

LABOR SITUATION THROUGHOUT DOMINION

The Few Strikes Running Are Preceding on Their Way Quietly.

QUIET AT OTTAWA

No Sign of Settlement in Building Trades Disagreement There.

Ottawa, May 2.—By tonight it is expected that the total number of men on strike in Ottawa in the building and allied trades will be 2,500. There has been a slight increase this morning, but tonight the general body will be joined by the painters and paperhangers, and at least 250 of these will "down tools."

Quiet at Montreal

Montreal, May 2.—No new labor unrest is apparent on the surface in Montreal and in the opinion of many labor men the labor situation is brighter than it has been for months. At the same time, four strikes affecting nearly a thousand workers, are still in progress. These are employees of the Canada Sugar Refining Company, Limited, the straw hat workers, the window cleaners and the painters and decorators. In each case an early settlement is anticipated.

Railway Men Waiting

Winnipeg, May 2.—Following a meeting of the street railway men this morning, it was announced that the men had decided to remain at work pending a decision of the arbitration board, to which, however they will not be a party. It was pointed out that the men were merely complying with the law. There is no date set for cessation of work, the matter being left in the hands of the committee with the understanding that the strike vote still stands. This morning at ten o'clock 1,000 metal workers quit work, following the example set by the building trades yesterday.

Appointing a Board

Ottawa, May 2.—The minister of labor has requested R. S. Ward, of Winnipeg, to act as representative of the employees on the board of conciliation which will investigate the Winnipeg street railway dispute. The department has not yet been advised as to whether Mr. Ward will act. The employees left the choice of their representative to the minister. The company, as was announced, will be represented by T. Pittblado, K.C., and he and the representative of the employees will select a chairman. Failing an agreement between them as to the choice of a chairman, the minister of labor will select a man to act in this capacity.

Ask Shorter Hours

Lindsay, May 2.—Altho organized labor in Lindsay is not out on strike, nevertheless employees at the Sylvester Manufacturing Company and the Boying Hydraulic Company have waited on their employers, asking for the new scale of hours and wages. The matter is in abeyance.

Shipyard Men Join

Halifax, May 2.—C. C. Dane of the Nova Scotia Federation of Labor has now completed organization of shipyard workers here. The union will be affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, and a charter for



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LABOR NEWS WHY CARS COST LESS IN UNITED STATES

Duty on Material is Key to the Contract Problem.

A prominent labor leader yesterday threw new light upon the situation in the trade marts of Canada and the United States, having special reference to the recent tender of an American firm in St. Louis for two Hydro-electric cars at a figure several thousand dollars less than the lowest Canadian bid. He stated that it was necessary for the Canadian manufacturers to import from the United States much of the material composed in the make-up of railway cars. At least 90 per cent. of the necessary material, he said, came from the United States. In this case, therefore, the Canadian manufacturer had to pay his large percentage in duty and was no better off than his American competitor. However, continued this man, there was evidence that the Canadian firms were making undue profits if the figures presented by Sir Adam Beck were reliable.

Street Railway Tied Up Windsor, May 2.—According to the terms of an ultimatum delivered to the management of the Sandwich, Windsor and Amherstburg Street Railway Company at 2 o'clock this afternoon, by its employees, the entire system will be tied up at 5 o'clock tomorrow morning unless before that hour the demands of the men for increased wages and union recognition are granted.

Sir John Hendrie Helps "Big Four" Enrols Business Men on Committee at Government House.

At the invitation of His Honor Sir John Hendrie, about 100 representative business and professional men of the city assembled at Government House last evening to hear from the lips of some of its chief supporters an explanation of the objectives of the "Big Four Drive," which is to be conducted in Toronto next week. At the conclusion of the meeting they were invited by Sir John to enroll themselves in the campaign, a number of which he has accepted the chairmanship.

W. J. Hevey, secretary of the Trades and Labor Council, spoke from the audience in reply to references which had been made to the campaign which was to be undertaken by Sir John. He stated that the "Big Four Drive" had been requested by the government to subscribe one per cent. of their entire earnings to the support.

W. H. Nandis, John M. Godfrey and General Gann spoke in support of the project, and Col. W. G. McKendrick proposed for consideration towards the men with whom he had been on active service in France.

Veterans Initiate Fair Comrades The Army and Navy Veterans' Association of Canada has decided to help the Big-Four campaign in every way, and will be present in force this afternoon, gathering at the Sir John A. Macdonald monument, College and University avenue, for the parade march.

Funeral of Late Mr. Boyle Takes Place in Woodstock Woodstock, May 2.—The funeral of Chas. Boyle, sen., took place this afternoon and was largely attended. Many outside friends of the veteran were present. The pallbearers were G. R. Pattullo, John H. V. L. Francis, Bud Irving, T. H. Dent and Geo. Forbes.

Smallpox in Walpole Island Chatham, May 2.—Smallpox is reported to have broken out among the Indians in Walpole Island, and in a settlement near Vosburg. The latter locality has been quarantined. Some cases are also reported in South Howard Township.

Halifax branch has already been applied for. At the organization meeting a few days ago, nearly 500 signed the roll.

Carpenters Ask More. Guelph, May 2.—A special meeting of the Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners was held at the Trades and Labor Hall. A communication was received from the carpenters' section of the Builders' Exchange with reference to the rate of wages to be paid this season. They offered from 45c to 55c an hour. This was not satisfactory, the demand being for 60c an hour, and recognition of the union. If their demands are not met they intend to go on strike on Monday morning.

