

MARITIME MEMBERS AT OTTAWA REGARDLESS OF PARTY JOIN IN DRIVE TO HELP ST. JOHN

Press Upon Minister of Public Works Necessity of Warehouse Here, or Cold Storage Plant, for Farm Produce Intended for Overseas Shipment.

Ottawa, Ont., April 10.—(By Canadian Press.)—Officials of the Department of Public Works are making enquiries at St. John and other ports looking toward the establishing of facilities enabling the year-round shipment of potatoes. This statement was given in the House of Commons tonight by Hon. J. H. King, Minister of Public Works, following a general appeal from Maritime members of parliament, who submitted a resolution by T. W. Caldwell (Progressive, Charlottetown-Victoria) asking the Government to provide proper terminal facilities for the handling of potatoes at St. John. Following Mr. King's statement that resolution was withdrawn.

The appeal was strongly supported by Hon. J. H. King, (Conservative, York-Sunbury), O. Ferguson (Liberal, Gloucester), George B. Jones (Conservative, St. John), and L. H. Massey (Liberal, Antigonish). Mr. Caldwell pressed for a definite assurance that the terminal warehouse would be constructed. "I wish to see that the export of potatoes, I have had experience," he added. Mr. Caldwell said that until recently, New Brunswick potatoes had been shipped through the port of Boston. By a ruling of the Canadian Railway Board the freight on these potatoes had to be paid in American funds for the entire distance, although United States Inter-State Commerce Commission permitted a shipper to Canada to pay the freight on the Canadian section of the journey in Canadian funds. As a result of this ruling by the Canadian Railway Commission it cost \$2.50 per barrel in Canadian funds to ship Canadian potatoes through Boston to a firm when they were selling at \$4.00 per barrel in Cuba. It had been possible to ship direct from St. John, the freight would have been 10 per cent lower and the dealer could have \$2.00 per barrel in St. John for the potatoes. Mr. Caldwell appealed to the Government to establish a front room warehouse at St. John, open to all farmers, but suggested that the dealers who had already established such a warehouse should be given an opportunity to turn over their plant to the Government. It is generally pointed out that for some years the American market had been an effectively closed against Canadian potatoes by an embargo as it was now by the Purday tariff. Through the enterprise of the Canadian Pacific Steamship Company a direct service had been given to Cuba this year.

JAP FISHERMEN CAUSE TROUBLE ON FRAZER RIVER

Fisheries Conditions in British Columbia to be Investigated by Gov't.

Ottawa, April 10.—The standing committee of the House on Marine and Fisheries is to investigate fisheries conditions in British Columbia and, more particularly, the depletion of the salmon fisheries of the Fraser River. W. O. Macquarrie (Conservative, New Westminster) brought the question up in the House tonight with a motion of reference to the committee indicated.

Mr. Macquarrie dealt at length with the effect of the coming of Japanese fishermen to British Columbia. These people have gradually monopolized the fishing industry, and they were getting larger numbers of licenses each season. The trouble was that though a day must be intermitted, he never seemed to die and his license was in use many years after his death.

T. W. Caldwell, (Victoria-Charlottetown), N. B., supported the resolution in a brief speech, but expressed regret that it was limited to the Fraser River. He would like to see it include all the salmon rivers, including the St. John River.

Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Fisheries, said the problem was international in character and could be dealt with only by joint action between Canada and the United States. A treaty had been negotiated in 1908 and again in 1920 on the subject, but both treaties had failed of ratification by the American Senate.

Mr. Lapointe had no objection to the resolution carrying. The Fisheries Commission could begin the investigation by hearing the evidence of the officials, and the question of calling other witnesses could be considered later.

VERY SAD ACCIDENT OCCURRED AT CALAIS

Seventeen Year Old Boy Accidentally Shot and Killed Himself While Cleaning Revolver.

Special to The Standard. St. Stephen, April 10.—A very sad accident occurred in Calais, Sunday evening, when Carl, son of Dr. Chas. Armstrong, of Robinson, accidentally shot and killed himself while cleaning a revolver. The young man, who was 17 years of age and who lives with his grandmother, Mrs. Karlenburg, of Calais, had been in the woods Mayflowering in the afternoon and in the evening returned to his room, taking his revolver with him. Shortly after he had gone upstairs Mrs. Karlenburg heard a shot and thinking it was some one in the yard went out to investigate. Finding nothing he started for the house when he noticed a light in the boy's room and on going up he found him dead. The bullet had entered his chin and gone through to the head. Much sympathy is felt for his father, as the young man was very bright and a favorite. He was a student at the Calais High School.

