfaction of breaking the record in regard to audiences at our theatre. They have never presented a greater play than a more excellently acted one than that of Leah Kleeschna.

to the larger cities and it is not to be wondered at that the Colonial Stock Co. draw such splendid houses in all the parts of the Maritime Province and elsewhere that they visit.

Mr. Hartman's announcement before the curtain that, by request and in view of the very kindly manner in which the Company had been received in Charlottetown, they have decided to stay another week, was greeted with rounds of applause.

They have met with abundant success here as elsewhere and it must be admitted that their performances deserve it.—Charlottetown Patriot.

The Colonial Stock Company is booked to appear in the Campbellton Opera House for one week commencing May 9th. No doubt they will get bumper houses, as this is without a doubt one of the best repertoire companies that the people of Newcastle have had the pleasure of hearing.

## BIG TIMBER DEAL IN NEWFOUNDLAND

### Americans Secure Vast Tract—Nearly 9,000,000

### Acres of Spruce Lands Taken Over—Estimated to

### Have 50,000,000 Cords of Pulpwood Standing.

Bangor, Me., April 27.—Details of the Anglo-American Development Company's recent deal in Labrador timber lands were made public here today by Chas. D. Stanford and R. H. Wing, of Bangor, who are members of the syndicate that has acquired the rights obtained by the Anglo-American Company from the Newfoundland government. The tract comprises 13,853 square miles, or 8,865,000 acres, densely covered with spruce, the present stand being estimated conservatively at thirty billion feet, equal to 50,000,000 cords of pulpwood.

For the right to cut over this territory for the period of fifty years, with the privilege of forty-nine years' renewal, the Anglo-American Company, organized last

August at St. John's Nfld., contracted to pay to the Newfoundland government a rental amounting to \$4 per square mile for the first year and \$2 per square mile for each subsequent year, and the syndicate which has taken over the lease has just paid the first year's rental amounting to \$65,412.

The syndicate composed of twenty-four New York capitalists and Messrs. Stanford and Wing, of Bangor, will develop the tract as soon as surveys can be made and water powers improved, the purpose being to manufacture the timber into pulp, as the export of pulpwood is prohibited. The tract acquired is about equal in extent to the state of Massachusetts, or to the entire area of Maine's timber lands, and the supply of timber thereon is practically inexhaustible.

### ALL OLD PEOPLE SUFFER

from attacks of sudden exhaustion, weak heart action and prostration. The best aid in such cases is FERRUVIM, the invigorating tonic which is prepared from fresh lean beef, Citrate of Iron and pure old Spanish Sherry Wine. It stimulates the digestion and strengthens the whole body. \$1.00 a bottle.

### JEFFRIES BOXED

### SIX FAST ROUNDS

Ben Lomond, Calif., April 27.—Jim Jeffries, after the light training of the past two days, has resumed his work with eagerness. Accompanied by Bob Armstrong, Farmer Burns and Joe Choynski, he started at dawn yesterday on ten miles of regular road work between the big trees and Ben Lomond, Billy Papke going over part of the run. Jeffries got into light costume in the gymnasium and worked with the chest weights, medicine ball and skipping the rope.

His program for the afternoon included five or six rounds of fast sparring with Sam Berger, Armstrong and Choynski.

There are troublesome times ahead for foreigners in China. We cannot impose western ways on the East without occasional outbreaks of western violence.

### FEATHERWEIGHT

San Francisco, April 27.—It was agreed last night by Charley Harvey, representing Jim Driscoll and Ben Selig, acting for Abe Attell, that the two little fighters who are to battle for the featherweight championship at Colfrot's arena in Colma. They will weigh in at 126 pounds. Four hours before the fight. This is the recognized featherweight limit in England.

### BABY CRIED CONTINUALLY.

Mrs. Eugene Gagnon, L'Islet Station, Que., says: "I believe Baby's Own Tablets the best medicine in the world for little ones. I have given them to my baby for colic, constipation and sometimes for breaking up a fever, and I have never known them to fail in giving prompt relief. Before I began the use of the Tablets my baby was very thin and cried continually. Since then she has grown splendidly and is plump and healthy. I also gave the Tablets to my four years old child who suffered frequently from convulsions and they made a permanent cure. When I have Baby's Own Tablets in the house I feel safe, and I advise other mothers also to keep them on hand." Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.