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Unseemly Discussion in House of Commons

WILD DISORDER

A LETTER THE DEPUTY-SPEAKER WOULDN'T PASS.

The Statement of Mr. Sealey in regard to the Votes Cast by Six Conservatives—The Printing Bureau and the Investigation Thereof.

Special to the Whig.

Ottawa, April 26.—Some disorder characterized the sitting of parliament yesterday afternoon. The debate of the previous night over the Globe's article that six conservatives voted for reciprocity was continued with renewed vigor. Both Sir Wilfrid Laurier and R. L. Borden tried in vain to curb the unseemly discussion, but were unsuccessful. The greatest uproar began when Hon. Mr. Pugsley attempted to read a letter from the Globe's press gallery representative, H. W. Anderson, purporting to censure Dr. Sprout and Haughton Lemox for stating that Mr. Anderson was a libeler. The speaker ruled the letter out of order and the conservatives shouted with joy over what they thought was a great victory.

In a ringing speech Mr. Lancaster, Lincoln, declared that according to the Globe, if the conservatives voted for reciprocity, then those liberals who voted against Mr. Sealey's amendment must have been opposed to the agreement.

Hon. Mr. Pugsley thought it was very unfair for members of this house to call a newspaper man a liar, shielded as they were by parliament, and not allow the newspaper man who had written the article an opportunity of squaring himself both with the members of parliament and his newspaper.

Mr. Sealey, the mover of the amendment, was in his seat and took the opportunity of stating that what appeared in the Globe was correct, except that it was Mr. Goodeve, of Kootenay, instead of Mr. Henderson, of Halton, who voted with him on the conservative side.

The debate ended when Mr. Northrup (East Hastings) took up the matter of investigating the affairs of the printing bureau. He pointed out that it was necessary to appoint a royal commission to investigate the whole affair from top to bottom. He moved an amendment to this effect, but it was voted down by the government.

Hon. Charles Murphy, secretary of state, explained that every phase of the affairs of the bureau had already been thoroughly investigated by the public accounts committee, and there was nothing left to investigate. He thought this was the opinion of the house and the country. In conclusion he added that there was going to be a more searching investigation made by any department of any government than was made by his department in respect to the printing bureau.

The total immigration into Canada for the fiscal year ending March 31st last was 311,684. The immigration from the United States was 121,451 and by ocean ports, 189,633. The total immigration for the previous fiscal year was 208,794, 103,798 being from the United States and 101,996 entered by ocean ports. The increase for the last fiscal year was forty-nine per cent.

Tried to Crucify Playmate.

Pittsburgh, Pa., April 26.—Seven young Wimberding boys, whose ages range from six to eight, after seeing moving pictures of the "Passion Play," made a realistic attempt to reproduce the play and started to nail one of their number to an improvised cross. Taylor Bachman, seven years old, a son of George Bachman, was the victim. He is now suffering at his home from a wound in his left hand, through which a ten penny nail was driven by one of his companions.

Auto Turned Turtle.

Chicago, April 26.—Clarence S. Harrow, who has been employed in the defense of many labor leaders in the past and who recently was counsel for Haywood, Moyer and Pettibone in connection with the Cox-D'Alemany trouble in Idaho, has been retained as counsel for the alleged dynamiters, McManigal and the two McMurrays.

The Burns' agency declares that the first "tip" that put them on the track of the alleged bomb throwers, came from a woman who was infatuated at the time with James V. McNamara, who lived in her house in Los Angeles. She is said to have overheard the plotting to blow up the Times building.

Held for Grand Jury.

Chicago, April 26.—When Col. Palmer Taylor Turnley is laid to rest, Wednesday, it will be in a plain wooden casket, he made himself, twenty years ago, and saved for the occasion.

The Montreal Board of Control will not vote a cent to send a delegation to the coronation.

DAILY MEMORANDA.

Kingston Presbytery meets to-morrow.

Catarauq Lodge No. 10, I.O.O.F., "At Home," 8 p.m.

Limestone Lodge No. 61, A.O.U.W., meets Monday evening, 8 o'clock.

Miss Mackenzie, chief lady superintendent of the Victorian Order of Nurses, will address a meeting at the T.W. Hall Auditorium on Thursday, at 8 p.m., to which all friends interested in the work are invited.

