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SEEKING VAIN EXCUSES

Deliberate attempts have been made by Conservative members of Parliament and the Conservative Press throughout Canada to make it appear that Rule 17, under which the Government so insultingly deprived the Leader of the Opposition of his opportunity to speak or move an amendment to the closure resolution, had been put in the rules by Sir Wilfrid Laurier himself.

The records show that Rule 17 was adopted when the original rules of the House were formulated after Confederation, and that it has continued in existence since then.

But during 46 years neither Liberals nor Conservatives have availed themselves of it. It remained Mr. Borden under the influence of Hon. Mr. Rogers to discover and enforce this rule in a manner never intended by its framers.

That the rule was enforced in an improper manner by shutting off Sir Wilfrid Laurier after he had been "recognized" by the Speaker is shown by Bourinot, the standard authority of Parliamentary practice, who says on this very point: "It is regular to interfere with the Speaker's call in favour of any other member."

ENQUIRY A SORRY BUNGLE

Extract from Toronto Telegram, (Con.) April 30, 1913: Ontario thinks well enough of Hon. W. J. Hanna to believe that Mr. Hanna was badly served by the continuous objections of Hon. Wallace Nesbitt and by the unfair tactics of the Privileges and Elections Committee.

The harm has been done now, and cannot be undone. The Rowell Opposition has been given a reasonable excuse for posing before the province as the victim of injustice. Hon. W. J. Hanna could afford to give every latitude to his detractors and still abide the consequences of full and hostile enquiry into his every action. The Proudfoot charges called for an enquiry that would have given the Whitney Government full and complete vindication. The opportunity to secure such a vindication was frittered away in the senseless multiplication of legal quibbles, and in rulings that were worthy of the blockers' brigade in the worst days of Laurierism at Ottawa.

STEAM ROLLER METHODS

It was the general expectation that the enquiry into the Whitney-Hanna charges would lead to sensational incidents, but it was scarcely expected that there would be such a blazing electric storm as occurred on Wednesday morning when Mr. Proudfoot, Mr. Dewar, his counsel, and the Liberal members of the Committee left the room in protest. The action of the Government majority in refusing to allow investigation into the vital point of the whole case, i. e., the circumstances connected with the receipt by Hon. W. J. Hanna of a campaign contribution from the Taylor Scott Company, was not looked for. The Government majority

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might have been expected to have learnt a salutary lesson from the effect of steam-roller methods in the Public Accounts Committee last week. It was these attempts at closure which led directly to the laying of the Proudfoot charges and the embarrassment of the Government.

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Dust Flying Merchants Angry

Considerable indignation was expressed by Kent at merchants this morning over the non-appearance of the watering cart until after 9 o'clock. The dust was flying in clouds and made conditions decidedly uncomfortable. The Board of Works, it is understood, is experiencing considerable difficulty in covering all the street watering area, but the trouble will be overcome when the extra team is secured.

FIRE UNDERWATERS AND FIRE BRIGADE

Mr. John A. Robertson, secretary of the Canadian Fire Underwriters' Association, has written the council regarding the proposition to arrange for five members of the Fire Dept. to sleep in the fire hall. At present, he understood, three men slept there and this slight change would hardly enable the association to make any reduction in the present rate for the town.

TO THE TOMB

The funeral of the late Samuel Pogue took place this afternoon and was largely attended. The members of the Fire Department, the W. O. W., and C. O. F. attended in a body. Services at the house and at the grave were conducted by Rev. Jas. Wallace.

Sewer Petitions Before Council

Mr. Joseph Maunder wrote the council last night drawing attention to the fact that the petition for a sewer along Victoria Avenue south from Kent st. was not acted on. He had some houses on that street that must have sewer connections, and he was also anxious to build on the remaining property.—Referred to Board of Works.

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FOUR PERISH IN A QUEBEC SHACK EMPLOYEES ON TRANSCONTINENTAL ROAD

(Special to the Post)

QUEBEC, May 6.—A fire by which four men lost their lives and two others were probably fatally injured, occurred in a shanty at residence No. 45 on the line of the Transcontinental Railway, early yesterday.

