

# ASSOCIATED BOARDS FAVOR DEEPENING OF ST. LAWRENCE

## Nickle Coinage and Iron Ore Bounty Approved—Publicity Campaign For Made-in-Canada Goods.

At the Associated Boards of Trade on Thursday afternoon, Mr. C. E. Watts, of Toronto, introduced a resolution in support of the demand of the milling, dairying and stock-raising industries of Canada that flour be carried on the government ocean liners at the same rate as wheat.

Mr. Hall, of Parry Sound, said that every speaker had spoken for the manufacturer, the freighter, it was up to the Boards to think of the consumer. He was personally a free trader. "I believe that a Canadian workman can produce an article as good as any outsider and need not fear competition. He believed in the greatest good to the greatest number and supported the resolution. There was discrimination against the consumer.

The resolution lost.

### Iron Ore Bounty.

Port Arthur, Sudbury and Port William Boards of Trade united in a resolution endorsing the principle of a bounty being paid by the government to producers of iron ore requiring beneficiation before smelting. Mr. A. J. Young supported it. The Associated Boards passed the resolution.

### St. Lawrence Deepening.

The big question of the deepening and power development of the St. Lawrence River came before the Associated Boards of Trade in the form of a resolution from Toronto Board of Trade.

The resolution which carried unanimously urged the deepening to a depth of 30 feet at the earliest date possible and the fullest development of Hydro power.

### Fire Prevention.

One of the blots in our civilization was our enormous waste by fire, said Mr. H. F. Ketcheson, Belleville, introducing a resolution of the Belleville Chamber urging the government to support the successful efforts of the Ontario Fire Prevention League and the Ontario Safety League in the staying of waste, the encouragement of thrift and care, the preservation of life and property, and approve of their public-spirited and practical patriotism in protecting the public domain and the industries of the province.

The resolution carried.

### Canadianization of Foreigners.

Canadianization of the foreign-born population of the country was urged in a resolution presented by Mr. G. C. Copley of Hamilton Chamber of Commerce. The resolution noted the need of men and women capable of performing heavy manual labor which renders it essential that the flow of foreign population should be directed, that no adequate provision had been made by the governments for the direction and distribution of these immigrants and for their education to Canadian standards of national life.

The resolution called upon the governments to call a conference to formulate a policy for the reception, distribution and education of all foreign-born arriving in Canada.

The resolution was adopted. Owen Sound Board of Trade introduced a resolution to the effect that in the opinion of the association it would be to the advantage and well-being of the young women of the Province for the government to appoint a lady assistant or teacher for every county in the province and that a copy be sent to each county council.

The life of the woman on the farm has in the past been a drudgery. It is no wonder a girl looks to marry a city man in order to secure a life less full of drudgery. The auto and the telephone have removed several drawbacks to country life. Anything that will improve the social life in the country should be adopted, said Mr. O'Grady of Owen Sound.

Parry Sound Board urged the prompt completion of a road between Bala and Parry Sound, and pointed out the value of a through trunk road from Toronto to North Bay via Parry Sound. The resolution carried.

The deepening of the St. Mary's River was introduced by Mr. J. A. Hussey and seconded by Mr. N. P.

Burnes and carried.

### Nickle Coinage.

On recommendation of the Sudbury Board, the association decided to urge the government to pass at the coming session of Parliament for the immediate coinage of pure nickel coins of small denomination as Canada produces 85 per cent. of the world's supply of nickel.

### Canadian Made Goods.

Mr. G. A. Copley, of Hamilton, spoke in support of a publicity campaign in Canada to encourage the people to purchase in Canada. This could only be brought about by close co-operation between wholesalers, retailers and the consumer. This is the only way to provide employment and render permanency of industry. It was urged that the provincial and federal governments be asked to organize strong publicity campaigns.

Mr. J. V. Ilsey of Hamilton, seconded the resolution and referred to the exchange difficulty due to excess of imports over exports. It is not the coal and cotton that constitute the adverse balance. The trouble is that while we elude in using Canadian products, we are not careful enough in seeing that our purchases are Canadian made.

