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SCHEME ENDS

No Power Exploitation on St. Lawrence.

A CANADIAN TRIUMPH

PROPOSAL AT LAST BROUGHT TO DEFEAT.

American Section of International Waterways Commission Decided That Powers be Used in Interests of Both Countries.

Washington, Jan. 12.—The persistent attempt of the Long Sault Development Company, a Pittsburg concern, to obtain from the United States and Canadian governments the use of the water of the Long Sault Rapids in the St. Lawrence River, near Cornwall, thereby arousing one of the bitterest oppositions ever given to such a scheme from Canada, has at last been brought to defeat.

The American members of the International Waterways Commission have put themselves on record as opposed to the scheme of the company and advising that the governments of both nations formulate a plan for the development of the unused water powers of the rapids.

The report sets out that the members are convinced the powers should be utilized in the interests of both countries. The United States government, the document goes on to say, has, however, so many other demands upon it at the present time for the development of other waterways that it could hardly be counted upon to consider favorably their suggestion. Therefore, the Canadian government would either be obliged to carry it out alone or with the aid of private capital. The members are agreed that the interests involved could only be safeguarded by government ownership. If done by capital, says the report, it should be under the strictest governmental control, remembering always that the interests of navigation were paramount and the interests of the power purposes purely incidental and secondary.

With this in view, the members of the Commission give a series of drastic amendments which, they claim, should be made to the bill introduced to congress by Mr. Mabley, of Buffalo, on behalf of the Long Sault Development company. These provisions include a clause to the effect that property in the dams should be ceded on completion to the United States government with perpetual right to use the water powers when, and only when, it would not interfere with navigation. Another provision submitted is that the whole scheme, in so far as it is within United States territory, should be subject to the secretary of war for military purposes when required.

Still another proposed clause is that the scheme should only become effective on condition that the government of Canada gives its consent and that it should become void if that consent were not given in two years. Then another amendment is that the whole scheme should be completed in five years, instead of within fifteen years, as was the company's proposition in their bill.

Mrs. J. Dussar, aged eighty-five, was crushed to death between two street cars in Toronto, on Wednesday.

East York conservatives talk of all British parties lining up against the Nationalists.

DAILY MEMORANDA.

Board of Education, 8 p.m.
Band at Stadium Ring to-night.
Lena Ashwell at Grand, 8:15 p.m.
Band at Stadium Ring, Thursday night.
Revival meeting, Queen Street Methodist Church, 8 p.m.
14th Band at the Palace Ring, Friday night. Good luck.

Talks by the Advertising Man

Advertising and Town-Growth

Four new industries in one day as the result of advertising is the record made by the Greater Des Moines Committee and Commercial Club.

The people of that city believed that it possessed certain advantages which if realized by manufacturers would induce them to locate there.

Advertising space was employed to set forth in a plain, commonsense way the facts about these advantages. The result is that the wanted industries are coming in bunches.

Every town has some advantages to offer as inducements: good transportation facilities, accessibility to markets, abundant supply of skilled labor, cheap fuel or power, or some other feature equally essential to the successful operation of some manufacturer's plant.

The chances are that the lack of some one of these considerations has just about decided some manufacturer somewhere to look for a new location for the bigger factory which he must build to meet the growing demand for his product.

What we, in this town, have to offer may be just what he wants. But he won't know unless we tell him, and the most effective method to employ is advertising.

Municipal advertising is the new way to make towns grow.

GIVE WOMAN HALF CHANCE

And She Can Reason Just as Well as Man.

New York, Jan. 12.—"If man is the mighty affair he thinks he is, why should he be afraid of political competition by the woman? If he's not such a mighty affair, then it's time she stepped down and gave the ladies a chance to show what they can do in politics."

With these words, "Big Tim" Sullivan, Tammany leader on the Bowery and a member of the assembly, came out yesterday for women's suffrage. The Bowery chieftain aligned himself under the suffrage standard with many glib phrases. "Give a woman half a chance" said he, "and you will find she can reason just as well and generally is a good deal fairer and squarer than a man. You can give me a woman with the heart every time—you can go to sleep on the way she is going to act."

