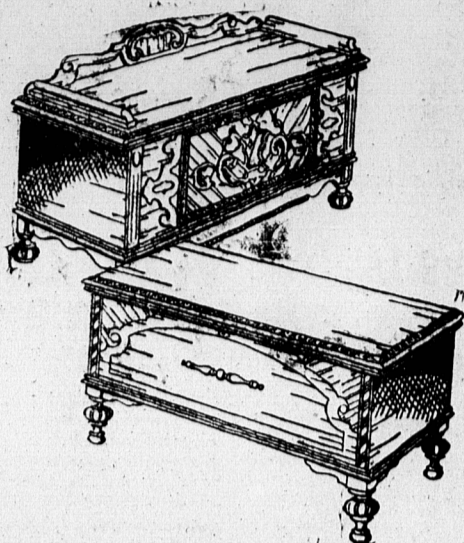


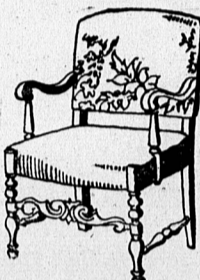
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N. S. Premier To Confer On Coal Situation

(By Canadian Press)
HALIFAX, N. S. March 10.—I am hopeful that I will be able to secure such assistance for the coal mining industry of this Province as will ensure a market for an output that will obviate acute distress and preserve this major industry," said Premier Gordon S. Harrington last night, on the eve of departure for Ottawa to confer with the Federal Government.
He will be accompanied by Hon. Percy C. Black, Minister of Highways, and Hon. J. Fred Fraser, Provincial Secretary Treasurer.
"The Nova Scotia Coal Industry is facing a critical period and many men are faced with the disappearance of their means of livelihood. The government is fully aware of the seriousness of the situation and for that reason we have adjourned the Legislature in order to take the earliest opportunity of conferring with the Dominion authorities," the Premier said. "The government has been active in exploring channels through which the acute problems of the industry might be alleviated and we feel that the time has arrived for a full and frank discussion with the Government at Ottawa which has already recognized the national character of these problems."

"Immediately upon my return I will call into conference representatives of the coal operators and the union to review the entire situation and to review the entire situation in order to work out plans which will alleviate impending distress."

Montreal Amateurs In The Lead

MONTREAL, Que., Mar. 10.—(By The Canadian Press)—Montreal Amateur Athletic Association juniors will carry a five goal lead into the second game here Saturday, of the Provincial junior final by virtue of their 6-1 win over Lachine Loons at the Forum here last night.

M. A. A. scored three goals in the first period and then tallied twice in the second to finish up the game with another in the last session. Lachine saved themselves from a shut-out when they scored in the final period. The winner will represent Quebec in the memorial cup playdowns, meeting the Maritime champions on March 17 at Moncton, N. B.

Encore

It is said that during the slack season in the theatre many actors earn their living by becoming waiters. The next time you want an encore on the butter you might try applauding.—Life.

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—HOCKEY AT KENSINGTON Rink, Friday, March 11th, at 8 p. m. Kensington Granites vs. Wellington Battlers. Hour's skate after match. Mr. Joseph Arseneault the 92 year old "boy" of Wellington will give an exhibition skate. Admission 25c and 15c. 1385-3-10-21

—BEDEQUE—United Church of Canada, Rev. L. P. Archibald, Minister. Services for Sunday March 13th: Bedeque 11 A. M. Cape Traverse; 3 P. M. Searletown; 7 P. M. The minister will preach at all services.

—TYNE VALLEY — Miss Catherine Andrew spent the weekend at Tyne Valley, the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Earle Williams. Mrs. Charles Maynard of Port Hill, is spending a few days in St. Eleanor's with her sister, Mrs. May. Mr. Jack MacCombe is giving a lecture on his hunting expeditions in the far north. Proceeds go to the Institute of Tyne Valley. We are pleased to see Mrs. Edward Williams out again after her recent illness.