"Our own governments are the greatest sinners in buying goods," said Mr. A. J. Young. Let the government give a preference to Canadian-made goods.

Mr. Elliott, of Kingston, said the press was prepared to stand behind any movement to increase production.

Mr. Copley with the permission of the delegates amended the resolution by adding that the governments be urged to give the preference to Canadian-made goods for departmental needs.

The amended resolution carried. Extension of Temiskaming Railway. Mr. C. A. Smith of Cochrane and Mr. A. J. Young supported a resolution in favor of a resolution urging upon Premier Duggan and the cabinet the immediate consideration of the construction of the James Bay extension of the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway in order to develop the forest and water power resources of the northland. The resolution was adopted.

Mr. J. A. Hussey, of Sault Ste. Marie, introduced a resolution in favor of the adoption of a comprehensive scheme of road improvement and maintenance in the District of Algoma.

Mr. Elliott, of Kingston, seconded the resolution which was adopted.

### BARGES ARE SUNK.

The barge No. 2, of the Sincennes-McNaughton line, in tow of the tug Metak and Mary Frances Whalen, coal laden from Erie to Montreal, foundered about 25 miles off Port Colborne early Sunday morning. No lives were lost. The No. 2 was built at Sorel in 1881. The barge Scotia, owned by the Doty Engine Co. Toronto, is sunk at Erie, Pa., and will be a total loss.

### JUST RECEIVED COAL ORDERED YEAR AGO.

An evidence of the uncertainty of coal conditions are apparent in the receipt by Reeve Blow of Oshawa, of two car loads of coal last week. One car was of blacksmith's coal ordered about a year ago, and the other was bituminous coal designed for threshing use and was on order for many months, arriving now, of course, too late to be of much use as the threshing season is about over.

### TOLD OF MISSION WORK.

The Y. P. A. of the Presbyterian church, Prescott, held a very enjoyable meeting on Monday evening. Don Faris and P. McArthur, students from Queen's University, gave interesting talks on their work in the home mission fields in British Columbia. The young men during the summer holidays go out to the different fields and their experiences related in a very interesting manner made those present realize the great need for workers in the home mission field.

## Delegates Visit School for Deaf

Are Amazed at Work at the O. S. D. This morning the delegates to the conference of Associated Boards of Trade paid a visit to the Ontario School for the Deaf, the guests of Dr. Coughlin, superintendent of the institution. The delegates were amazed at the demonstration of the latest methods of teaching the deaf and imparting knowledge.

## "An Old Fashioned Mother"

Young People's Guild of St. Andrew's Church Put on Play.

The Young People's Guild of St. Andrew's Church presented the play entitled "An Old-Fashioned Mother" in the school room of the church last night to an audience of between four and five hundred people. Everyone who attended spoke in the highest terms of the manner in which all who participated in it took their respective parts. The play was a dramatic parable of a mother's love in three acts. The following is a synopsis of the play:

Act I. The Good Samaritan—Aunt Delby's farm in late March.

Act II. Same scene but three years later on a winter afternoon.

Act III. The Prodigal's Return—two years later.

Characters.

Aunt Deborah, mother in Israel—Miss Lillian Locke.

Widder Bill Pindie, leader of choir—Miss Ada Locke.

Miss Lowly Custard, plain sewing and gossip—Miss E. Cooper.

Isabelle Simpson, the village belle—Miss Alice Martin.

Glenn Perkins, as good as gold—Miss Phyllis Stewart.

Suke Pindie, widder's mite—Mary McIntosh.

John Underhill, prodigal son—Mr. A. E. Barlow.

Charley Underhill, elder brother—Mr. Hall.

Brother Jonah Quackenbush, a white sepulchre—Mr. Duncan Montgomery.

Jeremiah Gosling, Gerry Nerry—Mr. Newton Thompson.

Enoch Roan, outcast and wanderer—Mr. Redvers Ross.

Quintus Todd, county sheriff—Mr. James McIntosh.

