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VISIONS OF WOE

The tearful Globe is once more "in the dumps." Again it is the hopeless case of this devoted support that has troubled the ready fountains of its perennial woe.

"So far as St. John is concerned—we might, indeed, say Eastern ports—there are no satisfactory evidences that we are to have here grain shipping ports."

"We can always hope." The assurance brings a ray of comfort. Sir Wilfrid Laurier once told us he would never be content until every possible pound of Canadian freight passed through Canadian channels.

And why does the St. John Globe persistently preach the doctrine of the pessimist in all things that relate to the future of St. John? Perhaps because the patience of the people is not yet exhausted.

LUMBER TRADE

At the end of July the deal shipments from St. John to trans-Atlantic ports for the year were shown to be considerably in excess of those for the like period in the previous year.

TECHNICAL EDUCATION

Manual training is not only of great value in stimulating pupils to take a greater interest in their studies, but it is the right beginning for those whose aim is to engage in industrial pursuits.

The recent Trades Congress pronounced emphatically in favor of making technical education more widespread and more efficient. Without approving of everything that was said in the discussion of ways and means, all intelligent observers of current educational tendencies will heartily endorse this as an abstract proposition.

While the people of Canada have been thinking and talking about the expediency of establishing and maintaining technical schools, the people of some other countries have gone a long distance ahead in making provision for technical education.

Hon. Frank Oliver does not agree with the man who predicts that Mr. Haultain will carry Saskatchewan. Mr. Oliver says it seems probable that Liberals will carry both of the new provinces.

is becoming constantly more potent and more general. The Province of Ontario has a school of practical science which is the faculty of applied science in the Provincial University.

Canada is a country of great physical resources, which cannot be equally well developed without the application of skilled labor to industrial processes.

The Toronto school board stated the other day that because they could not get their estimates passed by the civic board of control they were still using in the schools a geography which stated the population of Toronto to be 90,000.

Addressing a Toronto audience of business men the other day Mr. J. S. Larke said:—"Canada was not making the most of her resources. Gypsum was mined in Nova Scotia and converted into plaster of Paris in the United States, later being shipped to Australia."

Prof. Mavor is back in Toronto, convinced that municipal ownership has had a severe check in Great Britain, that Glasgow has lost largely on its municipal telephones, and that there is an admitted and very marked deterioration in the membership of city councils in Great Britain.

The prohibitionists of Charlottetown have secured a number of convictions of violators of the law, by compelling drunken men to tell where they got the liquor.

Chicago has a profit sharing bank, which "contemplates sharing profits equally between stockholders and savings depositors after the usual guaranteed 3 per cent semi-annually has been paid to savings depositors and 3 per cent has been distributed to stockholders."

It is announced that District Attorney Jerome will take a hand in the insurance enquiry in New York. The public will be glad to hear this news.

The attention of any St. John readers who may have been discouraged by the Globe's jeremiad on the grain trade of the port of St. John is directed to the statement made on that subject on another page of today's Times.

A C. P. R. man who has just returned from the West tells the Toronto News that the farmers of Manitoba and the West will have a clean profit of \$35,000,000 on their wheat crop this year.

The City of Hamilton, according to the assessment commissioner, has a population of 29,547. There is an increase in assessable property of \$2,915,214, the total assessable property being \$28,571,665.

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THE PLANTING OF THE "SPUDS"

Heavy Gear of the Big Dredge "Beaver" Placed in Position Yesterday. The operation of placing the big spuds in the new dredge Beaver was completed yesterday afternoon by Samuel Dunlop, jr., and the big mud digger was towed to the west side, where she will be further fitted up with bucket, etc.

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Royal Standard Flour for Bread.

Ask your grocer for Royal Standard Flour. Wholesale by NORTHRUP & CO., - - - 23 and 24 South Wharf.

Kennebecasis Bay

It occurs to me that the earth is growing old, even as you and I, my children. We sometimes forget it, but it is a fact, that it is several billion times bigger than we are, and naturally it should live several billion times as long.

The earth's infirmities are manifested in the vagaries of the seasons. Last year, here on Kennebecasis Bay, every month had its frost, and this year we have escaped frost only in July.

The birds have vanished, partly because of the approaching calamity and partly because of man's inhumanity. And yet, because of their family likeness, the insects were almost as great a friend to the agriculturist as the sun.

HOW LONG?

To the Editor of the Times. Sir—Since January, 1903, about ten dollars have been misapplied on the much travelled road between here and White Head, and the mail roads between here and Summerville, and between here and Holdville, a total distance of about twenty miles, and these roads in a few years have been in a worse condition than they have been before during the last fifty years.

OLD AGE PENSIONS

Some interesting figures are at hand regarding the system of old age pensions in New Zealand. The census returns indicate that to qualify for a pension are of age and have resided in New Zealand for five years. Last year 3,000 persons became qualified, but only 1,210 applied for pensions.

A SON OF TOIL

The Wilbur Stock Company at the Opera House last night presented the great labor play, A Son of Toil, to a fair audience. Philip S. Connor as John Carlin, vice president of the factory, was excellent. He and Miss Isabel Pitt Lewis, as Kate Harcourt, the mill owner's daughter, portrayed their respective characters in a life-like style.

Mrs. Charles Prime of Freeport, N. S. has not yet been found. It is believed in Freeport that she is in Halifax living under the name of Nora Sadler.

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