The victims are three brothers named Lacroix, of La Tuque, and Hamel, a timekeeper, who was visiting the Lacroix brothers. The names of those injured cannot be learned as they are still unconscious, and no one in the vicinity is acquainted with them.

Residence No. 45 is 30 miles from Quebec and is occupied by the engineer of the section, while the building in which the men lost their lives was close by. The Lacroix were rodding, and Hamel was a timekeeper for another portion of the line.

The coroner of Three Rivers is on the ground waiting until the injured men regain consciousness to ascertain how the fire occurred, or what caused it.

GIBSON MUST HANG.

Charles Gibson Is Sentenced To Die on July 9th.

TORONTO, May 6.—Charles Gibson, found guilty on Nov. 23 last of the murder of Joseph Rosenthal, a Jewish junk dealer, in the Hydro-electric yards at the foot of Strachan avenue on Good Friday, 1912, is to expiate his crime on the scaffold.

In the Criminal Assize Court at the City Hall yesterday afternoon he was sentenced by Chief Justice Sir William Mulock to be hanged on Wednesday, July 9.

The court room, which was packed with spectators, was absolutely quiet as Gibson, deadly white, but composed, entered between two constables. "Have you anything to say why the sentence of the court should not be passed upon you?" asked the clerk of the court. Gibson's voice was barely audible as he replied:

"My lord, it is an injustice that I should be sentenced for a crime I did not commit. It was convicted on perjured evidence. I was advised by Aubrey Bond, counsel for Gibson, made an unprofitable plea for a reserved case on the ground that his lordship, before whom the case was tried, had made an unfair charge to the jury. After denying counsel's plea for a reserved case, Sir William advised Gibson not to hope for commutation of the sentence.

"It is not for me to say what steps the Department of Justice may take following this sentence, but I would strongly urge you to make full use of the time which remains before the sentence of the court is carried out, to ask forgiveness of our Father in heaven."

Sentence of death was then passed.

EUROPE TO JUDGE.

Montenegro Puts Scutari In Hands of Powers.

LONDON, May 6.—Sir Edward Grey, the British Foreign Minister, announced at yesterday's meeting of the ambassadors that Montenegro had unconditionally placed the question of the future of Scutari in the hands of the European powers.

The decision by King Nicholas at the very last moment, had the effect of immediately relieving the great tension in European politics, and caused unbounded satisfaction to diplomats and the general public.

The Stock Exchange at once responded to this feeling, and it was generally hoped that this action of Montenegro would do away with all necessity for military incursion into Albania such as Austria and Italy were contemplating against Esad Pasha, the former Turkish commander of Scutari. Djavid Pasha, with his refugee Turkish troops and other independent leaders, on the plea of restoring order, had the plea of restoring order, it is expected, have a salutary effect in causing other disturbing elements in the Balkan peninsula to bow to the will of Europe.

Fear Violation of Treaty.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., May 6.—Fear that the bill by Senator Rush, requiring Japanese fishermen to pay \$100 for an annual license, when other aliens are taxed but \$10, and natives only \$2.50, is in violation of the existing treaty between Japan and the United States, caused the Senate to refuse action on the measure yesterday, pending a decision by the committee on federal relations.

Two More Arrests.

OTTAWA, May 6.—Another sensation in the local ballot box stuffing charges was sprung in the police court yesterday when Omer Chartrand, a civil servant, and E. Faucher, a painter, were arrested after leaving the witness box during the preliminary hearing of the case against one of the deputies, Jos. E. Reny. The two men will face charges of personation.

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FORESTERS WANT GRANT FROM COUNCIL

A deputation appeared before the council last night from the I.O.F. in reference to the Victoria Day celebration.

Mr. E. Maxson said the I.O.F. intended holding a demonstration on Victoria Day, and incidentally boosting the town. The society desired a grant of \$50 for the day, the use of the town hall and the fees for the use of the property around the town buildings. The demonstration will cost a great deal, as they were under considerable expense. He asked the council to favorably consider the request.

