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CAPT. SCOTT IS ACCORDED HIGH PRAISE

His Mission a Bigger One Than Mere Discovery of South Pole

IMPORTANT RESULTS
British There Long Before This But Luck Helped Amundsen to Arrive First—Shackleton Places Scott's Journey as Among Greatest Efforts of Mankind

(Canadian Press)
London, April 2—Though the latest word from the British Antarctic expedition under command of Capt. Robert F. Scott left the explorers still 130 miles from the South Pole on January 3, polar experts here are strongly of the opinion that Captain Scott will achieve the great object for which he set out. The fact that his message brought from New Zealand the Terra Nova declared that he was remaining in the Antarctic for another winter to complete his work, is taken as an indication that the party is in good health, abundantly supplied, and in a position to continue the march to the pole.

HUGH LUMBER WAS CUT

Public Accounts Committee Continues Work—Why J. P. Burchill, M. P., Had to Pay Additional—Albert Roads and Politics

(Special to Times)
Fredericton, N. B., April 2—It looks very much as if John P. Burchill, member for Northumberland, who made the government angry last session by his fearless criticisms of their crown land policy and stumpage collection, is now paying the penalty for his temerity for all the lumbermen in the province he was the only one last year who was charged additionally by the crown land department because he left his "logs" in the woods.

FRENCH-CANADIANS LOYAL TO BRITAIN, SAYS ARCHBISHOP

(Canadian Press)
Montreal, April 2—That French Canadians are absolutely loyal to Great Britain and to the British empire, is the declaration of Archbishop Ruchet, who, in a statement issued today, called for a halt in the racial difficulties now besetting the province, and laid emphasis in the saying that "a home divided against itself cannot stand."

THE BREAKWATER MATTER PARTHUR DOWN

Matter is to Be Taken up by Norton Griffiths With Government—He Will Leave Tonight—Prospects of Big Steel Industry

J. Norton Griffiths, M.P., president of Norton Griffiths Co., Ltd., who has been here since Sunday in connection with the arrangements for commencing the work in Courtenay Bay, will leave this evening for Montreal accompanied by the other officials of the company and the members of his staff. Mr. Griffiths and Mr. Stewart will go to Ottawa, where they will have a conference with the federal government regarding the final location of the breakwater. They are in favor of the location near the mouth of the bay which would give greater accommodation within the harbor, and the matter awaits the decision of the government. Mr. Griffiths will leave Montreal tonight, and Mr. Stewart will leave tomorrow.

RESULT OF THE STRIKE VOTE ON THURSDAY

A Change in The Attitude Of The Men Since Trouble Started
VOTE WILL BE CLOSE ONE

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ASK MONCTON W.C.T.U. ABOUT MRS. CONNELLY

Railway Town's Golf Club Elects Members—Rebekah President on Tour
Moncton, N. B., April 2—(Special)—The officers of Moncton W. C. T. U., as they are asked for information about Mrs. Connelly who conducted an advertising scheme here a year or two ago and who is now in Quebec.

QUEBEC ALDERMEN ASKED TO DRIVE MORMONS FROM CITY

Sherbrooke, Que., April 2—A sensation was caused at a city council meeting last night when a petition was submitted from T. J. Parkes, asking that the council take immediate action to drive the Mormon settlement out of the city.

REPORTS ON FERNHILL AND WORK OF YEAR

Directors and Superintendent Submit Statements to the Lot Holders
At the annual meeting of the lot holders of Fernhill last evening, Hon. J. G. Forbes, chairman of the board of directors, in his report, said that the cost of the masonry sheds had been \$4,000, and that the income so far had been \$100.

ENGLISH MINERS NOW WANT TO CONTINUE THE STRIKE WHILE WELSH WORKMEN ARE EAGER TO GET BACK INTO THE PITS—THEIR REASONS

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COMPENSATION LAW IN ONTARIO

Sir Wm. Meredith Reports on Draft—Important Subsidiary Questions Not Yet Settled
Toronto, April 2—Sir Wm. Meredith has made an interim report on his work as chairman of a law commission providing compensation for workmen for injuries. His report recommends that there be a law which would be limited to dangerous occupations.

CONFERENCE ON NAVY

Question of Admitting Representatives of Other Dominions to Talk of Canada and Motherland
London, April 2—Questioned as to whether, with view of the immediate establishment of a new naval staff for the empire, other dominions will be invited to send representatives to the forthcoming conference between Canadian ministers and the British admiralty, the colonial secretary, interred his willingness, but in the absence of an official Canadian request said he could not make any statement.

