

BETTER FERRY FACILITIES ON THE MIRA RIVER

L. A. Petrie Urges Local Government to Render Aid to the Country's Attractions

To the Editor of the Post:

Dear Sir—Permit me space through your columns to ask the local government or our present representatives whether any appropriation has been made for the current year for a regular passenger service on the Mira River...

Being a resident and one interested in bringing before the public the natural beauties of the Mira River and its agricultural possibilities, I claim it should have a service second to none in Cape Breton.

Having had the honor as well as the financial loss of inaugurating a daily passenger service from Mira Gut to Marion Bridge, and a bi-weekly service to Victoria Bridge for which I received a subsidy of six hundred dollars per annum, and having had to have competent captains and engineers to pay, wharves to build and keep in repair, and for which I received an increase of subsidy, which they did not see fit to grant, with the result that Capt. Phillips took over the service from me, promising a better service than I was giving and for which after the service was taken over by him an increase of subsidy was made...

Such villages as Albert and Marion Bridge would spring into prominence as summer resorts, an agricultural advancement would be facilitated to an extent and on a par with the farms in the immediate vicinity of Sydney.

Judging from the interest recently shown in the matter of improving the roads to Mira, I feel sure this question of river facilities will meet with the attention it demands.

LOUIS A. PETRIE, Sanguet, Mira River, June 3rd, 1912.

PROVES POINT SCHOOL GAZETTE

The school children of Groves Point school section are publishing a school gazette, "The Groves Point School Gazette." In this enterprise they kindly solicit the help of all persons who are interested in the great work of education. As this gazette is the first of its kind originating in this section, they hope that some one will lend a helping hand and make it a success.

BELGIAN ELECTIONS

BRUSSELS, June 3.—More complete returns from yesterday's parliamentary elections favor the government party, whose majority in the chamber of deputies is increased from six to fourteen or sixteen. The clerical newspapers accept the result as a triumph for their cause of opposing free denominational schools on an equality with the state public schools in which no religious instruction is given.

MUTINY IN TURK'S NAVY

LONDON, June 3.—It is reported that a mutiny has broken out in the Turkish navy. A portion of the navy, stung by the newspapers' reproaches of inactivity, demanded that the government issue orders for the war vessels to fight. The government refused, and the crews mutinied.

ATHENS, June 3.—The Italian forces have occupied the Turkish island of Phara in the Aegean Sea. The island is entirely inhabited by Greeks.

F. B. McCURDY, M.P.



PORT ARTHUR CAR INDUSTRY

PORT ARTHUR, Ont., June 3.—F. B. McCurdy, M.P., of Halifax, who is heading the syndicate which is to construct the new car works at Port Arthur, accompanied by C. M. Brown, vice-president of the Nova Scotia Car works, and R. Douglas, formerly a director of the Rhodes, Curry Car works of Amherst, N.S., and now a director of the Nova Scotia Car works, at Halifax, are in the city to arrange for commencement of the construction of the new five million dollar plant.

A New Jersey Suburb Picnic

NEWARK, June 3.—A pitched battle between 500 rioting laborers and the entire police and fire departments of Kearny, a suburb, was fought in the main street of the town today. During a preliminary skirmish the laborers killed chief of police Tolson, with a cobble stone and pursued him to a vacant house from which he opened fire on them. The rioters bombarded the house with stones and bricks for several minutes before the reserves arrived.

New York Has Spectacular Fire

NEW YORK, June 3.—A seven story building almost under the Brooklyn Bridge flame from basement to roof tonight provided one of the most picturesque fire spectacles which New York has seen in many years. The building was occupied by Lewis Bros. ink manufacturers.

Conservation of Canadian Fisheries

OTTAWA, June 3.—How to best develop and conserve Canada's inland and ocean fisheries will be the theme discussed at a meeting of the commission of conservation here Tuesday. The committee of which Dr. C. C. Jones, of the University of New Brunswick, is chairman, will convene at the offices of the commission. Addresses will be delivered by Mr. W. A. Fond, Dominion superintendent of fisheries, on fish culture in Canada and on the lobster fishery.

