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Dealers Able to Meet Present Demands—Danger is Prolonged Dispute.

"Practically all the dealers in the city have a fair supply of American anthracite on hand at present, but whether it will prove sufficient depends on how long the strike in the United States lasts as no more will probably be available for shipment here until after the present dispute is settled," was stated by F. P. Johnson, manager of R. P. & W. F. Starr, Ltd., when questioned by a Times-Star representative regarding the present coal situation in Saint John.

**DEMAND ABOUT NORMAL.**

Thus far, Mr. Johnson said, the demand for coal had been about normal for this season of the year. The citizens apparently had not stocked up to any appreciable extent. The dealers had plenty of hard coal on hand for immediate demand and they were not placing any limit at present on the quantity sold to each customer.

Several schooners, he said, had arrived recently with hard coal from New York, but these had all been chartered and the coal contracted for prior to Sept. 1. He thought that practically all these vessels had reached the city now.

Referring to the price, he said that Saint John citizens were getting coal much cheaper than other sections of the Maritime Provinces. The price in many New England cities, much nearer the source of supply, with less transportation costs, was considerably in advance of that in this city. At present anthracite was retailing here at \$16 a ton, with 20 cents discount for cash, making the price a ton \$15.80 net.

**IF STRIKE PROLONGED.**

While there was no immediate prospect of an advance in price this would probably occur if the strike was prolonged for any considerable period. Supplies of hard coal would have to be brought from England if the present local stocks became exhausted, he declared. Substitutes would also be used more when the present stock commenced to run low.

**MAY BE CHOSEN**

**DR. L. M. CURREN**

**DR. CURREN MAY BE CHOICE OF LIBERALS**

Has Been Five Years in N. B. Legislature and Heads Local School Board.

Dr. L. M. Curren, whose name is being mentioned in connection with the question of a running mate for the Hon. Dr. W. E. Foster, secretary of state in the approaching federal election, has become prominent in the Liberal party of Saint John city and county since his election to the Provincial Legislature in 1920.

Though a continuously active family physician for 23 years, first in Fairville for a short term, but mostly in the city proper, Dr. Curren had specialized in surgery and is today almost exclusively devoted to that branch of his profession. He was a member of the local Legislature for five years as a representative of Saint John county.

In the early period of his career when resident in Fairville, Dr. Curren was from 1908 to 1911, chairman of the special board of the Municipal Council. It was here his capacity as a public administrator as well as a medical practitioner attracted the attention of his political party, causing his selection as a standardbearer. Another mark of Dr. Curren's citizenship is his chairmanship of the Board of School Trustees at this important period of expansion in local educational matters.

**PURSE OF \$300 GIFT TO RECTOR**

Electric Floor Lamp is Presented to Mrs. W. H. Sampson.

Clergymen Join St. George's People in Felicitation of Clergyman and Wife.

Rev. Rural Dean W. H. Sampson, retiring rector of St. George's, and Mrs. Sampson were made recipients of a gift of \$300 in gold and a handsome electric floor lamp, respectively, last evening. The congregation met in the church hall for the occasion, which marked the formal farewell to their beloved rector and his good wife, who have both endeared themselves to their people throughout their years of service among them. This was stated by W. R. Sanderson, when he made the address accompanying the gifts, which were presented by H. H. McLeod.

Rev. J. H. A. Holmes, of St. Jude's church, West Saint John, spoke of the happy relations which had existed between himself and Dean Sampson, as they had labored side by side in the sister churches.

Rev. A. L. Fleming, of Saint John's (Stone) church, paid a warm tribute to Dean Sampson and Mrs. Sampson and said that he felt that he spoke for the people in rejoicing that they and their family would remain in West Saint John.

**Pythian Chief on Nova Scotia Tour**

J. A. Mowry and C. T. Green Leave to Visit Lodges There.

J. Arnold Mowry, Grand Chancellor of the Knights of Pythias in the Maritime Provinces, will leave tomorrow morning by motor or accompanied by District Deputy Grand Chancellor C. T. Green, for Truro, N. S., where a conference of the district deputy grand chancellors and the grand lodge officers will be held tomorrow evening. The grand chancellor and his deputy will then motor through to the Sydney, where Monday evening they will pay an official visit to Rockaway Lodge. On Tuesday night they will visit Black Diamond Lodge, New Waterford, on Wednesday evening Bay View Lodge at Port Morien and on Thursday the Glace Bay Lodge will be visited. Returning to Truro the grand chancellor will visit Strathcona Lodge on Friday evening.

**Local News**

**AT SAVINGS BANK.**  
Deposits for September in the Dominion Savings Bank here were \$29,471.31, and withdrawals \$17,978.71.

