

More Coal Miners to Join the Strikers

VOTE TAKEN AT WESTVILLE

Statement Given Out at Halifax Indicates that a Settlement is Likely

New Glasgow, N. S., July 10—More than 700 more miners were added to the list of the strikers by the action of the Westville men tonight who declared in favor of joining the other Pictou county miners in their sympathetic strike with the Sydney steel workers. The Orange Hall, Westville was packed to capacity with many men on the street. The president of Westville, William Darroch briefly started the object of the meeting and with but little discussion the same drastic resolution as that of Stellarton last night was moved, that the Westville members of the U. M. W. strike and continue on strike until the troops are removed from Cape Breton and McLaughland and Livingstone are released from jail. It was a quiet orderly meeting with but little enthusiasm but the resolution passed unanimously.

Settlement is Possible.

Halifax, July 10—Further indications that an early settlement of the steel workers strike in Sydney is more than possible were contained in a brief official statement given out by the Government today following a conference between International Representative Rupert Curtis, of the Steel Workers Union and Premier Armstrong with members of his Government. The statement merely gives out the information that Mr. Curtis came to Halifax in pursuance of an offer, given by the Government early in the strike of its good offices in effecting a settlement and that followed a most harmonious discussion it was decided that the Premier would go to Sydney tomorrow night and personally appear in whatever mediation scheme may be arranged.

Mr. Curtis expressed a decided willingness to reach an early settlement that would bring about a cessation of hostilities between steel workers and employees.

Will Not Strike.

Springhill, July 10—The miners of Springhill at a meeting held here tonight to decide their action in connection with the coal strike in Nova Scotia decided by a vote of 187 to 27 to remain on the job and comply with the policy of the international executive as expressed in the instructions of John L. Lewis, international president.

Massey-Harris Meeting.

Some forty of the representatives of The Massey Harris Company in the Maritime Provinces are in conference here today. W. S. Tompkins is the local representative and the conference is being held at his office Westmorland street. A group photograph of the conference was taken at noon.

Mr. R. F. Sansom of Woodstock is in the city today.

NOTED BRITISH CHARACTER

ACTOR HAS PASSED AWAY

(Special to the Mail)

London, July 11—Albert Chevalier, famous British character actor died here today at the age of 62. Chevalier, who was known for his cockney characterizations particularly his rendering of "My Old Dutch", was a popular favorite with both east and west side audiences for forty years.

Big Crowd At Scottish Celebration

Premier Veniot a Speaker at Gathering at Kincardine, Victoria Co.

Kincardine, Victoria Co., July 10—

The fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the new Kincardineshire colony in Victoria county was observed today by more than 1,000 persons, comprising such of the original colonists as could be present and their descendants. In spite of unpromising weather, carriages and automobiles began to gather this morning in the field near Kincardine church. Dinner was served on the grounds and until about 3 o'clock those who had gathered went about renewing old acquaintances. At that hour a short programme began with a minute of silence in memory of the pioneers who are no more. Singing of the hymn, Bless Be the Tie That Binds, followed.

The gathering was then addressed by Premier Veniot, T. W. Caldwell, M. P., Hon. D. W. Mersereau, New Brunswick Minister of Agriculture, and John Webster, Mayor of Somerville, Mass., a son of one of the colonists.

Premier Veniot recalled the alliance in old times of France and Scotland and thought it fitting that he, a son of old France, should be fraternizing with the sons of old Scotland. He urged the young people of New Brunswick to use their talents to advance their own province rather than take them abroad.

All the speakers dwelt upon the great courage of the colonists in coming to the wilderness and upon the profound influence they and their descendants had had upon the whole continent. The gathering was pronounced a great success, reflecting credit upon Rev. Gordon Pringle and his associates responsible for it.

SIXTY FOUR LIVES LOST IN TRAIN WRECK

(Special to the Mail)

Carlsbad, July 11—Sixty four persons lost their lives early today in a railway accident near Klausenberg in Rumania according to Bucharest dispatches.

HUSBAND WAS TOO COSTLY

Chicago, July 9—"Marriage was too expensive for me. My husband cost me \$13,000 the first year and \$40,000 for the three years after that."

This was the explanation offered by Mrs. Anita A. Laurence Pett, 24 years of Chicago, in seeking a divorce from her husband, William Henry Pett, before Circuit Judge Lynch today.

"My husband was an actor before marriage," she testified, "but after the wedding he made me put \$140,000 I had into a joint account with him. He quit working and began drawing on the account. When I refused to support him he deserted me."

Cattle Importation Will be Discussed by Imperial Conference

Other Oversea Dominions are Complaining of Favoritism Shown to Canada — Announcement Made Today in the House of Commons in Regard to the Matter—Resentment Felt in Ontario.

