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## LITTLE MORE THAN A DROP IN THE C. N. R. BUCKET

### Mackenzie and Mann Will Be Back For More

### MEMBER FOR WELLAND

### DECLARES FORTY FIVE MILLIONS NOT HALF ENOUGH

To Bring C. N. R. to N. T. Standard—A thorough Enquiry Asked Before the Proposed Aid is Granted.

Ottawa, May 18.—William German, of Welland, resumed the debate on the Canadian Northern resolution in the commons this morning. "When the fifteen million dollar subsidy proposal was before parliament last year," declared Mr. German, "I was one of those who prophesied that it would be little more than a drop in the Canadian Northern bucket. I undertake to predict that this forty-five millions, which we are asked by government to vote, will not be half enough to bring the Canadian Northern up to the standard of the National Transcontinental. In two or three years anyway, Mackenzie and Mann will be back again for more. And their strongest argument will be that the government is now in partnership with them and must, therefore, see them through."

There was, said Mr. German, no difference of opinion on the opposition side that the road should be completed and placed upon an earning basis so that people could get some of their money back as soon as possible. But they were united also in demand that a thorough enquiry should be made. The great majority of the people were of the same opinion. "The people," declared the member for Welland, "are becoming tired of being bled for railway enterprizes in which they are not interested."

J. E. Armstrong, conservative East Lambton, declared that parliament had no right to investigate the private affairs of Mackenzie and Mann. A thorough investigation had been made of a public corporation the Canadian Northern. That was all that was necessary or that could be expected. "Mackenzie and Mann," declared Mr. Armstrong, "are men of sterling worth, sterling Canadians, through whose backbone and integrity and stick-to-it-iveness in this great national enterprise has brought it near completion."

When the house resumed this morning, J. A. M. Aikens, conservative member for Brandon, rose to a question of privilege in connection with certain personal remarks made about him by J. J. Carrick conservative member for Thunder Bay.

"The statement which the member for Thunder Bay made," said Mr. Aikens, "is absolutely untrue. It is equally silly. This house is a deliberative assembly, and every member speaks in connection with the people to speak in truth and in soberness. The statement of the member for Thunder Bay was devoid of either truth or soberness."

Aikens and Carrick occupy seats in the same row. The latter was not present to-day.

On Their Holidays.

The steamer Bideau King cleared, to-day, for Ottawa.

The schooner Julia B. Merrill cleared, to-day, for Oswego.

Mrs. I. G. Bogart and Miss Florence Pogart have left for Montreal to visit Mrs. W. F. Empey, Westmount, for the next two weeks.

J. E. Anglin, manager of the Stone, Anglin & Gilbert Mica Co., is in the city to-day.

Dr. Watson, wife of Ottawa, came to this city on Sunday in their automobile.

**DAILY MEMORANDA**

Board of Works, 4 p.m. Tuesday. Y.W.C.A. annual meeting, 8 p.m. See top of page 3, right hand corner, for probabilities.

**Why Women Are Shrewd Buyers**

Any man will tell you that his wife can get more out of a dollar than he can.

Women have the natural value sense—they know what their money's worth means.

One reason for this is that women are great readers of advertising. No part of a newspaper is of greater interest to them than the advertising columns.

They study them daily and they shop as carefully through the newspapers as they do when they go to the stores themselves.

Without the advertising, the newspapers would lose half of their women readers. Incidentally, local merchants would lose more than half of their business.

## COOLNESS HAS RESULTED BETWEEN QUEEN MARY AND QUEEN ALEXANDRA OVER "BREACH"

### MAIL CARRIER INSISTED ON TRAVELLING CLOSED BLOCK, AND USED HIS FIST

### MADE A PROFESSOR

### BITTER AT KIPLING FOR HIS STUMP SPEECH

### THE LATEST TIDINGS PRESENTED IN THE BRIEFEST POSSIBLE FORM

Montreal, May 18.—The London correspondent of the Daily Mail is authority for the statement that considerable coolness has arisen between Queen Mary and Dowager Queen Alexandra in consequence of the queen mother having had the comedian, Harry Tate, at Marlborough House on Thursday night to entertain her Danish guests.

The court is mourning for the late Duke of Argyll and reports has it that Queen Mary and the Duchess of Argyll are most indignant at this "breach" of the mourning regulations.

Winnipeg, May 18.—Alexander Campbell, for many years a well known Hamilton druggist, who came to Winnipeg several years ago, and removed to Saskatoon two years ago, has recently been appointed professor of chemistry in the University of Saskatchewan, at Saskatoon, after becoming proprietor of two large drug stores in that city. With Mrs. Campbell, he intends leaving next week for the old country to visit large universities in Britain and the continent to secure ideas in connection with his department in the university.

London, May 18.—Rudyard Kipling's stump speech Saturday night in which he averred that the government was ready to provoke murder in Ulster to serve its own ends, has developed a storm of vitriolic criticism of the popular poet.

