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REARRANGING THE DOMINION COAL CO.

Seven Millions of 5 Per Cent Bonds to Issue to Take up the Outstanding Securities— One Per Cent Interest Saved—Preferred Stock to Bear 7 Per Cent.

MONTREAL, April 17.—(Special.)—The plant for the re-arrangement of the Dominion Coal Company went through without a hitch at the special meeting of the shareholders which was held in this city to-day. Briefly stated the plan is to authorize the issue of seven millions of thirty-five year 5 per cent bonds of which two millions are to remain in the treasury.

The balance of five millions will take up the present outstanding issue and retire the floating debt making a saving of one per cent in the interest rate on the old bonds. Three millions of the preferred stock will be 7 per cent interest bearing instead of 8 per cent as at present and redeemable after five years at 125.

IMPOSING WELCOME TO BISHOP M'DONALD

On the Occasion of his Return from Rome and the Holy Land—Large Crowds at the Station and the Cathedral Last Night.

The streets leading from St. Dunstan's Cathedral to the Railway Station were thronged last night on the arrival of the special from Georgetown with His Lordship Bishop McDonald, returning from Rome. He was met by the Knights of Columbus, the C.M.B.A., the B.I.S., the A.O.H. and the League of the Cross Boys with their band and escorted to the Cathedral where an address on behalf of the Catholics of Charlottetown was read by Rev. Dr. Morrison.

His Lordship replied thanking all for their very kind words and he then proceeded in a brief description of his journey of six months to the Eternal City and the Holy Land.

The ceremony concluded with the Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. There was a very large audience the Cathedral being filled. In speaking of the trip Bishop Casey who accompanied Bishop McDonald said, "It is six months since I left Canadian soil in company with Bishop McDonald, of Charlottetown, and Father Meahan, of Moncton, for a sojourn through Europe and the East. We landed at Gibraltar from New York on a Sunday morning. The impression of the famous historic rock was very striking indeed. It was just at daybreak, and although near the middle

of November everything had a summerlike appearance. After mass at the cathedral we took a drive around the city and suburbs. It had the air of a tropical country, plants and flowers in bloom in profusion. Soon after noon we sailed for Naples. This is a beautiful city, and overlooks one of the most lovely bays of the world. A week was spent here, during which we visited the rich, historic churches, parks and museums. Vesuvius was always in sight and smoking continually with what to us seemed a most

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HASTY NEWSBOY CAUSES A PANIC

Four Dead and Many Injured as Result of Reckless Shout of "Fire!"

INDIANAPOLIS, April 17.—(Special.)—While several hundred news boys were struggling to obtain free tickets to a patent medicine show in the Masonic Temple to-night one of the boys in a hurry to get out shouted "fire!"

A panic ensued, all made a rush to the door and four at least were trampled to death while a number of others were very badly hurt.

The boys fought desperately and those at the top of the stairs became so closely entangled that the mass of humanity went to the bottom clinging to each other.

WEATHER FORECAST.

TORONTO, April 18.—(Special.)—Fresh, westerly winds, partly cloudy and not much change in temperature.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The weather yesterday continued cool.

GARRISONING THE HALIFAX CITADEL

HALIFAX, April 17.—(Special.)—Pursuant to the design to replace the Imperial troops at Halifax by a Canadian regiment two companies of the Military School at Fredericton, N. B., will arrive in Halifax during the first week in May. These companies will form the nucleus of the Regiment which will form a portion of the force that is to garrison Halifax. Col. Wadmore, formerly in command of the Provincial Regiment which was stationed here during the South African War, will, it is stated, command the new Regiment. Active recruiting for this Regiment is now going on in the Maritime Provinces and other points of the Dominion. Sergt.-Major Fowle now at Fredericton Military School will be Sergent-Major of the new Regiment.

