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## A PAGE OF NEWS ABOUT THE MARITIME

### BETTER FREIGHT RATE PREDICTED FOR MARITIMES

C. M. A. General Manager, Speaking at Fredericton, Says Case Being Prepared.

### BELIEVES IN SHIPS OF THE DOMINION

New Rates Would Give Eastern Provinces Favorable Opportunities in the West.

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Mr. Fisher had been referred to by Mr. Walsh as the incoming president of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association and he said that in accepting that post at the coming annual meeting in Quebec in June he would do so because he regarded it as a recognition of the Maritime Provinces by the association.

Import less, produce more and export more were the things which Canada needed to do to cure the present distress which prevailed, he said as he quoted figures of the tremendous imports from the United States paying hundreds of millions of dollars to build up another country.

Buy at Home.

"We can all help to right things," he declared, "by developing our natural resources and producing more so that we may become independent of other countries and when things right themselves we will be able to export our share of manufactured goods."

He referred to the improving position of Great Britain as revealed in the recent budget and declared that it was unbelievable and nothing short of miraculous that such a surplus could be shown. He paid a tribute to British people and declared their industrial and commercial success was the result of the "stamina back of it all."

Needs Better Men.

"What the world needs," he said, "is not more men, but a better breed of men. And so it is with immigration; Canada wants to sort out a little. This brought on a reference to education and vocational work. Vocational education he said could not be pushed too rapidly or too fast. He made a plea for more cooperation between the various interests, especially labor and capital and the agricultural interests.

Others Who Spoke.

Mayor Reid and James S. Neill spoke briefly and then John D. Palmer, president of the Hart Boat and Shoe Company was called upon. The way of the manufacturers at the present time, he said, was very hard as the period of readjustment and reconstruction had come on more suddenly and had been beset with more difficulties than the most pessimistic man had ever anticipated. All had been caught to a greater or lesser extent in the losses that had to be borne on raw materials and the public hardly appreciated what the manufacturers had gone through in the last six months and what they would have to go through in the next six months or so. However, there were many things for which all should be thankful, Canada had the greatest potential resources of any country in the world and a people who do not know defeat, and despite the troubles today they will go on to victory. There were also some other speakers.

COL. HARVEY SWORN IN

Washington, April 26.—The oath of office was administered to Col. George Harvey, an ambassador to Great Britain yesterday at the state department. He is expected to leave for his post next week.



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### Moving Pictures of Provincial Scenery

C. N. R. Have Party on Cain's River, Taking Views to Advertise Province.

Fredericton, April 26.—With a moving picture operator as well as the official photographer of the Canadian National Railway, F. W. Robertson of Moncton, general passenger agent of the C. N. R., left here this morning accompanied by J. M. Lyons, former general passenger agent of the I. C. R., and now connected with the Reid Newfoundland railway, for Cain's River, where they will spend several days during which both stationary and moving pictures of scenes for advertising fishing and hunting possibilities of New Brunswick by the C. N. R. will be taken.

W. Harry Allen, president of the N. B. Guides' Association, is with the party and it is largely as a result of a recent conference he had at Toronto with Charles K. Howard, general tourist agent, and W. W. Melanson, passenger traffic manager, that the C. N. R. determined to have the work undertaken.

It is understood to be the intention of the C. N. R. to have slides and slides prepared in the same way that the C. P. R. have done to advertise New Brunswick as a fishing and hunting territory.

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CHATHAM COUNCIL BOARDS.

Chatham, N. B., April 26.—The new Council has met and formed its committees with the following chairman for each: Finance—Ald. Cassidy. Public Works—Ald. Grippa. Fire—Ald. Goggin. Police—Ald. Fitzpatrick. Light and Water—Ald. Walsh. By-laws—Ald. Cassidy. Park—Ald. Maher (chairman). Dr. Marven and R. A. Sawball.

SIGNS THE ALIEN LAND BILL.

Lincoln, Neb., April 26.—Governor McKelvie has signed the alien land bill. It prohibits title to land in Nebraska.