Choir organist—Mrs. Hall.

Mrs. Alyea acted as directress and it is to be congratulated on her efficient coaching of those taking the part of the different characters.

Mr. Newton Thompson, President of the Guild, not only afforded the audience great amusement in the role which he played but had a great deal to do with skillful management of the presentation.

This is the Guild's second venture in the field of dramatic art and it has proved so successful that it is looking forward to making it an annual institution in its programme of activities. Several invitations have been received to present the play in neighboring localities.

### FOUND WOMAN HUUDED IN BUSHES, NEARLY FROZEN.

The Picton woman who escaped from Rockwood Hospital last week was found by Joseph Hawley, jail governor, and his party of hunters, huddled in some bushes at Robinson's Point, and it is considered a miracle that the woman was not frozen to death, as she was exposed to the intense cold for about thirty-six hours. Mr. Hawley and the members of his party gave the woman every attention and notified the authorities at Rockwood Hospital.

### TWELVE AMALGAMATIONS.

The Presbyterian and Methodist plan of co-operation union of churches in towns and villages where it is feasible and desirable has resulted, it is stated, in some twelve unions in Kingston presbytery and district, thus releasing a sufficient number of men to take charge of some thirty or forty congregations in the Northwest and on missions where help is sorely needed.

### PENNY BAGS.

The collection for the penny bags for the month of November amounted to \$146.46. Though the citizens have given liberally a larger amount would be greatly appreciated for next month. Have your contributions ready for the collectors when they call.

### INQUEST OPENED

The remains of the late C. P. R. Trainman, Wesley Leach Campbell, were taken last night to his home at Smith's Falls. At the inquest and before Dr. Yeomans, coroner, yesterday afternoon, the remains were identified. Evidence was given by Sgt. Harman, Mr. J. L. Tickle and Mr. Samuel Campbell, brother of the deceased. The inquest was adjourned to Monday evening next. Mr. Chas. Meagher is foreman of the jury.

### ENTERTAINED AT CLUB.

Last evening from five-thirty to seven o'clock the delegates of the Associated Boards of Trade were entertained at the Belleville Club. A most delightful time was spent.

### CHARGE UNDER O.T.A.

A charge against a citizen under the O.T.A. was laid over for a week by Magistrate Mason.

### MADE WARDS OF C.A.S.

The serious charge against two young boys from Millbridge of having broken into a house at that village was investigated by Judge DeRoche this morning. Owing to the youth of the boys they were made wards of the Children's Aid Society.

### NO LIGHTS: \$5.

Two citizens appeared before the court this morning on a charge of having allowed their cars to remain on the street at night without lights. This little oversight cost them \$5 each.

### REMANDED TO DEC. 2.

The charge against a youth of having stolen a watch from Mr. Frank Knight of the 4th of Sidney came up for hearing this morning but there was a further remand to Dec. 2nd. Some further serious charges may be laid against the boy who is only 15 years old.

### AGREED TO MAKE RESTITUTION

Fred Wood, Bert Leaf and James Fraser were charged in Magistrate Mason's court this morning with having stolen tools, tires and other accessories belonging to the car of the late Dr. Moore. The alleged theft was committed on the morning of the deplorable accident that cost the physician his life. Wood did not appear when called and his bail of \$400 is thereby forfeited. Two hundred dollars had been deposited in cash. Wood hails from Montreal. The two others appeared and told a story that satisfied the court. They stated that the articles were found in a place where they had been hidden along the railway line. They reported the matter, they asserted, to the section foreman and the latter advised them to remove them from the right-of-way to some place of safety. There was some corroboration of this statement, and the two were allowed their freedom, on making restitution and paying costs. Nearly all of the missing articles had been recovered but the bill of costs, etc., will amount to \$85. Consumable L. Soule deserves much praise for some excellent detective work in this matter.