Victoria Departs Thirty-Six Chinese Would-Be Students Victoria, B. C., May 2.—The record for deportation of Chinese from this port to China has been broken. Tonight on the steamer Canada Maru 36 Chinese were deported to their native land after they had failed to enter Canada as would-be college students.

SERGEANT BARRON, V.C., JOINS FORTY-EIGHTH

With every man and officer full of pep and enthusiasm the new 48th Highlanders Brigade, which is now in the process of formation, turned out some 1500 strong last night at the armories under the command of Lieut.-Col. C. W. Darling. The brigade is growing apace, and one of the 75 recruits sworn in last night by the O. C. was Sergt. Tom Barron, V.C., who recently returned home from overseas with the famous "Mad Pouter". It is not a generally known fact that Sergt. Barron was originally a member of the 48th, belonging to the militia regiment for two years before the war. At the call to arms, Sergt. Barron enlisted with the Highlanders company of the 36th Battalion. The famous hero was presented to the men on parade last night by Col. Darling, and to say that he made a hit with the men would be putting it mildly. The men did armories fairly rocked as the sergeant was cheered time and time again.

This reunion committee under Col. J. S. Campbell also held a meeting last night, and most of the reception plans for the return of the famous 15th Battalion were perfected.

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One who owes present health to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is Miss Bibiane Chasson, South Beach, Que., who says: "I am a teacher by profession, and probably due to the close confinement and arduous nature of my duties, I became much run down and suffered from extreme nervousness. The least noise would startle me, and my heart would beat violently. Indeed, my condition was an unhappy one. I had often heard of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills as a cure for nervous troubles and decided to give them a fair trial. I am happy to say that this medicine completely restored my health, and I can confidently recommend it to all suffering from nervous troubles."

feeling poorly. Finally I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and as I soon found out they were helping me I continued their use until I was fully cured, and am now able to properly digest any food I take. As a tonic and blood-builder I know of no medicine to equal Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I recommend them to all in need of a medicine."

Among the thousands of women who bear testimony to the value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is Mrs. W. Ferguson, Plattesville, Ont., who says: "After the birth of my second baby I was left very weak, and more steadily grew thinner and more bloodless. As time went on I became so run down that my friends thought I was in a decline. I tried different medicines, but none helped me until I was advised to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I began taking them and was not long in finding that they were helping me, and by the time I had taken seven boxes I felt like a new person. I had increased in weight, my color returned and I was again enjoying my old-time health. You may be sure when opportunity offers I will gladly recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

Among the rheumatic sufferers who have been cured by the use of this medicine is Mrs. Wm. Johnston, Chatham, Ont., who says: "Some years ago, while living in Mount Forest, I was stricken with inflammatory rheumatism, from which I suffered terrible agony. Neither the doctor who attended me, nor the remedies I tried, gave me more than a little relief for time and as a consequence, I grew very weak and was on the verge of nervous prostration. At this stage an uncle advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, as they had cured him of a severe attack of rheumatism. I took his advice and faithfully used the pills for several months, when I found myself fully restored to health, with every vestige of the rheumatism and every symptom of the nerve trouble gone. I have had no return of either trouble since, and feel grateful for what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills did for me."

WEAK AND ANAEMIC. The correction of anaemic conditions by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is as certain as a mathematical proposition. Miss Jessie McLean, Trenton, N. S., says: "I was as weak as it was possible for anyone to be, and yet be able to go about. My blood seemed to have turned almost to water. I was pale, the least exertion would leave me breathless, and when I went up stairs I would have to stop and rest on the way. I often had severe headaches, and at times my heart would palpitate alarmingly. A good friend urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I have reason to be grateful that I took the advice. Soon after beginning the use of the pills I began to get stronger, and by the time I had taken seven boxes I felt that I was again enjoying good health. I think Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a blessing to weak girls and I shall always warmly recommend them."

AFTER INFLUENZA. Mrs. Thos. Covert, R. R. No. 2, Bancroft, Ont., says: "Following an attack of grippe I was left very weak and miserable. My appetite was poor. I suffered from headaches, my skin was sallow, and two boils broke out. I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and had only used a few boxes when I felt as well as ever. They drove all the impurities from my blood, gave me a good appetite, and I have since enjoyed the best of health. I can recommend the pills to anyone suffering from impure blood or skin disease."

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35 x 4 1/2	25.00	37.00	18.00	3.30	2.80
36 x 4 1/2	25.00	38.00	18.50	3.45	2.95
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him that Corporal Slain, who disappeared several weeks ago when he went to Toronto from here to get his discharge from the army, has cashed government cheques in Birmingham, Ala.

Slain enlisted in Windsor. While in England he was married, and brought his wife here. He left her at the G. W. V. A. Club and returned to Toronto. March 18 he wired her he had received his discharge and was coming home. She has heard no word of him from that time.

VICTIM OF BIG FIRE GETS PUBLIC FUNERAL Sydney, N.S., May 2.—The funeral of John I. Robinson, who lost his life in the Sydney Hotel fire, which was held this afternoon, was attended by all the commercial travelers in the city. The city band, city firemen and Masons attended in a body.

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