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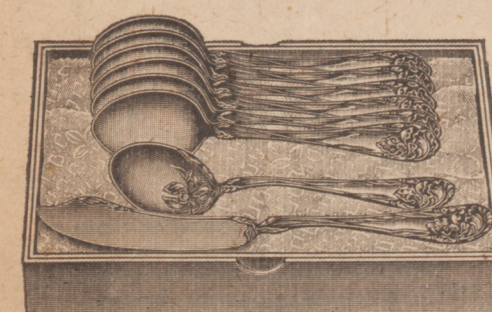
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THE MINERS' STRIKE.

British Columbia Men Are Still Out—Misunderstandings and Dissensions Among Them

Fernie, B. C., April 29.—(Special)—After practically one week of negotiations of one kind and another in the coal strike, it is a case of standstill.

It will be remembered that on Friday night at the last meeting of the miners at Fernie, it was agreed on condition that other camps agreed to the proposition to return to work subject to and pending investigation. That a split took place at the internal proceedings of the miners is evident and the present situation is to a large extent influenced by hearsay.

The miners' representatives have been unable to carry out what they promised at that Friday night's meeting as to going back to work. It is reported that everything is at sixes and sevens or in other words

there is a division among the miners' representatives as to the vote to return to work on the conditions set forth in arrangement arrived at between two parties that Friday night. The results of the votes were as follows:
Fernie, unanimous for return to work.
Lumbreck, 30 to 10 in favor of resumption of work pending investigation.
Michael, 111 to 67 against.
Coleman, 63 to 74 against.
Frank 64 to 4 against.
Hillcrest 01 to 5 against.
Lille 97 to 7 against.
Bellevue, unanimous against.
Bankhead 120 to 7 against.
Cannore 101 to 3 against.
The result means no work, but it also means that there is a strong dissension between the different miners' representatives.

PARLIAMENT PROROGUED.

Session Lasted Over Five Months—A Review of the Work Accomplished.

Ottawa, April 28.—The third session of the tenth parliament of Canada was prorogued on Saturday afternoon with a due form and ceremony by Earl Grey. Most of the members had anticipated their formal dismissal and had taken the train for home, for only a corporal's guard of members and senators heard the speech from the throne.

The first gun of the salute was fired from Nepan Point and the governor general's carriage, surrounded by a mounted escort, swept up Parliament Hill and was received by a guard of honor at the Vice-Regal entrance to the Parliament building. His excellency took his place on the throne and the commons having been summoned the law makers were relieved from their work.

The late hours in the senate Friday night witnessed a lively scene between Senators McMullen and Ferguson, the former making an insinuation against the latter which Mr. Ferguson promptly resented and denounced. Mr. McMullen was compelled to withdraw his remark.

There only remained the supply bill, which was disposed of at the morning session. Senator Donville went home by the Intercolonial. Senators Thompson and Ellis by the C. P. R. Mr. Woods remains a day or two. These and Mr. Poirier are the New Brunswickers left.

The session lasted a little over five months and was neither barren of interest nor of results.

The most important feature was the new three barrelled tariff which is expected to continue Canada's commercial prosperity. The new labor bill was made law and immediately put into successful operation in both the east and west. The bill to aid cold storage and the bill for the inspection of meats and

canned goods were made law. A department of mines was created. The intercolonial provident fund was established. The revised statutes were made law. Provision was made for the control of the export of electricity. Bounties on iron and steel were further extended. A redistribution bill was enacted for the provinces of Saskatchewan and Alberta. An address was passed asking for the British house to amend the provincial allowances of Canada. The western lands bill, the patent medicine bill, the juvenile delinquents bill, and the old age pension bills were offered for consideration and laid over for the next session.

The insurance report was received with a good deal of hard feeling by the Conservative side of the house. Mr. Emmerson's resignation will be recalled by everyone and before the end of the session the resignation of Mr. Hyman's seat was accepted.