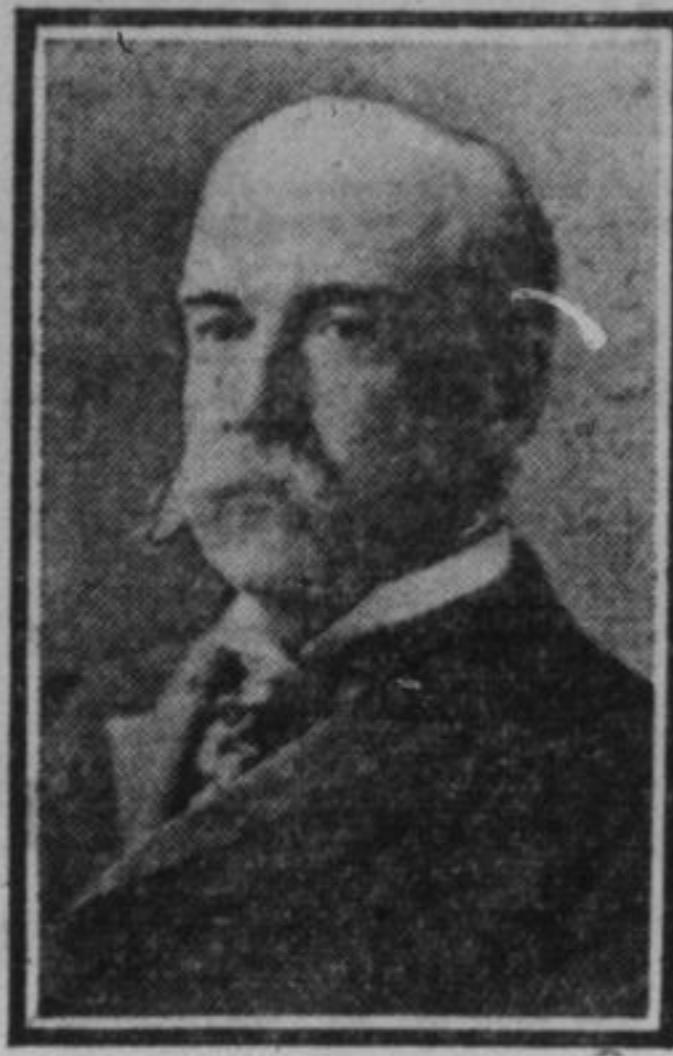
WOMAN, BEWARE!

Husband May Legally Slap You if You Search His Pockets.

Providence, R.I., April 26.—A man is justified in slapping his wife for going through his pockets, in the opinion of Justice Lee, of the superior court. Judge Lee made this ruling in a divorce suit brought by Elizabeth England, of Pawtucket, against her husband, John E. England. The court advised the couple to try to effect a reconciliation, "and in the meantime," he advised the woman, "don't go through your husband's pockets again. A man is justified in slapping his wife for this."

IS TO RETIRE.

He is to Step Out of the Chairmanship.



JUDGE GARY.

New York, April 26.—Judge Gary, who has been chairman of the United States Steel Corporation, since its organization, will retire in the near future from that position, according to a report current to-day, in banking circles. He will be succeeded by a practical steel maker, E. J. Buffington, president of the Illinois Steel company, as mentioned as his successor, but it is understood that H. C. Erick will name the man.

HUGE DIAMOND FOUND.

Gems Weighing 244 Carats Unearthed at Johannesburg.

New York, April 26.—Maiden Lane importers of diamonds have just learned of the finding of a diamond weighing 244 carats in Johannesburg, South Africa. It will rank as one of the half dozen largest and most valuable jewels in the world.

Reports have also reached Maiden Lane of a rush to a new diamond field in the Western Transvaal section of South Africa. The new field, called St. Timotheus, near Beaumarais, the character having been given Messrs. Robert and McIntyre several years ago for the exclusive use of the old Beaumarais canal for power developments.

AN NEW SCHEME

Proposal to Harness the St. Lawrence.

"SHOOT THE CHUTES"

IF THE PLAN IS FINALLY WORKED OUT.

The Canadian L. and P. Co. Proposes to Erect a Big Plant Between Coteau and Beauharnois at a Cost of \$15,000,000.

Montreal, April 26.—Tourists to Montreal and Quebec will hereafter, when coming east by water, have to "shoot the chutes" in real earnest, if the plans of the Canadian Light & Power company materialize.

