

### Winfield Commission Finds Lack of Confidence the Basis of Sydney Dispute

#### Miners Reject Proposals Made by Besco—Bill to Enfranchise Women of 21 Before House of Commons—Wrangel Survivors Arrive in Vancouver.

HALIFAX, N.S., Feb. 13. A statement given out to-day, with correspondence which has been received from John W. McLeod, Dispute Commission President of the United Mine Workers of America, and himself, with reference to the wage dispute between the British Empire Steel Corporation and its miners, J. E. Moore, Vice-President of the Corporation, explains the Company's reasons for rejection of the proposal made by the U.M.W., that a four months' contract at the 1924 scale should be entered into pending full investigation of the Company and the U.M.W. by a commission representing both parties to the dispute, who will agree before the dispute is to be referred to the best interests of the miners, general public or the Company, to enter into a contract for four months to make it impossible for the Sales Department to negotiate contracts for the tonnage of coal.

HALIFAX, N.S., Feb. 13. The miners have decided to reject the counter proposal made by the British Empire Steel Corporation for settlement of the present wage dispute. It was announced here this morning.

OTTAWA, Feb. 13. The report of the Winfield Commission, which considered the dispute between the miners and Besco, says that permanent improvement in the industrial relations can be expected unless complete confidence is established between the operators and the employees.

LONDON, Feb. 13. A Bill to enfranchise women at the age of 21 on an equal basis with men, introduced by W. Whitely, Labor, was among those introduced in the Commons to-day.

GENEVA, Feb. 13. A somewhat pessimistic atmosphere prevails in process of formation here regarding the prospects of the Geneva Peace Protocol, framed at the last meeting of the League of Nations. The apparent disinclination of the Swiss Government to accept the protocol, which forms the subject of the Geneva conference, is being discussed daily, it is serving to confirm the impression here that the protocol will be seriously remodelled if it is to be adopted.

CAPE TOWN, Feb. 13. General unusual features were contained in the speech from the Throne at the opening of the Legislature of the Union of South Africa. These include a provision that every article, newspaper or other matter published in the Union shall bear on the face of it the full name and address of the author.

ST. JOHN'S, Feb. 13. The tern schooner Nettie C. which was abandoned on February 4th, while on a voyage from New York to St. John, with coal, was located near Grand Manan and towed into an anchorage at Wood Island to-day by a life saving crew. The schooner was picked up by the schooner Fieldwood the day she was abandoned and taken to Halifax. The Nettie C. is owned by John Spence of this city.

QUEBEC, Feb. 13. Captain Symonds, harbor master of the port of Montreal, George Hearn, of Montreal, and Judge Brien, of the same place, were committed to-day to stand trial in the supreme court on a charge of conspiring to illegally bring liquor into the province of Quebec. J. R. Bissillon, chief of the Customs Preventive Service in Montreal, was facing a similar charge, but acquitted. Charges of the same nature against Captain D. J. Perrault, harbor master of Montreal, and L. Dufresne, a pilot will be heard on March 1st.

ST. JOHN'S, Feb. 13. To extract honey from the comb, put it in an earthen jar, crush and beat it; the wax can then be collected and strained from it when it is cooled.

MINARD'S LINIMENT FOR ACHES AND PAINS.

## Mother!

### Watch Child's Tongue

"California Fig Syrup" is Children's Harmless Laxative



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### Wesley Broadcasting

To be Broadcast from the Church's Station, S.W.C., Sunday Evening, February 16th. Operator, Mr. W. L. Vey.

Prelude—Devotion—Merkel. Doxology—Praise God. Invocation.

Hymn 12. Prayer—Lord's Prayer. Solo—The Publican—Van de Water by Miss Eleanor Mews. Scripture Lesson.

Hymn 114. Sermon—Rev. L. Curtis, D.D. Offertory—Bacchante—Marchant, Hymn 339. Benediction.

Postlude—Postlude in D—Sterne.

### Preliminary Enquiries

The enquiry into the charges preferred against Thomas and Annie Segres was continued in the Magistrate's Court yesterday afternoon when the evidence of Const. R. Pittman and Dr. T. Anderson was taken. The enquiry into the Harding fire on Mundy Pond Road was also continued yesterday.