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OF DAMAGE TO BE REPAIRED BY PROPOSED DRY DOCK AT SYDNEY



The city council met in regular session at the city council chamber last night. The mayor and all aldermen were present. The city clerk read the already published result of the plebiscite held on June 1st.

Two Actions Threatened. The city council met in regular session at the city council chamber last night. The mayor and all aldermen were present.

Still Want Reciprocity. The house today passed a bill designed to protect American shipping and commerce against the alleged monopoly of the so-called foreign shipping trusts.

Blaze Destroys Riverside Hotel. The Riverside Hotel, a five-story building, was completely destroyed by a fire that broke out in the basement.

Workman Injured. A workman was injured while working on the roof of the Riverside Hotel. He fell from a height of about 50 feet.

Idaho for Champe. The Idaho delegation to the National Republican Convention has been announced.

Taft Sends Felicitations To The King

(Canadian Press Despatch.) WASHINGTON, June 3.—President Taft sent the following congratulations to King George today: "On this anniversary of your birth I extend to your Majesty, in the name of the government and people of the United States, hearty congratulations and my own sincere wishes for your personal health and happiness and the continued prosperity of the Empire over which you reign."

GRANT FROM ANTICONSUMERS

(Special Despatch to Post.) HALIFAX, June 3.—Herbert Grant, held here on a charge of the murder of Thomas S. Donaldson, has been positively identified as belonging to Antigonish. His brother, Carter Grant, lives in Hawthorne St., Antigonish. The identification was made by W. J. Patrick, proprietor of the Hotel Vendome, New Glasgow.

P. E. I. Student At the Summit

(Canadian Press Despatch.) MONTREAL, June 3.—F. H. McKay, a student from Mount Stewart, P. E. I., has won the Holmes gold medal for the highest aggregate in all subjects forming the medical curriculum case. Next day left the hotel without paying his bill, leaving the suit case behind. This was opened today, and inside was a note saying in case of accident to notify Carter Grant, Antigonish.

A Runaway Locomotive

RALEIGH, N.C., June 3.—A runaway locomotive which stole out of the station here during the night ran eight miles northward and crashed into a southbound passenger train bound from New York to New Orleans, instantly killing engineer W. E. Kirkwood of Rosedale, Va. Both engines were demolished and the baggage car was telescoped. The fireman saved his life by jumping but the baggage master was injured.

A Breaking Dam Causes Damage

(Canadian Press Despatch.) SCOTTSTOWN, June 3.—High water here has done \$40,000 worth of damage. The Pemberton Lumber company's dam has been swept away and the electric power station is in danger.

NOTICES OF ACTION

Notice of action was received from the Ontario Bar Association, acting in behalf of J. MacMahon, superintendent of the Dominion Bridge Co. The action was against the Ontario Bar Association for its failure to pay the dues of the Ontario Bar Association.

SCHR. SINKS IN COLLISION

BOOTH BAY HARBOR, MAINE, June 3.—The schr. James Young of Bangor arrived today with the crew of the Bath schooner Cora Green and the news that the two vessels were in collision last night about ten miles west of Bangor. The Green with a cargo of car wheels bound from Boston for Halifax, was sunk. Capt. Amos Pinkham and crew of the Young were taken aboard the Young.

Cool Robbery At Vancouver

VANCOUVER B.C., June 3.—That the robbery of the Corvova steamshiping house late on Friday night was carried out by cool headed bandits of long experience is the opinion of the police after making a full investigation of the affair. There were four in the hold-up party that cleared up close on a thousand dollars from the dozen inmates of No. 19 Cordova street, where they were played at stud poker.

A Fire Sweeps Constantinople

(Canadian Press Cable.) CONSTANTINOPLE, June 3.—A great fire today swept over Stamboul, the Mohammedan section of Constantinople, at 8 o'clock this evening the fire was still burning, but it was hoped that its further advance had been checked. Two thousand houses and several mosques were burned. A wind lane was cleared by the flames from the walls of the old Seraglio palace.

NEW RECORD SET BY COW IN OHIO

EAST CLARIDON, Ohio, June 3.—A new world's record has been established here for milk and butter production by a Holstein-Friesian cow, owned by Dan Dimmick & Brother. In one year she produced 27,404.4 pounds of milk testing 3.86 per cent. of fat. This means more than 36 quarts of milk a day, and 1,322.929 pounds of butter, more than 33 pounds a day.

