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THE VALLEY RAILWAY.

The Moncton Times, which is published in a city, built up entirely through the business of the government railway, which indeed scarcely had an existence until the Intercolonial was run through it, objects to Premier Pugsley's proposition for a railway down the St. John valley from Woodstock to Westfield via Fredericton and refers to it as "another wild cat railway."

The Times, which is one of Mr. Hazen's organs, stoops to wilful misrepresentation in the matter, declaring that such a road would not serve more than 4,000 people and that they are served six months in the year by river boats.

The unfairness and dishonesty of the Times article is discreditable and its attitude towards a portion of New Brunswick, which is sadly in need of railway facilities is narrow and selfish.

The Times will note that its leader, Mr. Hazen is strongly in favor of the proposed road, which, it is hoped will soon become a reality.

The St. John river valley claimed a right to be considered in the location of the Intercolonial and Transcontinental railways, but both roads have given it the go-by and it is up to the legislature and parliament to take some practical steps towards extending better railway facilities to this portion of the Province.

The St. John valley is one of the most fertile and promising districts of the Province, and its claims for better railway facilities can no longer be ignored.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Premier Roblin of Manitoba, announces that the government will build 1000 miles of telephone lines this year.

The Manitoba Attorney General is elected in his constituency by the casting vote of the government's returning officer—not much in the way of a vote of confidence, is it?

Now the legislature will be able to get down again to practical business. It has had many hampering experiences since it met on Feb. 14. It is expected that prorogation will be reached early in April.

The Quebec legislature has voted an allowance of \$300 a year to the widowed mother of Miss Maxwell, the heroic Montreal teacher, who sacrificed her life to save her pupils in the recent Hochelaga school fire.

The outlook for a large number of immigrants to Canada this year is exceedingly bright. The department of immigration, Ottawa, says that they expect about 300,000 immigrants this year. All the accommodation in the steamers is taken for some time to come.

The Chatham World strenuously represents an intimation that it is one of Mr. Hazen's organs. The leader of the opposition seems to be in poor standing with the newspapers of his party. There are only two or three in the whole province, that extend him anything more than a half-hearted support.

The warm-hearted Miramichi people gave Governor and Mrs. Tweedie a very hearty reception. They are awfully proud over there of having given the province two successive governors, and of having on a former occasion the honor to claim the late Governor Fraser as a native son. They grow good men on the Miramichi.

Mr. Organizer Hubbard had an off day at the legislature Monday, and amused himself with reconstructing the government. Of course the Organizer has all the inside information necessary to such an enterprise, but a ministry of which he dreams, to which he has set his ambition is one in which Mr. Organizer Hubbard would appear as the Honourable Woodbury Woodware Hubbard, commissioner for agriculture. Then in the Organizer's opinion the country would be perfectly safe, cheese and other dairy products would grow on every spruce tree in the forests of New Brunswick, all the cows would give cream and the millennium would be almost in sight.

WELCOMED HOME.

Chatham People Gave Governor and Mrs. Tweedie a Hearty Reception.

GOVERNOR'S REPLY TO ADDRESS PRESENTED.

Chatham World.—Lt. Governor and Mrs. Tweedie came home by the afternoon train Friday, and were met at the station by a large number of the citizens of the town, and prominent men of the county. The 73rd Band was present. They were received with music and hearty cheers and escorted to the town hall. The order of the procession was as follows:

Band.
Lt. Governor Tweedie and Mrs. Tweedie and Col. Mackenzie, A.D.C., Sheriff O'Brien and Warden Flett, Mayor Nicol of Chatham and Mayor Hennessy of Newcastle, Town Councillors, Board of Health, Judge Wilkinson, Collector Watt and ex-Collector Ferguson.

The Grammar school pupils, who were drawn up in front of the building, greeted the Governor with three cheers, given with a will, and he addressed them briefly, saying how glad he was to hear them, and how glad he was to feel that the boys and young men were his friends and had confidence in him. The procession started once more, and so did the cheering, and it was not till the last sleigh had passed that the lads stopped cheering.

