

C. P. R. IMPROVEMENTS.

INTERVIEW WITH SIR THOS. SHAUGHNESSY, PRESIDENT.

Atlantic Steamships—The New Line
Will be Absolutely Independent—
Reason for Abandoning Glasgow.

Montreal, April 6.—Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, President of the Canadian Pacific Railway, arrived home Sunday from England. Although, as he says, his trip abroad was largely one of pleasure, and had little to do with official matters, he gave an interview in his private car before reaching the city, during which he discussed questions that have aroused many rumors during the last month, such as the abandonment of the Glasgow route, the breaking up of the North Atlantic conference, the continental combine, the proposed fast Atlantic service, new steamers, their speed, the Canadian Atlantic ports, the extension of the C. P. R. to Halifax, new branch lines from northern Ontario to connect with Toronto, new rolling stock, the port of Montreal, and the newly-acquired land between the Place Viger station and the waterfront, the probability of the British Government aiding in subsidizing a Canadian fast Atlantic service, and the Transportation Commission and its personnel.

Sir Thomas said that the Glasgow route had been abandoned by the C. P. R. steamers because other lines were attending to all its needs. It was not necessarily a permanent withdrawal. There had been no intention to dissolve the North Atlantic conference. The C. P. R. fleet was not a part of the conference. It was feeling its way. The steamship business was new to the management, and the policy would be to proceed with all due caution. It would not be fair to take radical steps that would affect the revenues of other lines unnecessarily, but the C. P. R. would go ahead entirely independent of any conference or combination.

"That includes the Morgan combine," "Certainly, any combination." It was not unlikely, he said, that C. P. R. vessels would call at European ports besides those of Great Britain. This should mean that they had not abandoned the continental business to the mercy of the combine. No orders had been placed for new steamers, but Sir Thomas would not say that there were none in view. The speed of the fast ships would be greatly influenced by the policy of the Government as regards subsidies. It was probable that the C. P. R. would tender for the fast Atlantic service, but they would scarcely do so on the basis specified in the Government's call. Sir Thomas had always thought that a fast service should not be less than twenty knots. Twenty knots, and a weekly service, would be ideal, he believed, and he favored the port of Halifax in winter, and a St. Lawrence port in summer. But he observed that the persons who control the vessels should not be hampered too much in the matter of ports, assuming, of course, that all the ports would be British.

The President was asked to state what preparation the C. P. R. was making to meet the demands of the west during the coming season. He said that was a field for which preparation was always being made, but the possibility of a crop failure had to be kept in view. Nevertheless, out of the last issue of new capital stock, \$11,000,000 would be expended in rolling stock by next June.

Nothing was learned as to the probability of the British Government aiding in subsidizing a fast Atlantic service. Sir Thomas said that he had made no inquiries along that line. He had met both Premier Balfour and Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, but the question had not been discussed. He believed that the Government had made a wise move in appointing a commission to report on the transportation facilities of the Dominion. There was considerable danger in the pressure that was being brought from various sources, and it might lead to error. The committee would give special attention to such things and would make a report to the Government for future consideration.

If Sir William Van Horne would consent to act, and he hoped so, no motive but the best interests of the country would guide his dealings, and no man in Canada would know the situation better than he. Being a shipbuilder and one well acquainted with the needs of the country in this respect, Mr. Berttram would be a most desirable man, because the water routes would always be a large factor in the international transportation problem. The other members of the commission, as announced a few days ago, were not discussed.

TELEGRAPH BREVITIES.

A new C. P. R. line is projected to connect North Bay with Peterborough.

Contracts have been let for a \$10,000 Methodist Church at Eagle Place, Brantford.

Lieut.-Col. A. P. Sherwood will command the Blesley team, with Capt. W. A. Munro as adjutant.

The Reading Railway Company has forbidden employees on the New York division to smoke cigarettes.

The first issue of Le Canada, the new French Liberal daily, is announced to come out at Montreal this morning.

The writ for a new election in Russell has been issued. Nominations take place on April 20, and polling a week later.