"Big Tim" accompanied his interview with the announcement that he is going to work very hard in the state legislature for a bill enfranchising women and giving them equal political rights with men in every particular.

"Women ought to vote if they think it is going to make things any better for them," he declared.

"Woman suffrage has been a success in the states in which it has been tried. You would be surprised to see the number of letters I get from women living in the Bowery district who want to vote."

"Just a few years ago we were turning up our grand white faces and saying the black man couldn't vote because his face wasn't white. Now it's the women who are not fit. Anybody who believes in universal suffrage must believe in woman's suffrage."

STEPPED ON MATCHES.

Employees at E. B. Eddy's Were Searched in Accident.

Ottawa, Jan. 12.—Accidentally stepping on some matches in the match factory of the E. B. Eddy company, Miss E. St. Louis, of Hull, an employee, had a narrow escape with her life.

The matches ignited and caught her clothing, the girl running screaming from the mill. Charles De Repentigny, a timekeeper, managed to get hold of the girl and tearing off her clothing probably saved her life. De Repentigny came away with badly burnt arms and hands, while the girl escaped with minor injuries to her limbs.

Steamer Caught Fire.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 12.—The steamer Flyer, which left Seattle for Tacoma yesterday morning with 100 passengers, caught fire when she had gone but a short distance on her way on account of a valve feeding the supply of oil to the furnace getting out of order. The boat was headed close to the shore, so that she could be beached if necessary.

The sinking steamer was turned on the burning oil and the fire extinguished. The passengers were badly frightened.

Strike Riot in Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 12.—Striking garment workers armed with blackjacks, severely injured Mrs. Lottie Millsbaugh and her two daughters, Dorothy and Cele, while they were on their way to work yesterday, precipitating a riot in which many strike-breakers were beaten senseless and left on the streets.

C.P.R. Agent Dead in New York.

Montreal, Jan. 12.—R. D. Annable, C.P.R. general foreign freight agent in New York City, died there suddenly last night. He was a brother of W. G. Annable, of this city, who is general passenger agent for Canada of the C.P.R. steamship services.

Portuguese Railway Strikes.

Lisbon, Portugal, Jan. 12.—A major portion of the railroad employees in Portugal struck yesterday. The government had long been warned of the movement and took active measures to maintain the service, with partial success.

HOUSE MEETS

For the First Time Since the Holidays

LOTS OF WORK AHEAD

THERE WILL BE PLENTY OF SCANDAL, TOO.

Eight Hour Day Bill Discussed—Question of C.N.R. Passing Through Perth, Westport, and Newboro Argued by Rival Deputations.

Ottawa, Jan. 12.—The house resumed session, yesterday afternoon, after the Christmas holidays. It was private members' day, and most of the time of the afternoon was spent in a reply to numerous questions that had been filed—ones of no great general interest. They adjourned at six o'clock.

The report of Rev. John McLaughlin, regarding the St. Peter's Reserve Indians, was presented and tabled.

The Miller interest bill was also up and will be discussed fully later on.

A bill introduced by Mr. Carvel, relative to a standard weight for a barrel of potatoes, passed its third and final reading.

These are small issues, but far from indicating the programme that is ahead of the members. In fact there are scores of big subjects to be discussed within the next four months, and the opposition is ready and eager for the fray.

The failure of the Farmers' bank will add interest to the discussion of the bank act, as there will be determined efforts made to secure some system of government inspection, there being a widespread opinion that the proposed shareholders' audit, which is incorporated in the bill, is insufficient to protect the interests of the shareholders.

The Washington negotiations will, of course, lead to a long debate, but this will be stayed until the return of Messrs. Fielding and Patterson, next week. This will, naturally, bring up the demands of the western farmers and the counter representations of the manufacturers, who are coming to Ottawa in force, on Friday, to interview the premier and his colleagues.

The budget speech waits on the decision of the reciprocity negotiations; but it should be delivered at any time which would suit Mr. Fielding's convenience and the government's decision as to tariff policy, all the figures and estimates being in readiness.

