

DAY IN PARLIAMENT.

Mr. Logan of Cumberland
Wants Higher Pay for
I. C. R. Trackmen.

RESOLUTION FINALLY WITH-
DRAWN ON THE PROMISE

That Mr. Blair Will Take up
Question During the
Recess.

Ottawa, April 29.—Mr Logan, (Cumberland), in the House of Commons, yesterday moved, that considering the general prosperity of Canada, the minimum to be paid trackmen and other laborers on the government system of railways should be at least one dollar and a half per day. Mr Logan said that the wages of the trackmen had been increased, but the increase in the necessities of life was from 15 to 25 per cent, higher than it was two or three years ago. In 1896 the I. C. R., was a by path. There were slow trains, light trains and therefore the work of the trackmen was light compared with the present time. Today the trains run as fast as any on the continent of America. Engines of 90 tons were now running on the road. What with trains running at an increased speed, and heavier engines, the responsibilities of the trackmen were increased. In these years of prosperity the government ought not to ask men to work for \$1.20 per day. This was altogether too small a wage for workmen to live on. Canada was boasting a surplus and therefore her workmen should be better paid. The minister of railways deserved credit for what he was doing already in the pay of the employees. Last year there was a strike on the C.P.R. and the argument was used against the granting of C.P.R. trackmen a higher wage was that they were paid as high as the I.C.R. men. He pressed strongly for an increase.

Mr. Hughes (P. E. I.), spoke strongly in favor of the increase.

Mr. Gallery (Montreal), wanted the canal men named in the resolution.

Mr. Pattee (Winnipeg), also supported the resolution.

Mr. Emmerson, (Westmorland) in supporting the resolution hoped that the freight handlers and freight checkers would be included with the trackmen. He pointed out what the minister of railways had done in increasing the wages of the employees. In 1895 the wages of the trackmen were 90 cents. Now they were getting \$1.20. He referred to the schedule which had been arranged, whereby the workmen at Moncton were well paid in accordance with the work they did, and not as under the late government, when a man got a raise, in accordance with the political pull he could exert. He particularly endorsed all that had been said in favor of the increase.

Mr. Monk moved in amendment that the letter carriers be included.

Mr. McKinnon (P. E. Island) said the matter should be left with the minister of railways.

Mr. Kendal (Cape Breton) supported the proposition that every business should stand upon its own bottom. No one could dissent from the proposition and the people would endorse it.

R. L. Borden spoke of the absence of the minister of railways and minister of labor, the purchase of the Drummond County and then gave a general endorsement to the proposition, although the resolution was not drawn up to his taste.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier told the leader of the opposition that Mr Mulock was too ill to be present and probably would not be in attendance again this session, and the minister of railways, as they all knew did not attend late sessions on account of his health. In reference to Monk's amendment, he said that that very matter was now before the house and would be dealt with by a bill. As for the proposition in the resolution the minister of railways had arranged with a delegation to take it up and deal with it after the session. That being the case he thought Mr. Logan should withdraw it.

Mr. Logan did not want to do anything that would prevent the workmen getting an increase and he would therefore agree.

Mr. Monk refused to withdraw the amendment.

Hon. W. S. Fielding showed that Monk's proposition had nothing to do with the other one, and moved in amendment that the debate be adjourned. This was carried, 54 to 23.

HARVEY STATION.

(Special Correspondence to the Herald.)

April 25.—The ladies of the Sewing Circle held an apron sale and pie social in the Grange Hall last evening. A

number of aprons and other fancy and useful articles made by the ladies of the circle were auctioned off by Mr. G. B. Hunter and realized good prices. The pies also met with a ready sale. The proceeds amounted to about \$20. A handsome silk covered cushion which was disposed of by ticket, was drawn by Mr. J. P. Belyea.

Dr. A. J. Murray of Fredericton Junction was here yesterday in consultation with Dr. Keith in the case of Mrs. Mary Smith of York Mills who is very ill.

Post Office Inspector N. R. Colter was here on Tuesday on business connected with the post office in this section.

Chas W. Scott of Meadows, Charlotte Co. who has been here for the past four months making ask hoops for Geo F Beach finished up his winter's work returned home with his family on Wednesday. Mr Scott has made about one and a half carloads of hoops from poles which he purchased here. He had two men employed part of the time. He purposes returning here next winter to make hoops and will be welcomed as he has proved himself to be a square dealer and distributed considerable money in the place.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Belle Little of York Mills took place Wednesday and was largely attended.

MARYSVILLE NEWS.

(Special Correspondence to the Herald.)

April 28.—Mr. Mercereau, our popular photographer, arrived in town last Saturday and reports business in his line very good.

The saw, lath and shingle mills started this morning, and they expect to run day and night while the water lasts, therefore a large crew of men will have employment and things will be unusually brisk for awhile.

The prospects are that the town hall will be crowded on Tuesday evening April 29 on which occasion Albion lodge of Fredericton are to give a grand entertainment, and judging from the rehearsals a good performance is promised.