Mr. Hughes said I.O.F.'s object in holding the demonstration on Victoria Day was to keep the people in town, as there had been an outcry against the custom of allowing our holidays to pass without a fitting observance. The I.O.F. was anxious to make the celebration a grand success and were making big preparations. He hoped the council would grant the request.

Mr. S. Oliver endorsed what the previous speakers stated and paid a tribute to this year's council. The celebration had been well advertised and would be a success.

The request for financial grant was referred to the Financial Committee on motion of Ald. Warren and Nichols; the free use of the town building was allowed and His Worship Mayor Beal was instructed to declare May 24th a public holiday.

NORTH EDEN.

(Special to The Post.)

May is here and with it some very warm weather, almost warm enough for July or August. Many of the farmers think a good shower of rain would do no harm, while others think the land wet enough as it is. The trees are leafing out and the plum trees are in bloom. Also the May flowers are out.

Mr. J. K. Manning and sister, Libbie, were in Woodville on Friday evening.

The fish are up, and the cry is to be heard. Are you going fishing to night?

Mr. T. J. Arnold, butcher of Lindsay, was here on Saturday with his auto. Between Mr. Arnold and Mr. Avery of Cambury, we are all kept well supplied with fresh meat during the summer.

Left to Committee

Six applications were received for the position of teamster at the fire hall. They were considered at the council meeting last night. A motion was introduced by Ald. Warren and Naylor that the matter be dealt with by the Chairman of Town Property, His Worship Mayor Beal, Reeve Kyle, Ald. Smale and Warren.

A GOOD MEDICINE FOR THE SPRING

Do Not Use Harsh Purgatives—A Tonic Is All You Need

Not exactly sick—but not feeling quite well. That is the way most people feel in the spring. Easily tired, appetite fickle, sometimes headaches, and a feeling of depression. Pimples or eruptions may appear on the skin, or there may be twinges of rheumatism or neuralgia. Any of these indicate that the blood is out of order—that the indoor life of winter has left its mark upon you and may easily develop into more serious trouble.

Do not dose yourself with purgatives, as so many people do, in the hope that you can put your blood right. Purgatives gallop through the system and weaken instead of giving strength. Any doctor will tell you this is true. What you need in spring is a tonic that will make new blood and build up the nerves. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is the only medicine that can do this speedily, safely and surely. Every dose of this medicine makes new blood which clears the skin, strengthens the appetite and makes tired, depressed men, women and children bright, active and strong. Mrs. Maude Bagg, Lemberg, Sask., says: "I can unhesitatingly recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills as a blood builder and tonic. I was very much run down when I began using the Pills, and a few boxes fully restored my health."

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OBITUARY

EDWARD REESOR.

Locust Hill, May 1.—A telegram received by J. B. Gould yesterday conveyed the intelligence of the death in Chicago, the result of an accident, of Edward Reesor, at the early age of 24 years. Mr. Reesor was well-known in Markham Township, where he was born, and was a brother-in-law of J. B. Gould, "Spruce Square Farm", from which place the funeral takes place today (Friday) at 2.30 to Locust Hill Cemetery.

The deceased was a cousin of Mr. W. E. Reesor, who attended the funeral today.

CHARLES LEON BAKER.

Death's final call came to an honored and respected citizen of the town Wednesday evening in the person of Charles Leon Baker to his ninety-fifth year.

The life of the late Mr. Baker was part and parcel of the early history of the town. He was one of its pioneer business men, coming to Lindsay the year after the big fire (1861). The name of C. L. Baker was familiar all over the Midland district and probably no business man was better known than the deceased.

Personally, Mr. Baker was a man of affable disposition. Straight and true to his business dealings, he was a pleasant man to do business with. He has been out of active service for some years, nevertheless the announcement of his death to-day, expected though it has been for some days, will cause feelings of keenest sorrow amongst those who knew and respected the veteran citizen.