The company, of which E. A. Robert is the head, proposes to build works on the St. Lawrence between Coteau and Beauharnois which provide for two long canals or chutes down the Coteau and Cedar Rapids. The former has a drop from the level above of seventeen feet, and the latter thirty-four feet, and the current is twenty miles an hour in places.

The projected works involve the expenditure of from \$15,000,000 to \$20,000,000, and will take several years to complete. It is expected that nearly half a mill on horse power will in time be developed by the dams the company proposes building between the north and south shores of the river, the first a little below the town of Coteau, at the foot of Lake St. Francis, and the second almost opposite the little village of Cedars. The Coteau chute will be 6,500 feet in length and the one at Cedars 13,800 feet. Both will have a depth of water of fifteen feet and will be 150 feet in width.

Navigators here are considering the scheme at present, but are wary of expressing any definite opinion as to the practicability of the project. The application of the Robert interests is already before the government at Ottawa and the hearing has been set for May 17th.

If the plan materializes Montreal will have available half a million horse power of electricity at its doors. The Canadian Light & Power Co. already has extensive works at St. Timotheus, near Beaumarais, the character having been given Messrs. Robert and McIntyre several years ago for the exclusive use of the old Beaumarais canal for power developments.

PITH OF THE NEWS.

The Very Latest Culled From All Over the World.

At Parry Sound a fierce fire destroyed a box factory and several residences.

At Windsor, Ont., the Canadian government boats captured a large cargo of herring from United States poachers.

Battle of Chateauguay pageant is to be omitted from the Festival of Empire, in London, because the U. S. might feel slighted.

In Montreal, application has been made for the guardianship of the two-year-old girl of the Heberts, whose marriage was declared illegitimate by canonical law.

It is hoped that one of the first public acts of the Duke of Connaught on his arrival as governor-general will be to turn the first sod for the foundations of the School for the Blind. John Paget, Sudbury, who tried to kill his wife when he saw her in the arms of another man in Poccupine district, was adjudged, by a jury, as guilty of common assault and given ten days in jail.

VACCINATION COMPULSORY.

Quebec Takes Strong Measures to Fight Smallpox.

Montreal, April 26.—Compulsory vaccination throughout the province was decided upon by the provincial board of health as a result of the sporadic outbreaks of small-pox which have been reported of late. A decree was promulgated instructing each of the fifteen hundred municipalities of Quebec province to enforce general vaccination. Many municipalities already have such laws, but now it will be incumbent upon all the rest to pass such laws within five days after the order is received from the provincial board of health. In most of the rural districts this order will be promulgated by announcement from the church doors after mass. Within forty-eight hours from such announcement the law will go into effect, and every person who cannot show proof of effective vaccination within seven years will have to submit to vaccination, under a penalty of \$5, with further penalties if they refuse to comply.

KILLED BY Shock of Murder of Relatives.

Lancaster, N.H., April 26.—The shock caused by the murder of his daughter and granddaughter proved fatal to John Sweet, of Maidstone, Vt., 103 years old, whose death is announced. The aged man had lived for many years at the home of his daughter, Mrs. George Bean, in Maidstone, and was present in the house when she and her daughter, Miss Nina Bean, were shot and killed on March 19th. Mrs. Bean's son, Arthur, is now in jail awaiting trial on the charge of the murder of his mother and sister. The deposition of Mr. Sweet was taken by the authorities soon after the murder.

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Commissioner to France.

Ottawa, April 26.—It is expected that the appointment of Senator Roy of Edmonton as Canadian commissioner to France will be announced in a few days' and that his successor in the senate will be Hon. A. E. Forrest, former Lieutenant Governor of Saskatchewan, but now residing in Alberta.

Must Build Viaduct Soon.

Toronto, April 26.—Both Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific railroads were given a sharp rebuke by the Dominion Railway Commission, for delaying with the plans for erection of the Toronto viaduct. They were ordered to file the plans before August and complete the job in two years.

To Make Assessment.

Kansas City, April 26.—International President Franklin, of the boilermakers, announced, to-day, that an assessment of from three to six cents would be levied on all members of the organizations affiliated with the International Federation of Labor in the United States and Canada to defray the expenses to defend McNamara and colleagues, charged with the wholesale explosions.

ONTARIO MAKES PROTEST

Against Rights of Extension Given Railway Companies.

Ottawa, April 26.—The Ontario government's legal representative made a vigorous protest to the railway committee against granting charters giving railways indiscriminate rights of extension in Ontario. However, the bill to incorporate the new Ontario and Quebec railway company into the Porcupine district was duly reported.

