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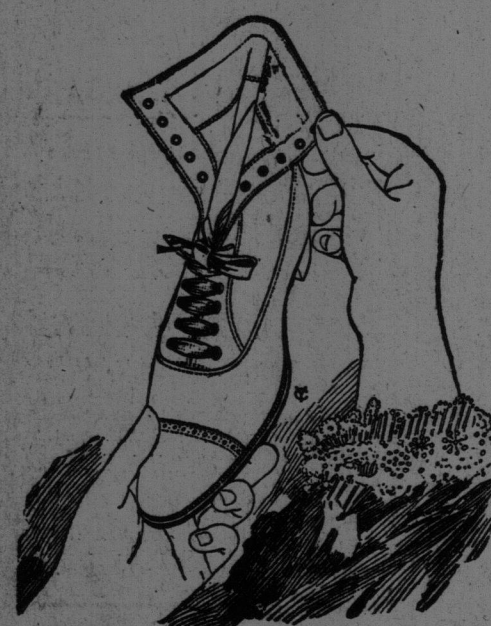


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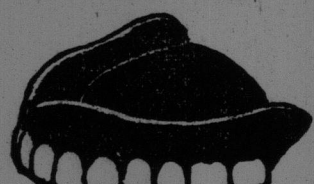
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SHOULD DEVELOP TRADE WITH THE WEST INDIES

Sir Daniel Morris Treats of Possibilities of Expansion--Several New Industries--Toronto Board of Trade Hears Account of Many Chances for Development of Commerce.

(Mail and Empire report) Sir Daniel Morris, British Commissioner of Agriculture to the West Indies, delivered an interesting and instructive address on the trade possibilities between those islands and Canada before the members of the Toronto board of trade last week.

He said that in the early days the West Indies were great sugar producers. When slavery was abolished many of the best planters took the compensation of the government and left the islands. That has ever since discouraged the planting business. But to the credit of Great Britain she did what no other country had done, in making pecuniary allowances to the planters for the loss of their slaves. Since those days sugar has greatly fallen in price. That product had played an important factor in the growth of commerce of those islands. In the days of Napoleon he had endeavored to strike a blow at the trade of Great Britain, and so he had founded the best sugar industry in Europe. Another factor in favor of the beet product was the bounty system. If the European exported sugar from the Continent they were given a large rebate. The effect of this system on the colonies of Great Britain was that when they went onto the market with their sugar they had to accept the market price alone. The German and French sugar producers received in addition a bounty. Since the establishment of the Brussels Conference three years ago the prices of sugar were equalized, giving the British West Indies fair play in this trade and enabling them to make some profit. The people of the West Indies have been just saved from losing their fair trade in sugar by the present British government, after threatening to withdraw from the above convention, deciding not to do so. But the other Continental countries would not return to the bounty system. The market for West Indian sugar was provided by Canada and Great Britain. The sugar imported into this country from these islands up to June 30th last totalled 105,000 tons, so about 78 per cent of the sugar consumed in Canada came from the West Indies. There were 4,200,000 gallons of molasses and syrups produced in these islands. Sugar and molasses now constituted 711 of the total trade between the Dominion and these islands. Some of the raw sugar also went from the West Indies to the refineries of Great Britain and thence to the continent. 2,000 tons was imported from British Africa. About 88 per cent of the sugar consumed in Canada came from British sources. The German and West Indies might enter into closer reciprocal relations and build up a great trade between them.

GENERAL AGENT NEEDED. At present local agents represented these islands there, but a good general agent was needed. He seldom or ever met with commercial travellers from Canada, while he frequently met with those from the United States. He thought that Canadian houses ought to be represented in the islands by commercial men. Certain articles were produced in the West Indies that were not known in Canada. There were Jamaica cigars, grown by Chinese who had taken refuge in that island some years ago. A cattle food, made from molasses and the fine fibre of the sugar cane was also produced, and it had recently been introduced into Canada. Another food substance was made from the fibre of the rice plant and molasses. There were also Casava starch, which was superior to the artwortroot starch. A large quantity of rice is now being produced by the Hindus, who are growing it in British Demerara on a large scale. In Trinidad and Tobago, India rubber was being planted on a fairly large scale. Though the area of the West Indies was small, totalling 100,000 square miles, it was about half cultivated. But the islands were remarkably productive. Of the total area of Barbadoes, 80 per cent was cultivated. An acre of bananas in Jamaica yielded a clear profit of £15. Three or four years ago, cotton planting was commenced on those islands, and it has been attended by considerable success. The Cordage was also being grown by the planters at considerable profit. A large amount of candied fruit might also be imported into this country.