DELEGATES FROM THE INSTITUTES

A well attended and very representative convention of delegates from the Island Farmers Institutes was held yesterday in the B. I. S. Hall. Among those in attendance were:

Robert Agnew, Robert B. Easton, Lots 18 and 19; Walter Lea, Victoria; Alexander Ross, Bedouque; Richard Elliott, James McKay, Frank Hickson, Fredericton Institute; Joseph Bagnall, Hazel Grove; T. J. Wigginton, Dundas; James Carruthers, Esq., and L. U. Fowler, North Bedouque, Dank River Institute; C. B. Clay, Bridgetown; L. A. Arsenault, Felix Arsenault, Union Institute, Wellington; William Moffatt, A. Moffatt and Lemuel Clark, from Northern Institute, Rustico; J. A. Macdonald, John G. Scrimgeour, Cardigan; Lauchlin Macdonald, East Point; John T. Macdonald, of Commercial Cross Institute; Alexander Hamilton, New Perth; Colin Smith, William Montgomery, Central Institutes; Lot 11; Matthew Smith, M. L. A. and C. R. Smallwood, F. L. Haszard, Hugh McMillan; New Haven; Jabez Lea, Victoria; David McDonald Glenfinnan, Theodor Ross, B. A., besides other representative farmers and citizens.

Hon. S. E. Reed, Minister of Agriculture, presided and among the visitors were D. Drummond, representing the Live Stock Department, Ottawa; F. W. Broderick, Maritime representative of the Canadian Seed Growers' Association; L. H. Newman, the Ontario representative of the Association. In the afternoon after a brief address by the chairman, D. Drummond spoke on Dairy Cattle.

Artemus Moffatt spoke on the benefits and the effects of Farmers Institutes which address was well delivered and highly praised by a number of those who discussed the question.

C. B. Clay, Dundas, read a paper on Co-operation among farmers which was also discussed and favorably spoken of. At the evening session Mr. Drummond continued his address on Dairy Cattle after which the following resolutions were approved:

Whereas by an Act of the Local Legislature passed in 1 Edward VII Cap. 17 for the encouragement of Agriculture as amended by 111 Edward VII Cap. 4: It is enacted that wherever there are sixty or more persons who shall become members of a Farmers' Institute and pay each a membership fee of 25 cents per year to the Society the said Society shall be entitled to draw from the Department of Agriculture the sum of Twenty Dollars (\$20.00). And whereas in some instances it has been difficult to secure the required number of persons in a section of country.

Therefore Resolved that the Department of Agriculture be asked to have the Statute amended so that where the membership does not amount in numbers to sixty that the persons so wishing to form a society may do so providing they have the minimum membership of thirty persons and also providing that whatever number may belong to the Society, under sixty, the fee from each shall be such that the total fee will amount to Fifteen Dollars (\$15.00) and in such case will be entitled to the Government grant of Twenty Dollars (\$20.00).

Whereas the other Provinces of the Dominion of Canada have instituted short courses in Live Stock Judging which have proven very successful and beneficial to the farmers of those Provinces; And whereas the Live Stock interests of this Province are the most important to our farmers today: Therefore resolved that the Local Department of Agriculture be asked to take steps to have short courses in Live Stock Judging held at a certain period in each year in some central part of this Province.

Iron-Ox Tablets are for sale at the Apothecaries Hall. Wet dry goods at Paton's. Come buy them, dry them. They will be sold at half price and less. Thousands of dollars worth.—Jas. Paton & Co. 18d 21. Thousands of new suits for men and boys are here now, hurry up, at Prowse Bros. 17d 31.

STRAYED OR STOLEN.—Black collie pup with brown paws and breast answering to the name of Beaver. Any information will be rewarded. Apply to this office. 18dtf

TO LET.—For coming season Pasturage of Belvidere Golf Links in block. Applications will be received by Mr. Pope. 18d 41.

SAYS LAURIER BROKE CONTRACT

The Statement of Manitoba's Minister of Public Works — Holds the Province is not Bound.

WINNIPEG, April 17.—(Special.)—The Minister of Public Works, Mr. Rogers today issued another statement in which he declares that Sir Wilfrid Laurier has failed to stand by the 1897 contract regarding separate schools, and that this being the case Manitoba is no longer in honor bound to uphold that agreement.