Keough-McCarthy.

Moncton, N. B., April 26.—A quiet wedding was solemnized at St. Bernard's Church this morning when Miss Winifred Julia McCarthy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCarthy of this city, was married to Joseph Keough formerly of Toronto. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Maffett in the presence of a large number of friends. The groom is an employee of the T. Eaton Co. and the bride was formerly employed in the C. N. R. audit office. Mr. and Mrs. Keough left this morning on a wedding trip to United States cities.

Dayton-Trites.

The marriage of Miss Alice Louise, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Trites, Salisbury, to Mr. Frank Miles Dayton of this city was solemnized quietly at high noon today at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. C. K. Hudson tying the nuptial knot. The bride was attired in a travelling suit of midnight blue, white hat and white fur. The wedding music was played by Miss Marjorie McCarthy. After luncheon Mr. and Mrs. Dayton left on the afternoon express on a wedding trip to Upper Canada and American cities. On their return they will reside in Moncton. Both bride and groom are well known and popular with the younger set.

### PLENTY OF COAL IN NOVA SCOTIA BUT COSTS HIGH

Profits Vanish Through Excessive Costs of Operation Is Claimed.

### HUGE RESOURCES OF THE PROVINCE

Some of the Coal Obtained Two and-a Half Miles Under Sea.

Ottawa, April 26.—Donald McLennan, of the Nova Scotia Coal Company, was called by the Fuel Committee of the House of Commons this morning. He stated that there were many seams of coal in the Nova Scotia and Cape Breton fields, which had not yet been developed. An old estimate placed the amount of coal available at 242,000,000 tons, but the development of this field had not yet begun. Lack of transportation had held up development.

Some Needed Works.

McKenzie and Mann had built a short line to one mine they owned but this was not sufficient. The harbor at Port Hood needed dredging and the railway should be extended from Inverness to St. Rose. The Chimney Corner field was untouched.

Dr. C. Chisholm, (Inverness) declared there were hundreds of millions of tons of good domestic coal in this field which needed development. Mr. McLennan said these areas were held by many parties some of whom were holding for speculation. Under Nova Scotia laws, as long as nobody else came forward to operate the lease, the holder was undisturbed.

Mr. McLennan did not think investment coal more susceptible to spontaneous combustion than any other coal. With an expenditure of \$1,500,000 a mine would produce 1,000 tons daily. Some of the mines now operating could be brought to an output of 150,000 to 200,000 tons daily if capital was available. The mines in Inverness county would produce 10,000 to 15,000 tons a day.

Plenty of Coal.

If means of carrying the coal were found, there was plenty of coal to develop.

D. H. McDougall, President of Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Company and vice-president Acadia Coal Company was called. Mr. McDougall is also vice president in charge of operations of the Empire steel merger. The Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Company owned the Acadia almost in its entirety.

Coal mining in the United States, said the witness, was less difficult and costly than in Canada.

Submarine Mining.

J. C. Douglas (Cape Breton South) challenged the statement that Nova Scotia costs the higher because of submarine mining. He pointed out that only a portion of the Nova Scotia coal was under water. Some of the coal mines, said the witness, were two and a half miles out to sea.

Mr. McDougall said the large companies in Nova Scotia had not made any more than commercial profits on their investments.

Dr. W. D. Cowan (Regina) asked why the company devoted more work to submarine mines if costs there were higher than in land mines. Witness replied that the great body of coal was under the sea.

Cannot Use Electricity.

Use of electricity in the Nova Scotia mines was forbidden because of the presence of gas.

F. H. Keefe (Port Arthur) asked if witness' company realized the importance of coal to the national railways. When the price of coal jumped from \$3 to \$8 the whole country was affected.

Mr. McDougall said that the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Company during ten years had spent \$6,000,000 in property, mined 12,000,000 tons of coal and had a return of 3 1/2 per cent before making any provision for depreciation.

J. C. Douglas (Cape Breton South) thought that evidence was that the railways had no more than a normal quantity on hand.

