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LUMBERMEN OF PROVINCE FORM AN ASSOCIATION

Representative Men Held Meeting at St. John Yesterday -- Complete Organization--Closer Co-operation With Crown Land Department is Urged---A Permanent Secretary to be Employed at a Good Salary

St. John June 6—A meeting of representative lumbermen of the province of New Brunswick, at the board of trade rooms yesterday formed what will be known as the New Brunswick Lumbermen's Association. The movement toward the formation of such an organization has been on foot for some time but it was not until yesterday that the first official steps were taken in the matter.

W. B. Snowball, of Chatham, presided and at the outset explained fully the purpose sought to be attained. It was pointed out that if such an Association were formed it would tend to cement the lumber interests of the province, and "cut out the cross grains," as one speaker expressed it. It would make closer cooperation with the crown lands department and legislature possible; the prevention of forest fires could be made more absolute and legislation effecting the lumber interests of the province could be watched more carefully and treated more thoroughly.

An organization committee constituting as follows, has been working on the scheme for some time: W. B. Snowball, of Chatham; F. C. Beattie of St. John; Donald Fraser, of Piaster Rock; Daniel Richards of Campbellton and R. W. McLellan, of Fredericton. It was pointed out that New Brunswick was the only province in Canada where lumbering was extensively carried on without a lumbermen's association of some kind, and while there had been at one time a Limit Holders Association, this had not fulfilled its functions as was expected and was finally disbanded.

The new association will include in its membership all those directly interested in the lumbering industry who desire to become identified with it. The meeting felt that a secretary should be found who would be paid in the vicinity of \$4,000 a year. This man should be one highly qualified for the position, an expert forester and one who would be qualified not only to give technical advice to the members of the association but as well, keep in touch with all proposed legislation affecting the lumber industry introduced in the legislature.

Lumbermen present who are identified with the association as it exists in the province of Quebec cited instances where the lumber industry of that province had been saved much difficulty and its interests protected by the association there.

Many of the large lumber interests of the province employ expert foresters and it was thought by those present that these men by their knowledge of the forest limits of the province might assist materially, if linked together in an association, in the prevention of disastrous forest fires such as is sweeping the island of Campobello at the present time. Mr. Snowball speaking of this particular phase

of the situation, said that recently he was travelling through the United States and he happened to notice an aviator in practice flight passing over a forest and the thought was thus suggested to his mind, that with the advance of modern science that this would be an admirable method of locating forest fires and extinguishing them while they were still in their incipient stages.

It was suggested that a membership fee of \$10 be fixed upon and an additional fee of \$10 per million feet of lumber cut or ten cents per mile, this matter was, however, not finally settled upon. On motion it was decided to form an association to be known as the New Brunswick Lumbermen's Association. Mr. McLellan presented to the meeting a draft of a proposed constitution but this was not discussed in detail at the meeting yesterday. It was decided on motion to hold the next meeting of the association at Fredericton on August 1, at which details of the formation and operation of the organization would be decided upon and officers elected for the ensuing year. It was pointed out that about this date all the lumbermen in the province would visit the capital in order to pay their stumpage dues and it was therefore an opportune time to get the lumbermen together.

The association aims to keep its members in close touch with the market situation so that the smaller operator will benefit by the experience of the larger concerns with a view to complete cooperation in the industry.

Arthur McCluskey Honored.
St. John Telegraph: Members of the St. John the Baptist Dramatic Club who recently presented a musical entertainment met last evening in the basement of the church in Broad street and spent a pleasant social evening. Following an informal luncheon a presentation was made to Arthur McCluskey of a gold watch, enclosed in a valuable case. Miss Stella Pyne read an appropriate address which accompanied the presentation. She referred to the able manner in which Mr. McCluskey had handled the recent performance and the great success which had attended the initial offering of the club which was due in no small measure to his capable direction. Mr. McCluskey replied feelingly and thanked those present for their kindness in his behalf. (Mr. McCluskey is a native of Fredericton. Some years ago he was employed here with the Monitor Manufacturing Company.)

FOREST FIRE AT CAMPOBELLO

St. John, June 6.—A report reaching here says that the whole central section of Campobello Island, at the mouth of the Bay of Fundy, is being swept by a forest fire. No settled district has been yet reached.

RED MEN ARE MAKING TROUBLE

Muskogee, Okla., June 6.—Anti-draft riots are reported to have broken out among the Creek Indians in Southern Oklahoma county and the Henrietta home guards, accompanied by about a hundred civilians, have left for the Old Hickory stamping ground, scene of the Crazy Snake rebellion, where it is said about 2,000 Indians are gathered. Two white farmers are reported to have been shot by the Indians.

Arrived in England

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Kitchen have received a cablegram from their son, Walter Kitchen of the Royal Flying Corps, announcing his safe arrival in England.

Had No Coal

Charlottetown Patriot: The firemen made a record breaking run to 47 Elm Avenue shortly after four o'clock yesterday afternoon in response to a message received by telephone stating that the house occupied by Mrs. George Myers and children was on fire. When the firemen entered the house Mrs. Myers turned to the stove and said, "There's where the fire was but it's all out now. I have no coal, so you can turn on the hose. I'll let them know how returned soldiers' wives are treated in this town." Mrs. Myers husband is at present in Halifax undergoing medical treatment.

Mr. A. T. LeBlanc, M. P. P., of Campbellton is at the Queen.

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