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The Bell Island Dispute.

The cloud which has arisen on the industrial horizon in the form of a dispute over conditions in Bell Island will be trusted to be dissipated by the arrival at a reasonable agreement between those immediately concerned. Both sides should bear in mind that to precipitate a strike unless and until no other way out is possible is not only injurious to their own best interests, but will be a serious setback to the country as a whole at a moment when harmony and co-operation are essential to its industrial progress.

We are informed that the system of wages in vogue at Wabana is based on an hourly rate of pay plus a bonus. Drillers are paid a minimum wage of 25½ cents per hour. If they drill off their rooms, they get a bonus of 5 hours pay per day, with an additional bonus per foot of the hole drilled. This system enables the driller to earn 2½ to 3 times his hourly minimum rate. At the present time, the drillers are able to leave work with a good day's pay earned early in the afternoon.

Loaders are paid on the same basis as drillers, and are given a bonus on all tonnage over 16 tons per man per day. The loaders, however, stop of their own accord when 16 tons of ore are loaded and come to the surface. The average time underground does not exceed 8 hours. An opportunity to earn more money is available if the men wish to take advantage of it. The system of bonuses has been adopted as it is impossible to supervise the work underground. The Company are thus enabled to get value for the wages paid, and the men's earnings depend upon the amount of work done.

If the above schedule is correct, and our authority is such as to lead us to believe that it is, it would appear that there are other causes of disagreement in addition to the wages dispute, but we have been unable to ascertain what other grievances have been raised or to what extent they are warranted.

In urging the avoidance of a strike we are concerned only so far as the men and the country as a whole are affected. Before our support the strike leaders let them remember the situation in which they and their families were placed when work was not to be had. Let them consider well whether by means of a strike they will gain their ends, and whether the result even if successful, will be worth the sacrifice that they will have to make. Then as it is simply a question of local interest, and of no concern whatever to outsiders, let them as Newfoundlanders decide for themselves their line of action, and let their sound common sense decide the issue.

ARRIVALS AT BOWENSDALE HOTEL.—H. Percy, S. Percy, Miss M. Ethridge, Winterton, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Short, Miss H. Gooch, Hants Mr. Miss D. Little, Miss F. Harris, Bonavista; Mr. Howe, Westleyville.

WINDWARD'S LUNAR RELIEVES (SPECIALIST).

PEPPYS BEHIND THE SCENES.

July 17th.—Up betimes and abroad suffering the greatest discomfort from the heat, being dressed in my heavy suit of gray which my wife would have me wear. After I am taken with a severe cold of the head. Talking to-day with Wells, he tells me how the tourist traffic from America is very small this year, and is because of the cheap trips which are now being given to England. Indeed, there were but 30 roundtrippers on the Rosebud, which is a mighty small number for this season of the year.

Comes Mr. McKay, and talks with me of the Industrial Exhibition which he will hold in the Prince's Park this Fall. He tells me of divers articles that are well manufactured here, and one, a veneer, which being exported to America, was sold there to a firm in this city. He would not agree with me that the outfit and outfit of local manufacturers were too limited to allow competition with foreign manufacturers to be successful.

The House again debates the Address in Reply, and a little trouble caused when Mr. Hickman did refer to Sir M. Coadin, which others did resent. Much discourse of the railway, prohibition and Hansard, and the Prime Minister did say how there would be no Commission to operate the railway but would leave it in the hands of Mr. Russell. Of prohibition, Mr. Monroe did say there would be a Commission appointed to take evidence, and the intention of the Government to abolish Hansard, would be re-considered at a party meeting.

The House at its meeting to-morrow, will discuss Supply, and like to be an interesting debate.

No news yet of S. McLaren, the British airman, that is flying around the world but hope still that he may have landed on one of the many islands in the Japanese archipelago.

Shore Fishery

Burin (Grand Bank to Grand Beach)—Total landed to date 16,650; shore fishery nil; not enough for home consumption.

St. George's (Shoal Point to South Head)—Codfishery prospects very fair; caplin plentiful.

Fortune Bay (Great Harbor to Coomb's Cove)—Total landed to date 7,155; traps doing nothing; many have been taken up; trawlers are doing fair.

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Government Boats

Argyle arrived at Argentea 8.35 a.m. yesterday.

Clyde left Lewisport this morning on Notre Dame Bay route.

Glencoe left Humbermouth at 7 p.m. yesterday.

Home at St. John's.