The "scandal" feature of the session promises to be sensational and interesting. Already the conservatives have enough material on hand to keep the public accounts committee busy for many weeks. And among the ammunition will be delivered at any time which would suit Mr. Fielding's convenience and the government's decision as to tariff policy, all the figures and estimates being in readiness.

The eight-hour day bill was up, yesterday, and was discussed for some time. A deputation from the Dominion Trades Congress has been here in reference to it. Sir Wilfrid Laurier intimated that it was to be in reference to government work only. It is understood that it will likely pass.

Whether the Canadian Northern Railway will be built from Toronto to Ottawa should pass through Newboro, Westport or Perth, was argued at length by rival deputations before the minister of railways. A plan was approved, but the company by seeking to make some changes, has opened up again the whole question. The advantages of the rival places were set forth at length, while the plan of the company was different from any of them. The minister did not announce any decision.

The Canadian Manufacturers' Association has applied to one of the city hotels for at least sixty rooms for its representative deputation on the tariff which will arrive here this evening and be received by the premier to-morrow.

A great deal of interest is taken in the deputation which will make reply to the recent representations of the farmers.

York Loan Liquidation.

Toronto, Jan. 12.—Liquidation proceedings in the York Loan case will be the lightest on record. The total cost including solicitor's fees, will not be over \$150,000. The cost of liquidation may be two and one-half per cent. of the assets, but in any event will not be over five per cent. The cost of winding up the Atlas Loan company was thirty per cent.

Divorce From Jesse James' Son.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 12.—Stella E. James was granted a divorce from Jesse P. James, son of Jesse James, the famous bandit, in the circuit court here last night. James did not contest the suit. Mrs. James was in the custody of their four children and \$100 a month alimony.

Eclipse of the Sun.

Tutuila, Samoa, Jan. 12.—A party of German scientists, headed by Dr. Wegener, has arrived here from German Samoa, to establish a station for the observation of the total eclipse of the sun on April 29th. This eclipse is said to be visible only from the island of Tutuila, in American Samoa.

ABOLISH PLURAL VOTE.

Move to be Made in Quebec Province for its Abolition.

Montreal, Jan. 12.—It is announced that the Mutual Reform Club intends to inaugurate a vigorous campaign in Montreal for the abolition of the plural vote in the province of Quebec. The movement will be launched on Saturday night, when the club will pass the following resolution: "Resolved, that the election law of this province should be amended so that no elector should be permitted under any circumstances to poll more than one vote in any election."

ALL RETAINED

No Changes Made By Archbishop Gauthier

IN OTTAWA DIOCESE

HIS GRACE TO RESIDE IN CATHEDRAL HOUSE.

The List of the Appointments—Residence of Archbishop is Being Got Ready For His Arrival at the Capital.

Special to the Whig.
Ottawa, Jan. 12.—Rev. Mgr. Gauthier, of Kingston, the newly-appointed archbishop of the Catholic diocese of Ottawa, has made the various appointments in connection with the office in the diocese and at the cathedral. The archbishop is retaining intact all the officials who acted under the late Archbishop Duhamel, including Rev. Mgr. J. O. Routhier, as vicar-general. An impression has, up to the present, prevailed in some circles, that certain changes might be made in connection with the administrative offices and that among other things, the archbishop would bring to Ottawa with him the administrator of the Kingston diocese, Rev. Father McDonald. The list of appointments in Ottawa, however, puts an end to these impressions.

Following are the principal offices of the diocese: Vicar-general, Rev. J. O. Routhier; procurator, Rev. Canon Campeau; secretary at the archbishop's palace, Rev. F. X. Brunet; chapter of canons, Rev. S. Routhier; archdeacon, L. N. Campeau; archdeacon, G. Bouillon; J. A. Platin, J. F. Belanger, S. Philip, P. P. Beauchamp, P. Corkery, J. A. Sloan; assessors, Rev. W. J. Murphy, Rev. Canon Platin, Rev. M. J. Whelan. The basilica staff consists of: Pastor, Rev. Mgr. Routhier, Canon L. N. Campeau, Canon Platin, Rev. Father Brunet, J. J. Desjardins, O. Lalonde, J. Labean, P. J. Lespinois.