No Steel Demand.

Mr. McDougall said there was no demand for steel at the present time. Conditions would somewhat improve shortly, but there would be less activity than last year. Mr. Keefe reverted to the Ontario market for coal. If coal could get up to Toronto by water, it would effect a great saving. Thus the widening of the canals would mean an important advance to this end.

### U. N. B. Students Elect Officers

C. E. White is Chosen President of the Assn. With J. L. Holman Secretary.

Fredericton, April 26.—The annual students elections were completed at the U. N. B. this morning with the announcement that the following additional officers had been chosen:

Students' Association—President, C. E. White; 1st Vice-President, B. E. Hagerman; 2nd Vice-President, O. E. Mowatt; Secretary, J. L. Holman. Finance Committee—C. E. White, H. F. G. Bridges, D. R. Bishop, R. Hawkins, G. Mowatt and L. Cain. University Monthly, Senior Editors—C. M. Barbee, R. F. G. Bridges and L. Sipp; Junior Editors—R. Hawkins and G. Mowatt. Business Manager, R. Hawkins.

### True Bill Against Pentecostal Preacher

Woodstock, April 26.—The April sitting of the Supreme Court opened this morning at 11 o'clock with His Honor Judge Barry presiding. There are two criminal cases and a long civil docket. The grand jury brought in true bills in the criminal cases. The King vs. James McDonald and Marie McDonald, charged with breaking and entering the store of Stevens Bros., J. R. Brown and Yerra Company and stealing money and goods, is now being tried.

More to Follow.

Ten more, it is said, will leave two weeks later, and in all twenty-five or more are expected to go from here, a number of young men having announced their intention of being in attendance when the Fall term opens. They will train for the ministry, as missionaries and other kinds of Christian work.

John C. Smith, who has been carrying on a progressive business as a building contractor, is one of those to have determined to attend the school.

He will leave next month to train for the ministry and will be associated with Mr. Kenyon in evangelistic work. Mr. Smith left here today for Campbellton to make arrangements for the opening of Mr. Kenyon's campaign there next Sunday under the joint auspices of the Baptist and Methodist churches. It has been proposed to hold the services at Campbellton in a large skating rink building.

Newcastle Council Ready For Work

Newcastle, April 26.—The organization meeting of Newcastle Town Council was held on Thursday evening. The committee on the housing scheme reported in favor of same, and it was decided to investigate the workings in other places.

The following were selected for the standing committees for the year: Finance—Ald. Locke, Durick and Ritchie. Public Works—Ald. Durick, Sargeant and Doyle. Police and Appointment to office—Ald. Atkinson, Doyle and Locke. By-Laws and Petitions—Ald. Ritchie, Atkinson and Doyle. Park and Fire—Ald. Dalton, McKay and Sargeant. Light and Water—Ald. McKay, Dalton and Ritchie.

Appointed Acting Chief Game Warden

George F. Burden, ex-M. L. A., Will Fill Position for the Present.

Fredericton, N. B., April 26.—Hon. C. W. Robinson, minister of lands and mines in the New Brunswick cabinet, announced this morning that George F. Burden, ex-M. L. A., who has been engaged as lumber scaler with the department for several years, has been appointed acting chief game warden as a result of the resignation of L. A. Gagnon, who is removing to Quebec. Mr. Robinson said that the government had granted Mr. Gagnon two months' leave of absence and they were hopeful that he might possibly reconsider his determination to retire from the provincial service. However, Mr. Gagnon has sold his residence here as well as his furniture and is closing up the work of his office.

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### QUIT BUSINESS TO PREPARE FOR MISSION CAREER

Twenty-Five Kenyon Converts at Fredericton to Enter Ministry.

### CAMPAIGN STARTS AT CAMPBELLTON

Building Contractor to Become Associated With Evangelist in His Work.

Special to The Standard.