Kyle arrived at Port aux Basques at 6.35 a.m.

Malakoff left Port Union at 4.05 a.m. for Trinity Bay.

Meikle leaving St. John's at 10 a.m. to-morrow for Labrador.

Portia left Pushthour at 2.30 p.m. yesterday, coming east.

Prosper arrived at Herring Neck last midnight, going north.

Sagana at St. John's.

Sobastopol at St. John's.

Wren left Herm'sage at 8 a.m. yesterday, outward.

Personal.

Nurse Susan Snodgrass who has been practising her profession for the past twelve months in Boston, returned last evening by S. S. Sachem to spend her vacation, and is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Green, Pennyville Road.

Rev. Randall J. Greene, son of Mrs. T. J. Greene, Gower Street, and cousin of Rev. D. J. Greene, Witley Bay, is a passenger by S. S. Digby, now on the way home from Liverpool. Father Greene was ordained at Rome at Easter.

Mr. E. F. Sinnott, M.H.A. leaves by S. S. Sachem on a business and pleasure trip to the old country. Mr. Sinnott is accompanied by his wife and they will before returning pay a visit to friends.

Mr. R. J. Louis Cudihy, Professor of the Belmont High School, Montreal, formerly resident in St. John's, is at present on a visit here. He is a director of the youngest musical variety club in Canada and is very proud of the success which it has achieved. Mr. Paul Cadeux, a talented vocalist, is accompanying Mr. Cudihy. He is rapidly making a reputation in his profession and possesses a splendid high baritone voice.

SLIGHTLY DAMAGED.—A motor car, owned by Mr. Joseph Judge and driven by his son, collided with one of the iron posts in front of the Railway Station yesterday afternoon. The driver was in the act of backing the car close to the curb to await the arrival of the Shore train. The rear of the machine was slightly bulged in by the impact.

Sachem Arrives

S.S. Sachem arrived from Boston, via Halifax, 6 p.m. yesterday. The ship brought a mail, a large general cargo, and the following passengers: From Boston—Miss E. Carey, Miss L. Curtis, Rev. G. Davies, Mrs. C. Davies, Miss M. Findlater, Mr. W. Honen, Mrs. M. I. Maxwell, Mrs. T. O'Neill, Miss J. M. Riley, Miss S. Snelgrove, Miss A. Taylor, Mr. A. Winsor. From Halifax—Mr. R. J. Cudihy, Mr. P. Cadeux, Mr. E. Clark, Mrs. B. Leverman, J. F. Mackay, Master H. Rogerson, Mr. C. Rogert.

The following are on board en route to Liverpool:

From Boston—Miss W. Bray, Miss J. McMillan.

From Halifax—Hon. R. Drummond, Mrs. C. Freeman, Miss I. Gilbraith, Mrs. J. J. Harris, Mrs. G. Hartling, Master E. Hartling, Master G. Hartling, Mrs. J. S. Jantisehek, G. Jantisehek, D. Lamont, W. J. Litchfield, Mrs. D. Mackay, Mrs. A. E. Ovens, Mrs. J. A. Ross, G. F. Sanford, Mrs. F. Sanford, Miss G. F. Sanford, T. Sanford, H. C. Smith, H. C. Tanner, Mrs. W. Litchfield, Miss M. Litchfield.

Heavy Machinery for the A.N.D. Co.

A number of large cases of machinery for the A. N. D. Co.'s new paper mill arrived by S. S. Sachem. The machinery is being loaded on the packages to the train station. Two cases strapped together and supposed to weigh seven tons, while being moved, caused the wheels of the truck to break through the wharf.

The heavy packages fell but fortunately were not damaged. It was afterwards discovered that the cases weighed twelve tons.

Met With Painful Accident

Yesterday forenoon a resident of Hovestown, named Sweeney, employed at the Tub Factory, suffered a painful accident, as a result of a wire hoop catching in a nut on a tub machine at which he was working. Sweeney had his left arm fractured and lost the top joint of one of his fingers, in addition to receiving severe bruises on the head. Everything possible was done to relieve the man's sufferings and he was removed to the hospital for treatment.