He is survived by one brother, Thomas in Verdun, Quebec, five sons and four daughters. The sons are Messrs. W. E. and W. J. Baker, of Lindsay, C. H. of Toronto, A. H., Albuquerque, New Mexico, and C. L. Baker, Council Bluffs, Iowa. The daughters are Caroline Louise, Grand Junction, Colorado, Mary R., Dell and Margaret of Lindsay.

The late Mr. Baker was a member of the Roman Catholic Church and was a faithful attendant until his illness incapacitated him.

The funeral will leave the family residence, 2 Glenelg-st., on Saturday May 3rd, at 8.30 and proceed to St. Mary's church, thence to Roman Catholic cemetery for interment.

The late Mr. Baker was born in Quebec province, and as stated above came to Lindsay in 1862. He started in business on King street, East Ward, but afterwards built a frame store on the corner of Peel and William streets which is now used as a terrace. Old residents state that this business house was a very busy mart as Mr. Baker did a tremendous business throughout this district.

Owing to the increased trade which the store enjoyed, due in a great measure to Mr. Baker's integrity and straightforwardness, the block at present occupied by Adams Bros, was erected by Mr. Baker in 1875, and at that time was one of the largest business houses in Central Ontario. The C. L. Baker store was known for miles around and it was a common sight to see a procession of wagons leaving the store, laden with goods for the north country. At that time many a young clerk who afterwards embarked in a successful business enterprise, received his training under Mr. Baker. He was the soul of honor and his name was synonymous with square dealing.

In the early eighties, Mr. Baker retired from business and afterwards removed to Grand Forks, N. D., living there for eight years. He then returned to his native town and engaged for some time in the grain business, until his declining health, and the infirmities of old age, called a halt to an active business life.

The late Mr. Baker was a Liberal in politics. He was of a retiring disposition, although active in business life. His death removes one who leaves behind him an unblemished record as an ideal citizen.

BORN

Miss Bertha C. Symonds, eldest daughter of the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Symonds of Montreal, to Mr. H. Percy Thornhill, of Montreal, son of the Rev. A. P. Thornhill, of Sussex England. The marriage will take place quietly in Christ Church Cathedral on Wednesday afternoon, May 21st., at half past four o'clock.

Mr. R. H. Hopkins, B.A., Sc., of the faculty of the School of Applied Science, Toronto University, motored down from Toronto yesterday afternoon to spend some time at his home here.

WELCOMED A KICKING.

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RUSHING WORK ON THE RAIL

The work on Lindsay's railway is progressing nicely. A Post-visit to the site Wednesday found everybody hard at work. Excavation is being made at north and nine feet in depth, with picks and shovels doing the work, the earth being elevated means of a steam hoist. Down convey it to the centre of the excavation, where it is deposited to fill it up to the floor level. Excavation will be made in south end also. The basement accommodate two hot air stoves one at each end, as well as a room for rifles, a plunge bath. The foundation below the line will be concrete. Above ground it will be stone with face. The top of the building entrance will be at the south facing Kent street, with a porch each side. The width will be 100 feet and the length about 130 feet.

Mr. M. Leary, of Peterborough, the foreman in charge of the

Arrested and Fined

At a session of police court this morning at which Magistrate son presided a man from Township was fined \$2.00 and \$5.00 being the costs of the request of the court that he come in with this is his fence. He was arrested last near the corner of Kent and streets by Constable John Constable Short is giving service in keeping the street drunks during the hours of

Dogs Killed Sheep

Mr. John Walker, of ... lost two sheep on Wednesday animals it is claimed were death by dogs belonging to ... sies camped at the Pottery

Week-End Special To Bobcaygeon

An improvement is to be about by the C. P. R. The rule of the Toronto-Bobcaygeon known as the week-end instead of leaving Toronto at Saturday, as was the case on this train will not leave on days until 1.30 p. m. This business man to stay until after 1 p. m. On the train arrives in Toronto on Sunday.

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