Jacques Bureau was made solicitor general. A parliamentary committee investigated the lumber conditions of the West and found a combine existed.

The Conservatives organized an inquiry into the public land transactions without tangible result. There were eight deaths, four from each house, an unusually large number.

Before the end of the session Sir Wilfrid went to the colonial conference, leaving Mr. Fielding in charge of the business in the house, and he most successfully fulfilled the duties imposed upon him. During the course of the session Mr. McLean and Mr. Bourassa definitely cut themselves off from party affiliations and set themselves to work to create new political organizations. Their success was not conspicuous.

THE NEXT BIG FAIR.

Big Stock Breeders of the East Will Exhibit at Fredericton.

The executive of the agriculture society, have completed the work of organization for the exhibition to be held here from September 14th to 21st, and are determined that nothing shall be left undone that will ensure it eclipsing all previous efforts. The executive have been most fortunate in getting on to a circuit with exhibitions to be held at Sherbrooke, Halifax, and Charlottetown, and are has been taken to avoid clashing of dates.

The Dominion exhibition will be held at Sherbrooke this year, and all of the big stock breeders in the Maritime Provinces and Quebec, will take advantage of special inducements being held out and send their stock to that place. From Sherbrooke they will come direct to Fredericton; from this city they go to the Halifax exhibition, and from Halifax they proceed to Charlottetown.

This arrangements was practically agreed upon at Halifax last fall, and the carrying of it out insured the success of the Fredericton exhibition.

The principal hotels of Fredericton the Queen and Barker, are to be enlarged during the coming summer, and when the work is completed, the city will be in a better position than ever to accommodate visitors. All roads will lead to Fredericton during the week beginning September 14th.

CATHEDRAL IMPROVEMENTS.

In the course of his sermon at the Cathedral yesterday morning, Bishop Richardson took occasion to point out some improvements that will need to be made at the sacred edifice in the near future. He said that the heating apparatus had been in use fifty years, and having completely outgrown its usefulness would have to soon be replaced by something more modern. He also pointed out that it would be necessary in the near future to light the building by incandescent electric lights instead of gas. The new organist of the Cathedral, Mr. Isherwood Plummer, went on duty yesterday and made a splendid impression.

BUSINESS DULL.

Two dancing bears in charge of four Italians did a few stunts about the city for a time this morning. They found business on the dull side, however, and decided to move on for other parts.

ALD. EVERETT EXPLAINS.

Denies that he is an Office Seeker Yet was Willing to Accept Principal Assessorship Under Certain Conditions.

To the editor of the Herald.
Sir,—In justice to myself I will thank you to publish the following brief article.

Now that the question of Principal Assessor has been settled, I, as one who has been charged in the press, as being an office seeking alderman, desire to state briefly the facts of the case so far as I was concerned in the matter, and ask the public to judge for themselves as to whether the charge is true or false.

Before the appointment was made in February last I was asked to accept nomination for the office on the plea that Dr. Henry was soon to leave the City. I refused to do so until the Doctor should intimate that he was willing to give up the work.

Again after the Doctor refused to accept the salary voted by the council I was asked to allow myself to be nominated. I then stated that I would be willing to do the work for the amount voted, but would not think of giving my full time. I declined.

My opinion is that the work requires less than three hours per day (on an average) throughout the year, and I do not think that our citizens generally who are obliged to work from six to ten hours per day should be called upon to pay a large salary to one whose duties require less than half that time.

These are the facts briefly stated and I defy any person to prove that I was an office seeker in this connection.

W. Egerton Everett.

Fredericton April 29.
(There is an important point lacking in Ald. Everett's statement. Who was the party, or who were parties, urging him so strongly to accept the position of principal assessor.—Herald.)

A SOLDIER'S DEATH

Private Johnson Succumbs at Military Hospital from Pneumonia.