(Special to the Mail)

London, July 11—(British United Press Cable by H. N. Moore—As a result of countries in Australia and South Africa complaining of favoritism shown to Canada by the lifting of the embargo against importation of cattle it was announced in the House of Commons that the question of the importation of cattle throughout the empire has been placed on the agenda of the imperial economic conference and that should a mutually satisfactory arrangement be arrived at legislation would probably be introduced to carry it into effect. It is admitted that there is much resentment in Australia against the distinction in favor of Canada. Representatives of agricultural interests are preparing to fight for an extension of the facilities for importation from other dominions.

MEAT HANDLERS TO STRIKE

London, July 11—Despite a strike of meat handlers in sympathy with the dockworkers who are out throughout England Smithfield market supplies were plentiful today. It is feared that if the strike continues the country's food supply may be seriously impaired however. A partial strike of the meat handlers was on at midnight but apparently it was half hearted and unofficial. Dockers at any ports are declared to be returning to work although union leaders insist the strike solidarity has not been impaired.

Greeted Old Acquaintances at Chautauqua

Miss Ada Ward who was one of the speakers at the Chautauqua on Tuesday had the enjoyable experience of greeting at the afternoon performance a former Canadian soldier whom she had met overseas. She also met people who had lived within a few miles of her in England. Miss Ward proved a most entertaining speaker. Her subject was "You Folks Over Here." She introduced her address by recounting some of her experiences as an entertainer of soldiers in France during the war. Her first experiences in America and the contrasts in mode of living which she noticed were dealt with in a humorous manner. Miss Ward who has lectured in the Canadian west, made her first appearance in the East at Fredericton.

The musical portion of Tuesday's program as provided by the Gamble Concert Co., Mr. Gamble being vocalist and his wife under the name of Verna Paige, violinist. The Chautauqua is averaging in the neighborhood of six hundred.

Death at Barker's Point.

George A. Smith a well known resident of Barker's Point died early this morning after a short illness following a stroke of paralysis. The deceased was a native of Sunbury County but resided at Barker's Point for the past thirty-three years. Besides his widow he is survived by one son G. Ellis Smith of Moncton and two daughters Mrs. James R. Mersereau of Islay, Alta., and Miss Grace Smith at home. There also survive two sisters Mrs. W. J. Noble of Nasonworth and Miss Annie Smith of Barker's Point. The funeral will take place Thursday afternoon from the late home at 2.30 with Rev. H. H. Ferguson conducting the service. Interment will be made at Sunny Bank Cemetery.

Mrs. Bessie Cook of Yonkers, N. Y., is visiting her mother Mrs. J. G. McNally, Brunswick street.

Northern Maine and N. B. Taking Berries

Strawberries which had slumped to a retail price of ten cents per box on Tuesday, recovered today on account of light arrivals this morning. The general retail price quoted here today was fifteen cents per box or two for a quarter.

Although the Montreal market is not in condition to receive fruit from New Brunswick on account of the heavy supply of Ontario and Quebec berries, points in Northern Maine and Northern New Brunswick are taking them in considerable quantities. Growers in Douglas are shipping quite heavily to those points. Heavier arrivals on local market are expected.

Late James W. Cameron.

The funeral of the late James W. Cameron took place Tuesday afternoon from his late residence, King street, and was attended by a large number of people. Service was conducted by Rev. I. A. Corbett of the George Street Baptist Church assisted by the Adjutant Wells of the Salvation Army. Interment was made in the Rural Cemetery. Floral tributes were as follows: Wreath, Peter Woodworth; Crescent, L. O. B. A.; pillow family; weath, William McDonald, Robert McDonald and J. W. McDonald; crescent, Mrs. Machum and Mrs. William Gregory. The pall-bearers were William McDonald, Jacob Cameron, Harry Kitchen and Melvin Price. The mourners were Howard Cameron, Charles Cameron, Nelson Cameron, Elijah Cameron, Allan McNabb, Nathaniel Smith, Roy Smith, Byers Smith, Joshua McNabb, Fraser Saunders, Morris Allen and Miles Spencer.

Died in Houlton.

Mrs. Currie wife of Mr. Beadle Currie a former resident of this city and a sister in law of Mr. Raymond Currie, passed away at Houlton, a few days ago. She is survived by a husband and one son.