It is expected that a new batch of veterans' certificates, numbering 3,000, will be sent out by the Crown Lands Department on April 15th. This will bring the total issue up to nearly 10,000, with several thousand more to be dealt with.

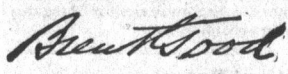
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NEW ONTARIO LANDS.

A Million Dollar Company Formed to Exploit Them.

Toronto, April 6.—A million-dollar company has been formed to operate in land in new Ontario, to be known as the New Ontario Farm and Town Sites Syndicate. The provisional directors are E. C. Boeckh, F. Diver, L. V. Dussau and W. Vandusen of Toronto, and J. H. Kydd of Bowmanville. The new company will do a general land and building business, and will have its headquarters in this city.

Another cement company has been formed, the Hanover Portland Cement Company, Limited, with a capital of \$500,000. The provisional directors are D. Knechtel, J. E. Knechtel, J. H. Adams, Henry Peppier and J. S. Knechtel of Hanover.

The following companies have received incorporation—The M. F. Beach Company, Limited, to do a general manufacturing business, \$100,000, Winchester; Faders Screwless Door Knobs, Limited, \$100,000, Orillia; the Erie Oil Company, Limited, to exploit oil lands, \$100,000, St. Thomas; Hamilton & Montreal Navigation Company, Limited, \$75,000, Hamilton; the Beach Foundry Company, Limited, \$50,000, Winchester; the Port Dover Fishing Company, Limited, \$50,000; Deacon Company, Limited, fuel and ice, \$40,000, Stratford; the Drake Ranching Company, Limited, \$40,000, Walkerton; the Canadian Broom Company, Limited, \$40,000, Ottawa; the Vermilion River Boom Company, Limited, \$30,000, Sudbury; the Club Building Company, Limited, \$25,000, Collingwood; the Quick O. Manufacturing Company, Limited, washing compounds, \$20,000, Toronto; the Chamberlain Metal Weather Strip Company, Limited, \$20,000, Kingsville; the Brantford Upholstering & Awning Company, Limited, \$10,000.

Minnie—Evidently Sallie thinks herself one of the 400.

Kittie—One of them? She thinks she's the four, and all the rest are the two ciphers.

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A MATRIMONIAL MIX-UP.

Pittsburg Woman Causes Arrest of Toronto Man.

Toronto, April 6.—By the arrest on Saturday afternoon of Isaac Taylor, a manufacturing tailor at 412 Yonge street, a curious matrimonial tangle has been brought to light. Taylor was taken into custody by Policeman Wallace (225) on the complaint of a Pittsburg woman, who says she married the prisoner fifteen years ago in Poland, and now wants him to support her. She has a photograph of her husband, but the police are not satisfied that it is that of the man placed under arrest.

Taylor, on his own behalf, says he never met the woman who claims to be his wife. He says he is a Russian Jew, and the first and only time he was married was in Philadelphia, about twelve and a half years ago. His lawful wife, he says, is living with him. They have four children. Taylor, in view of his statement and the possibility that a mistake has been made, was released on bail, to appear this morning. Taylor has been living here about four years.

SETTLERS FOR THE WEST.

The Armenian Brings 1,171 From Hamburg to Halifax.

Halifax, N.S., April 6.—Another big batch of settlers for points in western Canada arrived here Sunday on the Hamburg-American liner Armenia from Hamburg. The steamer landed 1,171 passengers. During the voyage two children died and they were buried at sea. The steamer met with bad weather, and was seventeen days on the passage, but sustained no damage. They sighted on the first three days of April enormous icebergs, and passed within two miles of one over 100 feet high, in latitude 42, 24, longitude 52, 22.

THE MARKET REPORTS.

Grain is Easier—The Liv e Stock Trade—Latest Quotations.
Saturday Evening, April 4.

Toronto St. Lawrence Market.