Private J. William Johnson of H. Company, R. C. R., died at the military hospital, on Sunday afternoon after a brief illness brought on by pneumonia. He was twenty-nine years of age and unmarried. The deceased was a native of Halifax, and had been in the service about eight years. He served first with the special service battalion of the R. C. R. organized at Halifax, during the South African war, and on it being disbanded he went to St. John's, Quebec, and enlisted in No. 8 Company. He was soon afterwards drafted back to Halifax, and remained in that city until a month ago when he completed his term of service and was discharged. He then came to this city and enlisted in H. Company.

Private Johnson was a good soldier, and was much esteemed by the officers and men of his company all of whom greatly deplore his untimely death.

Relatives in Halifax have been communicated with and have asked that the body be sent to that city for burial. It will be forwarded by the nine o'clock train this evening. The members of the corps will attend the funeral in a body, and the deceased will be accorded the honors pertaining to his rank.

WESTERN MURDER.

Victim was Cousin of Lord Curzon, Late Governor General of India.

Vancouver, B. C., April 29.—(Special)—News has been received here of the murder at Komapo, of J. A. Pocklington.

The man was found in his cabin shot through the head.

CABINET MEETING.

Ottawa, April 29.—(Special)—The cabinet is going to hold sessions daily until such time as they have got business disposed of and the ministers will afterwards take a rest. Mr. Fielding expects to go to the Maritime Provinces on I. C. R. business this week.

BIRTHS AT MARYSVILLE.

A young daughter arrived yesterday at the home of Mrs. James Lawrie.
Mrs. Freeman Rideout on Saturday presented her husband with a son and heir.

WOMEN SUFFRAGE.

An Amusing Banquet at Toronto—Some Strong Opinions—Premier Whitney Criticized.

Man is still far from a position of real equality to his "better half," according to some of the opinions expressed at a meeting in Williams' Cafe, Toronto, the other night of the Canadian Suffrage Association. The organization held a dinner. It was attended by quite a fair number of women, and eight or ten men were scattered here and there.

Mr. Allan Studholme, M. P. for East Hamilton, was the principal speaker. When called upon he asked the lady occupying the chair, Miss Flora McDonald Denison, how long he might have to speak. He said that when he got started he usually forgot time and place. After some talk he suggested that Miss Denison touch the bell when he had talked long enough. At the end of twenty minutes the bell rang, and Mr. Studholme resumed his seat, saying on another occasion when they had an hour or a day he would be pleased to speak again.

"You are a thousand times better than man," said Mr. Studholme, speaking with suavity.

Later in his speech he also remarked: "I know woman is superior to me."

Both of these remarks brought forth cheers from the ladies. Mr. Studholme took the gathering for a trip to England and New Zealand, and pointed out that the progress of the latter country during the last thirteen years had brought it to be one of the leading countries in the world. The co-operation of the women in government was largely responsible for this gratifying condition. Speaking on the old question of whether women should carry a rifle at times of war, providing they had the right to cast a ballot, the member for East Hamilton said: "When women gets a ballot there'll be no war."

Again he was applauded. Mrs. J. L. Hughes was one of the speakers. She poured contempt into her words when she repeated the saying that man is superior to woman. Touching on the great theory of the famous John Bright that the power of woman was her silent influence in the home, Mrs. Hughes said: "This is a most damnable doctrine."

trine." Half a dozen in the room clapped their hands.

"By her sweet influence," she continued, "by her s-w-e-e-t influence, she must exercise her power over man. I say this is a most damnable doctrine."

Mrs. Calbert, in a high voice, related some of the work that had been accomplished by Susan B. Anthony.

"Why, before her time, if a woman was an old maid, she was a disgrace to the community."

"She is yet!" shouted out a man with considerable courage.

A few hisses followed and cries of "Put him out," and "Shame!" Miss Gibson was called upon as president of the union of telephone girls to make a speech. She expressed her pleasure at being present, and thought such companies as the Bell Telephone Company could not be handled very well till women were allowed to vote.

