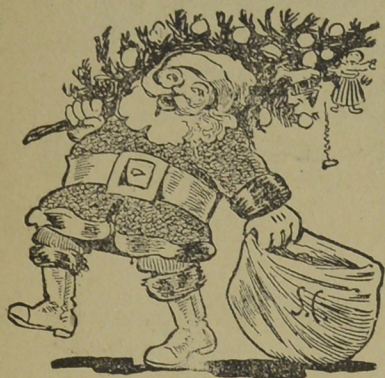


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CANADA'S MINERALS A MIGHTY RESERVE

East and West There is Much Exploration to be Done in Years to Come

Canada's wealth of minerals is strikingly shown in a pamphlet issued by the Dominion Department of Mines. In a brief introductory statement some interesting data are given respecting the main geographic and geologic features of the country. Its area of about 3,729,665 square miles—larger by 112,600 square miles than that of the United States, including Alaska—comprehends six great physiographic units. Of these the greatest covers an area of over 2,000,000 square miles extending in a more or less U shape from Labrador on the east to Coronation Gulf on the west, bordering the great Hudson Bay Depression. This area, designated the Laurentian Plateau or Plateau is a region of great potential importance as a producer of minerals of economic value. Within this region occur the phosphate deposits of the Ottawa Valley; the silver mines of Cobalt; the gold deposits of Porcupine; the nickel-copper deposits of Sudbury and the iron mines of the Michipicoton district. The importance, the department officials state—already demonstrated as a source of such minerals as graphite, feldspar, mica, corundum, iron ores—both magnetites and hematites—silver, cobalt, copper, nickel and gold—will undoubtedly be greatly extended in the future.

The second regional unit is the Hudson Bay basin, occupying a central depression in the Laurentian Plateau, of which the coastal plain is largely unexplored but is known to contain deposits of rock salt and gypsum. Southeast of the Laurentian Plateau, including that part of Quebec south of the St. Lawrence and east of Sherbrooke, and the whole of the Maritime Provinces is the Acadian region. In its eastern section—Nova Scotia and New Brunswick are found very important coal fields and other mineral products are copper, gold, sulphur, gypsum, oil, gas, sandstones, limestones, clays and building and ornamental stones of various kinds. Next of the regional units is the St. Lawrence plain, extending from Quebec to Lake Huron and including the lowland areas of Ontario. Although essentially an agricultural area it contains salt, gypsum, natural gas, petroleum, building stones, brick clays and the raw material of various cements, limes and mortars. Westward from Winnipeg is the Great Plains Area, extending to the foothills of the Rocky Mountains, a distance of 600 miles, and northward from the boundary to the Arctic Ocean. The southern parts produce natural gas, building stones and raw material for cements and mortars—the northern part is only partially explored but is known to contain deposits of rock salt, gypsum, coal and tar sands. More important are the deposits of lignum coal. Next to this area is the mountain ranges with immense reserve of bituminous coal, while the Cordilleran belt has valuable deposits of economic minerals, and especially silver, gold and copper. This region when fully explored "is destined to become one of the most important mining sections of the world."

CANADA'S MINES

Coal Our Most Important Product With Silver Next

Particularly fortunate in its great store of mineral wealth is Canada. From this storehouse is being drawn an increasing and seemingly unending output of minerals. Before the year 1890 mineral production in Canada was comparatively small. In 1890, however, the production of all minerals exceeded 16 million dollars or a production of \$3.50 per capita. The mineral output from that time showed a phenomenal development, increasing by 1900 more than three and a half times to a total exceeding 64 millions. Now, however, this figure has been more than doubled, the present total production being more than 133 million dollars, or \$18 for every man, woman and child in the Dominion. Of the metals, silver is the most important in value, followed by pig iron, nickel, copper and gold, but the non-metal mineral product, coal, exceeds in value any of the metals, the yearly output of coal amounting to about \$26,000,000.

ENTHUSIASM

Enthusiasm tramples over prejudice and opposition, spurns inaction, storms the citadel of its object, and like an avalanche, overwhelms and engulfs all obstacles. It is nothing more nor less than faith in action. Faith and initiative rightly combined remove mountainous barriers and achieve the unheard of and miraculous. Set the germ of enthusiasm afloat in your plant, in your office, or on your farm; carry it in your attitude and manner; it spreads like contagion and influences every fiber of your industry before you realize it; it begets and inspires effects you did not dream of; it means increase in production and decrease in costs; it means joy and pleasure and satisfaction to your workers; it means life, real and virile; it means spontaneous bed-rock results—the vital things that pay dividends.—Henry Chester.

Accidents to Miners

Although there is an increase in the number of deaths from accidents in coal mines now, as compared with a few years ago, the death rate per 1,000 persons employed, says the chief inspector of mines in Great Britain in his annual report is lower now than it ever was.

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POLICE COURT.

One drunk was fined five dollars in the police court this morning. A grocer was fined two dollars for driving a horse upon the sidewalk. Two young men charged with fighting in the streets Sunday, December 7, were cauled but the case was adjourned until Tuesday.

THE NEW JUDGE.

Chatham World:—The newly appointed judge of the Supreme Court was born in this town in 1868, when his father, Dr. William Crockett, was principal of our Grammar School. He took a very prominent part in the parliamentary fight that preceded the defeat of the Laurier government and made a great fight for the place in the cabinet that Mr. Hazen holds. Since then he has not taken an active part in debate. He is a sound lawyer and will make a good judge.

REMOVING TO NEW RESIDENCE

Mr. James Dolan and family are removing from Regent Street to their new residence Charlotte Street.

FINED TWENTY DOLLARS

Dr. W. Gerrard of New Maryland was fined twenty dollars and eight dollars cost in the police court this morning for practising dentistry without registration contrary to provincial statute. The New Brunswick Dental Association laid the information.

SCARCITY OF CARS.

The Woodstock correspondent of The Telegraph writes:—"Shippers of potatoes to the American markets complain that the C.P.R. will not furnish them cars. This condition applies to Debec, Elmwood and Green road. The reason is probably the short haul on the C.P.R. line, which would be to Vancorbo only. Cars will be furnished promptly for shipments to Ontario points but the buyers will not ship there on account of prevailing low prices. Boston & Maine cars are being used for American shipments."

SAME IN YORK COUNTY.

The Woodstock correspondent of The Telegraph says:—"Southworth Brothers of Bangor, Me., cattle buyers, during the past two weeks have bought and shipped five carloads of cattle from up-river points in Carleton county. In addition to this shipment several droves have been taken to Houlton, Me., for Hallett's beef concern. American buyers all along the border are paying big prices for stock of all kinds. They are buying pigs and poultry for which unheard of prices, in this vicinity, are paid."

M. D. Coll of St. John is registered at the Queen.

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