

PROBABLE SETTLEMENT OF BRITISH STRIKE

Representatives of Miners, Owners and the Government Holding A Conference

(Canadian Press)
LONDON, Feb. 27—An early settlement of the dispute in the coal trade which threatened to throw nearly a million miners out of employment on March 1 is now apparently more than probable, although it cannot be definitely announced.
The Executive Committee of the Miners' Federation has agreed to meet representatives of the Board of Trade at the Premier's official residence in Downing Street this afternoon.
LONDON, Feb. 27—No settlement has been reached in the British coal strike today.
The conference between the owners and miners will be resumed tomorrow.
LONDON, Feb. 27—No settlement of the strike is yet in view.
This is an official statement issued tonight. The conference will be renewed tomorrow.

EWART ON NE TEMERE

(Canadian Press)
OTTAWA, Feb. 27—J. S. Ewart, K. C., the eminent jurist who prepared the Canadian case at the Hague is strong in defence of the Ne Temere though himself an Anglican.
He states the Roman Catholic Church is unfairly attacked and quoting the decree of the council of Trent, claims the recent memorandum of the Church of England contradictory.
The Presbyterians came in for a similar condemnation.

MOB RULE IN KINGSTON J.A.

(Canadian Press)
KINGSTON, J.A., Feb. 27—The Kingston Governor says that mob rule prevailed throughout the night as the result of a collision between the police and the populace.
Two men were killed and more than thirty were injured.
The excitement in the populace against the Canadian Co-operating street cars existed throughout the evening.
Sir Sydney Oliver, the governor, was struck with a brick and ordered the riot act to be read.

HEAVY SNOWFALL

(Canadian Press)
MONTREAL, Feb. 27—By seven o'clock 15 inches of snow had fallen since seven yesterday morning.
80 feet of the roof of a skating rink collapsed but skaters had time to stand from under it.
The streets are fairly passable. Hundreds are employed removing snow and the storm will cost the city \$50,000.

ASSEMBLYMAN'S SISTER KILLED.

(Canadian Press)
SAN FRANCISCO, February 22—Mrs. E. Z. Robe, 32 years old, sister-in-law of Assemblyman Nathan C. Coghlan, was killed in the dining room of the Coghlan residence early today. According to the detectives she was hit over the head with a hatchet and then shot.

B. C. ELECTION.

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QUEER CASE OF BIGAMY

(Canadian Press)
LONDON, Feb. 27—Mrs. Deborah Jeffreys was sentenced today in the London court sessions to a day's imprisonment on a charge of contracting a bigamous marriage with Horace F. Parshall, chairman of the London Tube Railway.
Parshall entered a plea for mercy and the recorder adopted it in view of Mrs. Jeffreys going through a form of marriage acted on compulsion of the real husband, H. J. Jeffreys, who wanted Parshall's money and threatened to kill her if she did not.

MASS MEETING FOR STRIKERS

(Canadian Press)
NEW YORK, Feb. 27—A mass meeting held to arouse sympathy to raise funds for the Lawrence strikers was conducted on Broad street at noon today.
Several hundred clerks and messengers heard the speeches and contributed nickels and dimes.

MANITOBA'S BOUNDARIES

(Special to The Guardian)
OTTAWA, Feb. 27—The first move in the legislation to enlarge the boundaries of Manitoba took place without the promised discussion on separate schools.
A resolution presenting financial terms to be accorded to Manitoba was passed.

AN ADVANCE

(Canadian Press)
PEKING, Feb. 27—Yuan Shi Kai notified Dr. Sun Yat Sen, Nanking, that the international bankers offered an advance loan of 20,000,000 taels \$15,000,000.
They will soon be in a position to send about two million to Nanking to pay the republican troops.

PROGRESS IN WOLFVILLE.

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W. M. SHUSTER LATE PERSIAN TREASURER

Thinks the Eastern Kingdom Snuffed Out by Great Britain and Russia.

(Canadian Press)
NEW YORK, Feb. 27—W. Morgan Shuster, former Treasurer General of Persia, speaking last night at three junctions, the dinner of the Twilight Club and the Missouri Society and a meeting of the Womens Municipal League, declared he had come to believe the Persian Government to be "snuffed out," after having read the recent despatches regarding the Russian-English plan to take full control of that country.