DESABLE

Mrs. Roland Easter and daughter, Willshire is at present visiting at De Sable the guest of Mrs. Easter's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. MacFarlane.

The many friends of Mrs. John C. MacNevin are glad to hear she is improving, and hope she will soon be in her usual health.

Miss Elvira and Mr. Gordon Holm were visitors to Crapaud recently the guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Sherron.

Mr. Gordon Holm spent Sunday in Canoe Cove the guest of Mr. Michael MacDonald.

The ladies of the L. O. B. A. met at the home of Mrs. Ernest Holm on Tuesday after noon and quilled two suits.

Messrs Russel and John MacLean spent last week in Winsloe, visiting friends.

Mr. Ernest Holm took in his first goose egg the first day of March.

We are glad to hear that Mrs. Neil Shaw is feeling better again.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Campbell on Sunday February 21, a daughter.

Japan Eager To Negotiate For Peace

(By Morris J. Harris, Associated Press Staff Correspondent)
SHANGHAI, March 10.—(A.P.)—A new Japanese proposal to end the hostilities in the Shanghai area was transmitted today to the Chinese authorities.

Meanwhile reinforcements and supplies were moved toward the Japanese front lines. The new proposal, submitted through Sir Miles Lampson, British Minister to China, asserted that Japan was eager to negotiate a truce because of the "critical condition existing at the front and the imminent possibility that hostilities will break out afresh."

The Japanese plan, details of which were not made public, was sent on to the government officials at Nanking and Loyang by T. V. Soong and Quo Tai-Chi, Nanking representatives who received it from Sir Miles.

Four transports filled with Japanese reinforcements arrived at Wocung yesterday. At least 2,000 men were landed immediately and they trudged off through pouring rain toward Kiangwan. A large number of soldiers remained aboard the ships.

The ninth Japanese division, which has been in the lines twenty days, was relieved by the fourteenth division. Units of the ninth returned to Shanghai and were billeted in cotton mills, schools, residences and other buildings on the northern border of the city. The men were coated with mud as they marched back through the rain to receive an enthusiastic welcome from the Japanese residents of Hongkew.

Three past Grand National winners are in the field. But they are heavily weighted, and none of the trio has shown such superiority in training as to warrant short odds.

—ST. ALBANS MISSION (Anglican) Souris, Private devotions, Catechism 2 p. m.

—SHURE and you will be after enjoying yourself at the St. Patrick's Concert in the I. O. F. Hall, Montague, March 19th. 14023-11-18-21.

—COME AND ENJOY the "Courtship of Widow Malone" and other special features at the St. Patrick's Concert, Montague, March 19. 1402-3-11-18-21.

—DO NOT FAIL to hear Miss Frances Coffin in her humorous reading "Poor Old Jim" at the St. Patrick's Concert, Montague, March 19. 1402-3-11-18-21.

—CHURCH OF THE HOLY TRINITY (Anglican), Georgetown, fifth Sunday in Lent, March 13th, Matins 11 a. m. "Sins" Catechism 2.30 p. m. Evensong at 7 p. m. "The Devil". Capt. Francis Kelly, C. A. in charge.

—UNITED BAPTIST CHURCH—Montague, Rev. A. R. Pyke, Pastor: 10.00 Sunday School hour at Montague followed at 11.00 by Morning Worship; at 3.00 Georgetown; 7.00 Service at Sturgeon. The Lord's Supper will be administered at each service.

—SPLENDID CONCERT — An entertainment of excellent quality was given in the I. O. F. Hall at Montague on Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Hillside Lodge. About sixteen tables of Progressive Auction were in play and three or four tables of Bridge. Prizes were awarded to Miss A. Webster and Miss F. Coffin Mr. J. L. Beer and Mr. M. Wright. After cards a delicious lunch was served by the Oddfellows. Later the floor was cleared and the remainder of the evening was spent in dancing. Mr. C. K. Wightman was director of ceremonies for the evening and carried on in his usual capable manner. The Oddfellows of Montague are excellent hosts and are hoping we will soon have an opportunity of enjoying another entertainment under their leadership.—H

PERSONALS

—Mr. E. W. Campbell, Supervisor, Soldier's Settlement of Canada, Charlottetown, spent a few days in Montague this week on official business.—H.