Another impression that has prevailed in some quarters is that the archbishop might not reside at the cathedral house here at all, but might take up quarters elsewhere in the city, following the idea of the archbishop of Toronto. This impression, though, has been dispelled in the fact that for several weeks past the authorities at the cathedral house have been busy preparing quarters there for Mgr. Gauthier and that they are now about ready for occupation.

SHIPMENTS TO UNITED STATES.

Talk of Having the Consul's \$2.50 Tax Abolished.

Ottawa, Jan. 12.—There is talk in the capital of asking reciprocity with the United States on a point where some now exists. All shipments of goods from Canada, to the United States of a value of \$100 or over must have attached to them a document from the United States consulate. To obtain that document it is necessary to pay \$2.50, which, to all intents, is an increase in the regular schedule of duties. There are no Canadian consuls in the United States, so there could be any corresponding argument.

ALFONSO IN MOROCCO.

King Given a Great Ovation by the Tribesmen.

Melilla, Jan. 12.—King Alfonso, yesterday, visited the Spanish positions at Hakkidi and Yazoub. When his majesty passed through the territory of the chieftains Beni Sicut and Beni Bugafar, ruled over by Ab-El-Kader, formerly chief of Harve; he was given a great ovation. The chieftains attached themselves to his suite and accompanied him on his tour of observation. His majesty will prolong his stay here two days longer than the time originally arranged.

Rioters Sent to Prison.

Berlin, Jan. 11.—Twenty-nine of the thirty-five men accused of taking part in the recent riot riots in the Mohit quarter have been found guilty, and sentenced to terms ranging from three and a half years to one month's imprisonment. Three of them were fined and three were acquitted. The court held that the police in many instances exceeded their power but did not act brutally. Moreover, the situation was a very difficult one.

Smuggling of Aliens.

New York, Jan. 12.—Immigration inspectors caused the arrest yesterday of a Captain Demetrios Royadjidis and two stewards of the Greek steamer Paris, docked in Brooklyn, on a charge of attempting to smuggle into this country Constantinos Macarakidjo who was on the manifest as an assistant steward. He is now held on Ellis Island as a witness.

The Fifth Victim Dead.

Sherbrooke, Que., Jan. 12.—Mrs. David Baril, of Warwick, is dead, the fifth victim of the Christmas Eve fire, when her four children were hurried to death, and she tried to save them. Her husband is still in a precarious condition in the hospital.

Toronto Skater the Favorite.

New York, Jan. 12.—Lot R. Roe, of Toronto, international skating speed champion in the favorite at the pond contest here, on January 23rd, when scores of skaters of European and American records will be competitors.

SHE IS OUT FOR GOOD.

Excommunicated Christian Science Leader Has Few Supporters.

New York, Jan. 12.—Any idea that the adherents of Mrs. Stetson, the ex-communicated leader of the First church, Christian Science, may have been looking to the securing of a controlling membership in the board of trustees in the church through the election which is to be held on January 17th, was given a severe setback yesterday when a meeting of the congregation endorsed all of the present anti-Stetson board of trustees. Unless those supporting Mrs. Stetson put a rival ticket in the field before next Tuesday evening, the present board of trustees will continue in office and the Stetson incident will be practically closed. Virgil O. Strickler, the first reader of the church, announced that at the expiration of his three years' term as first reader of the church next July, he would cease to have any official connection with the First church in New York. He would not be a candidate for trustee nor would he continue in his present position. Mr. Strickler said, about 700 members of the church attended the meeting.

BANDITS SHOOT OFFICER.

G. C. Sayers Desperately Wounded in a Fight.

Victoria, B.C., Jan. 12.—G. C. Sayers, said to be a detective, in a dying condition, from Alberta, here, had a desperate fight with two men wanted in Saskatchewan for highway robbery, there, and for breaking into boxes on the Grand Trunk at Yorkton, Sask. The story is that he trailed the two men from the latter place and caught up with them in a camp near Alberta. He posted one of his men outside while he himself entered the camp to make the arrest. A fight ensued, in which Sayers was shot, but with what strength he had left he backed up against a wall and there fought till he fell from loss of blood. His comrades, however, succeeded in arresting the men, who are now held at Alberta. Sayer made several arrests single-handed in Edson.