On arriving at the town hall, where a guard of honor, under Lieut. Loggie was drawn up, Governor and Mrs. Tweedie were welcomed by many ladies and gentlemen who had gathered there to greet them, and the Governor stepped out on the balcony with the Sheriff, the Warden and the Mayors of Chatham and Newcastle. Sheriff O'Brien read an address of welcome, warmly congratulating the governor on his appointment, on the honor he had brought the Miramichi and on his long and successful public career.

THE GOVERNOR'S REPLY.

Governor Tweedie, in a few graceful sentences, expressed his thanks for this flattering address, and said he felt that his appointment was not on an honor to him but to the county

of Northumberland. He was proud that this honor had come again to the county. He feelingly referred to the untimely death of the late Governor Snowball, whose energy and ability had done so much to advance the industrial interests of the North Shore, and regretted that the vacancy had been made in that way. He felt that a high honor had been conferred on him and was glad in laying down the trust that had been reposed in him as the people's representative, for many years, to know that no personal charge of misfeasance in office or wrong doing had ever been made against him—that he could lay down his charge unsullied and unsmirched.

It was thirty-three years since he was first elected to the legislature, and it was reasonable that he should seek rest. He was proud to say that he had accomplished things that he had started out to accomplish. The province was in a better condition than it was when he went into office. The readjustment of provincial subsidies had given it \$180,000 additional revenue. The Central Railway was a cause of complaint, but now it would be taken by the Grand Trunk Pacific and the province would gain by it. As lieutenant governor he trusted that he would at all times perform the duties of the office well. He had had an ambition, as all young men should have, and had tried to work it out. He felt that he had not only accomplished something for himself but for the country. But his active work was over. He was where he could rest. He had arrived at that stage where he did not read the newspapers in the morning, but found out what a wicked thing he had done the day before—that stage where, or him, the newspapers ceased from troubling and the reporters were at rest. He closed by expressing the hope that he would always enjoy the respect and confidence of all the people who reside on the beautiful banks of the Miramichi.

There was more cheering, and more music, and the crowd dispersed. There were about one hundred sleighs in the procession that escorted the governor from the station to the Town Hall. Many Newcastle gentlemen were present. The town was gay with bunting.

Where Courage is Needed.

The Temiskaming Herald laments the cowardice of some of its fellow-citizens whose action injures the town in this wise: "There are in the Town of New Liskeard no less than a full half dozen silk hats—tall toppers, whose opulent size and silky sheen would give this struggling municipality an appearance of prosperity, second only to automobiles and asphalt pavements. It is in the interests of the town that such an impression should be made. Let the idea go forth that they who settled here are well-to-do, and what is now a town would soon be incorporated as a city. What a mighty thing is front and what more well fed in appearance than a silk hat. The man who can use a stovepipe for a lid is certainly above the mere subsistence line. It may at least be said that he has not pawned his surplus belongings. What more suggestive of the capitalist. With silk hats walking about of a Sunday morning, veiling with the sun in glory, Liskeard would take her place among the established centres of the earth. Beneath the ordinary Christy she sinks to the common place of a country town."

Cats and Birds.

Cats, if they have an opportunity to hunt birds and rabbits, will give no time to the hunting of rats and mice. Thus many cats are good mousers in the city and bad mousers in the country.

NEW MARKET NOTES.

March 14.—Mr. and Mrs. Fitzmorris of Calais, Maine, who have been visiting friends here have returned home.

Mr. Patrick McDermott, has returned from the Maine lumber woods.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. John Foley is about to move away in the near future, he will be much missed, as Mr. Foley is a good neighbor.

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Do not whip a frightened horse. It only adds to his fright.

Irremediable.

Fan—I wasn't expecting to be called on to say anything, you know, and when the president of the club asked me to make a few remarks I just went all to pieces. Nan—You remember I told you those buttons on the back of your waist wouldn't stand the slightest strain, don't you?—Chicago Tribune.

Few Left-handed People.

About 94 per cent of otherwise normal people use the right hand in preference to the left; 6 per cent are left-handed, and it is a curious fact that one-third of the 6 per cent are ambidextrous.—Portland (Ore.) Journal.

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