**FLOUR CHEAPER.**  
Flour dropped twenty cents a barrel in price here yesterday and now brings \$9.50 a barrel.

**LEAVES FOR WYCLIFF.**  
Ceel D. Giggly of this city, formerly of Whitehead, Kings county, has gone to Toronto to enter Wycliff College to study for the ministry.

**REPORTED DANGEROUS.**  
A house at 58 Sheriff street was reported to the building inspector yesterday by the police as being in a dangerous condition.

**CONTINUE HALF HOLIDAY.**  
Following the custom of last year merchants on the west side of the harbor will continue to observe the Thursday half holiday, adopted during the summer months, throughout October.

**TWO TODAY.**  
One man charged with drunkenness was fined \$8 this morning in the police court while another held on a like charge was remanded as he was not in a very good condition.

**ON HUNTING TRIP.**  
J. J. McGaffigan, Princess street, has gone to his hunting lodge at Tracadie, and was a visitor in Chatham en route. Mr. McGaffigan makes several trips each year to his camp, which is one of the most up-to-date in New Brunswick.

**UNDERGOES OPERATION.**  
Mrs. A. Hartley Case, Kennedy street, underwent an operation on Tuesday in the General Public Hospital and friends will be glad to know that she came through it well and was reported today as progressing as well as could be expected.

**HONORED ON BIRTHDAY.**  
Mrs. L. N. Taylor, 70 Camden street, was honored on her birthday yesterday. In the evening friends called and presented several lovely gifts. The evening was made very enjoyable with games and music and dainty refreshments served by the hostess.

**EMPLOYMENT REPORT.**  
There were 309 placements made by the local Employment Bureau in September, according to W. J. Ryan, superintendent, this morning. Of this total, 85 were men and 224 women. This figure is a slight reduction from August, due to the fact that this is a rather slack period for unskilled labor, in which the local bureau deals mostly. There was quite a demand for charwomen during the month.

**OFFICERS ELECTED.**  
The Tens Society of the Coburg St. Christian church met last evening at the home of Mrs. Charles Thompson, 16 Autumn street, with Mrs. Fred Coggins, in the chair. The winter's work was outlined. Election of officers was held. The results follow: President, Mrs. W. Hunter; director of work, Mrs. W. Laskey; secretary treasurer, Mrs. B. A. Garson; committee director, Mrs. F. Fitzgerald. A social hour was greatly enjoyed with refreshments served by the hostess, assisted by friends.

**SALVATION ARMY CHIEFS REACH CITY**

Commissioner Sowton and Colonel Adby Arrive For 3-Day Convention.

Major Thomas A. Burton and his staff of officers, as well as many members of the Saint John division of the Salvation Army, were at the Union Station today to meet Commissioner Charles Sowton and Colonel R. Adby, of England, who have come to Saint John to take part in a Salvation Army convention for three days. It will be consummated with a rally in the Imperial Theatre on Sunday afternoon, when Commissioner and Mrs. David W. Lamb, noted Salvation Army officials of England, will be the principal speakers. The meetings of the convention will be held in the Charlotte street Citadel, beginning this afternoon at 8 o'clock.

**WAS BITTEN IN LEG**

Policeman Ganter Places Double Charge Against David White—Fines of \$32.

David White, charged with drunkenness in South James street, and also violently resisting arrest, was fined \$8 on the first charge and \$24 on the second this morning in the police court. He pleaded guilty to drunkenness, but declared he had no recollection of resisting. Policeman Ganter testified that the defendant bit him in the leg. After getting the man safely lodged in jail the policeman had the wound on his leg dressed.

**ACTION FOR \$2,500**

Suit is Brought Following Automobile Accident at Haymarket Square.

In the Circuit Court this morning, the case of John Lindsay vs. W. Edgar Campbell, an action for damages, was commenced. It arose out of an accident of Aug. 15, 1924, at Haymarket Square, when the plaintiff's child was struck and injured by the defendant's automobile. The plaintiff is suing for \$2,500 damages, alleging negligence on the part of the defendant. The latter contends that the accident was unavoidable and that the child ran out in front of the car. The matter will be concluded this afternoon. Belyea & Gilbert appeared for the plaintiff and W. M. Ryan for the defence.

**IMPORTANT TOPICS**

Industrial Committee of Board of Trade to Have Session Tomorrow.

An important meeting of the industrial committee of the Saint John Board of Trade will be held tomorrow morning at 11:30 in the local board rooms. A. P. Blake is chairman of this committee. Many interesting reports, it is understood, will be submitted, among which will be one by Walter W. Leonard in regard to the development of local fishing and one by William McIntyre, curator of the Natural History Society, in respect to the mineral potentialities of New Brunswick.

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**Ribbed Lisle Hosiery, in airtone, safe, white, grey, black. \$1.00**

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