Whereas, we the delegates of the Farmers Institutes in convention assembled at Charlottetown recognize the value of the efforts being made in behalf of Rural education by Sir William Macdonald through Dr. James W. Robertson. Therefore Resolved, that we tender to them our hearty appreciation for their interest in our behalf, and wish to place on record our opinion that instruction in such work should be given in Prince of Wales College.

Mr. Newman spoke on the growth of Alfalfa clover, advising the growing of the same on small plots. It was agreed that the Department of Agriculture be requested to purchase a small quantity of Alfalfa seed to be distributed among Institute members for experiments.

The following committee was elected to prepare a program for Institutes to take up next year: David McDonald, W. J. Montgomery, J. C. Headey, L. U. Fowler, Artemus Moffatt. A vote of thanks was tendered to the Hon. S. E. Reid for his kindness in presiding and the meeting then closed.

It is understood that similar meetings will be held twice yearly likely at the time of the Exhibition and at the Seed Fair.

A. B. WARBURTON has taken the office in the Cameron Block formerly occupied by J. H. Reddin.

A MORE than ordinarily interesting meeting of Victoria Division, S. O. T., was held last night in Wright's Hall. There was much enthusiasm in the temperance cause.

WHAT CAUSES APPENDICITIS. The commonest cause of appendicitis is constipation. When you require physic don't use cheap drastic pills—get Dr. Hamilton's Pills which strengthen the stomach, regulate the bowels and prevent any tendency to appendicitis. In one day you'll feel the tremendous benefit of Dr. Hamilton's Pills. By purifying the blood and cleaning the system they prevent headaches, stiff depression and drive away weariness. No medicine so successful as Dr. Hamilton's Pills, sold everywhere in 25c. boxes with yellow cover; get the genuine.

CHILLS PROVE FATAL! If warmth and circulation are not promptly restored, chills result in fatal pneumonia. This necessitates keeping Nerville on hand. Taken in hot water it breaks up a chill in two minutes. By rubbing freely over throat and chest it prevents colds. No liniment so strong, so penetrating, so swift to kill pain and inflammation. Nearly fifty years' record has proved the value of Folsom's Nerville. You should get a bottle to-day.

Slater Shoe Co's Agency in Charlottetown is transferred to Goff Bros. We have about \$2000 worth of these Shoes in Pictou and expect them here at any time now. We will be pleased to see all the many wearers of this popular brand of shoe at our store. All the footwear will be new, latest make and specially made. Prices stamped on every pair. Only to be had now at Goff Bros. Sole Agents.

LOVELY. CREOLE.

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TWO THOUSAND MOUNTED SOLDIERS

For Alberta and Saskatchewan Besides Infantry — The Wheatley River Postmastership — The Competitors for the West India Steam Service.

OTTAWA, April 17.—(Special.)—Supplementary to the creation of the new Provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan on July 1st Sir Frederick Borden will ask for an efficient force of two thousand men for that region. The first step will be reorganization of the Strathcona Horse and this will be followed by the establishment of infantry companies at different points but preference will be given to mounted men. Mr. McLean of Queen's today moved for a return of all correspondence relating to the removal of James Power, Postmaster at Wheatley River and to the appointment of his successor and all petitions and other correspondence asking for his reinstatement.

The Elder Dempster line are endeavoring to secure the service between Canada and the West Indies. They have many steamers available and promise to develop the trade, if guaranteed a subsidy which they desire shall be according to the results. Pickford & Black are asking that the service be to Halifax alone without taking in St. John as a port of call. They allege that calling at St. John mean delay and prevents fast service.

Because the Faculty Refuses a Public Convocation— Meeting of Students Held.

HALIFAX, April 17.—(Special.)—There is great excitement among Dalhousie students over the proclamation posted today by the Faculty. This sets forth that on account of the unruly conduct last year there will be no public convocation this spring. The students had an indignation meeting today and declared that unless a public ceremony was held someone would be very sorry. This Convocation at which diplomas are presented is looked upon by the students as one of the most prominent functions of school life and because of the stand taken by them today there is evidence of weakening on the part of the Faculty.

