

## PREDICTS THAT MINING WILL BE CARRIED OUT

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argenteriferous galena has been found carrying high values and containing silver.

Again, on the South Miramichi is a richly mineralized area where are found brilliantly coloured slates, suitable for patent roofing purposes; also tungsten and molybdenite. This gives rise to the thought that some day, in the not-distant future, a number of the ferro-alloys should be produced in this Province including ferro-tungsten, ferro-molybdenum and ferro-silicon, which would provide a wider market for your coal. An interesting development contemplated and for which a process has already been worked out is that in connection with the dolomite deposits near Saint John, from which magnesium chemicals can be produced and for which there is an immediate and wide market.

### A Chemical Industry.

In this connection, I may say that as a result of Mr. Wildman's activities a Montreal group associated with General Smart has been giving attention to the possibility of establishing a chemical industry in the Maritime Provinces which would make available caustic soda and chlorine; the availability of these chemicals at a low price on the ground should have a wide influence upon the fortunes of these provinces as it is the intention as far as possible, to utilize these chemicals in the manufacture of other products based on your rich forest resources and rich native ores. At present, your raw materials are shipped out of the country, but with the establishment of this industry they would be utilized here and cause money to circulate in this Province rather than fill the mouths of foreign workmen.

"Hello Maggie. How are you getting on at school?"

"Fine. I'm getting in the best position in the class."

"Splendid. Top, I suppose?"

"No; right at the foot near the hot water pipes."

## WAS VERY WEAK NERVOUS AND MELANCHOLY

Mrs. Geo. McKenzie, Campbellford, Ont., writes:—"A short time ago I was troubled very badly with my heart and nerves, the cause of it, I think, was my going through the change of life."

"I was very weak and melancholy, and so nervous I could hardly bear to hear a clock ticking, and I did not sleep well."

"I was advised to try so I sent at once for a box; took them and got another, and before they were all gone I felt good, my nerves are fine, I do not mind any noise, and I can sleep well. I cannot recommend them too highly to those suffering as I did."

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### WHEN DAYS GROW LONG.

When days grow long and lyrical with light  
And snows are slowly melting on the roof,  
'Tis then of Spring we need no further proof  
Than hope that days are lyrical and bright.

What if the fields are frozen still to white,  
And trees are dark and naked snowy lie  
We care no more for Winter's 'gainst the sky  
Because the days are longer in their light.

Day lingers late, her scarves are painted bright  
They hang like flowing ribbons from the trees,  
Oh, no one cares how late the Spring may be  
When days are reaching forward in their light.

—PEGGY REID in Detroit News.

He—Would you marry me if I were some other fellow?  
She—Would you ask me if I were some other girl?

## He and The

Winnipeg.—The British boy immigration scheme has been adopted by the Manitoba Provincial Government, and about fifty lads will be brought here this year for placement on farms in the province. Hon. A. Prefontaine, Minister of Immigration, announced. First, the boys will be placed at the Manitoba Agriculture College for preliminary training in farm work.

Calgary.—Two commercial airplane transport projects are being developed in Calgary. One calls for the use of airplanes carrying twelve persons each, to be used principally for passenger, freight and mail traffic between Calgary and Edmonton; the other calls for lighter machines, two or three passengers, for Calgary-Edmonton and mountain flight purposes.

All the way from Camrose, Alta., to Glasgow, Scotland, unaccompanied, a distance of approximately 5,000 miles is the record of Donald James Campbell, nine years of age. He took the All-Red route of the C.P.R. across the Dominion to Saint John, where he embarked on the liner Montclare bound for Glasgow. He is visiting his aunt, who lives in Busby, Glasgow.

All previous records in connection with the westbound movement of grain to Vancouver over Canadian Pacific Railway lines were broken during the first two weeks in January, according to E. Cotterell, superintendent of transportation, western lines of the company. Deliveries at Vancouver by the Canadian Pacific during the fortnight in question totalled approximately 22,500,000 bushels of grain.

Calgary.—Farm land values in Southern Alberta are tending to become firm as the result of the series of good crops, and more inquiries for farm acreage have been received in the last few months, according to real estate men, than in any similar period in the past five or six years. Farms offered for sale last spring at \$15 per acre and bringing no offers are selling now for from \$20 to \$25 per acre. The demand for farms both for purchase and rental is decidedly strong.

