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Fredericton, N.B.

TELEGRAPHERS STRIKE

C.P.R. Men Joining in at Western Points. No Permanent Settlement Yet

(Special to Herald.)

TORONTO, Ont., Aug. 23.—The telegraph operators employed by the Canadian Pacific Railway at Winnipeg and Vancouver, B. C. were out on strike for hours last night, and the situation from the standpoint of that company for the time being was worse than at any time since the trouble between the Western Union and Postal Company's operators spread to Canada.

Even the operators employed at the Toronto office were

alarmed last night at the turn of affairs.

Canadian Pacific Railway operators here agreed that they would not profit by a general strike in Canada, but something may be expected to happen now at any moment.

Strained relations between the men and the company at western points is the cause of the trouble. It was demanded of the men that the wire chiefs should not handle messages to or from affected points, but a settlement, temporary at least, was reached.

MONTREAL FIRE

Narrow Escape of Congested Business District From Great Conflagration---The Loss

(Special to Herald.)

MONTREAL, Que., Aug. 23.—Fire menaced Montreal's congested business district for an hour this morning.

The flames broke out in the top flat of the Caverhill, Leamont & Co.'s hardware establishment, not far from the Board of Trade, with plenty of inflammable material at hand,

and explosives within the fire's scope.

The brigade was fortunately able to keep the flames from spreading, and the Caverhill firm escaped with \$25,000 loss, covered by insurance.

The insurance companies have recently been refusing to renew heavy risks in the district where the fire occurred.

L. J. ALMON DEAD

Well Known Barrister Expired Suddenly at Rothesay

ST. JOHN, Aug. 23.—(Special)—The community was shocked to learn of the death of Louis J. Almon, barrister, which occurred about eleven o'clock this morning, at his home at Rothesay.

While Mr. Almon had been ailing for some time, his death was unexpected.

After breakfast this morning he went out on the roof with a field

glass, viewing the surrounding country. Shortly afterwards he complained of feeling ill, and almost immediately expired.

Mr. Almon was 78 years of age, and came to St. John from Halifax 58 years ago. He lived at Rothesay during the past 15 years. He married Mary, daughter of late Hon. John Robertson, who predeceased him a few years ago.

FREDERICTON'S BIG FAIR

All Roads Will Lead to the Celestial Next Month

The Fredericton exhibition advertising makes its first appearance in our columns today, and the large amount of money (\$15,000) that is offered in premiums should bring together the largest number of exhibits ever shown in this section. Fredericton has always put up a gilt edge fair, and from appearances this year's will surpass them all. With increased facilities and large additions to their grounds, the management seem to be keeping pace with the times.

Starting in 1888 with one small building costing about \$400.00, and running a small county cattle show, offering a premium list of about \$500.00, and today with a plant valued at close to \$25,000, and offering prizes of \$15,000, places the Fredericton exhibition among the big fairs of Canada, and certainly points to good management and enterprise in the last nineteen years on the part of the association.

The program for this year is a good one. Persons interested in Agricultural pursuits can feast their eyes on the best products of the soil

of the Maritime Provinces and view the fine horses and pure bred cattle, sheep and swine that the Provinces by the sea are noted for. The poultry and pet stock lover will have much to attract his attention, and the Ladies Departments, Arts, Domestic and fancy work, promises a magnificent display of all that delights the feminine heart.

The management has not forgotten the amusement end and offer unusual special attractions costing thousands of dollars, which have never before appeared east of New York City.

Special excursions and low rates are offered by all transportation lines and, realizing that the "Celestial City" will be invaded by vast crowds of visitors during the week, September 14 to 21, the Exhibition Directors have opened a lodging and information Bureau in charge of competent persons who will attend to the wants of all who are unable to find accommodations at the hotels. The management assure us that there is room for everybody, everybody will be looked after and nobody neglected.

SEERY VS. FEDERAL LIFE

Plaintiffs Recover Verdict for Full Amount of Their Claim

The trial of the case of the Executors of the late Dr. F. J. Seery vs the Federal Life Assurance Company was concluded at ten o'clock last evening, when the jury after two hours deliberation returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiffs for \$1,216.25 being the full amount of their claim. This represents the amount of the policy and accrued interest at the rate of five per cent.

The counsel addressed the jury in the afternoon and were followed by the judge who summed up in an impartial manner, finishing at six o'clock. The court then adjourned for supper, and on resuming at 7.30 the jury retired to deliberate upon a verdict. They were given a list of twenty-two questions to answer, ten having been prepared by the judge and twelve by the counsel for the defence. At the end of the two hours they returned to court, and on the strength of their answers the judge entered up a verdict in favor of the plaintiffs. On the majority of the questions the jury stood five to two in favor of the plaintiffs.

The defendant's counsel applied for a stay of postea which was granted by the court. This is taken as an indication that the case will be appealed to the Supreme Court. The case has already been tried three times, and on two occasions a verdict has been returned in favor of the plaintiffs. In the other case the death of a jurymen necessitated a new trial. Messrs M. B. Teed, K. C., and Peter J. Hughes conducted the case for the plaintiffs, and Messrs H. A. Powell, K. C., and R. B. Hanson for the defendant company. It was Mr. Teed's first appearance here at nisi prius, and he added to the reputation he has long enjoyed as a good, sound lawyer.

PAINFUL EXPERIENCE

Former Moncton Man Seriously Injured in Western Mill

(Special to Herald.)

