

RENEW TALKS WITH THE OPERATORS

Effort Yet to Avert the Great Coal Strike Set for Next Saturday.

New York, March 27.—Labor members of the anthracite wage scale sub-committee returned from Cleveland today to renew negotiations with the operators in an effort to reach a wage agreement that would avert the walkout of 165,000 organized anthracite miners called for April 1.

Both operators and miners expressed a desire to end the general discussions which marked the opening days of the conference last week and to confine future sessions to consideration of the nineteen demands of the workers. The miners' committee will go into the conference armed with statistical data to bolster their claims that the coal diggers are entitled to a twenty per cent. increase in wages.

The operators indicated that today, for the first time since discussion of a new contract was undertaken they would make known the percentage of wage cuts they advocate in counter proposals to the 19 demands of the miners. Phillip Murray, vice president of the U. M. W. of America, replied to the Lewis, president, head of the four labor delegates on the arbitration committee. S. D. Warriner, president of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Co., will continue as spokesman for the operators.

Mr. Lewis has announced that he will remain at Indianapolis, headquarters of the United Mine Workers, in the event of a strike of both anthracite and bituminous workers. Nearly forty members of the anthracite workers' scale committee returned to New York today to keep their local and district organizations advised of the wage negotiations. Calgary, March 27.—The net result of the operators' meetings on Friday appears to be all in favor of any settlement of the coal dispute in District No. 18. W. F. MacNeill has notified that he is unable to act as the operators' representative on the board of conciliation and a substitute is now under consideration.

"The fact that the miners have withdrawn their demand for a 10 per cent. increase in wages, means nothing and it is my opinion that the concession does not warrant re-opening negotiations," said M. Young, commissioner for the western Canada coal operators association last night.

PERSONALS Mr. and Mrs. I. Sydney Isaacs (nee Anderson) will be at the residence of the bride's mother, 85 Elliott Row, Tuesday, March 28, 8 to 5.

Mrs. Frank B. Roland, who was in the city attending the funeral of her father William Hodd, left last evening for her home in Montreal.

Miss Bernice Bennett, Newport, R. I., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. A. Macaulay, West St. John, has gone to Haverhill, Mass., where she will take a position on the nursing staff of the Gale Hospital.

Hon. R. B. Bennett, K. C., of Calgary, who was minister of justice in the Meighen government, will be in the city today with J. S. Sherriff, also of Calgary. They are staying at the Royal Hotel.

Friends of Fred Woodworth, 14 Clarence street, teamster for Valls' Globe Laundry, will be sorry to learn of his illness in the General Hospital.

NOTICES OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS. 50 cents.

BIRTHS HUGHES—On March 24, 1922, to Mr. and Mrs. John S. Hughes (nee McCavour), 38 Millidge avenue, a son, Murray Theodore.

LANDRY—At the Evangelical Maternity Home, on March 25, 1922, to Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Landry, a daughter.

DEATHS ALLEN—Suddenly, in this city, Edith Allen, beloved daughter of the late J. H. Allen and Martha Allen, leaving one brother and one sister to mourn.

BRITTAIN—Passed peacefully into rest, in this city, on March 26, Susan E. Brittain, wife of the late Rev. Henry Cross, former pastor of German street Baptist church.

BOYLE—At the residence of John Warnock, Haymarket squares, on the 27th inst., Mrs. Anastasia Boyle, leaving one son and two sisters to mourn. Notices of funeral later.

IN MEMORIAM NICE—In loving memory of my dear husband, Frank Nice, who departed this life March 26, 1920. Gone, but not forgotten. WIFE.

McAFEE—In loving memory of Hoy and Vera McAfee, who departed this life March 27, 1918. FAMILY. GIBB—In sad and loving memory of Lillian Mary Gibb, who departed this life, March 27, 1920. Two years have past. Oh, how we miss you. Never will your memory fade. Loving thoughts will always linger in the grave where you are laid. PARENTS AND SISTER SADIE. CARDS OF THANKS Mrs. A. S. Hawker and family wish to extend sincere thanks to the Sisters and nurses of the St. John Infirmary and Doctors Case and Addy for their kind attention to the late A. S. Hawker; also to friends for kind expressions of sympathy.