Receipts of grain and hay were light at St. Lawrence Market this morning, but business in the market was fairly brisk. As the market building stands now, its greatest asset and one which has been felt for a long time, is a proper approach. The crossings at the market are filthy, and in winter the weather they must always be so, unless the city authorities first do something to improve them. It is in this way that a man to keep them free from mud and water on wet days. The total grain receipts amounted to 200 bushels.

Wheat—One hundred bushels of white sold unchanged at 26 per bushel.

Dressed Hogs—The market is steady at \$8 to \$9 per cwt for choice light weight butchers hogs and \$7.50 to \$8 for heavies.

Eggs—There are no so many eggs offered, and the consumption is heavier. Prices are slightly firmer and new laid eggs are quoted at 12c to 14c per dozen.

Hay—Quotations are steady at \$12 to \$15 for No. 1 timothy and \$8 to \$9 for clover. Receipts amounted to 50 tons.

Dates—Is quoted firmer and steady at \$7.50 to \$8.50 per ton. None was offered.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

East Buffalo, April 4.—Cattle—Light supply, steady, top at \$7.50 to \$7.75; common to good, \$6 to \$7.40. Hogs—Receipts, 3,400 head; active, about 5c lower; \$7.50 to \$7.75. Light weight, \$7.50 to \$7.75; Yorkers, \$7.40 to \$7.60; pigs, \$7.35 to \$7.40; roughs, \$6.80 to \$7.10. Sheep and lambs—All of it at \$7.50 to \$7.75; sheep steady and lambs slow, 15c to 20c lower; top native lambs, \$7.50 to \$7.75; culled, \$6.50 to \$7.75; western lambs, \$7.75 to \$7.85; yearlings, \$7 to \$7.25; ewes, \$6 to \$6.50; sheep, \$6.25 to \$6.50; culled, \$5.50 to \$6.25.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, April 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000; nominal; good to prime steers, \$4.50 to \$5.00; poor to medium, \$4 to \$4.55; stockers and feeders, \$3.75 to \$4.50; cows, \$1.50 to \$4.00; heifers, \$2.50 to \$3.75. Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; to-morrow, a good lot of 3,000; steady; mixed and butchers, \$7.10 to \$7.35; good to choice heavy, \$7.40 to \$7.75; rough heavy, \$7.00 to \$7.25. Sheep—Receipts, 1,000. Sheep and lambs steady; good to choice wethers, \$6.50 to \$6.85; fair to choice mixed, \$4.50 to \$5.50; native lambs, \$6.50 to \$7.00.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Closing previous day. Closing to-day.
Cash. May. Cash. May.

Chicago 73 1/2 73 1/2
New York 74 74
Toledo 74 74
Minneapolis 74 74
Duluth 74 74

No. 1 nor. 73 1/2 73 1/2
Milwaukee, 2 nor. 73 1/2 73 1/2
St. Louis 68 1/2 68 1/2

British Markets.

Liverpool, April 4.—Close—Wheat—Spot steady; No. 1 standard California, per cental, 6s 7d to 6s 8d; Walla, 6s 3 1/2d to 6s 4d; No. 2, 6s 2 1/2d to 6s 3d; No. 1 northern Manitoba, 6s 2 1/2d to 6s 3d; futures inactive; May, 6s 1 1/2d to 6s 2d; July, 6s 1 1/2d to 6s 2d. Corn—Spot firm; mixed American, per cental, new, 4s 2 1/2d to 4s 3d; futures inactive; May, 4s 2 1/2d to 4s 3d; July, 4s 2 1/2d to 4s 3d. Flour—Minneapolis, 20s 6d to 21s 6d.

London, April 4.—Close—Wheat on passage quiet but steady; Walla, white, arrived, 2s 8d net cash; parcels No. 1 hard Manitoba, passage, 3s 3d paid. Wheat—English country markets of yesterday steady. Corn on passage firm, but not active. Monday's Indian shipment of wheat to United Kingdom, 18,000 barrels; 80 cental, none. Australian shipments of wheat to United Kingdom and continent, none. Weather in England cloudy. Saturday's English farmers' deliveries, 350,000 bushels; average price, 25s 3d.

