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Another Large Deal By The Frasers Is Reported Today

Acquiring Dominion Pulp Property on North Shore

Mill and 300 Square Miles of Lumber Lands — Transaction Is Said to Represent a Million Dollars — Remarkable Growth.

(Special to Times.)

Edmundston, N. B., May 7.—It is reported here on good authority that the Fraser Companies Limited will soon acquire their large holdings of the property of the Dominion Pulp Company Limited of Bathurst, that negotiations which have been going on for some time will practically be closed this week and the transfer of the property will take place at once.

The Dominion Pulp Company is now composed of English capitalists. Their property consists of a modern pulp mill with daily capacity of fifty tons, and 300 square miles of timber lands and 300 acres of agricultural land. The property is on hand to keep the mill running at full capacity for the balance of the season. It is said that another saw mill, now being erected on Magalloway Lake, York county, will be in operation before the end of the month.

It is estimated that close to 100,000,000 feet of lumber will be manufactured by the Fraser Companies' mills during the present year. Twenty-five years ago the activities of the men who now control his gigantic organizations were limited to a small water power mill located at River du Chute, Victoria, county, with an output of about 1,000,000 feet a year.

THE DOMINIONS AND THE EMPIRE

Some Thoughts in the London Times — Ideal Closer to Those Overseas Than Those at Home.

(Canadian Associated Press.)

London, May 7.—In an editorial which incenses Lord Balfour's appointment as viceroy of New Zealand, and describes it as a direct acknowledgment of the part played by that dominion in the war, the Times goes on to refer to the fact pointed out at a meeting of the Royal Colonial Institute, that only one-third of the members of the institute belong to the United Kingdom. In one sense it is undoubtedly true, as said by Sir George Perley, the editor, that those who live overseas are in those who live in the heart of the empire.

Anyone who knows the dominions will see that this is so. Over there they are often talking about the empire. Even when they criticize the conduct of its affairs by the government, even when they are most insistent of their proud status as individual nations, it is still to them a real entity of which they are just as proud to form a part as we are. On the other hand, we in this country, are too apt to take the empire for granted just because it is the empire. It is a grave and might seem a dangerous failing. The empire can only remain an empire if the heart is in it, and the limbs fulfill its proper functions.

Australian Fisher, high commissioner for Australia, warned us against the danger of what he called "patting" the dominions. We may be as proud of them and as grateful and as brotherly as we like, but we must not pat them. Presumably that is to put them in a position where they are suspicious of superiority or patronage on our attitude of thanks and admiration, however sincere, may cause untold mischief. That is another point which cannot escape the notice of any observer who visits the dominions.

ROSES FROM WOMAN FOR BLUEBEARD OF PACIFIC COAST

Los Angeles, May 7.—Returning to the county jail here yesterday after pleading guilty to an indictment charging him with the murder of Nina Lee Delaney, one of five "wives" he is alleged to have killed, Walter Andrew Watson stood in his cell a large bunch of red roses, left, according to jail attaches, by a woman who rode in a costly limousine and who declined to give her name.

Entry into Australia of an American passport entitled "Bond Certificate for the First Loan of the Elected Government of the Republic of Ireland," has been prohibited.

Gallon of This "Gas" Good for 250 Mile Run of Automobile

Rome, May 7.—Dr. Pastico, a noted chemist, has discovered a method of cheaply producing liquid hydrogen. He says it may be used in driving automobiles, one gallon being sufficient for 250 miles, also it may be utilized in railway locomotives and in the engines of ocean steamers.

WILSON WIN WAS SURPRISE TO FANS

He Did to O'Dowd Last Night What Latter Did to Al McCoy.

Boston, May 7.—The defeat of Mike O'Dowd, middleweight champion of the world, by Johnny Wilson here last night came as a great surprise to fight fans generally for little had been heard of Wilson outside of Boston.

While Wilson has participated in many bouts against second raters in the last year and has appeared in many cities, principally in New England, last night's bout was his first against a prominent boxer.

