

WHAT THE WEST OWES THE EAST

Arthur Hawkes, of the Canadian Northern Railway, Addressing the Canadian Club at Quebec City, Declares it is as Much the Business of the West to Understand the East as the East the West.

Quebec, April 7.—"The West owes the East all the business it can create for it," said Mr. Arthur Hawkes...

though it was the greatest material factor in our political and social unity...

Canada has been handicapped by a race of little faiths, who, if they believed in anything, believed that the country was made to be a poor nation...

It was too early to anticipate the out-numbering of the East by the West...

Libelled by Ignorant Men. The West was libelled by men who did not know it. He, himself, had heard a Toronto man solemnly warning the passengers on an Atlantic liner...

There was no precedent in national development for only one people spreading themselves from ocean to ocean...

To Lender's Advantage. Canada owes Canada East primarily because Canada East borrowed from Europe. But the lender lent for his own advantage...

Many who, like himself, could not speak the language, secondly, thought that the Lord blundered when He made so many Frenchmen...

Even so, the West was working for the far East in a way that was not generally realized. For instance, the Canadian Northern alone, in the last seven years, spent seven million dollars on equipment manufactured in Nova Scotia...

At the conclusion of the lodge work the chief marshals and secretary served. Noble Grand Cochran occupied the chair for the evening and a very interesting program was rendered by the city and visiting brethren...

Though the West rapidly developed manufacturing enterprises, the East would sell more to the West and the East by that increase of business...

Forty men belonging to the 25th infantry are declared to be eligible for re-enlistment. The court of inquiry was appointed by the secretary of war, a year ago...

ANTI-GAMBLING BILL DEFEATED

H. H. Miller's Anti-Gambling Measure Lost in Commons on Close Division.

Ottawa, Ont., April 7.—After another all day debate in the House of Commons, the Miller bill, prohibiting the business of book pool selling and generally restricting gambling...

GRAND LODGE I.O.O.F. OFFICERS VISIT CITY

Grand Master French, Deputy Grand Master Shera and Grand Warden Dingman, of the Grand Lodge of Ontario, D. G. M., were in the city today.

Grand Master V. C. French, of Wetaskiwin; Deputy Grand Master W. G. Shera, of Fort Saskatchewan, and Grand Warden Dingman, of Calgary, paid an official visit last night to the Grand Lodge of Ontario...

Mr. Miller and the supporters of his bill declined to compromise on the McColl bill, and a motion to strike out the second clause of the bill was then carried by a vote of 78 to 77.

ROOSEVELT BEHIND PINCHOT.

This is Belief in Capital—Letters That Effect.

Washington, D.C., April 7.—The rumor that Colonel Roosevelt would espouse the cause of Gifford Pinchot, deposed forester, in his dispute with Secretary Ballinger over reclamation, was prevalent at the capital today.

WINNIPEG TAILORS STRIKE.

400 Go Out For an Increase in Wages. Winnipeg, April 7.—Between three and four hundred journeymen tailors went out on strike yesterday for what is practically a ten per cent. raise.

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LOAD OF DYNAMITE EXPLODED.

Tokio, April 7.—A lighter loaded with dynamite in the harbor of Kobe caught fire today, causing an explosion that killed three persons, wrecked many houses on the water front and caused a monetary loss of \$250,000.

HAT LED TO HIS ARREST.

Jack Progers is Arrested in Connection With Miss Frank's Assault.

London, Ont., April 6.—Jack Progers was arrested this afternoon in connection with the murderous attack on Miss Frank's car and asked for a hat, which Progers gave him. This hat was found lying in Miss Frank's home, having been dropped by the assailant in his flight.

FOR PROTECTION OF CHINESE EMPLOYERS.

Pekin, April 7.—The government proposes to form an uninhabited zone surrounding the Regent's residence, the consideration being the result of a finding of bombs recently in the palace.

HAWES TO BE ASKED TO GIVE EVIDENCE

Toronto Man Who Says he Will Issue a Write Again Cornwall and Alberta and Great Waterways to be Asked to Come to Edmonton.

Arthur Hawes, of Toronto, whose name came out prominently before the Alberta and Great Waterways railway commission at their preliminary sitting will be asked to be in attendance next week and to bring all documents relating to the company that he may have in his possession.

Mr. Hawes is the man who has intimated that he will issue a write against K. Cornwell, M.P.P., W. R. Clarke, president of the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway, and the company itself for an amount which has not yet been stated.

ANTI-GAMBLING BILL DEBATED.

W. F. MacLean and J. R. Stratton Resume Debate on Miller's Bill.

Ottawa, April 7.—In the House this morning Sir Wilfrid Laurier's resolution favoring the amendment of the anti-gambling bill was debated by W. F. MacLean, of South York, who said he was anxious to see a settlement reached with the commission...

PROBABLY MATERIAL WITNESSES.

In view of the statement of Mr. Biggar on strike yesterday for what is practically a ten per cent. raise, the demand is for 33 cents, instead of 22 cents per hour for extra, and a corresponding raise for piece work.

ROOSEVELT ON THE RIVER.

Spezia, Italy, April 7.—The Roosevelt party arrived this morning. They manoeuvred to avoid the crowds, they went to a hotel for breakfast, then gave themselves for a while to sight-seeing.

FRENCH DUELLISTS IDENTIFIED.

Algiers, Algeria, April 7.—Mayor Robert, of Oranville, was shot in a duel with M. Hoube, a rival candidate for the French chamber of deputies today. Robert did not fire.

PUTTING MILLIONS IN COAL OUT WEST

Immense Coal Areas West of Edmonton Are Being Developed by Big Financial Interests.

The development within the next few years of the immense coal areas west of Edmonton will be on a scale so enormous as to astound the whole of Canada. A forecast of this development is found in the great financial interests which have succeeded in securing control of coal property.

GENERAL SHIFTING OF OFFICIALS.

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EARLY SPRING BRINGS TROUBLE TO SETTLERS

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TEAMS HEAVILY LADEN.

Some are caught between the Sturgeon Lake and the Smokey River, some at Lesser Slave Lake and all about the trail there are teams heavily loaded with their sleighs in the mud. Some are already renting farms in Prairie River district, a small surveyed settlement at the west end of Lesser Slave Lake.

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With the great coal areas of the western country in the hands of such well established financial interests it is declared that the coal development which will take place simultaneously with the operation of the Grand Trunk Pacific will equal, if not overtake, the coal industry in this shadow, the coal industry in the south of the province. The expenditure of immense sums of money in this industry should be of no interest to the public if the city has a proper realization of just how much it does mean.

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SHIPPING BUSINESS DEPRESSED.

London, April 8.—The report of Canada's low coal supplies, which reflects the depression in the shipping business generally. No dividend will be paid.

ANOTHER VICTORY FOR THE WIRELESS.

London, April 7.—Nine hundred passengers were transferred today from the burning steamer or Cairnora, in the English Channel, without mishap. The ship was bound from London to Portland. Soon after departure the ship was struck by a fire. An appeal by wireless brought the steamer Kanawha to the burning steamer's assistance.

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