—Other visitors to Montague this week were Mr. A. E. Block, Charlottetown, and Mr. John Kennedy, representing Purina Fox Feed, Charlottetown.—H.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Garrick have returned home after spending the week end at Charlottetown.—H.

—Friends will be glad to know that Mr. Fred Hynes is sufficiently recovered from his recent illness to resume his teaching in the Montague Memorial School. Mr. Hynes is Vice Principal of this school.—H

—The many friends of Mrs. Edward Hynes will regret to learn that she is confined to her bed with a somewhat serious illness and will hope for a speedy recovery to her usual good health.—H

—Mrs. Frank VanDerstine of Charlottetown is spending this week in Montague the guest of her mother, Mrs. Eugene MacDonald. Mrs. VanDerstine before her marriage last summer was Miss Phoebe MacDonald. Her many friends are glad to see her in Montague.—H

91st Grand National To Be Run March 18

LIVERPOOL, Eng., March 9.—(By The Canadian Press)—Around two score horses, including some of the finest steeplechasers in the world, will essay the difficult 4 1-2 miles of the Aintree course on March 18 in the 91st running of other buildings on the northern border of the city. The men were coated with mud as they marched back through the rain to receive an enthusiastic welcome from the Japanese residents of Hongkew.

The 10-year-old Grakie, who won in record time last year, is as much of a favorite as any Grand National aspirant could be expected to be, at odds of around 10 to one. Grakie will carry 171 pounds. Mrs. M. A. Gemmill's 10-year-old Gregalach, winner in 1929, will carry top weight of 175 pounds and W. H. Midwood's 12-year-old Shaun Gollin, who struggled in first in 1930, shoulders a burden of 172 pounds. J. H. Whitney's good Sir Lindsay, another veteran of the Aintree course, has been forced out of the race by injuries to his leg in training.

But while the top weights must be regarded as the "horses to beat", none of the entrants can safely be ruled out of contention in a Grand National. The hazards of the stiffly-fenced course, the distance, the "breaks" that are necessary for a horse running in a big field, combine to make the

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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For more than twenty-nine years the Gillette Safety Razor Company has been the acknowledged leader of its industry. Consistent with a long established policy of improving our product whenever ways and means could be found for so doing, we developed a new razor and blade. Soon after this was done, we found to our great disappointment that the public was not as enthusiastic about the new Gillette blade as we had confidently expected it would be.

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clusive use and at tremendous cost a manufacturing process that was amazingly superior to our own.

By this method, modern and automatic, millions of blades can be made at top speed without variation in quality. Furthermore, it produces an incomparably keen, smooth-shaving blade. We incorporated refinements of our own invention and installed the new machinery, throwing out all of our old equipment. Factory procedure was changed from start to finish.

Now we are ready to announce today's Gillette blade. It has been on the market for several months, and the reception accorded it has been enthusiastic beyond our fondest expectations. We felt sure we had a blade of extraordinary quality, but we wanted to be positive beyond doubt before making a formal announcement. Today we have that assurance—the unstinted praise of shavers throughout the Dominion. Every dealer has this Gillette blade. We believe none of the old blades are in stock. The green Gillette package remains unchanged but the blade is new in every respect, quality, performance, and method of manufacturing.

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QUEEN BESS' GIFTS

An addition to the many treasures of the British Museum is interesting. It is a New Year scroll for January, 1884, containing a list of gifts by Queen Elizabeth. Her Majesty has money gifts for the bishops, a peer gets a satin nightshirt of carnation hue (one hopes he appreciated it) and the Earl of Warwick got a gold and jewelled chain.

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