O'Dowd protested the referee's decision, saying he was at least entitled to a draw, but many of his supporters today concede that the ex-champion has no legitimate ground for protest. Hector MacInnes was the choice of O'Dowd's manager for referee. O'Dowd had stipulated that the men should weigh in at 160 but neither tipped the beam. It was announced officially, however, as they entered the ring that the bout was for the championship, and the men fought with that understanding.

Last night's battle is just another incident to be recorded in a history replete with such events where a champion has been an unknown, commonly referred to as a "set-up" and has been bested, except that this is one of the comparatively few instances where the champion has lost his title.

PREMIER'S NEPHEW WEDS IN CAPITAL

Miss Mary Adams Bride of A. Douglas Foster, One of U. N. B. Graduates This Year.

(Special to Times.)

Fredericton, N. B., May 7.—Miss Mary Adams of this city and A. Douglas Foster of St. John were married last evening in Christ Church parish church by Rev. A. F. Bate. The bride, who is the youngest daughter of the late John G. Adams, was groomed in jade green with black tulle hat. She was attended by Miss Marjorie Murray and T. Stanger Crockett was groomsmen. The bride until recently was on the staff of the Provincial Public Works office. The groom is a nephew of Hon. W. E. Foster, premier of New Brunswick, and is a member of the graduating class this year at the University of New Brunswick.

J. C. WATTERS IN VERBAL ATTACK ON TOM MOORE

Toronto, May 7.—J. C. Watters, former president of the Trades Congress of Canada, at a meeting of the Toronto District Trades and Labor Council last night, made an attack on Tom Moore, his successor as head of the Trades Congress. He accused Mr. Moore of doing everything in his power to thwart Watters' movements as representative of the workers of the dominion at peace conference in Paris.

LAWYERS UNDER FIRE YESTERDAY IN N. S. HOUSE

Halifax, N. S., May 7.—Yesterday afternoon, in the house of assembly, the legal profession underwent a grilling and there was a spirited verbal battle between lawyers of the house and others. The debate started when J. C. Torrey of Guysboro moved that the three-months move be given a bill which provides for higher fees for barristers and registrars of deeds. The amendment was lost and the bill referred to committee.

Quebec, Ont., will start daylight saving on May 18.

SHE SEEMS TO BE LOOKING AT THE STYLES



Photograph shows telegraph girl piloting Lord Morley across the road after the wedding of Harold MacMillan and Lady Dorothy Cavendish in England.

BRITISH FOOD MINISTER SAYS OUTLOOK POOR

London, May 7.—The food minister, Charles Curzon, in the House of Commons yesterday said the outlook for a year regarding supplies had not been justified and it was well that the world would not be available for export.

The supply of butter promised to be only half the pre-war standard, and he could see no sign that the world's food shortage was likely materially to improve. England must still continue to get the greater part of its imported food from America, but he hoped that by the end of the year alternative sources might be available.

THROGS FOR THE KENTUCKY DERBY

Thousands of Visitors to Louisville for Big Races on Saturday.

Louisville, Ky., May 7.—Incoming trains this morning unloaded thousands of visitors, adding to the already enormous crowd waiting for the forty-third renewal of the Kentucky Derby at Churchill Downs on Saturday afternoon.

FOUR NAMES FOR BABE BORN ON CORSICAN TRIP

Return of Captain Davies, Who Has Been Arranging Graves of Soldiers on West Front.

Montréal, May 7.—The birth of a child to Mrs. R. H. Day of Regina, on board the S. S. Corsican, which docked here last night, created much excitement in the city.

The baby was christened Dorothy Joan Corinne Hyman Day, the name being suggestive of her arrival during a campaign of the captain's name, Renne, and the ship's name, Corsican.

WEATHER REPORT

Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries. R. F. Stupart, director of meteorology.

Table with columns for location, time, and weather conditions. Locations include St. John's, Moncton, and other regional areas.

LOWEST BIDS IN GENERATION FOR HALIFAX BONDS

Halifax, N. S., May 7.—Tenders for an issue of Halifax bonds amounting to \$1,000,000, to be used for street paving, water service and other purposes, were opened yesterday afternoon.