"SLEEPING GIRL" ONCE MORE IN SLUMBERLAND

Blanche David Found Unconscious Again in Montreal Car
Montreal, April 2—Blanche David, a young girl, who has a habit of falling into a state of coma, while riding on street cars and who is known in all the hospitals throughout the city as the "sleeping girl," was found unconscious in a street car and was taken to a hospital.

BURIED TODAY

Resolutions of Regret at Death of G. S. Fisher—Other Funerals
The funeral of George S. Fisher took place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from his home, 181 Carmarthen street, being officiated by Rev. J. W. Hollander. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. C. A. Kuhring at the house and grave. Interment was made in Fernhill. The pall bearers were Hon. J. G. Forbes, Joseph Herbert, Dr. G. U. Hay, and Thomas McVeety.

CHURCH EVENTS OF TODAY

The ladies' societies connected with three local churches are this afternoon conducting a tea and sale in the school rooms, in St. Andrew's, Calvin Presbyterian and Fairville Methodist. The ladies in charge in Fairville are—Mrs. J. Shaw, Mrs. Wm. Golding, Mrs. J. Chesman, Mrs. Wm. Catherswood, Mrs. S. Worrell, Mrs. G. Clark, Mrs. W. E. Birle and Misses S. Wilson, Jessie Simonds, and Ida Knowles; ice cream, Mrs. H. M. Stout, assisted by Misses Irvine and Maud Cochran; fancy table, Mrs. E. Kirkpatrick and Mrs. E. McLaughlin.

CARRIES WOMAN PASSENGER ACROSS CHANNEL IN AIRSHIP

London, April 2—A woman crossed the channel from England to France today as passenger in an airship, for the first time. She accompanied Gustave Hamel, an aviator who left London at 9:38 a.m. over Dover at an altitude of 2,000 feet at southeast of Cape Grines at noon with out incident.

THE WEATHER

Probabilities—Strong winds and moderate rains from east and south, with snow or rain.

STREET CARS STOPPED, INDUSTRY HALTED, TO FREE INJURED MAN

Ogdensburg, N. Y., April 2—James Bochenan, an engineer, was caught by a revolving shaft in the power house of the Ogdensburg Power & Lighting Company yesterday and fatally injured. In order to release his body it was necessary to shut down the plant, stopping street cars and everything in the city run by electricity.

DOCTOR FLEMING ILL

The many friends in this city will regret to hear of the serious illness of Dr. Frank Fleming, who is at present on the staff of one of the Boston hospitals. He was for some time connected with the medical staff of the General Public Hospital here, but went to Boston a couple of months ago. His father, James Fleming, of Brunsvick street, received a word on Saturday stating that the doctor was seriously ill. He left for Boston on Saturday night.

HUDSON'S BAY LAND SALES

London, April 2—Returns from Hudson's Bay Land sales for the last year show a large decline, but it is said this is due to the fact that the preceding year included large sales for irrigation purposes. In the year ended with March 31 the sales totalled \$210,230 and down \$10,000.

FREDERICTON NEWS

Death of Clarence Vanbuskirk—Mrs. H. F. McLeod Undergoes Operation
Fredericton, April 2—(Special)—Clarence Vanbuskirk, merchant, of McKean's corner, died suddenly last night. He was sixty years old and a bachelor.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE FUND

New York, April 2—The jury trying William Verroux, a Christian Science man for practicing medicine without a license returned a verdict of guilty, after forty-five minutes' deliberation in a Procter and Knott court.

MANITOBA PASSES BILL FOR BOUNDARIES EXTENSION

Winnipeg, Man., April 2—In the local house last night the bill providing for the extension of the boundaries west through with applause and without objection on the part of the opposition members. Considerable opposition was manifested by the local publicity bill by the Liberals but the bill was finally adopted without any incident.

PRIEST ELECTED MAYOR

Lapeer, Mich., April 2—Rev. P. R. Dunigan, a Catholic priest of Lapeer parish, was elected mayor of Lapeer city on the Republican ticket yesterday, by a majority of more than 100 votes over Dr. F. A. Tinker, the Democratic opponent, who was up for re-election. The county of Lapeer also defeated local option by a big majority.

THREE FOR MAYOR AND SEVENTEEN FOR COMMISSIONERS

Nominations for the civic elections, first in Canada under the commission plan, closed at noon today in the office of the common clerk. Nomination papers have been filed for three candidates for the mayoralty and seventeen for commissionerships.

SCOTT'S JOURNEY AS AMONG GREATEST EFFORTS OF MANKIND

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