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## A PROMISING OUTLOOK.

At the recent session of the legislature it was agreed to subsidize the Beersville railway from that place in Kent to the Intercolonial, a distance of six miles, and it is evident from facts that are coming to light that the move was a judicious one. It is estimated that there are 6,000,000 tons of coal of a good quality at Beersville, and the thing that has prevented proper development of the mines is the need of a railway to carry the coal to market. The road it is understood will be built immediately, and will result not only in the development of the mines, but also in a substantial revenue to the province from royalties. The subsidy will only amount to \$15,000 and the prospect is that that sum will soon be returned to the provincial treasury by means of the royalties.

The Moncton Times, an opposition newspaper, sees great possibilities in the development of the Beersville mines, which are now owned by the Imperial Coal Company. It says that at the present time the main level is in 490 feet and there are 24 gateways or side levels, so that today, if there were shipping facilities, over 50 men could be employed and 120 tons of coal brought out daily. Coal was hauled all winter by teams to Adamsville station on the I. C. R., but since the breaking up of the winter roads little has been done in this way. As soon, however, as the summer roads become good enough it is intended to resume hauling by teams to the I. C. R. until such time as the railway is built to the mine.

The Times adds that Messrs. Isaac Parry, Dr. Von Hagen and Mr. Miner, of New York, inspected the property on Saturday last. The favorable impressions of the two former, gained from a previous visit, were confirmed, and Mr. Miner, who came on the interest of some other intending investors, expressed himself as greatly pleased with the property. Mr. Miner has made a test of the burning and lasting qualities of the coal by putting a hod full in an open grate, where it burned for 15 hours, when a blower was applied to the embers, fresh coal added and a blazing fire started in four minutes. This gentleman, who has a good knowledge of geology, says the Beersville coal bears much resemblance to cannel, and would be especially valuable for steamship purposes. He was so well pleased with the property that he subscribed for a large block of the stock personally, and it is believed that as a result of his report in New York the parties in whose interests he visited the mine will also subscribe largely.

At the present rate of progress with the main level, the company expect to be able to take out 200 tons daily in September and when the railway is built there will be a large immediate traffic for it.

## THE ORCHARD MOVEMENT.

The local government, always alert to introduce new and improved methods among the farmers, has recently been interesting the people of New Brunswick in the importance of more extensive cultivation of fruit.

It is believed that the soil and climate of this province, especially in the river districts, are well adapted to apple culture. Recently gentlemen with a knowledge of that industry have given practical lessons at various points on how to raise and care for fruit trees, and now Hon. Mr. Farris, commissioner for agricul-

ture, says the government intends to establish a few orchards in the province. There will be one in Carleton county and likely one in Kings and another in Queens counties. The owner of the land will prepare it and the government will furnish fruit trees and care for them, illustrating the best methods of fruit growing. The spraying lessons, which the government recently gave, are having good effect and the fruit growers have profited by them.

Mr. Farris says the department has a good many inquiries from agricultural societies in New Brunswick as to live stock, where best to buy, etc. The inquiries are chiefly for Shorthorn cattle, tending towards the milking strain, and for Yorkshire swine.

## A GREAT FUTURE.

Winnipeg gives promise of being a great city. Its growth in recent years has been phenomenal and is steadily increasing—not a speculative boom as in its early days, but a sound, healthy progress which within the next twenty-five years will make it the biggest city in Canada. Its situation midway between the east and west of Canada, the importance it must assume as the great distributing centre for the west, lead to the conclusion that Winnipeg has a glorious future. For the present season already building permits have been issued for over \$3,000,000 worth of new erections, including stores, factories and residences.

Mr. J. W. Langmuir, managing director of the Toronto Trusts Company, who has recently visited Winnipeg, says he has every confidence in the western country, that Winnipeg is just entering an era of unprecedented prosperity, and he hoped yet to see the city the rival of Minneapolis as a milling town. "There is no reason in the world why they should not have the largest flour mills in the world there, and reap the advantages of their own resources. There is almost unlimited waterpower within 75 miles of the city not utilized."

Speaking of the transportation problem, Mr. Langmuir said, "all that is wanted is more roads to the lakes, and I hope they will get them."

Hon. Mr. Gouin, minister of public works in the Quebec government, speaking before the East End Liberal Club, Montreal, discussed provincial claims on the federal treasury, as put forward in the resolutions adopted by the inter-provincial conference. He asked what the federal people would do, and answered the question by quoting the Hon. Mr. Blair in support of Premier Tweedie and also Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who declared in the House of Commons and in Toronto that he was favorable to the provincial claims.

The local government has taken cognizance of the charges against Dr. Geo. A. Hetherington, superintendent of the Provincial Lunatic Asylum, and have given him two months' leave of absence with every probability that he will not again occupy that position. Dr. Hetherington has gone to Boston for treatment, being in a serious condition of health from nephritis. His successor is Dr. A. F. Emery of St. John.

Fredericton is not at present in need of the luxury of a steam roller for the streets. Beth Ald. Farrell, chairman of the road committee, and Roadmaster McKay declare that the roller is not necessary; that there is not sufficient work in prospect for it this year, and the council should resist the pressure that is being brought to bear to induce a purchase.

Reports from London indicate some anxiety respecting the King's health, and it is said, another surgical operation may be necessary. His Majesty has been unusually active during the past few weeks, visiting Madrid, Mediterranean ports, Paris and Scotland.

The St. John municipal authorities have decided to put the inmates of the county jail at work in Rockwood Park.

There are times, according to Peter, when it isn't safe to presume on the generosity of your best friend.

## Not the Same.

"Come along," said Mr. Nupop, fresh from his interview with the janitor. "We'll have to look at flats elsewhere." "But why can't we take this?" demanded Mrs. Nupop. "It's like heaven here, and"—

"Not much it isn't, and that's the trouble. They take children in heaven."

## Cheering Her Up.

Molly—I was so cross at the party last night! Kate Green had on a dress exactly like mine.

Polly—Yes, but how it must have disgusted her to see you with a dress like hers! That ought to make you happy, I should think.

## Serious.

The Burlesque Queen—Send for the police! I've been robbed!

Her Manager—Diamonds gone again? The Queen—No, no! This is serious. Some one has stolen all my press notices.

## Fire Notice.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to Lum-bermen, Fishermen, Scrimmen and all others that the act relating to setting Forest Fires will be strictly enforced, and any person starting a Forest Fire in the woods will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

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May 21—d61

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C. H. LABILLOIS,  
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May 20—dtr

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