Sachem's Outward Passengers

S.S. Sachem sails about 9 o'clock to-night for Liverpool, taking the following passengers from this port:—H. Hinton, Mrs. H. Hinton, E. J. Godden, Mrs. E. J. Godden, Mrs. M. Seymour, Mrs. E. J. Power, Mrs. E. Murray, Mrs. E. C. Smith, Miss G. Murray, W. H. Taylor, J. Lewis, W. Patterson, Rev. S. Williams, S. Williams, Miss M. Taylor, Lady Squires, Mrs. S. Miller, Miss G. R. Miller, Rev. W. Cotton, Mrs. W. Cotton, Mrs. W. C. Harvey, Mrs. W. C. Hawker, Master P. Hawker, G. S. Johnston, E. Sinnott, M.H.A., Mrs. E. Sinnott.

Sergeants' Memorial

Amount acknowledged . . . \$360.50

Employees Bowring Bros. Ltd. 42.25

\$1002.75

Fined for Netting Salmon River

Two men, Thomas Mackey and Michael Wall, convicted of netting salmon in the upper falls of Salmon River on the 7th inst., were tried at Holyrood and fined \$10 and costs.

Labrador Report

Smokey—Light east wind, foggy; no fish.

Grady to Dominie—Light east wind, dense fog; fair fishing.

Flat Island—Calms, cloudy; no fish.

Yonkers Island—Fair fishing.

Battle Harbor—Fair fishing.

Opening Performance of Giuseppe Caruso

STAR MOVIE TO-NIGHT.

Reference to the ad. it will be seen that to-night the music loving people of this city will have the opportunity of hearing the celebrated American tenor, Giuseppe Caruso. This gentleman comes to this city with the highest credentials, the American papers contending he is the successor to the noted Enrico Caruso. However we will leave it to the audience this evening to judge for themselves, but we feel that in Giuseppe we have in this city a singer that you don't hear every day. In the picture part of the programme the celebrated Elsie Ferguson will be seen in a Paramount special, entitled "The Outcast," and William Duncan in the current chapter of "The Steel Trail."

Magistrate's Court

(Before Mr. McCarthy, J.P.)
 A taxi driver charged with driving a motor car on the public highway at a speed dangerous to the public, was convicted and fined \$100.00 or in default 30 days imprisonment. The defendant was also convicted for driving a car without first having obtained a license.

An East End truckman charged with driving a horse in a furious manner was dismissed for want of further evidence.

A Danish captain summoned at the instance of the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, charged with making a false report, and smuggling certain liquors into the country was postponed until to-morrow.

Exception Taken to Introduction of Outside Workers

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir.—Permit me through the columns of your popular journal to ask those in authority why is it that with so many men at present unemployed in the city, a number of men, are actually brought in from the outports to perform work on Government buildings whilst permanent residents of the city are left to walk the streets.

I don't think this is fair. Mr. Editor, the city work should be left to those of the city, and if unemployment exists in the outports and the district representatives want to relieve the situation let them have the men employed in their own districts. I have been an ardent supporter of the present government and cannot get a day's work and yet I can see a number of buildings trying to do mechanical work and plenty of good mechanics looking for work. I think to say the least that this is an outrage, and requires the immediate attention of the city representatives to do justice to their constituents.

Trusting that this matter will receive consideration from those in authority and thanking you in anticipation for publication, I remain,

Yours truly,

FOX POPULI.

Birthday Party and Shower

"Ingliside" the Goulds, the summer residence recently purchased by Mr. Kenneth Ruby, was the scene of a very happy event on Thursday evening, the large gathering of friends both young and old having met for the double purpose of wishing Mr. Ruby, many happy returns of his birthday, also to tender to Mrs. Cox (Miss Muriel Carter), who very recently sailed out on the sea of matrimony, a miscellaneous shower. Games, etc., were indulged in during the early hours of the evening followed by most excellent refreshments, after which Mr. Ruby, in a very happy speech, asked the bride (his niece) to accept on behalf of all present an assortment of very useful household articles. Songs and speeches followed, congratulations and good wishes were tendered to both the bride and groom also to the host and hostess that many years of health and happiness may be theirs to enjoy amidst the beauties of their summer home. Dancing was indulged in until an early hour, this evening when the happy gathering dispersed.

McMurdo's Store News

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The world's famous Classic Facial Cream. Does these definite things for the face: Clears the complexion and gives it colour. Removes blackheads and pimples. Lifts out the lines. Closes enlarged pores. Rebuilds drooping facial tissues and gives renewed life to the nerve centers. Makes the skin soft and velvety. Prices: Pots \$3.00 and \$2.00, tubes: \$1.50. Pack O'Beauty Set 65c.