GERMANY REFUSES ORDER OF ALLIES

Cannot Consent to Proposed Control of Its Revenues and Expenditures.

Paris, April 10.—The German reply to the note of the reparations commission which fixed the conditions upon which Germany would be granted a partial moratorium on her reparations payment was received this afternoon. It is regarded in French official circles as tantamount to a refusal to accept the conditions, although couched in conciliatory language.

TRIBUTE TO NURSES OF NEW GLASGOW

Inspector of Victorian Order Speaks Words of Praise for Their Work.

Ottawa, April 10.—Tribute to the fine service of the district nurses in Sydney and New Glasgow was paid by Miss Jessie Forsshaw, R. N., Inspector for the Victorian Order of Nurses for Canada, who has just returned from a tour of the Eastern Provinces. Much sympathy, she said, is felt for the nurses, who work long hours, attending the sick, and in many cases of lowered vitality and specific instances of hardship had been encountered by the staff nurses, said Miss Forsshaw. Like other members of their profession, they had worked long hours, attending the sick, and in many cases of lowered vitality and specific instances of hardship had been encountered by the staff nurses, said Miss Forsshaw. Like other members of their profession, they had worked long hours, attending the sick, and in many cases of lowered vitality and specific instances of hardship had been encountered by the staff nurses, said Miss Forsshaw.

INTRA-PROVINCIAL LABOR CONFERENCE

Being Considered for Purpose of Discussing Eight Hour Day Proposal.

Ottawa, April 10.—(Canadian Press.)—The calling of an inter-provincial conference to discuss the eight-hour day and other conventions of the International Labor Conference held at Washington, under the aegis of the League of Nations, in October and November, 1919, is now being considered. It was stated in the House today in reply to a question by A. W. Neil (Independent, Comox-Alberni). Mr. Neil also asked if the Government was prepared to authorize the eight-hour day on all Government contracts. The reply stated that the practice with respect to works performed for the Dominion Government required that the working hours shall be in conformity with the practice of law of the locality. "Since the Provinces are understood to have the representations of the convention under consideration in the opinion of the Government a change of practice only serves to create a misconception and confusion as to the position of the Province in dealing with this matter," the answer concludes.

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TEA PRICES RISING. Rumor has it that the labor unrest and general dissatisfaction in India, the largest tea producing country in the world, have made production so expensive and hazardous as to bring a high price for tea in the near future. The estimated consumption this year will be much larger than the crop available.

MADE—Entered into Life, Sunday April 10th, Mary D. beloved wife of John B. Mapp. Funeral service from St. Andrew's Church, 2:30 p.m.

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CHIEF SOVIET DELEGATE HOODOOED BY A TOP HAT

Tchitcherine Buys One to Wear at Genoa, Then Carries Off a Bride's Luggage, Losing His Own, and Reaches Italy With Hat But No Frock Coat.

Genoa, April 10.—Georgievitch Tchitcherine, Soviet Foreign Minister and chairman of the delegation of the workers and peasants Soviet Republic, bought a high top hat in Genoa on route to Genoa to attend the conference. He bought the "topper" on impulse, for he is of an unpretentious disposition and it is a well known fact of the Foreign Office in Moscow that severe simplicity must obtain. But Mr. Tchitcherine had not been told it would be necessary to appear as the most of the Italian Government without regard as distinguished as his office, so he succeeded in convincing himself that the high top hat was a safe bet.

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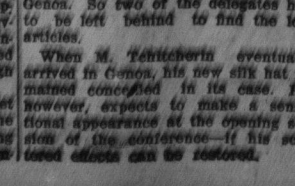
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St. John Lodge No. 30 E. of P. were paid an official visit in Castle Hall, Temple building, Main street, by their Grand Chancellor, James S. Lord, of St. Stephen. There was a very large attendance, and the first rank was accomplished in a splendid manner by the officers of the St. John lodge.

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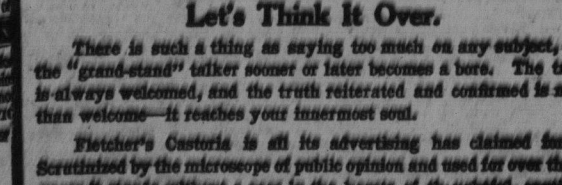
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