Fredericton, April 26.—The exodus of converts during the Kenyon evangelistic campaign to the Bible School which Rev. E. W. Kenyon, who was in charge of the campaign conducted at Spencer, Mass., will commence next Monday, it was announced today following a meeting of between twenty and thirty of those who have expressed their intention of going to the institution.

Those who leave on Monday will be Arthur Gray, who has been janitor of the George street church, and his family, and Miss Harris of Burt's Corner. Mr. Gray is going to Spencer to take charge of the farm work at the school, while Miss Harris will take up religious studies to train for Christian work.

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Three Years For Stealing Pants

Amherst, N. S., April 26.—James Drake of Moncton was sentenced to three years imprisonment for the theft of a pair of pants containing twenty dollars from K. A. Smith, of the Nova Scotia Waterpower Commission, Halifax, in the regular sitting of the county court here this morning. The crime took place in the pullman car of a C. N. R. train on Feb. 26th and was held to constitute a theft on railway property, for which fourteen years is the maximum sentence.

PERRY DECISION FRIDAY MORNING

Yarmouth, N. S., April 26.—Mrs. Clara Elizabeth Perry, charged with the wilful murder of her husband, the late Captain George H. Perry, on February 26th last, was again remanded to jail, when she appeared before Stipendiary Magistrate Pelton, today to hear his decision as to whether the evidence produced by the Crown at the recent preliminary hearing in the case was sufficient to warrant her trial on the charge. The stipendiary announced that the court stenographer had not finished transcription of the evidence and he would, therefore, refrain from announcing a decision until ten o'clock next Friday morning.

BUILD A TOWER TO KEEP CLOSER WATCH ON FIRES

Province of New Brunswick Will Have Better Fire Protection System.

BISHOP TO HELP TO TEACH CAUTION

Railway Engines Being Inspected and Some Are Found Defective.

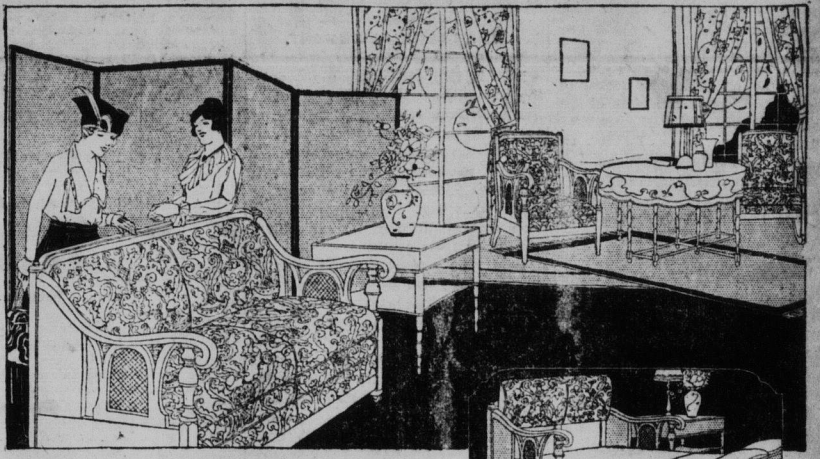
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The number of co-operative fire wardens employed by townships which was eighty-six last year was increased to 208 this year, and voluntary fire wardens have been increased to 439 this year, from 130 last year. Road supervisors are appointed as fire wardens and all have received instructions with regard to fires.

A. T. Murchie, chief scaler, was appointed third member of the board of examiners in the place of J. W. Vanderbeck, M.P.P., who resigned some months ago.

J. P. Brophy was appointed to take the district of George F. Burden as inspector, his duties to begin June 15. L. Hanchard was appointed to succeed Mr. Brophy at St. Quentin.

STRATHONA MINE RE-OPENS.

Amherst, N. S., April 26.—After being idle for the past month due to a wage disagreement, the Strathcona Coal Mine, River Hebert, has reopened, and there is every prospect of a steady output for some time in the future. Between fifty and sixty men have returned to work, and there is an apparent feeling of satisfaction with the fifteen cent per box rate, granted the miners of Number 1 slope.



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