PAARDEBERG ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATED

The annual smoker and concert by which the militia and citizens of Charlottetown commemorate Paardeberg Day passed off most successfully last evening in the Armouries.
There were about 50 present and Rev. T. F. Fullerton, Chaplain of the Fourth Regiment, presided.
After an excellent opening address the chairman, and addresses by Major Weeks and Col. Moore a splendid program was rendered. This included a solo by Percy Stanley, recitation by D. E. Shaw, Solo by Percy Barlow, piano solo by Prof. F. T. Watkins, and a quartette by Messrs Wellner, Moore and Hines, the fourth member, E. A. Foster, who was absent on his wedding tour, being represented by a pair of boots.
Prof. F. T. Watkins presided at the piano throughout.
After refreshments had been served a number of speeches, recitations, etc. were enjoyed. The evening was most pleasantly spent and the anniversary is one which should be even more generally observed.
Paardeberg Day made history for Canada and Canadians and its memory is deserving of perpetuation. There is perhaps no better way for the commemoration of the bravery of Canadian and P. E. Island heroes of that great battle than by a gathering of the veterans and their comrades on the date of each anniversary.

WINN PEG MAY HAVE STRIKE

(Canadian Press)
WINNIPEG, Feb. 27—No settlement has yet been reached between the C. P. R. and the freight handlers, the latter claiming that since thirty members were dismissed a week ago twenty four others have been taken in to fill their places in spite of the statement of the company that those dismissed were simply dispensed with.
Unless an immediate settlement is reached a strike of 12,000 freight handlers are threatened.

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(Canadian Press)
BRUSSELS, Belgium, Feb. 27—Thirty-two passengers and the crew were drowned in the foundering of the steamer Deliverance, a Government vessel plying the Kwango River on the borders of Belgian Congo yesterday.

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TWO WARSHIPS OFF TO JAVA

(Canadian Press)
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 27—That Chinese warships will be ordered to Java under instructions to begin the bombardment of Batavia if the Dutch government will not pay an indemnity for killing the Chinese said to have attacked the Dutch soldiers in the information sent to the Dutch government yesterday.
Provisional President Sun Yat Sen stated that the attack on Java would begin if the indemnity was not forthcoming in a week.
The information was received in a private despatch from Dr. Sen's secretary to the Chinese Free Press.

SUPREME COURT AT GEORGETOWN

(Special by Phone)
GEORGETOWN, Feb. 27—Supreme Court opened here yesterday at 11 a. m., with Mr. Justice Haszard presiding.
The Grand Jury, of which George A. Thompson, Montague, is foreman, made its usual visitation and reported.
There were two criminal cases. In that against James A. McEwen a true bill had been found at the last term of the court so it was not necessary for the Grand Jury to deal with it. In the case against Mr. Coffin in connection with Post Office irregularities the Jury found a true bill.
An absent debtor case was tried and the case of George McDonald vs D. Handraban was proceeded with without a jury. It is now before the court. C. G. Duffy is acting for the plaintiff and Donald McKinnon for the defendant.
On motion of J. J. Johnston, K. C., an order was made for the preliminary examination of Rowan P. Fitzgerald, Charlottetown, for admission to the study of law.
On motion of C. Gavan Duffy an order was made for the intermediate examination of J. E. Gillis, Charlottetown, a student-at-law.
The criminal cases will likely be dealt with tomorrow. W. E. Bentley is acting for the Crown in each case while W. S. Stewart, K. C., is counsel for the defendant Coffin and J. J. Johnston, K. C., is counsel for the defendant McEwen.
Two civil jury cases complete the docket. They are: Smith vs Acorn, an action for trespass and assault and battery. Johnson and Imman for the plaintiff and McDonald and Stewart for the defendant. M. C. McKinnon vs Henry Smallwood, an action for an account. Johnston and Imman for plaintiff and Warburton and Shaw for the defendant.

S'SIDE ELECTION

(Special by Phone)
SUMMERSIDE, Feb. 27—The civic election held here today resulted as follows:
J. J. Morrison for Mayor by acclamation.
Dr. Tanton, Winaslos Johnston, Lidstone, Howard Monkey, were elected councillors while H. A. Compston as water commissioner.
The following are the votes:
Lidstone, 391, Tanton, 379, Monkey, 362, Schurman, 235, Hicks, 155, Patrick Ryan, 124. Water commissioner Harry Alfred Compton, 366, Wm. Harriet Muttart, 187.

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COL. DAVISON VICE PRESIDENT

(Canadian Press)
OTTAWA, Feb. 27—The first big meeting in the annual military week in Ottawa opened today when the Dominion Rifle Association met with the retiring president Col. Hon Sam Hughes in the chair.
It was decided to amend the constitution to make representation in the council.
Ontario has 14 members, Quebec 10, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Manitoba 6 each, Alberta, British Columbia and Saskatchewan, 4 each.
Sir Fred Borden was added to the list of vice Hon. Patrons.
The new Hon. President is Col. Sam Hughes, and the President, Lt. Col. Burland, Montreal.
A P. E. Island representative is among the vice presidents, Lt. Col. H. M. Davison of Charlottetown.