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PREPARATIONS FOR NATIONAL CONVENTION

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Both Plan to Capture Coming National Convention

CHICAGO, June 3.—Friends of Co. Roosevelt have announced that the first real test of strength between their candidate and President Taft will come next Thursday, when R. B. Howell, of Omaha, National Republican committeeman elect from Nebraska, will demand to be seated as the successor of Victor Roosevelt, acting chairman of the National Republican convention prior to the hearing of contests by that body.

WANTS HEARINGS PUBLIC

In a private letter to Col. Harry S. New chairman of the subcommittee on arrangements of the national committee, President Taft today requested that the hearings of the contested delegates be made public and open to the press.

RAILWAY BILL PASSES

BOSTON, June 3.—The bill which would permit the extension of the Southern New England Railroad Grand Trunk to this city was today passed by the senate late today, after the rejection of two amendments and the adoption of another. The amendment adopted provided that the bonds be mortgaged and not debentures. The bill had passed the house of representatives but the adoption of the amendment made it necessary to send it back to that body for concurrent action.

NEGRO RISING STILL ACTIVE

(Canadian Press Despatch.) WASHINGTON, June 3.—Although the Cuban government has repudiated the negro insurrection movement entirely crushed in Santa Clara province, the United States consul at Cienfuegos reported to the state department today that demoralization was extensive and that while families were taking refuge in the town, he reports that negro bands are making attacks, and that several are operating in the vicinity of Caracaras and Trinidad. The same province are believed to be from Haiti and Jamaica.

CROWN PRINCE AN AUTHOR

BERLIN, June 3.—Crown Prince Frederick William has made his debut as an author. "From my hunting diary," which is now being printed, describes the crown prince's hunting experiences in Germany and abroad. Many photographs will appear in the book some of them by the crown prince.

NEWFOUNDLAND IN CELEBRATION

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Agricultural College Students. The Cape Breton students at the Nova Scotia Agricultural College, Truro this year were Wm. M. Chisholm, of Loch Lomond, Richmond Co., who received his diploma...

Amherst Wants Conference. Amherst has agreed to give \$1000 towards the project of inviting in 1914 the General Conference of the Methodist Church of Canada to meet in Sackville, N. B.

In Holiday Attire. In honor of His Majesty, King George V, who is forty seven years old today, flags are flying from every flag pole in the city.

Locomotor Ataxia. When your nervous system becomes so thoroughly exhausted that you cannot control the movements of your legs, you have what is known as locomotor ataxia, a form of paralysis.

Charming Widow Wants Her Suit. New York, June 2.—She had repeatedly asked him after he had spent considerable sums...

IRON TARIFF CUT ABOUT 50 PER CENT. U. S. Metal Schedule Pleasges Man Articles on the Free List.

Halifax Delegates. The following named delegates from Deception Lodge, 207, L. T. B. A., leave on Monday for Sydney Mines to attend the sixth annual session of Provincial Grand Lodge, No. 1.—John Johnston, D. A. MacDonald, Mrs. P. J. Jensen, Mes. S. L. Nickerson, A. J. Smetzer.

Got a Send-off. Sergeant Pittman of the Newfoundland Highlanders, who was recently employed as engineer on the City of Sydney was treated to a farewell banquet at St. John's previous to his departure for Montreal, his future residence.

Miss Anglin at St. John. Margaret Anglin, the great Canadian actress and former St. John girl, will play a three days engagement at the Opera House, St. John, commencing July 1st.

Substitute at Waterford. Dr. Hugh Schwartz of Halifax, was in the city on Saturday on his way to New Waterford, where he will take charge of a local practice there for six weeks.

The King's Birthday. As today June 3rd is King George the fifth's birthday all the schools are closed. Banks, custom house, the city and county offices of the city are also closed.

Food Helps! A substantial, easily digested food like GRAPE-NUTS means much to the man who is ambitious to "get ahead."

British Party Ready to Sail. A cablegram from London says: "All arrangements have been completed for the departure of the representative party of business manufacturers and business men who will sail for the C. P. R. Express."

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