In recognition of the fine work by officers of the Canadian Pacific Railway and the Canadian National during the last summer tour of the second triennial Empire Mining and Metallurgical Congress, presentations of gold and enamel cuff links were made recently, to fifteen employees of both companies, at a dinner held in Montreal. E. W. Beatty, president of the C.P.R. and Sir Henry Thornton of the C.N.R., were both present.

## THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL OF NOVA SCOTIA HAS VOTED ITSELF OUT OF EXISTENCE

(Horatio C. Crowell in Halifax Chronicle.)

"So passeth the glory of the world." In this somewhat grandiloquent phrase, disclaimed Hon. F. P. Bligh, President of the Legislative Council, as he concluded his requiem at the "obsequies" of that Chamber of the Legislature on the passing of the Abolition Bill yesterday afternoon.

While it was not at all inappropriate to associate the words of the ancient Latin, "Sic transit gloria mundi," with the passing of the historic Legislative Council of Nova Scotia, in fact the relic of that very first British constitutional government set up in Halifax, this age is so very irreverent, that some of us smiled, and some impressive female actually giggled. And from his massive gilded frame George The Third beheld again democracy, as it is in Nova Scotia, sweeping away still further obstacles to the sacred rights of the people.

### Was a Tense Moment.

Probably not since the days of the Council of Twelve has the Second Chamber of the Nova Scotia's Legislature attracted so much attention as it has in its more or less dramatic passing out. Many people came down to the Province House to listen to its last hours, and the members of the House of Assembly crowded the Council Chamber to witness the obedience to their will and the victorious end of the Assembly's long fight for complete supremacy. As Macaulay would have said: "they listened with little emotion but with much civility."

There was only one tense moment, and that was when C. W. Lunn the Colchester appointee for the purpose of abolition, challenged all members to sign back to the treasury of the Province the thousand dollars which they are to be paid to commit Legislative hari kari. It must indeed have been a tense moment indeed for the other thirteen of the fourteen who were appointed but as Mr. Lunn would do likewise only if the other was made "right off the bat," one was able to breathe freely again within the space of a minute. No one responded to his challenge—and his sessional indemnity is safe.

This much however, can be said of the proceedings yesterday afternoon, that they were the medium of displaying better debating ability than can be shown by the present personnel of the House of Assembly—taken on the average.

In the Provincial political field there are few more attractive public speakers than Hon. R. H. Butts. He possesses a powerful, yet modulated, and resonant voice. There is a charming touch of humor in many of his well turned phrases, and he speaks with a concise clarity of diction. W. H. Currie, the newly appointed member from Shelburne, proved to be a fluent speaker, with the power of well phrased presentation of argument, and he also possessed the lost art of being brief.

Hon. F. P. Bligh, who was supposed to close the debate, as President of the Council, is at all times interesting, for he possesses a whimsical originality, a delightful sense of humour, which at times has caused him to be characterized as something of a wag, and the striking ability of being on both sides at the same time.

Mr. Bligh has been known to have enunciated a middle of the road course on public matters heretofore, but probably never proved the agility of travelling by that path in such an expert manner as he did yesterday while making a strong constitutional plea for the second chamber in the government of the province, and at the same time contending for abolition, and voting for it. As an example of straddling a public question, it was a master performance.

Following Mr. Bligh, C. W. Lunn spoke. His somewhat overzealous cause for abolition created an anticlimax to the debate, for according to all the rules of procedure, it was due to Mr. Bligh, as President of the Council, to say the farewell oration.

It seemed a pity that the Liberal Party, which is represented in the Council by four, three of whom were present yesterday, could not have been heard in the debate. As it was

well known that the third reading of the Abolition Bill was to come up that afternoon, it is somewhat surprising that the Liberals present should have asked for an adjournment and when not getting their wishes in that respect should have remained silent. While it may have been wise for them not to have further debated the policy of abolition to which the Liberal Party has been committed for years past, yet it would have given considerable spice to the discussion, a sort of nervous spasm to the dying body, to have had a Liberal viewpoint as a sort of hyperdemic, treating of the methods adopted by the Rhodes Government toward attaining abolition, injected at the last moment.