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THE THEATRES OF ST. JOHN THE STAR TONIGHT

One of the most mysterious stories ever presented has been used to bring Barbara Bedford before the public as a star. She is to make her debut in this capacity at the Star Theatre tonight in the Fox production "Cinderella in the Hills."

The tale is that of a girl of the Ozark Mountains, mistreated and misunderstood, who stands out against the rest of her little world in a fight for the right. An engineer comes to her father's home to sink oil wells, and becomes interested in the girl's case. He finally helps her to happiness; but not until he has solved several puzzling questions.

Mrs. Bedford plays the part of the girl, and the story is based on "The Little Fiddler of the Ozarks," a tale by John Breckenridge Ellis.

OPERA SEAT SALE STARTS TUESDAY It has been found necessary to defer the box office sale of seats for next Thursday night's rendition of Balfe's "The Bohemian Girl" until tomorrow (Tuesday) at 10 a. m. The small reserved seats already numerous. Half-price papers to hand contain highly complimentary critiques of the Boston Opera Company's singing of this delightful work, claiming it to be better than "Il Trovatore."

BEAUTIFUL BLONDE AT THE UNIQUE "The Rage of Paris," a colorful drama of Parisian life and presenting America's local and beautiful blonde, Mistral Dufont, will open at the Unique tonight. A Buster Keaton comedy of laughs will also be shown.

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NEWCASTLE MAN SAYS NOT GUILTY Suspected of Stealing from Boarders in Montreal Y. M. C. A. Montreal, March 27.—Richard Woods of Newcastle, N. B., before Judge Lanctot this morning pleaded not guilty to stealing from boarders in the Y. M. C. A. Woods was arrested following complaints from members who complained of missing watches, the pins, etc. Inquiry was set for April.

WHEN LASCELLES WAS MADE AN ARCTIC BROTHER An A. B. degree of the northland—the sign of membership in the Arctic Brotherhood, an organization of Yukon and Alaska "woodchoppers" was conferred in 1909 in Seward, Alaska, upon Viscount Henry George Lascelles, the husband of Princess Mary of England.

Score of Alaska pioneers say the viscount proved to be red-blooded and worthy of membership in the frontier order, when, as secretary to Earl Grey, their general-governor of Canada, he accompanied the earl on a trip to the Klondike. Three days were spent in Seward, Alaska, where the A. B. degree was conferred upon the earl and the viscount.

M. A. Snow, who was chief of the Seward branch of the order at the time, conferred the degree. Mr. Snow, now in Seattle, told recently of the initiation work which included a trip over the "Chilkoot Pass" in the lodge room.

"Lascelles, attired in a parka and mukluks, the Arctic shirt and shoes, was started over the trail," Mr. Snow said. "Amid the howl of 'malamute' dogs and surrounded by shouting drivers urging him to 'mush on,' he reached the summit and was permitted to rest on a flat rock. The rock proved slippery, and Lascelles hit the slide, providing amusement for Earl Grey and the old-time members.

"Being weak from the slide and the sudden stop at the bottom, my lord was led stepping to the camp cook, who had prepared a 'malamute' stew of the finest mukluks, dried salmon, soap berries and icicles. At this part of the initiation, Lascelles gained the admiration and respect of the members by drinking a cup of the steaming broth at a gulp, although he had accidentally had a peep into the kettle. After demonstrating his ability to carry a pack and his willingness to love on the northland fare, he was voted worthy of being an Arctic brother.

"It, at that time Arctic chief of the camp, invested him with the insignia of the order, the gold pan, marked with 'A. B.' and holding little nuggets. 'Wan, but game, after his experience in roughing it, Lascelles expressed himself as enjoying the trip over the pass. By his speech he made himself solid with all the members present."

HEARS WIFE IS DEAD AND SWALLOWS CREOSOL Montreal, March 27.—Because he thought his wife, who was sick in hospital, had died, George Késup, aged thirty-five, of 85 Vitre street, swallowed creosol and died. Investigation showed that the story of his wife's death was false.

Although whales grow to enormous size, sometimes 80 feet and even 90 feet long, the throat of the common whale is so small that it cannot swallow a bite as large as a tea biscuit. The sperm whale has a mouth large enough to swallow a man.

JUDGMENT FOR LIQUOR INTERESTS

Court Holds That Ontario Act Cannot Regulate Export Liquor Warehouses.