David D. MacLaren, the popular representative of Farnworth & Jardine, lumber merchants of Liverpool, is in the city. He returned on Friday last from a business trip to the old country.

TRAINING A RIDING HORSE.

The Master Made Good His Assertion as to What He Could Do.

"Yes," said the riding master, "I have to be a horse trainer as well as a riding master. In fact, I couldn't very well be the second without being the first. I always have horses in my school stables here that are sent to me to train for my pupils. One came this morning, and if you have the time to spare I will show you how I give the first lesson in obedience."

The master then ordered one of his men to bring the horse out into the "school," a great oblong space, covered with sawdust and inclosed and roofed. The horse was a fine, spirited animal, with an intelligent and kindly eye, and the master said at once that he would be a tractable and teachable subject, explaining that he had not yet had a chance to "make his acquaintance."

"Now," said he, "you must remember that this horse has never seen me before and that I am, therefore, a perfect stranger to him, and yet I think I can establish between him and myself so good a feeling that in five minutes' time he will follow me all about the school at a word of command—perhaps without a command. Let us see."

He then approached the horse, and the man stepped away. Speaking a few words gently, he patted the animal's neck and rubbed his hand over his head. Telling the man to give him a small riding whip, long and straight, with a keen lash, he placed himself with his right shoulder close to the horse's head, holding the bridle rein near the bit with his right hand and in his left hand the whip extended back horizontally so that the lash was opposite to the horse's flank.

"Now," said he, "for our lesson." And he began leading the horse around the school, keeping his shoulder close to the animal's head. Presently he took his hand off the bridle, and the horse at once began to move away from his shoulder, but a sharp turn of the master's wrist brought the lash of the whip against his flank just hard enough to make a little sting, and at the same time the master caught hold of the bridle and gently pulled the refractory head close to his shoulder again.

This was repeated half a dozen times, and then the horse evidently reasoned out the situation somewhat in this way:

"As long as I keep my head close to this man's shoulder it's all right, but the minute I take it away something back there jumps up and sticks me. Therefore I'll not take it away any more."

That must have been the way he reasoned, for within the five minutes' time allotted by the riding master the horse was following him all around the school like a big dog, nor did the master have to touch the bridle once.

Twain and the Printer.

Mary Twain once had a trying experience with a compositor, one of those conscientious compositors who not only know, but know that they know. According to a writer in Harper's Weekly, Mr. Clemens had received from his publishers the proofs of a story which he considered as funny as anything he had ever written, but on reading the proofs he dimly discovered that the fun had been carefully eliminated. Mr. Clemens returned the proofs, congratulating the compositor upon having consumed "only one week in making sense of a story which he himself required two weeks to make nonsense of!"

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The fac-
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signature
of *Chas. H. Hatcher*
is on
every
wrapper

Just in Time

The robins have come, so have Lucy & Co's new goods, comprising all the newest and best styles in men's, women, boys' and girls' boots, shoes, rubbers, etc., also a large range in youths', boys' and children's suits, including a number of new patterns; also gent's and boys shirts, collars, ties, etc., underwear, trunks, valises, umbrellas, waterproof coats, jumpers, cardigans, overalls, etc. These goods are renewed every week by new arrivals from the best manufacturers in Canada and will be sold at Lucy & Co's usual low prices. Remember the corner of Queen and Regent streets, where you will find more bargains to the square foot than any other place in Fredericton.—d.

ESTATE NOTICE.

All persons having any claims against the estate of Henry E. Sypher, late of the city of Fredericton, deceased, are requested to file the same duly attested, with Havelock Coy, Barrister-at-Law, of the said City of Fredericton, within three months from this date and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the said Havelock Coy.

Dated this 31st day of March, A. D., 1902.
JARVIS G. SYPHER,
Sole Executor of the last will and testament of Henry E. Sypher, deceased.

April 2—dw & s 3 mos.

G. T. WHELPLEY.

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Timothy Seeds, Red, Long
Late and Alsike Clover
Seed. Also a large stock
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310 Queen St., F'ton.

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Corn, Peas,
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Baked Beans, Peaches,
Peas, Plums,
Strawberries, Blueberries,
Pumpkins, Apples,
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LOW PRICES.

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Opp. Soldiers' Barracks, Queen St.

Shoe Dressings.

We have a complete assortment of Shoe Dressings for black and colored shoes. Our entire stock of Tan and Chocolate 25c. Dressings, consisting of Whittmore's and Packard's standard makes,

REDUCED TO 15c.

Packard's 10c. Tan and Chocolate Paste in Tins,

REDUCED TO 5c.

LOTTIMER'S

CASH SHOE STORE, 210 Queen St.

TO LET.

The lower flat of the Peppers house, situate near the corner of Regent and Brunswick streets. Possession given 1st May. Apply to

R. W. McLELLAN,
Barrister.

April 14—dtf

MONEY TO LOAN.

Large sum of money, in amounts to suit applicants, to invest in Real Estate security at lowest term of interest.

R. W. McLELLAN,
Carlton St.

Feb. 14.—dwf.