### Has He Eye on Leadership?

In view of general knowledge of the political astuteness of Hon. F. P. Bligh, it may not be amiss to read into certain of his references yesterday a slight forecast of political events—shadows, as it were, that are thrown before. There was a knowing smile went the rounds of the room when Mr. Bligh, speaking of the high standard of men who had occupied the chair of the Council Chamber, referred to the fact that Hon. W. S. Fielding, when leaving the Premiership of Nova Scotia to go to Ottawa, had selected his successor as leader of the Government from the Legislative Council. "And when," said Mr. Bligh, "there was a thought that Mr. Rhodes might be chosen leader of the Conservative Party in the Federal arena, it might not have been impossible that he also would have been seeking a leader of the Government in this very Chamber."

Has Mr. Bligh an eye on the provincial leadership? was the reaction to that reference in his speech.

Again the President of the Council referred to the likelihood of some of those men chosen by the Government to be members of the Council in recent years, seeking further political honors with seats in the House of Assembly. Will Mr. Bligh be in the running for the next Conservative nominations in Halifax?

And what seemed to please all the House of Assembly members present, in fact Mr. Bligh quite warmed himself into all their hearts, was his suggestion that now, with the Council abolished, the work of the House of Assembly would justify increased indemnities for the members of that body. So it may be that the power of prophecy came upon the members of the Council in their last political hours.

### Result of Vote.

Hon. R. H. Butts, the Government leader in the Council, moved the third reading of the bill, which was seconded by A. L. Davidson of Annapolis. Hon. J. W. Comeau moved the adjournment of the debate until Tuesday next, and had Hon. Mr. MacDonald as his seconder, but the motion was lost. There were two members of the Council absent, namely, Hon. Charles A. Campbell, of Port Williams Liberal; and Mr. Spicer, of Cumberland, one of the new appointees. Hon. J. G. Mombourquette, Liberal, voted for abolition with the Government forces, including Hon. A. W. Redden, a Liberal appointee, but who has joined the Conservative forces in the Council. There was present Hon. W. H. Owen, the link with the past before the abolition of the Council ever became an issue, for Mr. Owen was an appointee of the Holmes Thompson Government, the last that is left of those days now nearly a half century past.

Those present voting for abolition were: William H. Owen, Arthur Redden, J. G. Mombourquette, R. H. Butts, A. L. Davidson, John F. MacLellan (Antigonish), Charles H. Lunn, Truro; J. Avar Fulton, Guysboro; John C. O'Mullin, Halifax; Daniel McLennan, Port Hood, Alex MacGregor, New Glasgow, John Bell, New Glasgow, Seth M. Bartling, Liverpool, John P. Bourque, River Tillard, Cape Breton; Wendell H. Currie, Shelburne, Edgar N. Clements, Yarmouth, 16. Those voting against the abolition were J. W. Comeau, Comeauville, Digby County, John A. MacDonald, Iona, Victoria County.

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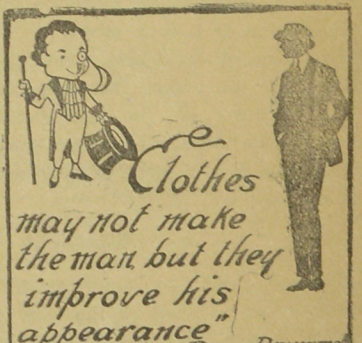
meantime the President, Mr. Bligh asked them to attend so assiduously to their duties that their worth as legislators might be so recognized that they will return at a future date as elected members of the Legislature.

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- 17 King and Northumberland Sts.
- 21 Queen and York Sts.
- 23 York and George Sts.
- 24 Queen and Westmorland Sts.
- 25 Brunswick and Westmorland Sts.
- 26 Charlotte and Westmorland Sts.
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- 31 Queen and Regent Sts.
- 32 Needham and Regent Sts.
- 34 Queen and Carleton Sts.
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- 38 King and Regent Sts.
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- 45 Brunswick and St. John Sts.
- 45 Brunswick and St. John Sts.
- 46 Charlotte and St. John Sts.
- 51 King and Church Sts.
- 52 George and Church Sts.
- 53 Union and Church Sts.
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