The Daily Chronicle describes him as a little guttersnipe. Other liberal papers are equally venomous in their comment. The Daily Mail (conservative) doesn't approve very much of Kipling's assisting the unionist cause. It says, "we now know where we can, if we require him, get somebody to outline the case of Lloyd George."

It is quite plain that all parties would be better satisfied if Kipling had confined his attention to poetry and left politics alone for the present. There is little change in the home rule situation.

**SOLD ABOVE PAR**

Guelp, May 18.—Despite the fact that some cities and towns in the country have had some difficulty in disposing of their debentures to advantage, Guelp's credit was never better than at the present time. This was demonstrated by the sale of \$125,397 debentures of Guelp, which has just been effected. They bear interest at five per cent., are for fifteen and twenty-year terms, and the rate offered by Wood, Gundy & Co., Toronto, is 100.32, slightly above par.

**Carson Delays Wedding**

London, May 18.—Sir Edward Carson has denied the report that he is to be married next month, but your correspondent learns on reliable authority that the Ulster champion will re-marry when the present crisis is over. His denial evidently only relates to the time limit.

**Bonar Law's Mother Dead**

London, May 18.—Mrs. James Law, of Glasgow, the widow of the late Rev. James Law, of New Brunswick, and the mother of Right Hon. Andrew Bonar Law, the leader of the unionist party in the house of commons, died at Bath on Saturday.

**Vesuvius Crater May Collapse**

Naples, May 18.—A large part of the top of the crater of Mount Vesuvius is threatening to collapse owing to the recent activity of the volcano. A party of visitors to-day were prevented from approaching the crater because of the danger of an accident.

**MAY BE ABSENTEES WHEN VOTE OCCURS**

**Bennett and Nickle May Not Be Alone Among The Tories Against C. N. R. Bill**

Ottawa, May 18.—While there now seems little doubt that the government has been able to line up sufficient number of its majority to pass the Mackenzie, Mann & Laak deal, it begins to look as though some interesting and not insignificant complications are likely to arise before the guarantee is authorized by statute. There is no doubt that Messrs. Bennett and Nickle will not be alone in their flight. The six months' hoist to the whole deal, a polite method of keeping the whole thing out of the parliamentary doors, moved by Messrs. E. M. Macdonald and Fred P. Pardee at Friday night's sitting speaks the earnest and intense conviction of a strong coterie of liberals which will undoubtedly fight the deal to the last ditch.

It is not improbable, too, that the government will have a bigger task than was at first contemplated in holding the full remaining complement of its following in line. There are several members, spurred by the sentiments of their constituents, who would welcome any opportunity to escape the party whip. It is frankly stated that there may be some absentees when the vote is polled.

## PITH OF NEWS

### Despatches From Near And Distant Places.

### THE LATEST TIDINGS

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**LABORERS IN DEMAND**

The laboring men in Kingston are in great demand. The supply does not seem to be sufficient. At least the foreman of telephone construction claims that he could place several more if he could get them.

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## FIRST OF MEDIATORS REACHES NIAGARA FALLS

### Had Nothing To Say To Newspaper Men

### BAGGAGE WAS PASSED WITHOUT INSPECTION BY THE CANADIAN CUSTOMS.

### TWO GERMAN STEAMERS, PRESUMABLY CARRYING ARMS FOR HUERTA, ARE UNDER SURVEILLANCE AT VERA CRUZ BY ADMIRAL BADGER.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., May 18.—The first of the A. B. C. mediators between United States and Mexico to arrive in Niagara Falls was Raoul S. Naon, minister from Argentina, who came in this morning at ten o'clock. After a brief visit to points of interest on the United States side, Senator Non and party were driven across the border to the Clifton hotel. From the seclusion of his room the Argentine minister sent word that he had nothing to say to newspaper men. Canadian customs officials passed the baggage of the party without inspection.

To Return Arms to Germany. Washington, D. C., May 18.—Admiral Badger has notified the authorities that he has under surveillance two more German steamers presumably carrying arms for Huerta's forces. They will not be permitted to land. If they are landed, they will be seized and returned to Germany. In the meantime, however, Carranza's constitutionalists are receiving arms and ammunition at Tampico without hindrance.

Huerta to Investigate. Washington, May 18.—The Brazilian minister, to-day, notified the state department that General Huerta had promised to make complete investigation regarding the death of Pte. Parks, of the United States army, and when the guilty parties in the army are convicted, they will be summarily dealt with.

Governor General's Welcome. Niagara Falls, Ont., May 18.—As governor-general I welcome you on your arrival on Canadian soil, and express my fervent hope that the efforts of yourself and your colleagues to preserve peace may meet with speedy and lasting success. (Signed) Arthur.

This telegram was received at the Clifton house yesterday afternoon from the governor-general by Senor Ipanema Moreira, secretary to the Brazilian ambassador, and was at once forwarded by him to Ambassador Da Gama at New York.

"Evidently his royal highness was under the impression that the ambassador would arrive to-day," said Senor Moreira. "His message will be greatly appreciated."

It is regarded officially as highly probable that the mediators will be the guests of his royal highness at Ottawa after the conference. They will probably all dine together shortly after their arrival at Niagara.

