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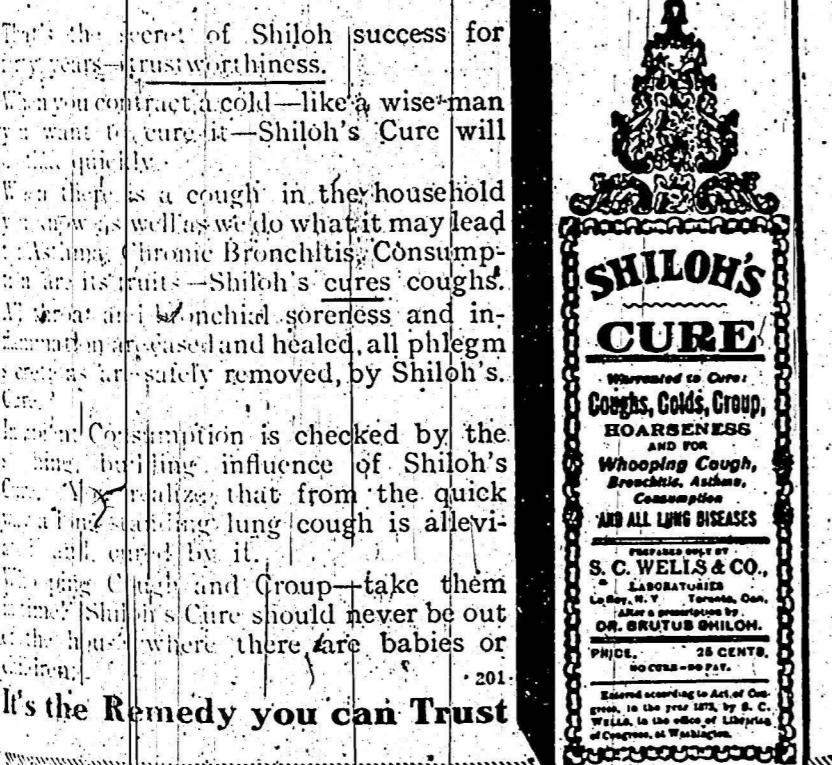
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REFERENDUM POSSIBLE

Proposal Made to Refer Veto Question to the People.

Unionists Are Not Believed to Be Opposed to Such an Action on the Part of the Liberals—Budget's Fate Seems Sealed If Asquith Cannot Find Some Means of Dealing With the Veto Bill.

London, Feb. 28.—The month is closing with the fate of the Government still hanging in the balance at John Redmond sticks to his determination to lead his Irish followers against the Budget. Unless the Government only discloses a scheme of dealing with the veto of the House of Lords, which he approves, but also gives assurance that it can down the opposition of the Lords to this scheme, no means are apparent by which the Government can save the budget. Strong rumors are current of a profound change in the political situation following Prime Minister Asquith's audience with the King Saturday immediately after that audience. Mr. Asquith summoned his colleagues to a Cabinet Council, which lasted three hours. The impression prevails here that the Premier surrendered to the radical extremists' object to reforms of the Lords being discussed before the veto question is tackled.

It is also rumored that there is a proposal for submitting the single question of the House of Lords' veto power to a popular direct vote, upon a result of which legislation would now immediately upon the reassembling of the House at the conclusion of the spring recess. It is believed that such a referendum would receive no serious objection from the Unionists.

However, all is mere surmise until Monday. Then the country will know how far these rumors are correct, for Mr. Asquith will at that time make a statement which may possibly meet the objections raised to his policy. His opinion grows nevertheless that another general election is inevitable.

Czar Drives in Streets.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 28.—With no formal announcement in the court circle the Czar has definitely given up his five years' seclusion and is almost daily driving in the streets. Three last week he has traversed the main streets at the busiest of the afternoon with no interference to the traffic beyond keeping the crossings clear as his Victoria, drawn by two horses, approaches when the police chance to see him.

