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# THE CHARLOTTETOWN GUARDIAN

THU FRI DAY MORNING, OCTOBER 3, 1907.

## THE SITUATION IN NEWFOUNDLAND.

We regard the situation developed in Newfoundland as one of the most serious that has arisen in British North America in a long term of years. Newfoundland is, nominally, and as was supposed potentially, as much an autonomous, self-governing community as is the Dominion of Canada or the Commonwealth of Australia. The Ancient Colony had as full powers as we have to make laws for the welfare of her people and the control of her fisheries. Now her fishery laws, framed to protect an industry by which the majority of her people live, have been set aside by an Imperial Order in Council, which is not only an illegal and unconstitutional exercise of power, but such an usurpation as would not be tolerated by Canada or Australia for a moment. The only possible justification for this action is that Newfoundland is weak and defenceless and much therefore bound to the wishes of those in control of imperial affairs.

As it is the sympathy of every Colony in the Empire is with Newfoundland and this may count for something in bringing about a settlement of the trouble. There is another consideration affecting the case which may work for good. Had Newfoundland been a Province of the Dominion of Canada no government of Great Britain would have dared to set in any such high-handed and despotic fashion towards her. It may therefore be hoped that with a consciousness of this fact and for the better safeguarding of her interests, Newfoundland may be led to seek admission to the Canadian union. Once a member of the Dominion her fishery interests would be safe. For so attempt to deal with Canada as Newfoundland has been dealt with would be to invite another revolution such as lost half of North America one hundred and thirty years ago. Newfoundland's shortest and best remedy for her present troubles is to seek admission to the Dominion. She has the sympathy of Canada today. Then the would have potential support and protection such as Canada cannot now offer.

## THE OCEAN FERRY.

There are persons still living who can remember the time when the first steamer crossed the Atlantic Ocean. It was then, however, whether the voyage was made by sail or steam, a matter of weeks. It has now become a matter of days. Records have been steadily cut down until the voyage from New York to the nearest English port is a matter of about five days.

The new turbine steamers of the Canadian Line, the Lusitania, which has now crossed the Atlantic both east and west, and the Mauretania, which has had her trial trip, are expected hereafter to make the voyage at an average speed of 35 knots per hour. With steamers of this speed plying to and from Halifax instead of New York, the 1,250 knot passage to Queenstown could be made in a mere fraction over ninety hours—three days and eighteen hours. This will be accomplished and in the near future.

Here's for a few weeks of better harvest weather!

It is now thought that the portion of the Transcontinental Railway which the Government must construct, from Winnipeg eastward to Moncton, will cost \$125,000,000 instead of the \$300,000,000 at first estimated. This is formidable sum, but it is to be remembered that the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company is to lease the road at a rental of three per cent on its cost. It will therefore be to the interest of both the government and the Company to keep down the cost of construction to as low a figure as may be.

## THE WIRELESS TELEPHONE.

Telephoning without wires has now become practicable, up to a distance of five miles and the distance is being slowly extended by perfecting the instruments in use. So far has the wireless telephone become an instrument of utility that the Scientific American tells it will form a part of the equipment of the American battleship fleet to be sent to the Pacific Ocean a few months hence. The wireless telegraph is, of course, already installed on board all large warships, but the wireless telephone is much more rapid in operation. So in the future a single speech will be transmitted from ship to ship across miles of water. The immense advantage of wireless telephony to the commander and officers of a fleet are too obvious to call for comment.

The Halifax Chronicle proposes a homecoming demonstration in honor of Mr. Fielding on his return home. No man in his party is more deserving of it. He has been twenty-five years in public life, always a hard worker, and is personally one of the most genial and capable of Canada's public men.

How old is the game of golf? It was a favorite game of Charles I. And the London Morning Post quotes from an old chronicle of a voyage to Nova Zembla made in May 1597 in which the following passage occurs: "The 15th of May it was faire weather, with a west wind, and it was agreed that all our men should go out to exercise their bodies by running, going, playing at cards, and other exercises, thereby to stirre their joyne and make them symlie."

It is noteworthy that the phonograph is being reformed, and it is well so. Because millions upon millions of photographic records have been sold and put in operation and the earlier records were largely given up to filippany, to comic songs and ludicrous and extravagant utterance of various kind. The demand is now for more serious, thoughtful and artistic melodies and talks, the voices of the great singers, the music of the best bands, the thoughts and best sentiments of the great thinkers expressed in cultivated tones. As to the phonograph, so with the moving pictures now on exhibition everywhere. Greater merit is demanded than at first, and much solid information may now be obtained along with sufficient amusement at the picture halls.

The Provincial elections are practically due in New Brunswick. The legislative term in that Province is five years, and although this period has not yet elapsed, the existing Legislature has already held

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