The National City Company and Harris Forbes & Company, bid \$4.11 for the ten year six per cent. bonds, but made no offer for the five and a half per cent. running thirty-three years.

MONTEAL COURT ANNULS RUNAWAY MARRIAGE OF 1912

Montreal, May 7.—A runaway marriage between Adjour Groulx and Alice Lalay, on May 25, 1912, was annulled yesterday by judgment of the superior court on the grounds that the groom had not been of legal age at the time of the marriage and had had neither their parents' consent nor the dispensation of the Catholic church which would be necessary to validate the marriage.

RAILWAY ORDER RE TRAINMEN'S WATCHES

Montreal, May 7.—The railways here have issued a general order to all trainmen not to put a thin watch on their wrists to indicate daylight saving time as the railways do not recognize it and it would in all probability be both dangerous and confusing.

LONGSHORE STRIKE OVER THE CHOICE OF CREWS

Seattle, Wn., May 7.—The longshoremen union declared a general strike against the Seattle waterfront yesterday to enforce its demands that the employers select crews from a list prepared by the union. It is said the question of wage is not involved.

AEROPLANES FOR CANADA

Toronto, May 7.—Colonel W. A. Bishop, V. C., announced yesterday that the aircraft disposal syndicate of England, of which Handley-Page is the head, had decided to ship to Canada some of the 10,000 airplanes purchased by the syndicate for disposal through the Bishon-Baker Aeroplanes, Limited.

Schooner Arrested.

Halifax, N. S., May 7.—Action has been begun in the admiralty court against the fishing schooner Fannie Belle Atwood by sixteen members of her crew, who claim \$200 each for salvage service rendered the vessel last month on the high seas between Liverpool, N. S., and Halifax. Yesterday Deputy Sheriff Scriven placed the schooner under arrest.

GRAIN RATES

Table showing grain rates for various locations including Washington, Montreal, and other regional areas.

As Hiram Sees It

"Hiram," said the Times reporter, "are you prepared to contribute to a fund for a Home for Doctors?" "Is that perilled for in that no medical act?" queried Hiram. "No," said the reporter, "but you are a child with diphtheria was treated by faith, and I hear of a man who went after it will not rest until we are a robust people, with no weaklings among us and no preventable diseases. The kind of apple prescribe for them when they are ill."

"If he's willing to write prescriptions for booze," said Hiram, "he might get along for a spell. But not for long. You ain't me won't see the time when the 'won't be no use for doctors. What 'ud a lot of 'wimmin' do if they hedn't a doctor to come in an' listen to a string of symptoms as long as your arm? An' the health department can't gimme no guarantee I won't fall off a load of hay, or get kicked by a colt, or busted up by one of them otomobiles with flare headlights on the Mash Road. If I hed a boy that wanted to be a doctor I'd tell him to go right ahead an' get through college. No health laws 'll ever stop us from hevin' a crop of accidents an' fools 'n-o, sir."

HALIFAX VETERANS ON BOXING TROUBLE

Halifax, N. S., April 7.—The executive of the G. W. V. A. has issued a statement regarding the proposed boxing match to take place last night between Mike McGigue, middle-weight champion of Canada, and Billy Kramer of Philadelphia, but was cancelled owing to the non arrival of the latter. The statement says that Willie Britt, manager of Kramer, wired the promoters from Portland on May 4 saying that his boxer, Kramer, was on his way. However, a substitute arrived in his place and the bout was called off. The association is declared out of \$500 and has notified all ticket purchasers that their money will be refunded.

NO DISPLAY ON THAT BEACH TO BE ALLOWED.

Bloom, Miss, May 7.—A bathing ordinance enacted by the Bloom commission prohibits persons over fourteen years of age wearing one-piece suits and adults wearing bathing suits will not be permitted to loiter in public places on the beach unless robed from shoulder to toe. A fine of \$50 or a fine from \$5 to \$100 or imprisonment for fifteen days are provided for.