### LATE ADAM EASTON

The funeral of the late Adam Easton took place Wednesday from his late residence, Sidney, to Bethany Church, Rev. Mr. McKullen officiating, assisted by Rev. M. E. Wilson, of Cambridge and Rev. S. J. Yorke of Caynville. The interment was made in Belleville cemetery, the three ministers taking part. There were many floral tributes to the memory of the deceased. The bearers were W. Phelps, W. Brown, J. E. Cooley, R. Ketchepaw and W. Clarke.

### DEED

McCUNE—In Toronto on Thursday, November 25th, 1920, Harriett A. McCune, widow of the late Marmaduke McCune.

### TO ROUND UP THIEVES

The people living in the Sydenham area are determined that the persons who are doing much petty stealing will be rounded up and punished. The attorney general's department at Toronto is working on the case. A resident of Sydenham, who was in Kingston on Tuesday, stated that just recently two hundred empty cement sacks, the property of Elden Brawley, merchant, were taken and then sold to another party in the village.

### HOT FOR TRANSIENT MERCHANT

Last week a travelling Dry Goods establishment arrived in Trenton and placed a varied stock of Merchandise in an empty store, did some advertising and put out attractive signs. They opened up for business on Saturday. On Monday the Council was called together and our merchants placed the case before them and it was decided that transient merchants had not the right to dump Trenton full of second hand, bankrupt, shoddy-worn, out-of-date goods to the detriment of our regular dependable merchants, therefore a license fee of \$250 was placed on the newcomers to somewhat adjust the taxes paid by Trenton firms.

### APPOINTED TURKEY AT GAOL

Last week it was announced by the attorney-general's department at Toronto that Col. David Sutton, of Cayn township, had been appointed turkey at Cobourg gaol to succeed the late Samuel Ferguson, also a former resident of Cayn. The new turkey was appointed on the recommendation of S. S. Staples, M. P. P. for East Durham, who has the recommendation of the turkey of the gaol. He is a Liberal in politics and a former commanding officer of the 3rd Princess Louise Dragoons.

### FOUNDER OF CANADIAN CLUBS HERE

Li-Col. Chas. McCullough, of Hamilton, founder of the great Can-

adian Club movement, is in the city today attending the convention of Associated Boards of Trade. He will be the guest of honor and the speaker of the evening at the meeting of the Belleville Women's Canadian Club at the High School Assembly room at 8 o'clock tonight. Col. McCullough is an old Belleville boy. Our citizens will recall him as having been a teacher some years ago in the Ontario Business College. He is a fine speaker and a treat to those who attend.

### ANOTHER WOMAN PHYSICIAN

Agnes Ann Carrin, of Kempsville, has passed the examination of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario, qualifying her to practice in this province, it is announced.

### BOY ACCIDENTALLY SHOT.

When his double-barrel shotgun was accidentally discharged while he was hunting in the vicinity of Goose Bay, three miles east of Alexandria Bay, on Sunday, Harry Hibbard, aged 16, of the latter place, was almost instantly killed. Companions of Hibbard heard a cry for help and rushed to the scene, finding him dying 15 feet from a skiff which he was evidently preparing to enter when the gun was discharged. Hibbard was a student at the Alexandria Bay high school and leaves his parents, two brothers and one sister. A verdict of accidental death was returned.

### SIX CARS LEFT TRACK.

Tuesday night six cars laden with grain were derailed on the G. T. R. at Foxmead. The auxiliaries from Lindsay and Allandale were despatched to the scene of the accident, which is in a swampy section.

### PASSAWAY IN CALIFORNIA

Dr. R. A. Stevens died suddenly at his home in California on Oct. 25th, leaving his family the nice sum of \$18,000. He was a brother of the late Mrs. G. W. Kilborn, Athens, Dr. Stevens was seventy-seven years of age.

### MRS. HARRIETT AMELIA McCUNE

The death occurred at her home in Toronto yesterday of Mrs. Harriett Amelia McCune, widow of the late Marmaduke McCune. Her life she spent mainly in Sidney and Thurlow, and in Belleville. Ten years ago she went to Toronto to live. She leaves a family. Death was the result of a stroke. The remains will be brought to Belleville for interment.

### FOR SALE

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