MONCTON, N. B., Aug. 23.—E. J. O'Brien, of this city, has received word of a painful accident which occurred to his son, Frank P., formerly an I. C. R. brakeman, now living in Tacoma, Washington.

The young man was employed in a lumber mill and had his leg caught in the belting.

He was hurled against a pulley, breaking the left leg in three places, the bone protruding from one.

It was four hours before a physician could be secured, owing to the remote location of the mill, and ten hours before he was taken to a hospital.

THE STOCK MARKET

(Special to Herald.)

MONTREAL, Que., Aug. 23.—Dominion Steel issues were again active in this morning's stock market, and the advance gained yesterday was well maintained. Common selling around 21½ and Preferred at 49.

Dominion pfd. sold at 98½ and N. S. Steel at 63½, slightly in advance of yesterday.

The other most active stocks were: Detroit United 64½; Mexico 42; Rio Bonds 70; Montreal Street 191½; Power 91½.

EPIDEMIC OF TRAMPS.

A party of hobos, claiming to be from Moncton, were found snoozing in box cars at the C. P. R. station last evening by Policemen Chapman and King, and landed in the police station. At the police court this morning they informed Col. Marsh that they were professional potato diggers, and were beating their way to the Aroostook potato belt, where they anticipated no difficulty in obtaining employment. They intimated that if allowed to go they would set right to work counting the sleepers on the Gibson branch, and the colonel took them at their word. Another stranger found sleeping off a lag in a box car was let off with a caution.

TO PURCHASE SHEEP.

Mr. T. A. Peters, deputy commissioner for agriculture, is to leave this evening for Toronto, to attend the exhibition and purchase sheep for the local government. He expects to buy from seventy-five to one hundred animals, chiefly Leicesters, Shropshires and Cotswolds. They will be brought to this city and sold at ten o'clock on the morning of Wednesday, Sept. 18th, at public auction on the exhibition grounds.

'TWIXT YOU AND ME

That distinctly literary flavor in the atmosphere during the past few weeks was due to the visit of the distinguished Roberts brothers and their New York friends.

Ald. Hooper, energetic secretary of the exhibition association dreamed the other night that there would be 4,928,733 visitors to Fredericton's big show next month.

Mrs. McSosh—Look here, do you know that it's three in the morning? Mr. McSosh—Cousin I know it's three 'n th' morn'. Think I'm fool? What I wanna know is, which morning?—Cleveland Leader.

Captain Fenety of the Civilian's Cricket eleven to play the military to-morrow is so anxious to be in good form for the fray that at 2 o'clock in the morning he called up his physician to treat him for an imaginary attack of rheumatism.

Oh Mr. Hazen, Mr. Hazen, Why are you so awfully frazzled? Claiming everything in sight, Talking wrong instead of right, The people sir, have got your size, And you'll never scoop the premier prize.

Editor—Why do you persist in coming here? I tell you I don't buy fiction. I make it.

Author—Oh, I don't wish to sell any of my stories. I am writing a short serial, entitled The Ugliest Man On earth, and I came in merely to obtain local color. The beast was kicked clear across Queen Street to the Barracks.

No gentle reader, that thunderous roar you heard one day this week was not from the discharge of the big guns at Petewawa, but simply His Worship, repeating his "glorious twelfth" speech to the brethren along the Nashwaak.

The reception game at city hall, Which all the Greys were at, Took on a most entrancing hue When Kelly was at the bat. "Three strikes are out," His Worship called As "Connie" made three bows "You must make room for Oldham now." "Get hence my son, vamoose."

Sh! we don't mind remarking sub rosa, confidentially, and in the strictest confidence, that we know where Premier Robinson raised that \$1,500,000. We just handed him our I. O. U. and he discounted it at the river bank.

The House of Lords has passed the Deceased wife's sister Bill. Funny name for a girl isn't it, and why should the Lords pass her. Isn't she a nice girl?

Governor Fraser who is a true Highlandman welcomed the Scottish Clans at Halifax with a Gaelic speech. His Excellency in his usual eloquent manner spoke as follows:

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If the Hon. Dr. Pugsley can travel as fast and as sleek in the St. John bye election as his motor car which son Jack had here this week, he'll make the Tories look like two, and sixpence.

The genial surveyor general is an authority on the game laws, but he doesn't follow the example of the birds and animals in mating.

Rusticus—No, son, we cannot publish your obituary poetry on Mr. Foster. What's the use hitting the political remains of a man who is so down in his luck.

Julia: The lady you took for Evelyn Nesbitt Thaw, coming off the Victoria on Wednesday was one of Mr. Edward Moore's pretty little blueberry pickers from Fredericton. Junction on her summer vacation.

Under the moonlight on the river bank—He. "Where did they ever get those old cannons. Have they ever seen active service?"

She—"History tells us they were captured from the Fenians by Collector Street, Deputy Receiver, General Babbitt and the other Fredericton boys of '66 after a fierce struggle on the banks of the St. Croix, with soldier soup and black flies."

"Is that Bore—done?" queried a wearied listener when the Tory leader had concluded his sixteen column speech at Halifax.

The Parliament buildings at Ottawa were on fire Monday night, but not much damage was done. The flames it is said originated near Mr. Foster's seat in the Commons Chamber and had been smouldering there ever since last spring when the Aylesworth lightning struck the distinguished land dealer.