Shipping

S.S. Lascar County left Charlotte-town Wednesday at 6 p.m. and is due here early Saturday. The ship has 80 head of cattle, 40 sheep and 40 pigs besides general cargo.

S.S. Rosalind sails at noon to-morrow for Halifax and New York.

S.S. Sylvia leaves New York at 11 a.m. Saturday.

Schr. Electric Flash has arrived at Grand Bank from the Banks halting for 550 qts. codfish.

S. S. Kennamer arrived at Hawke's Bay yesterday. The ship will load 100 qts. codfish.

Schr. Corsican has arrived at Fortune from the Banks halting for 200 qts. codfish.

Schr. Lucy Edwin has arrived at Belleoram with 800 qts. codfish.

FISH SCARCER.—A report from Mr. J. Thomas, to the Minister of Marine and Fisheries states that fish is very scarce at Belle Isle, although at the east end of the Straits there is fair fishing to-day.

Musical Entertainment and Distribution of Prizes

Thursday, July 10th, was a gala day for the music pupils of the Presentation Convent, Cathedral Square. It was prize day, and a whisper had gone round previously that his Grace the Archbishop would honour the event with his presence and distribute the prizes. The hearts of the children literally bubbled over with joy and excitement and they were not disappointed, for at 5 o'clock p.m. his Grace accompanied by the priests of the Cathedral Parish, Rev. Dr. Carter, Mr. Flynn, Kennedy, McGrath and McGeethan entered the school to the music of the "St. John's March," played by Miss M. E. O'Neill, L.T.C.L. There were also present the Rev. Mother General and the Sisters of the Convent, the Mother Superior and several sisters from St. Patrick's Convent and their guests from U.S.A., and the Mother Superior and Sisters of Torbay Convent.

After a brief address had been read in a very distinct voice by Little Miss Smyth, the entertainment opened with the Overture of the famous French Opera "St. John's Rot," by Theo Herbert, beautifully rendered by the Misses O'Neill, Shortall and O'Keefe. Then followed sextettes and quartettes (on two pianos), several piano solos, some songs and recitations, which were very much enjoyed and appreciated. A pretty Cantata entitled "Where Fairies have gone" and an action song, "Hark! It is the Cuckoo," performed by the Juniors, were very pleasing items and evoked great applause.

Then the prizes were distributed to the lucky winners by his Grace the Archbishop. One could see the delight on the face of each child as she received her prize and heard from the lips of the Archbishop kind and encouraging words. After the last chorus his Grace addressed the pupils in general. He said it was a long time since he had been given an opportunity like the present to meet the children of the Convent School, Cathedral Square, and he was happy to be once more in their midst and renew old acquaintances with the young ones. He complimented them on their school and their teachers on their brilliant performances, said that he had been noticing, time and again, their successes in the Trinity College Music Exams, but now he had personal experience of their musical talent and ability, and he concluded by saying it would be a pleasure to him, to preside at any entertainment they should have in future.

The concert was repeated, with several additions, on Friday night, to the parents and friends of the pupils, and the applause and encores the children received were an evidence of their keen appreciation. A Matinee on Saturday at 3 p.m., closed the event and the children dispersed for their well-earned holidays.

Appended is a list of the prize donors and winners:

Mary O'Neill, Gold Medal for full Diploma in Licentiate Music, donated by Dr. V. P. Burke, L.D.

Miss A. Murphy, Gold Medal for Pass in Associate Practical Music, donated by Mr. W. R. Howley, K.C.

Myrtus Croke, Gold Medal for Pass in Associate Practical Music, donated by Dr. Louis Fallon.

Ena Murphy, Gold Medal for Pass in Higher Local Music, donated by Mr. J. J. Murphy.

Mary Phelan, Gold Medal for Honours in Senior Music, donated by Mr. J. M. J. Ryan.

Z. O'Keefe, Prize for Senior Music and Honours in Theory, donated by Mrs. Thos. Smyth.

Mary Howlett, Prize for Vocal Music, donated by Mrs. Thos. Smyth.

William P. Kendall, Prize for Intermediate Practical Music and honours in Theory.

Annie Carroll, Prize for Practical Junior Music and Theory donated by Mrs. Thos. Smyth.

Mary Smyth, Gold Cross and Chain for Second Place in the Island and Honours in Junior Music, donated by Miss M. O'Neill, L.T.C.L.

Estella Bennett, Prize for First Place and Honours in Preparatory Practical, and Theory of Music.