The Czar uses a pony English victoria with a low back, entirely open. The coachman and footman are seated high in front.

In a recent without any appearance of formality, the Czar's reception everywhere has been friendly and respected. Any demonstration. His escort is now followed by all the members of the imperial family in St. Petersburg. In addition to visiting military schools and hospitals the Czar has called on some of the leading families.

Tired of Debate.

Ottawa, Feb. 28.—Dissatisfaction with the long drawn out nature of the naval debate is becoming general. A motion is expected to be made today in the House by D. A. Gribbon, Liberal member for Kent, who will ask that the debate be brought to a termination. At the present rate of progress it will continue for several weeks to come.

Meanwhile other public business is behind. The estimates are not half disposed of and all those that are to come are contentious. Yet the financial year will close on March 31. The revision of the Bank Act is to come yet. Another important measure is H. Mackenzie's King's anti-combines bill.

This will occupy a considerable time and it is hardly possible if all proposed measures are dealt with that Parliament will prorogue before June.

Quebec By-Elections.

Montreal, Feb. 28.—Nominations took place Saturday in Argenteuil and Drummond, the vacancy in the former being caused by the elevation of Hon. W. A. Weir to the Superior Court bench, and by the resignation of H. Laferte in Drummond. In the last named county, Hon. Jules Allard, Minister of Lands and Forests, who has resigned his seat in the Legislative Council, was nominated by the Government party, while Major Garneau was put up by a coalition between the Nationalists and Conservatives.

Jurors' Act in N.B.

Fredericton, N.B., Feb. 28.—In the Legislature the Premier introduced the Jurors' Act, and said that at present selection was in the hands of the sheriff, who was open to the charge of favoritism in making a choice of men. The bill provides for a committee consisting of the clerk of the court, the sheriff, and the sheriff to make the selection of both the grand and petit jurors by drawing names from a box containing tickets with the names of all eligible to serve, thus securing absolute fairness.

Widow Charged With Murder.

Kincardine, Mo., Feb. 28.—Warrants issued by the Adair County Circuit Court on a report of special grand jury resulted in the arrest of Mrs. Procter-Vaughan and Dr. J. K. Hull of Monroe City, Mo., on the charge of murder by strichine poisoning of Prof. J. T. Vaughan. Mrs. Vaughan, widow of the professor, was released on \$25,000 bail, and the physician on \$7,500.

Sentenced to Keep Sober.

New York, Feb. 28.—On condition that he promise not to take a drink in the next twenty-five years, he was suspended on Michael Lyons, who had been convicted of assisting a burglar to break into a drug store for the purpose of a drink. The testimony showed that Lyons was drunk at the time.

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REYNOLDS HONORED

King Recognizes Heroism of North Bay Conductor

FELLOW CITIZENS JOYOUS

North Bay Holds a Big Festival on Hearing That His Majesty Has Conferred the Albert Medal for Bravery on Land to Hero of Spanish River Disaster—Message From Lord Strathcona Received.

Ottawa, Feb. 26.—Earl Grey received yesterday morning the following cable from Lord Crewe:

"London, Feb. 25.—His Majesty has been pleased to confer the Albert Medal of the first class on Thomas Reynolds. (Signed) 'Grey'."

This is in accordance with the recommendation forwarded His Majesty last week by the Secretary of State, asking that the heroism of Conductor Reynolds in rescuing the passengers in the Spanish River railway wreck be recognized by the granting of His Majesty's medal for heroic service in saving life.

The Albert medal dates from 1866, with extensions in 1867 and 1877, and is a recognition of acts of gallantry. Its recipients are ranged in two divisions, the one receiving a badge inscribed "for gallantry in saving life at sea," the other with the closing words varied to "on land." Each division has now two classes.

THOMAS REYNOLDS.

A bronze garter around it, that of the other being wholly in bronze; both are oval and contain an Albert Crown and the cipher V.A., to which, in the sea division, an anchor is added. The suspending ribbon in this division is dark blue, with four white stripes in the first class and two in the second; in the land division it is crimson with similar white stripes.