Coughs, colds, hoarseness, and other throat ailments are quickly relieved by Vapo-Cresoleine tablets, ten cents per box. All druggists.

DROWNED IN AN EPILEPTIC FIT

SACKVILLE, April 17.—(Special.)—The body of a man supposed to be one William Adams was found today at Bulmer's Pond near here. He had been dead a only short time. He had evidently been walking along the edge of the pond when seized with an epileptic fit and was drowned in a few inches of water.

A bottle found in his pocket contained medicine for epilepsy. Its not known where he belonged.

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COUGHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, AND OTHER THROAT AFFECTIONS ARE QUICKLY RELIEVED BY VAPO-CRESOLEINE TABLETS, TEN CENTS PER BOX. ALL DRUGGISTS.

Peculiar To Itself

In what it is and what it does—containing the best blood-purifying, alterative and tonic substances and effecting the most radical and permanent cures of all humors and all eruptions, relieving weak, tired, languid feelings, and building up the whole system—is true only of Hood's Sarsaparilla. No other medicine acts like it; no other medicine has done so much real, substantial good, no other medicine has restored health and strength at so little cost. "I was completely run down, troubled with headaches and dizziness and pains in my back. I could not sleep and had no appetite, and medicine did not do me any good until I took Hood's Sarsaparilla which gave great relief and in a short time entirely cured me." Mrs. L. WATSON, Orangeville, Ontario. Hood's Sarsaparilla promises to cure and keeps the promise.

The Best Sweet Peas for 1905

A good start towards the best results is to obtain the Best Seeds, for inferior sorts of Sweet Peas, however well grown, will easily be beaten by moderately grown specimens of finer varieties. When ordering do not fail to consider our collection of "GIANT" ORCHID FLOWERED SWEET PEAS. We make them a specialty and have the choicest varieties.

Haszard & Moore, Sunnyside, Charlottetown.

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Fashion's Fragrant, Favorite Flower. Headquarters for Sweet Peas in P. E. Island

Our Collection Embraces over Fifty Best Named Varieties Besides Novelties of 1904. To get their full beauty, both on the vine and in bunching, SWEET PEAS should be grown in separate colors. This list comprises a few of VERY BEST in cultivation today. Our Sweet Peas are all imported from the great Seed House of James Carter, Dunnet & Beale, the King's Seedsmen, London, England, and are selected from a list of over two hundred named varieties. We are confident that no finer strains can be procured anywhere. We have this season, in order to encourage a more extensive growing of this beautiful and fragrant flower, decided to sell all the latest named varieties at the small price of 5 cents per packet. A partial list is given below (more to follow.)

- DUCHESS OF WESTMINSTER. Apricot flushed. Pkt 5 cents
- DUCHESS OF YORK. White with delicate purple. Pkt 5 cents
- DUCHESS OF SUTHERLAND. Bright indigo and flushed maroon. Pkt 5 cents
- DUKE OF YORK. Rosy pink and light primrose. Pkt 5 cents
- EARLIEST OF ALL. Pink and white. Pkt 5 cents
- ETNA. Brownish-crimson and violet. Pkt 5 cents
- GOLDEN GATE. Pink, lavender and mauve blended. Pkt 5 cents
- GAIETY GLEAM. Primrose. Pkt 5 cents
- HER MAJESTY. Soft rosy-pink. Pkt 5 cents
- IMPERIAL BLUE. Purple-blue. Pkt 5 cents
- INDIGO KING. Purple and indigo. Pkt 5 cents
- LADY BEACONSFIELD. Salmon, rose tinted, and pale yellow. Pkt 5 cents
- LADY GRISEL HAMILTON. Shining pale lavender. Pkt 5 cents
- LADY NINA BALFOUR. Delicate mauve, with dove grey. Pkt 5 cents
- LEMON QUEEN. Pink and lemon. Pkt 5 cents
- LOVELY. Soft shell pink, grand form. Pkt 5 cents
- MAID OF HONOR. Light blue on white ground. Pkt 5 cents
- MARS. Intense scarlet. Pkt 5 cents.

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