JUAREZ TAKEN BY THE REBELS

(Canadian Press)
EL PASO, Tex., Feb. 27—Juarez is today in possession of the Vaquitas rebels.
Firing only a few volleys and meeting no resistance except for a few shots the rebels marched into the town capturing the machine guns and took charge of the government buildings.
The attack began at 10 o'clock. U. S. troops have patrolled the border and are ready to enter Juarez.
El Paso is endangered.

ST. JAMES AGAINST CHURCH UNION

Last evening the ballots in the Church Union vote for St. James Church, Charlottetown, were counted. The result showed a vote of 22 against the union and 15 for it. The session voted against it unanimously, their votes being included in the communications.
Following are the figures:
Possible For Against
Vote Union Union
Communicants 190 12 163
Adherents 80 3 69
270 15 232

ORIOLES ARRIVE IN CH'TOWN

The Halifax Orioles arrived in Charlottetown yesterday afternoon on the special train from Georgetown, having crossed on the Earl Grey.
The boys were met at the station by a number of Victorians and were accorded a hearty reception. They were taken to the Revere Hotel where they had dinner and they will remain there while in Charlottetown.
The team will line up for tonight as announced in yesterday's issue and the boys have as spare men G. Myra and Duncan Thompson while James F. Hillman is manager and Richard Westover, the noted sculler, also accompanies the team.
The boys speak enthusiastically of their trip so far and greatly enjoyed the trip on the Earl Grey, the experience in the icebound straits being a unique one for them. They spent the greater part of their time on deck watching the icebreaker in her progress through the icy waters.
Speaking of his team Mr. Hillman commented on their junior pretensions. They average in age but 20 years and in weight average 127 pounds. They are strictly amateur sports and their men did not play together until this year. The manager says the boys are all from the North end of Halifax and from his door he can call the team together, all residing within the reach of his voice.
They went through their league with but one defeat and even this is disputed. The Victorians of Halifax were awarded a game by a score of 3-2. An outside Victoria play and an Oriole goal unallowed are accounted as the factors reversing a score the Orioles claim should have been in their favor.
Last night at the Arena the Orioles had a good workout. Their first practice for a full week. They were delighted with the rink which is larger than they are accustomed to and think it as good as the Halifax Arena for hockey purposes. Their colors are maroon and grey, the sweater being grey, with wide maroon band and maroon neck, wrist and waist.
Tonight they demonstrate their prowess at the Arena and a record attendance is expected. Both teams are in splendid shape and an interesting contest is anticipated. The Victorians will line up in their usual order.

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Comes off Next Month. Present Strength and Past Record of Parties.

(Canadian Press)
VICTORIA, Feb. 27—The semi-official announcement of a provincial election on March 28 finds the country in readiness for the contest, which, like that of Nov. 25, 1909 will be largely fought on the program of railway construction.
Of the forty-two members in the present House, thirty-nine are supporters of Premier McBride.
Prior to November three years ago the Opposition number thirteen, but the Liberals opposed the Canadian Northern proposal upon which Premier McBride went to the country, with the result that only one Liberal was elected.
This is the twelfth Parliament.

BRAVERY REWARDED

(Canadian Press)
PARIS, Feb. 27—Melaire Chalrol, aged six, has received an award of a medal and an annuity from the French Hero Fund.
The little girl rushed through flames and smoke and rescued her two year old sister who was in a cradle in another room.
Having saved the baby she also endeavored to pilot her grandfather out of the burning building but failed.

THE TOKIO LOAN

(Canadian Press)
LONDON, Feb. 27—From the moment when it was found that the issue of the English portion of the city of Tokio loan coincided with the actual stage in the coal crisis it was generally surmised in the market that a large portion of the loan must inevitably fall into the hands of underwriters.
No surprise was occasioned therefore when it was found that about half the loan was covered by subscriptions. Underwriters are taking up something like fifty two per cent.
Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

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Renewal Notice

Final Notice to Subscribers

In going over our subscription books we find that a few subscribers have not yet renewed their subscriptions for 1912.

We have mailed a final renewal notice to each and respectfully asked for a remittance by return mail as this is positively the last week a paper will be mailed to those who have neglected to renew.

We take this opportunity of thanking the thousands of subscribers who have renewed their subscription during the past few months and who appreciate our efforts in placing this journal far in the lead of all its competitors.

Our Sworn Daily average for 1911 of

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is a record and we hope that our statement of 1912 will exceed it by many hundred. Advertisers are asked to bear this fact in mind.

Yours truly
THE CHARLOTTETOWN GUARDIAN.