BULL ON RAMPAGE IN HOBOKEN STREETS AND ON HUDSON FERRY

Hoboken, N. J., May 7.—A bull which escaped from the Jersey City abattoir, ran through the streets of Hoboken and on the Hudson ferry, smashing the front doors and plunging from the deck of the boat into the Hudson. At last accounts the bull was reported lost at sea.

IRISH SECRETARY, WHO IS CANADIAN, HAS LARGE MAJORITY OVER LABOR AND INDEPENDENT LABOR CANDIDATES.

Sunderland, Eng., May 7.—Sir Ham Greenwood, chief secretary for Ireland, was re-elected to parliament today in the by-election necessitated by his recent appointment to the Irish secretaryship. Sir Hamar received 22,813 votes as against 14,379 for V. H. Rutherford, the Labor candidate, and 5,065 for W. Howe, Independent Liberal.

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NEW YORK COTTON EXCHANGE

New York, May 7.—The board of management of the New York Cotton Exchange today voted to close the exchange on Saturday, May 29, the day preceding Memorial day.

Rebels Prepare To Attack Mexico City; Is Carranza In Flight?

Bet Madame Is Pretty Cross at the President Over This

New York, May 7.—President Deschanel of France has refused to permit Mme. Deschanel to accept a \$5,000 hat offered her by 3,000 American milliners. The hat was made from material supplied by each of the 48 states and decorated with nine paradise plumes, each costing \$500.

SAYS LABOR IS NOT TO BLAME

Study of Profiteering in Industry in U. S.

Statement by Former Secretary of War Labor Board—Declares Profiteering Is Great Cause of High Prices.

Washington, May 7.—A study of profiteering in American industry, made under auspices of the railway brotherhood, was presented to the railroad labor board yesterday in support of the railway workers' demands for higher pay and to refute a charge that increased labor costs are responsible for the high cost of living.

Prepared by W. J. Lauck, former secretary of the war labor board, it seeks to show that profiteering in industry is the fundamental cause for high prices in practically all commodities. It gives many statistics to support that contention.

Of the extraordinary increase in the price of sugar, now amounting to 80 per cent, the study says the increase in labor cost paid by the consumer was less than fifteen per cent. The result of advanced prices, according to the quoted reports of twelve companies during more than half of the sugar consumed in the United States, was a pile in the net profits of these concerns which it was said rose from an average of \$10,000,000 during the years 1912-1913 to \$34,000,000 for the years 1914-1915.

In the meat packing industry where profits were said to have increased between 200 and 400 per cent, the labor carry the project to the consumption that the whole province was now desiring.

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Mobilization of Troops at Juarez Is Continued

Numerous Reports That President Is Leaving Capital Await Confirmation — Rumor Also That He Seeks Compromise.

El Paso, Texas, May 7.—Mobilization of troops believed to be intended for use in a concerted attack on Mexico City continued today at Juarez. Authentic information regarding the numerous reports of the flight of President Carranza before the spread of the revolution was awaited. According to the reports here concerning the departure of Carranza, his son-in-law went to Vera Cruz several days ago to prepare for the president's coming.

Military headquarters at Juarez last night, however, denied a story that the headquarters had received a telegram announcing that President Carranza had left Mexico City for Vera Cruz yesterday.

T. R. Beltram, commercial agent of the Liberal constitutional party at El Paso, is authority for the statement that Carranza had been forced to seek a compromise with the revolutionary forces. General Calles, commander of troops in northern Mexico, told the Associated Press correspondent yesterday, however, that he did not believe the revolutionists would concede any proposal until actual conditions upon which a compromise would be made were outlined.

OLD HOME SUMMER PROJECT SHAKY

Financial Assistance Lacking, Says H. C. Crowell of Halifax.

Halifax, N. S., May 7.—H. C. Crowell, speaking before the Young Men's Union of the First Baptist church last night, announced that he had been compelled to give up the Old Home Summer project on account of lack of financial assistance. There is at present, however, a bill before the local legislature to create a commission which he believed would carry the project to the consumption that the whole province was now desiring.

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