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TO CONTROL COAL LANDS

Government Operation The
Remedy For Fuel
Famine

BLAME TRANSPORTATION

Ottawa, Dec. 11.—The Government was sustained upon its first division last night by a vote of 77 to 39. In effect the House sustained the Government in refusing to regulate or control coal lands alienated, or to be alienated, in the Northwest, so as to require the mines to be operated and fair rates to be charged the consumer. Neither Mr. Herron (Conservative, Alberta), who introduced the resolution, nor any of his supporters, quite reached the point of demanding Government operation, although R. L. Borden intimated that an emergency might arise which would justify such a remedy. Mr. Herron's resolution was as follows:

"That the coal lands owned by the Government of Canada should only be alienated under such conditions and subject to such control and regulations as will provide for an immediate supply of coal adequate at all times to the requirements of the people, and at a reasonable price to the consumer, and that in respect of coal lands already alienated, legislative provision should be made for such control and regulation in case of emergency, as will be the future prevent loss and suffering to the people of the western provinces through lack of fuel supply."

The Government supporters, however, assumed that Government operation was the logical outcome of the resolution, and they resisted it accordingly. They claimed that there was cheap coal in abundance, and that the problem was purely one of transportation. An amendment offered by Mr. Knowles (Liberal, East Assiniboia), which embodied this idea, passed by a party vote as a substitute for the resolution.

Preceding this debate, Col. Sam Hughes secured the adoption of a resolution declaring it to be the sense of the House that grants of land should be made to those who volunteered in the South African war from Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. The colonel also succeeded in having passed a resolution declaring that in the opinion of the House, it would be to the best interests of Canada to settle retired British soldiers and their families in Canada.

A question by Mr. McPherson of Vancouver permitted the Minister of Justice to deny the report that any judgments in British Columbia were for sale.

Other information handed out by the Ministry was as follows:

The New Brunswick senatorial vacancies will be filled this session.

The cost of the Trent Canal to date is \$5,350,091.

The Yukon telegraph system during the past year was not a financial success. Receipts were \$115,876; expenses, \$229,351.

There was the annual complaint from Prince Edward Island, that no ice-breaker was on hand, as promised, to keep open communication with the mainland. The Minister of Marine protested that the boat had been despatched some time ago and should have arrived by this time.

HEIR TO HASTINGS' ESTATE.

Rev. G. C. Squire of Owosso, Mich., Receives Fortune.

Detroit, Dec. 11.—Rev. G. C. Squire, who several years ago retired from the Corunna, Mich., at his own request, has just received notice that he is heir to a large estate in Hastings County, Ont.

The legacy is left Rev. Mr. Squire by an uncle who died recently, and the good fortune comes to this minister at a time of his life when he can best enjoy it. For the past several summers Rev. Mr. Squire has conducted a summer assembly, and these have been made a great success through his efforts. His daughter is a missionary in South America. Rev. Mr. Squire is making preparations to go to Hastings and claim his estate.

Moustache In One Night.

Winnipeg, Dec. 11.—Herbert Williams, who was arrested yesterday on a charge of vagrancy, it has been discovered, has been doing a wide-spread business by putting advertisements in big American papers, offering pleasant and remunerative work at home to all who send him \$1. Where money was sent he forwarded a receipt. One receipt guaranteed to make a moustache grow in one night.

Shipbuilders Ask Bounty.

Ottawa, Dec. 11.—Members of the Canadian Shipbuilding Co., the Colingwood Shipbuilding Co., and the president of the Polson Iron Works, interviewed the Government yesterday afternoon with a view to obtaining a bounty on shipbuilding. Herebefore they asked for \$4 a ton, but it is understood that they have raised this to \$6.

Insurgents Win.

Fort de France, Martinique, Dec. 11.—Yenezuela advises state that a serious revolution has occurred there. Insurgents under Gen. Montilla have captured Barquesimeto, 160 miles from Caracas. Gen. Paredes is said to have defeated the Government troops.

Divorced In Scotch Court.

London, Dec. 11.—(C. A. P.)—In the Scotch courts, Janet Douglas Glenesk, or Hutcheson, obtained a divorce from William Baird Beattie Hutcheson of Brandon, Manitoba, who had already figured as co-respondent.

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McKAY'S CORNERS.

James Lawton has rented his farm to his brother George, and is to move soon to Raleigh Township, about five miles below Chatham. The community will greatly miss Mr. and Mrs. Lawton and family.

Neil Watson, of Mull, occupied the chair at the tea meeting in the absence of the advertised chairman, H. S. Clements, M. P. The gathering was a decided success, both socially and financially, proceeds amounting to \$9, while the program furnished by Miss Helen J. Carter and other Chatham friends was of a very high order.

Ernie Taylor is convalescing nicely from an attack of typhoid. John Stevens is recovering from a severe illness. Angus Galbraith visited the Maple

City on Saturday, being his first outing after an attack of appendicitis. Miss Cameron, of Chatham, is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. W. Parsons.

Lorne Morgan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Parsons. Little Freda McRitchie spent the past week with friends in the village.

Neil McVicar, who has been ailing for some time, is seriously ill, with very little hopes of recovery. Mr. Graham, contractor and bridge builder, will have the fine bridge on the Base Line over the McGregor Creek, ready for traffic the first of next week. Mr. Graham has had much difficulty in getting the steel on account of the great demand for such material on the Pacific Coast since the earthquake.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert McRitchie visited with Mr. and Mrs. William Steen on Sunday. Archie McVicar, B. A., of London Collegiate Institute staff, is home at his sick father's bedside.

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DANTE.

Mr. Moncke is busy renovating his house and barn.

Thos. McAlpine spent a few days in Ruskillen this week.

Roy Stocking returned from the west on Thursday.

A. Vansickle and family have moved to their home in Florence.

Special services have been conducted by the pastors at Fansher the past week.

Mrs. J. McGregor, who was afflicted with a paralytic stroke a short time ago, is somewhat better.

Mr. and Mrs. John Coleman and daughter, Leo, visited at Mr. Pesh's on Sunday.

Lincoln Burdon spent Sunday at Kent Bridge.

Thos. Stocking had a bee on Tuesday last putting a foundation under his stable.

Prudence Outhouse visited at A. McGregor's on Sunday.

Miss Emma Handle is on the sick list.

Chicken thieves are at work in this neighborhood.

Will Wilkinson has moved on his farm in Zone.



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