THE CHINESE ASSEMBLY.

Has Adjourned, But Accomplished Much Good.

Pekin, Jan. 12.—The national assembly which met on Oct. 3rd, has adjourned after a session that has been characterized by frequent clashes with the throne and the grand council, but which, nevertheless, has been productive of good in its special mission of preparing the way for a general parliament in 1913. The palace and the assembly each appear to have a lesson from the deliberation just closed. The throne has been made aware that the people are determined to have a voice in the government. On the other hand, the radical element has been given to understand that ill-advised legislation or movements designed to undermine the central government will not be tolerated.

BLOWN INTO THE WATER.

A Number of Lives Lost at Prince Rupert, B.C.

Special to the Whig.
Ottawa, Jan. 12.—A special from Prince Rupert, B.C., announces that through an explosion on a railway grade on the harbor front, there, today, John Bowman, of Kenora, Ont., a gang bossman, and four engineers were killed. All were blown into the water.

Will Wed Dying Actress.

Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 12.—"Give me a marriage license in a hurry," said William A. Allen, forty, as he rushed into the Probate Office yesterday. He said that his bride-to-be was dying and wanted to marry her in the Charity hospital. The girl is Miss Dorothy C. Saiter, an actress. After he got the license Mr. Allen learned that the Rev. Father Duffy, who was to wed them, had left the city and would not return until today, so the marriage was put off until then. Three of the patients in the same ward with Miss Saiter will be witnesses. Miss Saiter has been in the hospital three months and recently her condition has grown worse.

Fatally Injuries His Bride.

Baltimore, Md., Jan. 12.—Following a quarrel with his bride of a month, Joseph F. Robb, thirty years old, fractured her skull with a hammer, inflicting wounds which are expected to result fatally. Robb then went to the river front and jumped in with the intention of drowning himself, but changed his mind and came ashore. He was arrested later. The bride, who is twenty-nine years old, was Miss Julia Dean, of Harrisburg, Pa. Jealousy and the alleged refusal of his wife to give him money was said to have been the motive for Robb's deed.

News Over Telephone System.

Montreal, Jan. 12.—Louis-Louis De Dooy, representing European capitalists, is here arranging for the installation of a system of sending news of sermons and theatre plays over a flying machine, which has worked out well in European cities and is now being introduced in New York and Chicago.

Slander Action for \$10,000.

Walkerville, Jan. 12.—E. H. Holland, the defeated candidate in the recent majority election, brought action for \$10,000 against John Bailey, international revenue officer, for alleged slander, arising out of a speech delivered by Bailey against Holland's candidature.

The Limit for Pastors.

Ottawa, Jan. 12.—The Ottawa Presbytery, in session Wednesday morning, decided not to adopt the overture, that a time limit be fixed with regard to pastors. It favored fixing the length of time which a pastor could serve on any one charge at six years.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

SPECIAL FOR TOMORROW

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DEVILS IN FLYING MACHINE.

Cheung Quan Says That is Why Chinamen Gave Up Aviation.

Baltimore, Jan. 12.—Chinamen are interested in aviation and have been so for a long time, according to Cheung Quan, the son of a rich silk manufacturer, of Canton, China, who is studying machinery and engineering here.

He was sent to this country by the Chinese government to learn the latest news from top to bottom, and has been here at five years.

Speaking of aviation, he says: "Chinamen have long been interested in aviation, and Chinese history shows that a Chinaman constructed a flying machine about 1,000 years ago. It worked all right for a while, then he became infested with devils and killed the inventor. For some years, it seems, nobody cared to try again."

Murdered Woman for \$45.

Providence, R.I., Jan. 12.—Confronted by the pearl-handled clasp knife found near the body of Mrs. Minnie Fine, who was murdered and mutilated, Saturday, Clifford Thompson, the negro, accused of the crime, broke down and confessed that he had killed the woman for her money and secured \$45.

H. M. Graydon, of London, has been appointed by the provincial government as temporary police magistrate of London.