London quarterly stocks—Wheat, 80,000 bushels; corn, 27,200 bushels; flour, 5,300 sacks. Dublin—Wheat, 24,000 bushels; corn, 28,000 bushels; flour, 5,000 sacks. Newcastle and Sunderland—Wheat, 58,800 bushels; corn, 20,800 bushels; flour, 2,500 sacks. Hartlepool and Stockholm—Wheat, 56,000 bushels; Gloucester—Wheat, 26,600 bushels; corn, 17,000 bushels; flour, none. Bristol—Wheat, 72,000 bushels; corn, 31,800 bushels; flour, none. Fleetwood—Wheat, 80,000 bushels; corn, 40,000 bushels; flour, none. 900 bushels; corn, 32,800 bushels; flour, 12,000 sacks.

Antwerp, April 4.—Close—Wheat, spot quiet; No. 2 red winter, 16 1/2 fr. Corn—Spot, American mixed, 20 fr. 6c. Flour—Spot, Minneapolis, 25 fr. 6c.

Paris, April 4.—Opening tone quiet; April, 24 fr.; Sept. and Dec., 22 fr. 60c. Flour—Tone quiet; April, 31 fr. 50c; Sept. and Dec., 30 fr. 15c.

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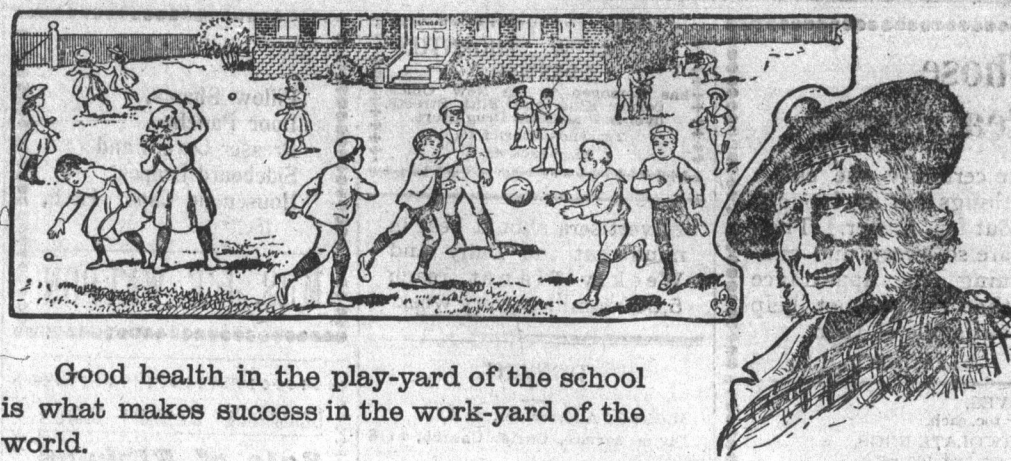
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New York, April 6.—The Herald has the following special from London:—A notable statue has, so to speak, stolen into Westminster Abbey in the night. Visitors on Monday were surprised in the north transept at a fine representation of Mr. Gladstone, which had taken a place on the sacred ground without the formality of a public announcement. It had, in fact, been placed there in the dark hours of the night. The reason for the stealthy procedure is said to be that Parliamentary precedent is that there should be no unveiling. The statue which has entered the Abbey in such a ghostly manner is a dignified one, placed in a corner position. It suggests a historic contrast, for it stands near Lord Beaconsfield's statue. The two statues recall some of the characteristic traits of the statesmen they commemorate.

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Ottawa, April 5.—The Court of Appeal of the Methodist Church having decided that it is not proper for Methodist ministers to wear gowns, Rev. Dr. Rose this morning divested himself of the one in which he has been appearing at the Sabbath services. The rev. gentleman had on the gown when he entered the pulpit, but announced that the church had ordered that it should not be worn, and obedient to command, he laid it aside. Dr. Rose said that personally he saw no harm in the wearing of a gown, which, in his opinion, invested the office of the preacher with dignity; but as the rulers of the church thought otherwise he must bow to their decree.

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