Windsor, Ont., March 27.—Quashing the conviction against the Essex Export Co., which recently was fined for keeping liquor in a warehouse that had not been granted a federal license, County Judge Coughlin, at Sandwich, Saturday, opened the way for an uninterrupted flow of liquor into the U. S. as far as Canadian laws are concerned. He held that the Ontario Temperance Act cannot regulate export liquor warehouses. By this ruling the score or more of export companies may do business without fear of being stopped by provincial officers and license inspectors who are enforcing the temperance act along the border.

IS SENT UP FOR TRIAL IN THE DELORME CASE Montreal, March 27.—Rev. Adelard Delorme was this afternoon formally committed for trial on the charge of murdering his half-brother, Raoul, on January 16, by Judge Cusson, in the police court.

The abbe was committed after he had appeared for voluntary statement and had been asked to make a plea to the murder charge.

MRS. ANASTASIA BOYLE The death of Mrs. Anastasia Boyle occurred early this morning at the residence of John Warnock, Haymarket Square. She is survived by one son, James Boyle of this city, and two sisters, Mrs. M. J. Lawing of St. John and Mrs. James Gallagher of Massachusetts. The funeral arrangements will be announced later. Many friends will be sorry to learn of her death.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE Montreal, March 27.—(10.30)—The market was fairly active during the first half hour of trading today, but no startling variation in price quotations occurred. Brullian appeared at 98-1/2 while Consolidated Smelters sold at 20 a half above Saturday's close, as did also Alton at 61-1/2. Steel of Canada was traded at 64-1/8, after closing at 63-1/4. Other leaders were unchanged.

WIRELESS REPORTS Position of steamers reported through the Dominion Direction Finding Station at Red Head, Monday, March 27, 1922. 9.50 a. m.—Bredijk, 145 miles distant, inward.

WILL CONTEST OF INTEREST HERE Action in Fredericton Over Estate of Late Mrs. Sarah J. Niles. (Special to The Times) Fredericton, N. B., March 27.—The first step in connection with a contemplated contest of the will of Mrs. Sarah J. Niles, widow of Hubbard Niles, was taken before J. B. Dickson, judge of probate, who has vice, this morning, when H. A. Powell, K. C., on behalf of Mrs. Caroline Mooney, wife of Thomas Mooney of St. John, appeared and had the will proven in solemn form. The case was continued this afternoon.

F. J. Hughes, Miss Winifred Staples, E. W. McMillan and Mrs. Ella May Aiken of Fredericton were witnesses this morning.

The will, probated in last October, left a house in Doron to Mrs. Niles, and a house in University avenue, Fredericton, to Miss May Niles. The personal estate, valued at \$6,000, was divided equally among Mrs. Niles, Miss Lillian Niles, Mrs. Ella May Aiken and two grandchildren, Sara and Marion Perkins of Sussex, the grandchildren dividing the fourth share. A share in the Cherry Moore estate in Ireland also was in the estate, the total value of which was \$48,000.

George Niles, Mrs. Nettie Aiken and Mrs. Mooney of St. John were left \$100 each. It is on their behalf that the will is to be contested. The will stated that no further provision was made for the three children last named, because provision had been made during the lifetime of the testatrix.

LOCAL NEWS THORNE LODGE MINSTRELS Tuesday 8 p. m. sharp, best local talent. Thorne Lodge Hall, 28c. Come early.

BEADS FOUND A pair of beads found at the corner of German and Queen streets last evening have been left at this office for the owner to call.

ROTARY CLUB. Robert Reid presided at the Rotary Club luncheon today, and the speaker was Rev. A. M. Hill, D. D., of Yarmouth, who spoke on "The New Social Era. Rotary Club Dinner, in honor of his birthday tomorrow, and for his generosity whenever the club has an excursion of any kind, was made recipient of a very handsome member's set, by Dr. Burton in behalf of the club. Rotary Club reported progress in rehearsals for the coming minstrel show by the club.

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THE RIVER ICE Fredericton, N. B., Mar. 27.—The water in the St. John river here is not rising despite the mild weather and it is predicted that it will be at least ten days or two weeks before the ice breaks up and moves out. A year ago today the ice was breaking up and some of it had already run out. On March 28 the river was officially open for navigation last year but 1921 was the second time in history the ice had run out in March.

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