### Home-made, but Has No Equal for Coughs

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You can feel this take hold of a cough in a way that means business. It loosens and raises the phlegm, stops throat tickle and soothes and heals the irritated membranes that line the throat and bronchial tubes with such promptness, ease and certainty that it is really astonishing. Pinex is a special and highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, and is probably the best known means of overcoming severe coughs, throat and chest colds. There are many worthless imitations of this mixture. To avoid disappointment, ask for "2½ ounces of Pinex" with full directions and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money promptly refunded. The Pinex Co., Toronto, Ont.

CHEAP ORANGES—We offer for cash Sweet Juicy Oranges—\$3.75 per case, to clear quickly. This is a rare chance for cheap fruit. EDWIN MURRAY.—Feb. 13.

### A Woman's Appeal

FOR COMMON DECENCY IN PUBLIC LIFE.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir—I read with interest all the editorials, letters and articles on Woman Suffrage that appear in your paper from time to time. The Evening Telegram has always been a staunch supporter of every righteous cause, and the women of Newfoundland have reason to be sincerely grateful for the courage and vision it has always shown in giving the Franchise movement its support.

Women feel confident that at last, after years of lies and trickery, their demands for justice will be granted. The Premier, Mr. Monroe, the Leader of the Opposition, Mr. Hickman, and many of the members on both sides have promised their support when the Woman's Franchise Bill is brought up at the coming session. And we have faith in them.

Women do not want to elect women as representatives. Look at America! Look at England! The majority of women are much too busy, and it is only an exceptional woman, with means and leisure who will stand; but women do want honest representatives who will uphold the rights of women and children, and not see people living in ignorance and squalor whilst their taxes are squandered.

Women have been asleep too long, but they are waking up. The disgraceful state of affairs during the Squires regime convinced the women that it was time they took a stand against such wrong doing, and the only way was to demand the vote, and it was mainly through their opinion that that Government received its downfall.

Women do not think alike on all subjects. Some women are in favour of total Prohibition, but the majority are in favour of giving the new regulations a try-out, and believe that with strict control the Controller's Department will do more good, than the lax way the Prohibition problem was mismanaged under Squires.

Women pay taxes on everything and think bitterly of the \$20,000 which disappeared from the Post Office, the \$80,000 from the Agriculture and Mines Department, and the hundreds of thousands of dollars from the Controller's Department disappeared without the country or city benefitting in the slightest. Five hundred thousand dollars is squandered on the Normal School. When the Methodist College children were placed there after the burning of their school, we read that thirty-eight teachers were turned out. Thirty-eight hardly seem enough to justify this colossal extravagance. Women think that a hundred thousand dollars would have been ample to erect a satisfactory teachers' training school, whilst all the other hundreds of thousands of dollars could be spent upon improving conditions of schools here and throughout the island; and the hundreds of thousands of dollars taken from the Post Office, the Controller's Department, Agriculture and Mines, etc., could have been spent on cleaning and improving the city, putting the street cars up Freshwater Road and Hamilton Street for instance.

Why, women argue, if all this money has been misappropriated is there only one man punished? Wake up women! It is in your hands to help on progress! Show by your interest that women do need the vote.

### Not a Fad

The use of Richard Hudnut's Marvellous Cold Cream is not at all a fad but an absolute necessity in this cold climate. Every night this skin cream should be used freely otherwise the face will become rough and red and the complexion ruined. It only takes a minute to massage the face with MARVELLOUS COLD CREAM and it is well worth every woman's while to take this necessary precaution especially during winter.—Feb. 14, 21

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LET'S SEE WHAT'S ON HIS MIND TO-DAY

HERE'S WHERE I'LL BE ABLE TO CONCENTRATE—THERE'S TOO MUCH INTERFERENCE IN TH' OFFICE

WOULD YOU LIKE SOMETHING FOR DESSERT?

IN HOW MANY LETTERS?

CROSSWORD CRACKS—WHAT IS A SIX LETTER WORD MEANING "GONE BUT NOT FORGOTTEN" ANSWER: GARLIC—BY ALBENNAH

SEND A CROSSWORD CRACK TO CHARLIE

TO BE CONTINUED

By Art Helfant

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