Bathurst Man Lost His Life By Drowning

Motor Truck Which He Was Driving Went Over a Bridge

Bathurst, July 10—Hector W. Leger son of John P. Leger the wide

ly known proprietor of the Gloucester Hotel, met a tragically sudden death here this afternoon when following a collision on bridge which joins Bathurst and West Bathurst, he was pinned under his car and drowned. The accident happened at about midway on the bridge and occurred when the victim of the accident who was driving a Ford truck belonging to the Provincial Public Works Department attempted to pass between two teams. His car struck the rear wheel of one of the vehicles, swung sharply round and plunged over the side of the bridge into the harbor turning upside down while in the air and pinning Mr. Leger underneath.

A companion named Herman Royer whose home is in Petit Rocher also went into the water with the car but was able to get clear and with the help of the drivers of the two teams on the bridge Frank Haggerty of North Tete a Gauche and Thomas White of Ste. Theresa was able to climb back on the bridge to safety.

These men were unable to raise the submerged car unaided and by the time help was secured from the town and the western side the car turned over and the body of Mr. Leger released, it was too late. Lengthy efforts of several doctors failed to resuscitate him.

The body was taken to Elhatton's undertaking rooms where a coroner's jury viewed it this evening and adjourned to meet again tomorrow.

Mr. Royer was suffering from severe cuts on the arm and from shock when he was rescued but after having his wounds dressed he was able to proceed to his home.

The sudden and tragic death of Mr. Leger has cast a gloom over this community where the victim was exceptionally well known. He had acted as night clerk at the Gloucester Hotel for some time and about two months ago took a position as time-keeper and storekeeper for the Public Works Department on the Miramichi road work. It was while engaged in these duties today that the accident happened which cost him his life. Deepest sympathy is felt for his widow and the two small children who survive as well as for his parents. Mr. and Mrs. John P. Leger. He also leaves four brothers Peter J., proprietor of the Opera House; Arthur and Leo of the Gloucester Hotel staff, and Edmund at present home from college and two sisters Mr. C. J. Veniot and Mrs. J. A. Alain.

Recent Forest Fires

A forest fire reported near Tracey on Sunday is the third in that vicinity and circumstances point to it having been set. A fire was reported this morning from Bull Pasture Brook, Sunbury County, a few miles from Ripples. Men were put on the fire this morning and at noon it was reported a pretty well out.

ENGLISH DOCKERS STRIKE WILL CAUSE ISOLATION OF IRELAND

(Special to the Mail)

Dublin, July 11—It is expected that the docker's strike will result almost immediately in the isolation of Ireland. The strike is unofficially fomented by Jim Larkin, the Bolshevist labor agitator, who announces his intention to oppose Johnston the official head of the labor party in whatever constituency the latter contests at the coming election. The impossibility of the parties coming to an agreement at the present time is illustrated by the fact the latest conference broke down within a few minutes of its opening.

Culler for Names Urged By Trosky

HAS WRITTEN A NEW BOOK

Explains What Made Political Victory of Revolution in Russia Easy

(Special to the Daily Mail)

Moscow, July 11—Culture for the Russian masses is urged by Leon Trotsky in his new book "Questions of every day life" the Prayda Moscow Newspaper has printed one of the chapters which deals with the various standards of life in Russia and sets forth the views of the war minister regarding culture in the army. Trotsky points out the necessity of cultural education for the masses contending that Russian workmen have never absorbed culture from the Russian Bourgeoisie like Western workmen and therefore there is not the same close contact between the two classes. Consequently the political victory of the Russian revolution has been much easier and always will be easier to attain than in any western country.

Nine New Companies Incorporated

Restigouche Country Club is the name of a newly incorporated company with head office at Campbellton and total capital stock of \$9,900 the purpose of which is to promote, organize, conduct and manage golf, athletic country and social clubs. Those incorporated are Maxwell M. Mowatt, W. Fraser Napier and Hugh A. Carr all of Campbellton.

O'Neill & LeBlanc, Limited

Thomas H. O'Neill, Arthur M. LeBlanc, Mrs. Emily O'Neill and Mrs. Anita LeBlanc all of Moncton are incorporated as O'Neill & LeBlanc, Limited, to take over the business now conducted by Thomas H. O'Neill and Arthur M. LeBlanc in Moncton. Head office is at Moncton and total capital stock is \$24,000.

Partnership Dissolved

The partnership existing between Arthur E. Tremblay and John M. McDonald at Moncton under the name and style of McDonald Motor Company, has been dissolved. Mr. Tremblay will carry on the business under his own name.

The partnership existing between Aime M. Bellevue and Thaddee Gallant of Moncton under the name and style of Bellevue & Gallant has been dissolved. The two will continue in business separately.

Change in Name

By supplementary letters patent the name of The Consumers' Coal Company, Limited, is changed to The People's Coal Company, Limited.

The Quincy Baseball team is in the city today and is stopping at Windsor Hall.