DANGER AHEAD. There was one danger ahead. The rapid growth of the sugar trade with Canada was due to the preference and the falling off in the importation of German sugars, of which large amounts came into the country three or four years ago. But the

THIS EVENING General Booth will address the Canadian Club, at a luncheon in Keith's Assembly rooms. Austin's Picture Show at the Opera House. Commissioner Nicol and Colonel Lawley of the Salvation Army will speak in Berryman's Hall. Ladies' night at Victoria Roller Rink. New bill at the Nickel. Band at the Queen's Rollaway. New films and illustrated songs at the Happy Hall Hour. Special meeting of Scots Boys' Brigade in their rooms at 7:30 o'clock. Change of programme at the Cedar. Chambers' Lodge at O. U. W. will meet in their hall, Germain street.

LATE LOCALS West India steamer Ocean, Captain Buchanan, sailed today for Halifax. The steamer Camden landed 70 passengers Saturday night and sailed this morning on her return trip. The members of Union Jack Lodge No. 33 T. A. F. B., will meet in their hall, Market Building this evening at 7 o'clock, sharp.

F. H. BLAIR LEADER The Montreal Ontario Society is now almost ready to resume work for the coming season. It has secured Frederick H. Blair, the organist and choir-master of St. Paul's church, as leader and re-organizer. Lywood Fernan, the organist of St. James the Apostle church, as accompanist. The Fraser Hall, on University street has been secured for the practice, which will take place on Thursday as heretofore. As soon as the works to be studied have been decided upon the members will be called together. The first practice will likely be held October 3--Montreal Star.

MOCK TRIAL POSTPONED Owing to the Opera House having been previously engaged the Mock Court Trial under the auspices of the St. John Boston '08 Club, to have been held on Friday evening, Sept. 27, has been postponed to a date in October to be announced later.

PERSONALS J. S. Clarke, of the St. John post office, who was recently transferred to take charge of the Carleton post office, is dangerously ill at his home with scarlet fever. H. D. Macaulay has returned from Edmonton. James Henderson, of the post office inspector's staff, and Miss Lizzie Henderson have returned after a pleasant holiday spent in Boston. Mrs. George Morris, who has been visiting at Lakoside and while there he will visit his sister, Madame S. Ramsey, convent of the Sacred Heart, Sault Au Recliette. Rev. Westra B. Stewart, curate of Trinity church, and Mrs. Stewart, came to the city Friday after their honeymoon at Lakoside and are residing at 7 Orange street. Yesterday Rev. Mr. Stewart resumed his duties in Trinity. Mrs. Stuart will be at home Oct. 9 and 10. Rev. Victor Gowland and Mrs. Barnes, of Salisbury, who have been attending the Fredericton exhibition, are visiting friends in this city. The marriage of Miss Julia Hollis to Fred Howell of the Rockwood Manufacturing Co. will be solemnized at St. Paul's (Valley) church on Thursday, 28th, inst. at 7 p. m. The choir of St. Paul's church of which Mr. Howell is a member presented him with a case of solid silver tea spoons, wishing him and his bride elect much happiness.

TIMBER LOADING Rule 3, clause 1, affecting lumber loading has been altered by the substitution of the words "4 feet" for the words "3 feet." It now reads as follows: "When wood goods are carried in an uncovered space, there shall be fitted on each side of the ship temporary rails or bulwarks of a substantial character for the full length within which the deck cargo is stowed, extending to a height of not less than four feet above the line of the top of the deck cargo."

TO WED IN MONTREAL Mrs. W. O. Raymond and Miss Winifred Raymond went to Montreal on Saturday evening and Rev. Dr. Raymond leaves for Montreal this evening to be present at the marriage of Rev. W. O. Raymond, Jr., on Thursday of this week at St. Matthew's church, Westmount, Montreal, to Miss Florence Josephine Gillespie, of Toronto. The good wishes of many friends will attend the young people who will reside at Ann Harbor, Michigan, where Rev. Mr. Raymond has accepted the position of assistant to Rev. Dr. Tatlock, Ann Arbor is the seat of the University of Michigan and Dr. Tatlock's congregation includes about 30 college professors and some 500 students. Members of the petty jury of the St. John county court are asked to be at the court house tomorrow morning at ten o'clock.

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