It is understood that Hon. George Perley, secretary of state in the Borden cabinet, will represent the Canadian government at the Falls. No official information has yet been received to this effect.

**Mail Driver Summoned**

A driver of one of the rigs collecting the city's mail has been summoned to the police court on a charge of assaulting a man employed as watchman on Princess street, while the excavation work is going on. It is alleged that on Saturday night the driver, in spite of the request of the watchman not to do so, broke down a barrier at one of the street corners, and deliberately drove down the street. When the watchman protested it is charged that the mail driver struck him in the face.

**Motored Here from Ottawa**

Lieut.-Col. McLaren, of Ottawa, and Capt. H. Willis O'Connor, of the militia department, arrived in the city yesterday after motoring from the capital city over roads that are in excellent condition. The trip took about five hours by the Smith's Falls-Chaffey's Locks route.

**Had a Lively Tilt.**

At the result of an altercation on Princess street on Saturday night between two well-known citizens it was stated to-day that a charge of assault would likely be lodged. The row occurred near the corner of Bagot and Princess streets and caused quite a sensation.

**In Once More.**

Michael McNally, who holds quite a record for the number of times he has appeared before the police magistrate, was rounded up Monday forenoon on a charge of drunkenness. He will be arraigned on Tuesday morning.

**Admiral Drury Dead**

London, May 18.—Admiral Sir Charles Carter Drury, G. C. B., who was second sea lord of the British admiralty from 1903 to 1908, died to-day. He was born at Rothsay, N. B. Canada, in 1846.

"Charcoal Tablets," 10c. box. Gilson's.

## COMPLAINT ABOUT FOWLS

### Citizen Asks That They Be Kept In Their Right Place

### Now that the cleaning-up time is here," writes a citizen to the Whig,

### would it not be possible to have people who keep fowl see that they are kept within their yards?

There would be no complaint from neighbors if they would keep them in their own yards, and not allow them to run all over front lawns, and scratch up flower beds and destroy walks and steps. I think also that owners of fowl should be made to keep them locked up till seven o'clock in the morning, as in home where there is sickness, people who are compelled to stay up late at night, would like to sleep in the morning and not be awakened.

The citizen is anxious to know through Mayor Gibson, if something can be done to remedy this nuisance.

**BODY OF SUICIDE FOUND IN A BARN**

Belleville, May 18.—In a barn near Shannonville, the body of Richard Cornell, of Thurlow township, was found. Death was evidently the result of a poison he had taken. A note near the body intimated that he was tired of living. The unfortunate man was upwards of fifty years of age, and leaves a widow and a son.

**Sent to Prison Instead**

Toronto, May 18.—Thomas Ward, a young Englishman, dissatisfied with conditions here, and who smashed three large plate glass windows with the avowed object of securing deportation to England, was, instead, given two years imprisonment for his offence by Magistrate Denison to-day.

**Masonic trip to Alexandria Bay.**

Boat leaves Folger's wharf at two o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

F. C. Fox, converted in a revival in Urichville, Ohio, has quit selling tobacco.

**THE DAILY BRITISH WHIG IS ON SALE AT THE FOLLOWING CITY STORES**

Bucknell's News Depot, 235 King St. Clarke, J. W., 406 Co. St. Prince's Collier Book Store, 100 Princess Collier's Grocery, 400 Princess Collier's Grocery, Cor. Princess & Alfred Frontenac Hotel, Ontario St. Gibson's Drug Store, Market Square McAuley's Book Store, 65 Princess McCall's Clear Store, Cor. Prin. & King McLeod's Grocery, 51 Union St. W. Medley's Drug Store, 280 University Ave. Paul's Clear Store, 215 Princess Prince's Drug Store, 215 Princess Proulx's Grocery, 280 Montreal Lowell's Grocery, 280 Fortmouth

**BORN.**

ANDERSON—At Napanee, on May 1st, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Anderson, a daughter.

**MARRIED.**

EARL—COREY—May 13th, 1914, at the Queen St. Methodist parsonage, Kingston, by the Rev. G. L. Campbell, M. B. Corey, aged 27 years, of Wm. J. Corey, Loughboro, to Harold Earl, of Stratton, Ont.

**DEED.**

BURLEY—At Melrose, on May 12th, Ebenezer Burley, aged 75 years.

BALDWIN—At Roblin, on May 12th, George S. Baldwin, aged 62 years.

CALTON—At Chicago, on May 10th, Grace Martin, beloved wife of Maurice Calton, formerly of Napanee.

FISHER—At Adolphustown, on May 11th, Jane Fisher, aged 37 years.

GRAHAM—At Kingston, on Sunday, May 17th, 1914, Donald Graham.

Funeral from his late residence, Tuesday morning, at 9 o'clock, to the Church of the Holy Name, Cusheon-dale, where a solemn requiem mass will be sung for the repose of his soul.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

RUSE—At Napanee, on May 12th, William Alfred Ruse, aged 72 years.

TRIVAN—At Napanee, on May 11th, Mrs. Tryan, aged 34 years.

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