Before the marine and fisheries committee, the minister of marine explained that the shipping interests of Ontario complained that there was discrimination against them in favor of Quebec and maritime provinces. Finally all clauses respecting pilotage of the St. Lawrence were struck out.

MAKE APPEAL

To Privy Council in Hebert Case.

OPPOSITION FILED

IN SUPERIOR COURT TO JUDGMENT.

Family Council Appoint Tutrix to Child of Dissolved Union—Papers Filed by Montreal.

Montreal, April 26.—New and important developments transpired yesterday afternoon in the case of the Hebert marriage which was recently nullified in the superior court because Eugene Hebert and Marie Emma Cloutier, who were both Roman Catholics, had been married by Rev. Mr. Timberlake, a Protestant clergyman.

George V. Cousins filed in the superior court opposition to the judgment in the marriage case on behalf of Mrs. Hebert, and also on behalf of the child.

If these oppositions are maintained it will mean the re-opening of the whole case and an appeal will be ultimately to the privy council from the judgment rendered on the opposition.

George V. Cousins, of the office of H. A. Lovett, K.C., took proceedings in the case last week to have a tutor appointed for the child.

The effect of the judgment of the lower court in the Hebert case was, as far as the child was concerned, to declare her illegitimate. The little girl cannot claim any parents, she has no name, no legal relatives, and therefore, no means of sustenance during the early days of her life.

A MITCHELL PALMER.

Representative from Pennsylvania and a member of the ways and means committee, the House of Representatives. He is at the head of a sub-committee on useless expenditures.

DEAD MEN TELL NO TALES.

Compton, Ky., April 26.—The bodies of three men were found tied to a log raft floating at the mouth of Kentucky River, yesterday. Their heads had been crushed, and pinned to the lapel of the coat worn by each was a note reading: "Dead men tell no tales."

SIGN REUNITED SISTERS.

Lived in Wichita Four Years Without Meeting.

Blenheim, Man. Found Housekeeper Dead on His Return.

Bethlehem, Ont., April 26.—Miss Jeanne Kinnaird, a lifelong resident here, died suddenly last evening at the home of her uncle, John Campbell, for whom she had been housekeeper. When he left home at 4 o'clock she was quite well. When he returned two hours later, he found her dead on her bed. A physician pronounced death to be due to the bursting of a blood vessel.

Mrs. Burton and Mrs. Schaefer have lived in this city four years, our neighbor knew of the other's presence here. One is the daughter of Francis Galvin, a war veteran, by his first marriage, and the other by his second marriage. Mrs. Schaefer, on her father's death, was taken into the family of W. O. Rafferty.

Mrs. Burton searched for Rafferty for years and found him when she saw the name on an implement house. She rushed into the store, found Rafferty and asked him about his sister. He told Mrs. Burton where she could find her sister, and they were reunited.

TO MAKE DEMANDS.

Want to Have Better Terms on Great Lakes.

Wichita, Kan., April 26.—A sign in a local store window reunited Mrs. Vincent, owner of a saw mill at North Pinnacle, Que., was fatally injured by falling on a circular saw. He was horribly cut about the arms, head and side. The doctor says he cannot recover.

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CATHOLIC PAPER'S TRADE.

Against Presbyterian Leaders in Western Canada.

Toronto, April 26.—In a strong article, the Catholic Register, out to-day, returns again to the Ruthenian controversy, and says that Rev. Dr. Carmichael, head of the Presbyterian mission in Manitoba and Saskatchewan, is supported by a company of the most thoroughly despotic and incongruous scoundrels in the shameful drama he is performing in Western Canada.

Will Come to Kingston.

Spokane, Wash., April 26.—Headed by Miss Ida Holmes, secretary-manager of the Waitress' union, a delegation of western boosters, including R. D. Murray, delegate of the Spokane Waiters' union; Nicholas George, of the Bartenders' International league, and J. E. McCracken of the Cooks' and Kitchen Helpers' union, will make a tour of Canada on the way to Boston next week, to capture the 1915 convention of the International Allied Crafts, for this city. They will visit Winnipeg, Kingston, Ottawa and Montreal, going thence to Boston.

Afflicted With Rare Disease.

Parry Sound, April 26.—Harry Taylor, of Harbinberg, is ill with a very rare disease known to physicians as blastomycosis. It is manifested by a malignant vegetative growth which attaches to the intestines. This is said to be only