During the evening the chairman read a letter she had written to Premier Whitney asking him to be present at the dinner that night, and another giving his reply. The Premier regretted previous engagements prevented his attendance. He also said that he thought when woman wanted suffrage in Ontario they would get it, but he thought they did not want it.

Miss McCullough, who said she supposed the honor she had in addressing the assembly was due to the fact that she was in her final year at the university, stated that the letter of the Premier reminded her of a parable in the Bible. It was about the marriage feast. Those invited to that event immediately began to make excuses.

Evidently Mr. Whitney has no taste for this feast," said she. Passing into the suffrage question, she ridiculed the idea that women should go everywhere that men went. She also believed that social conditions were sadly in need of improvement, and that woman must be the salt of the earth.

The meeting closed with some-what of a paradox, for everyone sang "For She's a Jolly Good Fellow."

CHILD BADLY BURNED

Lighted Matches and Applied Them to Celluloid Comb.

Rev. H. D. Marr's two-year-old son was badly burned Sunday morning at St. John.

The little tot was playing with a celluloid comb and was handed a lighted match by his brother, who is just a year older. The comb being highly combustible at once burst into flames, and his night dress caught. Before the father and mother could get to his side the little chap had been burned down the left side from his arm to his foot.

Mr. Marr tore the blazing garment off and extinguished the flames with his hands. Dr. Day was summoned and relieved the suffering of the baby as much as he could, and he thinks he will recover. Mr. Marr had his hands quite badly burned in putting out the fire, and was unable to preach at either service Sunday.

LAWYER JACKED UP.

Declined to Proceed with Case Because Judge Would Not Let Him Have His Own Way.

Winnipeg, April 29.—The prosecution of the members of the Winnipeg Grain Exchange on the charge of conspiring to restrain trade was interrupted in a sensational manner Saturday, when R. A. Bonner, counsel for the prosecution, refused to longer conduct the case, because the bench had reproved him severely for his methods of attempting to procure evidence through brow beating and abusing witnesses.

It is the first time in the history of the courts of this province that counsel has refused to conduct a case for which he had accepted a retainer. It is most embarrassing to the prosecution, the case being most technical. The crown asked three weeks' enlargement, but the judge refused to grant more than ten days. The Law Society is holding a meeting to consider the action of Mr. Bonner, and it is understood he is liable to severe penalties.

Never judge what a woman wants to do by the things she does.

HEAVY DAMAGES.

Man who Lost an Eye Secured a Verdict Against Railway for \$3,600.

St. Thomas, Ont., April 29.—(Special)—Hugh Fulton, locomotive engineer, who lost the sight of his right eye by breaking of a lubricator glass, while on duty on February 1st last, has secured a verdict of \$3,600 and costs against the Michigan Central Railway at the Assizes here.

The jury decided that the glass was not of the best quality, and the company was negligent in not providing shields for glasses.

THE STOCK MARKET.

Montreal, April 29.—(Special)—The stock market showed more activity today, but trading was devoid of features worthy of special mention.

Lake of the Woods Milling sold at 77½. Montreal Power, 92½ to 93. Dominion Iron pld., 51. Canadian Pacific 177. Detroit United 71½ to 71. Rio 41½. Mackay 70. pld. 69.

A FRIEND IN NEED IS A FRIEND INDEED.

While busy this week moving or it may be, perplexed about housecleaning and furnishing, just send into Edgemoor's for any carpets, oil cloths, curtains or blinds etc. you may need. They will prove your friends indeed, as they have such a large stock to select from, and are offering special prices now to housekeepers.—d.

NAPOLION THE GREAT.

Do not fail to hear "The Thrilling story of the Great Napoleon and the Battle of Waterloo," next Monday evening at the opera house, magnificently illustrated by views specially selected in England for this lecture.

AN ENGAGEMENT.

The engagement is announced of Miss Mabel Beatrice McKee, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton McKee of this city, to Dr. J. Burton Crocker of Fredericton. The marriage will be in June.