

THE CHARLOTTETOWN GUARDIAN WEDNESDAY, MAY 18, 1910.

A RATHER INTERESTING INJUNCTION ORDER.

Happy the long strike of the United Mine Workers of America at the Dominion Coal Company's mines in Cape Breton has been settled, but the strike at the Spring Hill mines, already ten months old, is still going on. The strikers are still in force about the mine and down to yesterday had their pickets posted to scrutinize all who passed in or out and, as far as might be in their lawful power, to prevent mining operations being carried on.

It seems likely enough that the law was broken by the strikers. It is so alleged. The mines are in operation with a limited number of hands. In the meantime the Cumberland Railway and Coal Mining Company, owners of the mine, have applied for and obtained an interim injunction restraining the United Mine Workers during ten days from further interference with the operation of the mine. On May 25th the question will come up for argument whether the injunction shall be made permanent.

Coal mining is a dangerous occupation, but not apparently an unhealthy one. In these days the miners are able to command very good wages, but this does not prevent the recurrence of labor troubles and strikes, which seem to be more frequent in mining than in any other industry.

The trouble in the Nova Scotia mines has, from the first been with the United Mine Workers of America, an organization which has its headquarters in the United States. A provincial miners' union has been along working in harmony with the mine owners.

In the case of the Spring Hill mines the complaint of the Railway and Coal Company is that the U. M. W. A. have conspired together to force the company to recognize their union, which has been injuring the company and its business; that the striking miners have attempted to influence the men to stop their work at the mines by means of picketing and other unlawful and injurious methods. What the injunction commands is that these practices shall cease. Here in Prince Edward Island our chief interest is that, which we have to buy, shall be produced as cheaply and continuously as possible, and if strikes and labor troubles must occur, that they shall be settled as speedily as possible. The right to strike is undoubted, but not the right of strikers to prevent others from working.

Both Mr. Justice Fitzgerald and Hon. Mr. Cumiskey have proved themselves pretty hard hitters in the controversy about road scrapers and machines. We print another letter from Judge Fitzgerald this morning. The correspondence has proved interesting and somewhat exhilarating to a number of readers since it began.

The action of our federal representatives for this county in offering prizes for tree-planting at the road-sides by the schools is worthy of commendation. The sum offered is sufficient to operate as a stimulus to a large number of the school boys in the county, to engage in some healthy exercise that will help to adorn the highways.

It is earnestly to be hoped that those English settlers who have come to us with the intention to purchase improved farms shall make good selections from the farms that are offered, and get value for their money. Needless haste should be avoided. There may be an enormous difference in the real value of two farms of the same area. Much depends upon these settlers being well placed. A prosperous and contented immigrant settler will attract others, while a disappointed one may prevent many others from coming. This matter is important.

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Yours,
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May 17.

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Manager P. E. I. Branch
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LOOKING FOR SIR WILFRID'S SUCCESSOR.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier was born eleven days later than the late King Edward in the same month of November, 1854. He is therefore no longer young in years, although physically and mentally vigorous and almost youthful in heart and hope. The late Sir John Macdonald was seventy-three when he died in office, and Sir Macdonald Boscawen and Sir Charles Tupper, still living, were seventy-three and seventy-five respectively when they surrendered the Premiership fourteen or so years ago.

Still within members of the Opposition press are looking for a successor to Sir Wilfrid Laurier, regardless of the proverb that those who wait for dead men's shoes may long go barefoot. It is really too soon. But the Ottawa correspondent of the Toronto World goes even farther than these and now that Sir Wilfrid is actually looking out a successor for himself before going upon his projected three months' trip to the west in July next.

According to the imaginative World correspondent, Sir Wilfrid is visiting Quebec to talk over with Sir Lomer Gouin, the Quebec Premier, a proposition to call for pure water on the farm.

A CALL FOR PURE WATER ON THE FARM.

The Canadian Farmer, an excellent agricultural journal published in Toronto, announces that it will shortly begin a series of articles and conduct a campaign for pure water on the farm. Readers of the Guardian will remember that this is a subject we have represented to their notice quite frequently, conceiving it to be one of vital interest to the health and welfare of the community.

In Prince Edward Island nature has supplied a great abundance of pure water, in running streams and brooks and beneath the soil, for wells. The sand stone rock is an excellent filter, to which fact Charlottetown owes the best and purest water supply that is to be found among the cities of the Isle. But this water, pumped from out of the solid rock, is carefully conducted in closed pipes into the houses of consumers so that contamination is almost impossible.

With the farmer's well it may be different. The well may be placed low near the house, barn or other outbuilding, or on a slope below them.

The farmer is hereafter to be looked to in the eastern part after sunset, on Friday at 10, May 19 next, it will be 10 o'clock, and on Saturday night, two hours after the sun has set, the rapidly receding sky will be dimly lit by the light of dawn, and perhaps two weeks thereafter.

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NEW YORK, May 16.—Just a great percentage of juvenile delinquents are victims of bad teeth rather than en-

vironment was the declaration of Dr. Geo. W. Colver, of Rochester, at the session of the Dental Hygienic Congress now in session in this city.

"Seventy per cent of all children enter school as incompetents," he declared, "and the statement applies not only to children of the poorer classes, but to all. They are incompetents because their parents were not trained to care for their teeth."

"Bad teeth, chaps, bad stomachs, the body becomes filled with bacteria, disease and infection follows."

This statement was endorsed by all present and the congress will appoint a general committee to secure municipal co-operation, throughout the United States, in making dental science part of any government.

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MARITIME SECURITIES.

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Quotations furnished by J. C. McIntosh & Co., Exchange Building, Halifax, N. S.

BANKS.

	Ask.	Bid.
British	150	147
Nova Scotia	232	230
New Brunswick	275	270
Royal	235	232
Union of Halifax	178	

MISCELLANEOUS.

Acadia Fire	105	103
Acadia Sugar pfd	105	103
Do. Ord.	70	65
Brandram-Henderson com	23	20
East Can. Sav. & Loan	141	138
Eastern Trust	155	150
Halifax Fire	102	99
N. S. Telephone	116	114
Stanfield pfd.	104	101
Do. Com.	36	31
Trinidad Elec	77	75

BONDS.

Acadia Sugar	108	104
Brandram-Henderson	109	97
Halifax Tram	102	99
N. S. Steel 1st Mort.	120	
Do Debitura Stock	101	
Porto Rico	101	
Robb-Engineering	103	
Robb 1st Mort	103	
Stanfield	103	100
Trinidad Elec	76	75

STOCK QUOTATIONS.

NEW YORK, May 17—(Special.)—

B. T. R.	70
Copper	117
Baltimore	117
C. P. R.	193
Reading	163
Southern Pacific	124
St. Paul	128
U. S. Steel	83
Union Pacific	182
Missouri Pacific	69

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