

Springhill

AVERAGE MAN TAKING LITTLE INTEREST IN FREE COAL

AGITATION

THE ALARMING POSSIBILITY OF BEING DRIVEN FROM QUEBEC

MARKETS

SPRINGHILL, February 7.—What eyes there may be beneath there is nothing on the surface to indicate that there is here any of the agitation so pronounced throughout the mining districts of Pictou county and Cape Breton respecting the coal duties.

The average man on the street about it and he will quickly and candidly tell you that he has never given the matter of free coal or reciprocity thought. Content with the fact that there is here any of the agitation so pronounced throughout the mining districts of Pictou county and Cape Breton respecting the coal duties.

MIGHT BENEFIT SPRINGHILL

I met one employee of the company, bright intelligent man, who said such a policy regarding coal might benefit the Springhill mines.

"Why do you think so?"

"Because of the necessity by water to the New England markets," he replied, "and from the fact that we already sell a large proportion of our output, say twenty-five per cent of it, in that market. Of course it is chiefly slack coal on the water. The Springhill mines produce fifteen cents a ton, but if we can sell that amount in the face of a fifteen cents a ton duty, why could we not sell a great deal more if the duty was entirely removed."

HARVIE MURDERED BY GEORGE STANLEY

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Stanley opened the door and let me in, and said "go on through to the kitchen."

I went in and he stayed in the porch a couple of minutes fastening the door. Jim Fisher helped me with the horses. Then he came back, ordered David Fisher of the bed, and sent him out for butter and milk giving him a dollar. David, who was in bed, got up and I went out and saw the horses put in. Dave went out for the milk and meanwhile Stanley fixed the fire. Fisher returned with milk and eggs but no butter and the breakfast was cancelled. I said "Stanley I'll pay you for your trouble," and he said, "stay the day." I thought this was all right, as the man had bought the place. It was not long till some others came in, including Mrs. Fisher. I saw her at the table, then she came in at cooking. Mrs. Fisher told him she wanted some meat and potatoes and Stanley said: "I'll get them for you." He went to the porch and got a piece of meat. Then he came and got a pan, and returned, being I suppose to cellar for the potatoes.

FASTENING DEATH'S DOOR.

He told Dave Fisher to get a staple and hammer. Dave said he didn't know where there was one, but Stanley said "look around," and at last he found a staple, and got a hammer. Stanley stayed in the porch door and the two men put on the staple, and fastened the door with a chain and padlock. Stanley said: "Use the front door after this." From that time I never saw the door opened again.

BUTTERMILK

A Surer Way Out.

The "buttermilk fad," which its followers insisted was the cure for all the ills that human flesh is heir to, has been in vogue for some days.

Buttermilk is a pleasant and healthy drink, but there are a whole lot of desirable things that it cannot do. A Nebraska woman found something much more worth while. She says: "Three years ago my stomach was in such a bad condition that I could scarcely bear to take any food at all. Indeed there was once that I went for 14 days without a morsel of nourishment, preferring starvation to the acute agony that I suffered continually. And when I ate anything I had almost constant headaches and nervousness. My condition was truly pitiable.

"The doctor warned me that the coffee I drank was chiefly responsible for this condition, and ordered me to drink buttermilk instead. But I could not buttermilk and could not bring myself to use it.

"Then I was advised to try Postum Food Coffee. It has completely revived and made over my whole system. The salutary effect on my poor stomach was almost immediate. It is that straightforward, the headaches, nervousness and other troubles soon vanished. For more than a year I have not felt any distress or pain, such as I once thought would kill me.

"I can truthfully say that Postum has brought me the blessing of the perfect health I enjoy, for I gave up medicines when I began its use."

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MARTYRDOM DESCRIBED

Kingston Man tells how he Suffered and How he was Released.

"For years a martyr," is how Charles H. Powell, of 105 Raglan street, Kingston, begins his story of a martyrdom described by him. A martyr of chronic constipation, but now free from it and all its attendant troubles, he tells how he was cured of this complaint by the use of Dr. Leonard's Anti-Pill.

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BUYERS SECOND HAND CLOTHES.

Stanley came over that night said it was cold in this country, and I sold him a fur coat and a lot of other things. He had been told that his horse had been stolen in Halifax, and I sold him one that I had.

HALIFAX LAWYER NAMED COURTNEY.

He also said that a lawyer named Courtney in Halifax was looking after his business interests.

MAN WHO FOUND THE SAW.

W. J. Brown, who had searched the place on Monday, and had found the bloody saw, described its discovery. It was found behind the locked door at the head of the bed.

WEAK AND SIMPLE.

James Fisher, weak-minded and simple, was then called to the stand. The up hand-out was Stanley. The up hand-out was Stanley.

ALIBI FOR MCCARTHY.

George Spence was the last witness, and he swore that Ed. McCarthy spent the whole of Friday night at his house except the few minutes when he went to Ellershouse, thus proving an alibi for that man on the night of the murder.

BLOOD ON HANDKERCHIEF.

Mr. Christie—Where did the blood come from on the handkerchief in your pocket?

Fisher—I don't know of any blood on any handkerchief. What kind of a handkerchief?

Always Remember the Old Name

Laxative Bromo Quinine

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E. W. Johnson

Shall the People Of Halifax Own The Tramways?

Question Discussed in a Debate at the J. Wesley Smith Memorial Church.

DECIDE IN AFFIRMATIVE

The Pros and Cons of Municipal Ownership Abridged With by Speakers.

A large and attentive audience listened to the debate at the J. Wesley Smith memorial church last evening, the question being "The tramways of Halifax, shall they be owned by the people of Halifax?"

J. A. Knight, opening for the affirmative, said that the tramway franchise is a valuable asset now, and its value will increase with the growth of the city. Many cities have discarded such franchises without realizing at the time how much they were worth, or at any rate, how much they were going to be worth, and when they have come to a realization of what they have done, found their hands tied for years to come.

BETTER SERVICE, CHEAPER FARES.

In Liverpool the private service was so bad that the city ordered the company to take its tracks out of the streets. The city then put down new tracks and gave better service for cheaper fares, paying increased wages and reducing shorter hours.

J. C. MACKINTOSH REPLIES.

J. C. Mackintosh said that, although a director in the tram company, he spoke as a citizen. He said that the city should own the tramways, and that the city should own the tramways, and that the city should own the tramways.

HEAVY DEBT TO BE FEARED.

"The debt is already \$2,600,000, more than any other city in Canada," said J. C. Mackintosh. "If you buy out the company you will increase this to \$6,400,000. 25 per cent of the real estate is mortgaged already; this will add 10 per cent more to the debt."

PRESIDENT BELL SPEAKS.

President Bell, of the board of trade, thought that Mr. Mackintosh ought to have been an advertiser. If the city paid \$1,300,000 for the water works, why not pay \$1,450,000 for the tramways? He said that the city council is a committee for the people, and the latter are shareholders of the city property.

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WONDERFUL SCRIPTURAL STORY AT THE MAJESTIC THEATRE, BOSTON.

The host of New England players who so enjoyed the footlight presentation of the Biblical story of David in "The Shepherd King," are now to give a fresh treat, and that promises to be in every way as fully delightful as that previously enjoyed success, in Charles Frohman's massively picturesque production of "Mizpah," which has been so successful since its first production in other cities and is to have its first Boston performance at the Majestic theatre on Monday evening.

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