North Bay Celebrates.

North Bay, Feb. 26.—North Bay was in full swing last night and united in doing honor to the hero of the Spanish River wreck, Thos. Reynolds, who yesterday received word that His Majesty the King had been pleased to confer the Albert medal upon him. Reynolds is the first Canadian to receive the Albert medal.

The demonstration began with a torchlight procession, headed by a band, Reynolds sitting in a cutter drawn by a number of citizens. At the opera house, which was speedily filled to the doors, with cheering throng, Mayor Rankin took the chair and the following telegram was read:

"From Major Lanesborough, governor-general's secretary: 'Have much pleasure in informing you that the governor-general has received cable from the Secretary of State for Colonies, informing his excellency that His Majesty the King has been pleased to confer the Albert medal upon him. Reynolds is the first Canadian to receive the Albert medal.'

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"The long distance service is by its nature a monopoly," declared Mr. Lucas. "The ideal, of course, would be that every man with a telephone should be able to reach every other man with a telephone." The Dominion Government, however, had declined for the present to take up the question of public ownership of trunk lines.

"The first step," Mr. Lucas continued, "must come from the Ottawa Government. They must say what they refused to say to Manitoba. 'We will give you the power to deal with the company'."

"This bill of no honorable friend is a practical bill, The Dominion Railway Board controls the Bell Telephone Co. Power to control the Ontario companies. With this power, and the Dominion Government exercising their power, we could weld the whole telephone system of the province into one system."

From Hon. Charles Murphy, Secretary of State, "Required to-day," his statement from Lord Strathcona: "Greatly pleased to advise you that King has awarded Albert medal of first class to Thomas Reynolds. When received it will be transmitted immediately. Accept my hearty congratulations."

Telegram of congratulation was read from Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the C.I.R. Speeches were made by Bishop Scollard, Mayor Rankin, John Ferguson, president of the Board of Trade; J. E. Black, superintendent, T. & N. O. Railway; D. J. Purvis, D. J. McRae, Revs. Johnston, Addison and Bishop Wm. McKenzie. Magistrate Weiger, D. H. Williams, Mr. Reynolds replied modestly, contenting himself with a few words of thanks for the ovation.

Tariff Negotiations.

Ottawa, Feb. 26.—In the Commons shortly before the House adjourned at 12.30 this morning, J. D. Taylor (New Westminster) asked the Finance Minister whether the Government had any communication to make regarding the United States tariff. Press despatches from Washington indicated that there had been negotiations in progress with Ottawa.

Mr. Fielding said: "The matter is not in a condition which would permit me to make any communication at present to the House."

Year in Central Prison.

Toronto, Feb. 26.—Despite the fact that Detective Miller interrupted him in the act of selling lead pipe and taps, which he had taken from a vacant house in Ward Seven, William Finch met with still further discourtesies at the hands of Police Magistrate Dawson in the Police Court yesterday. Finch told the magistrate of the riot, interference of the detective, the colonel with equal impoliteness sent him away for a year's residence in the Central Prison.

Three Killed in Strike Battle.

Pontiac, Feb. 26.—During a clash between the sugar-cutters, who are on strike, and the soldiers, three strikers were killed and several wounded. Two gendarmes received wounds. The sugar-works are burning, having been fired by the strikers.

Death Stops Arbitration.

Guelph, Feb. 26.—The special meeting of the arbitration board of the National Electrical Workers' Union was broken off suddenly when Alexander C. Starr, counsel for the board, died. The meeting was indefinitely postponed.

PARTIES ARE UNITED OPPOSES EXEMPTIONS

Charters' Phone Bill Meets With General Approval.

It is the Only Practical Way of Handling the Situation, Declares Hon. I. B. Lucas—Hon. A. G. MacKay Says Bill Is Along the Right Lines—It Touches the Social Side of Farm Life—Over 400 Companies