Olivia Wall, Prize for Pass in Preparatory Practical Music.

Hannah Coady, Prize for Highest Marks, in her school, in First Steps Music.

Mary Bailey, Gold Cross and Chain for honours in First Steps Music, donated by Miss L. Shortall.

Loretta Wilson, Prize for Honours in First Steps Music.

Mary Tobin, Prize for Pass in First Steps Music.

Here and There.

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Catching on Quickly.

Every woman is interested in anything that saves time, trouble and expense. It is not surprising, then, to find so many women eagerly purchasing the great washing powder—Pearline, for this product saves toll by making it easy and pleasant to wash clothes, to scrub floors, clean pans, dishes, glassware and anything that requires perfect cleaning. Pearline is widely used and recommended for years has been the favorite washing powder with millions of women. The grocery stores here have Pearline now.—July 18.

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League Football.—St. George's Field, this evening, at 7.30, Feldmans vs. C. E. I. Admissions 10c. Boys 5c. Ladies Free. Grandstand 10c. Extra.

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TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

McLAREN SAFE.

TOKIO, July 18.

A Stuart McLaren, the British aviator on the flight round the world, who has been missing since he left Lake Tooshimoro, Yotorori, Islands for Paramashiru, Kurile Islands, early Wednesday morning, has been found. McLaren and companions were found safe in a bay on the south west shore of Uruppu Island, an island adjoining Yotorori Island, from which the aviators started Wednesday morning. The news was received by a wireless message from a steamer off Uruppu Island, picked up by the Japanese destroyer Isokaze this morning.

TWO LIVES LOST IN A TEMPEST

FITCHBURGH, Mass., July 18. Two persons lost their lives in a tempest that tore through this city yesterday unroofing mills and houses, toppling chimneys, felling poles and trees and breaking windows. The tall chimney of De Jonge paper mill was overthrown falling on the roof of the Power Plant close by. M. M. D'Boja was killed and burned in the debris, but the other men escaped. At Whalon Lake where a sudden wind overturned several canoes, an unidentified boy was drowned.

PRISONERS TO HARVEST CROPS.

MOSCOW, July 18.

All prisoners serving in Soviet jails for minor offences, will be given a vacation to assist in harvesting crops.

FLIGHT RECORD BROKEN.

CHARTRES FRANCES, July 18.

The airplane duration record of 37 hours, 15 minutes, 48.8 seconds, made by Lieut. Smith and Lieut. Richter, of the United States Army, was broken yesterday by the French aviators Coupet and Durbin, in a flight which lasted 37 hours, 59 minutes, 10 secs.

KILLED IN THE SAME WAY.

HALIFAX, N.S., July 18.

While discussing an accident which had just occurred at a construction camp at Sheet Harbor, N.S., when three men had been slightly injured by bolt lightning, William H. MacLean, aged 50, of Truro, was struck by a bolt and instantly killed.

CAUSE OF EXPLOSION NOT YET KNOWN.

NEW GLASGOW, N.S., July 18.

No light was shed on the cause of the Allan Shaft explosion of June 20, when four men were killed, at the opening session of investigation now being conducted at Stellarton. Judge Patterson heard evidence of several witnesses yesterday and there are yet eight to be heard before the inquiry terminates.

Babe Daniels in a "Game Chicken"

The Majestic last night screened another big hit when "A Game Chicken" gave ample opportunity to the ever popular Babe Daniels to shine.

The story in brief:

Inez Hastings, daughter of Joshua, has been brought up in Cuba, in the best Spanish traditions of her mother, who wants her to marry Jose Laverde.

Joshua Hastings is secretly engaged in the rum-running trade between Cuba and his old home in New England, and Jose is his partner.

Inez, irrepressible tomboy, dresses as a boy and sneaks out of the house to attend a cockfight. She gets into a melee, and meets Rush Thompson, a young American. She falls in love with him and continues to see him, which arouses Jose's jealousy and leads to a fight between Rush and Jose.

To avoid further trouble of this kind, her father sends her to his cousin, Hiram Proudfoot, of Stopy Point, Mass. Hiram is the American agent for the rum-smuggling combine, but protects his interests, by being also the president of the local Purify League.

Rush Thompson is really an agent of the revenue department looking for the source of contraband liquor and right here the real excitement starts.

Ben Redden is singing three songs pleased the audience immensely, and will be heard for the last time this evening.

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