

N.B. Liberals In Battle With Ont. Mining Magnate

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BATHURST, N.B. (CP) — A verbal battle is on between a member of New Brunswick's Liberal Opposition party and M. J. Boylen, Toronto mining magnate and president of the Brunswick Mining and Smelting Corp.

fields in the world, capable of meeting a large portion of the world's needs for many years to come, recently closed its operations near Bathurst on what officials called a "temporary" basis.

A company spokesman said after the annual meeting Monday no immediate consideration is being given to resumption of work in New Brunswick. Financing of

the properties would be impossible until world consumption of and production of lead and zinc were more in balance.

DESCRIBED AS PROMOTER
Charges of "stock manipulations" and small town politicking have been made through the columns of this northern New Brunswick community's weekly newspaper, the Northern Light, and on the floor of the legislature be-

fore adjournment earlier this month.

It began when Louis J. Robichaud, Opposition financial critic, said in the budget debate that Mr. Boylen was a "promoter, pure and simple." Mr. Boylen came to New Brunswick "to make a bundle of money through stock promotion. He achieved his purpose and departed with the spoils."

Mr. Robichaud also attacked Premier Fleming's aggressive Conservative government for "publicity and fanfare" given mineral prospects in the Bathurst area which he said "helped pro-

mote" Brunswick stock.

DENIES CHARGES
Later, in a Northern Light interview, Mr. Boylen termed Mr. Robichaud's blast a "pack of nonsense." He said he spent \$8,000,000 on Brunswick, \$1,800,000 on Keymet Mines, \$2,000,000 on New Larder U, all in the Bathurst area, and another \$4,000,000 on outside exploration.

"I never took a quarter out of the area," he said, "and I was a heck of a lot richer when I went in than when I came out."

He said the company was forced to close down temporarily due to low lead and zinc prices.

He said he opened the Bathurst camp, and paid good wages for six years. He still had faith in it and hadn't sold any of his own shares. About 200 men were left unemployed when Brunswick closed April 1.

He said a sound method based on a "flotation principle" had been found to separate the fine-grained materials and the company was ready to re-open at the first sign of improvement in marketing conditions.

MONEY FOR SMELTER
One of the reasons for closing was lack of money—about \$30,000,000 — to construct a lead

smelter. Mr. Boylen said he could get the money but it would mean operating at a loss of about \$700,000 a year for some time.

Mr. Boylen said he "leaned over backwards" for the people of New Brunswick and he thought he should get "more credit" for the good he had done, not be torn down by a "small-time politician who doesn't know what he is talking about."

Mr. Robichaud's reaction was immediate and unyielding. He told the legislature warnings and threats would never prevent him from saying what he believed to be true.

He recalled a Boylen press release estimating Keymet's monthly earnings at \$30,000. Shortly after, a report of closure had brought a "hot denial" from Mr. Boylen, but the mine did close. He said the pattern had been similar at New Larder U and Brunswick mines.

He said the denials of pending closure gave Mr. Boylen "time to tidy up his stock transactions."

Mr. Robichaud said his conscience rested easy for being what Mr. Boylen termed a small-

time politician, who advised the people to be on guard against promoters. He preferred that role to one of separating "innocent investors" from their savings.

COMPLICATED DRAW
ADRIAN, Mich. (AP) — Travis Fortner, 27, has dropped Westerns from his television watching list. Fortner tried out a cross-over gun draw he saw on TV. He tried to draw a .22-calibre pistol with his left hand from a holster on his right side. He shot himself in the right thigh.

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