

HOUSE VOTES TO ALTER FEDERAL ELECTIONS ACT

Resolution To Aid Voters Proposed by Liberal Member.

WATERWAY DISCUSSED

Members Fail To Reach Any Decision On Big Project.

OTTAWA, May 1.—(By Canadian Press).—Changes in the Dominion elections act were proposed in the House of Commons this afternoon by Fernand Rinfret (Liberal, St. James). He moved that "in view of the fact that the present federal elections act is a person who moves his residence from one electoral district to another during the two months previous to the issue of writs for an election, action should be taken to amend the elections act so that the right of the electors may be preserved to vote in one or other electoral district."

Mr. Rinfret believed that the present state of the law was due to an obvious omission to make provision for the contingency mentioned. He did not wish to bind the house to the remedy to be adopted, but suggested that the elector should retain the right to vote in his former riding. The resolution was seconded by J. E. Prescott (Liberal, Terrebonne), who said that the same evil as that mentioned by Mr. Rinfret existed was briefly supported by H. C. Hocken (Conservative, West Toronto) and J. J. Hughes (Liberal, Kings, P. E. I.). Hon. Hugh Guthrie, who piloted the election bill through the house under the late administration, said that the problem brought up by Mr. Rinfret had been considered when the bill was drafted. The difficulty was to find a remedy. The resolution carried.

DISCUSS DEEP WATERWAY.

OTTAWA, May 1.—The House of Commons spent a couple of hours tonight discussing the St. Lawrence deep waterway scheme, and again the debate was adjourned without a definite decision. It came at the close of a private members' day on topics as varied as old-age pensions and a potpourri of discussion on the basis of financial credit. When the St. Lawrence scheme was last before the house opinion for and against was fairly divided. Tonight supporters of the scheme were fairly in the majority. H. C. Hocken, an international commission with power to issue bonds, W. M. German, Liberal, of Welland, Ontario, carried the suggestion a step further. His idea was that the commission might be given power to issue debentures, guaranteed both by Canada and the United States. He estimated the annual charges at \$15,570,000 as follows: Interest, \$10,100,000; cost of maintenance, \$2,500,000; sinking fund, \$2,970,000. Electrical horsepower estimated as \$12 per available horsepower would cost \$17,575,000, or a surplus over annual charges of \$1,605,000. Furthermore, he argued that the deepening of the St. Lawrence waterway would mean a saving of \$50,000,000 on the burning of oil of the Welland Canal, a saving of between \$3,000,000 and \$5,000,000 a year on the Canadian National Railway, and a saving of 10 cents a bushel on transatlantic transportation charges on Canadian wheat.

AMEND WIDOWS' PENSIONS.

OTTAWA, May 1.—(By Canadian Press).—Pensions for the widowed mother of a member of the forces who died on active service were to be fore in the house today on a motion of C. G. Power (Liberal, Quebec).

PHYSICIAN EXPLAINS WHY THOUSANDS ARE AILING, COMPLAINING AND DOCTORING

All the While Going From One Remedy to Another, but Never Fully Relieved—Says Half the People You Meet Lack 100% Iron in the Blood, and This Greatly Weakens All Their Vital Organs, Getting So Bad in Many Cases as to Cause Serious Derangement of the Heart, Kidneys, Nerves and Other Organs.

What To Do

"People who are sick and run-down must learn to realize the importance of having plenty of iron in the blood," Dr. James Francis Sullivan, formerly physician in Bellevue Hospital (Out Door Dept.), New York, and the Westchester County Hospital. "In long hospital experience with thousands of patients, I discovered an enormous number of people lacked 100% iron in their blood, and that this iron deficiency was in many cases so seriously weakening their vital organs that they would come to me believing that they had a severe case of heart or stomach trouble, kidney disease, nerve force exhaustion or other serious maladies. In some cases their poor suffering was being doctoring for years, going from one remedy to another without relief. Even when I pointed out the cause of all their sufferings and troubles, it seemed difficult for them to understand, and difficult for them to take proper treatment for iron deficiency and stick to it until complete relief was obtained. There are billions of red blood corpuscles in your blood stream and each one must have iron or it becomes weakened, starved and dies and your blood becomes pale, thin and watery. Every organ of your body is dependent upon your blood for food and sustenance. When your blood is weak, not only do all vital organs of your body become affected to a greater or less extent, but you are an easy prey for the millions of disease germs floating everywhere, and you may contract influenza, pneumonia, lung troubles and other serious maladies. When your blood lacks iron, there is only one thing that is going to do you any permanent good, and that is more iron in your blood. Ordinary tonics, stimulants, laxatives, etc., may give you some temporary relief, but you are not going to get over your condition, until you remove the cause. For this purpose, I always prescribe Genuine Nuxated Iron, as it furnishes your body with organic iron like the iron in your blood, and is therefore a true red blood food. Nuxated Iron is an entirely different thing from metallic iron which people usually take. If you have taken other iron products and have failed to get results, such is no proof that Genuine Nuxated Iron will not help you. It is strongly recommended that you try one or two bottles and if such trial does not give you most surprising results and convince you that you have at last found the remedy to reach the seat of your trouble, the manufacturers will promptly refund your money. IMPORTANT NOTICE.—Prominent druggists who have been interviewed in regard to Nuxated Iron, state that it has given such highly satisfactory results that they do not hesitate to recommend it to their patrons. The demand for it is so great that more druggists carry it in stock than any other similar preparation."

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Heid On Murder Charge At Brantford



MARGARET DENT HARRY DENT

BRANTFORD, May 1.—The preliminary hearing of Harry and Margaret Dent, charged with the murder of Peter Ekoplan, will be proceeded with at an early date, according to city police officers, who are continuing their investigations into the circumstances surrounding the death of Ekoplan.

The dismembered portions of the victim's body were found in the Grand River.

South. Mr. Power's motion was that such pensions shall not be reduced on account of the widow's income; and further that they shall be granted of right whether or not there are other living children. Mr. Power stated that a widowed mother who was dependent at present received a pension of \$48 a month; but if she was in receipt of income, that income was deducted from the pension. His object, he said, was to place the widowed mother on a par with a soldier who had done active service on the same basis as the widow of such a soldier.

Premier King suggested that in the absence of the finance minister, Mr. Power might agree to allow the resolution to go before the committee.

Mr. Power said he had no objection to referring it to the committee. He pointed out that his motion should also include widowed mothers of former members of the air force. Mr. Power then moved another resolution which was: "That the board of pension commissioners be given discretionary power to award pensions to mothers of deceased soldiers in cases where such mothers have been deserted or became separated from their husbands, such pensions to be paid at the same rate as those awarded to widowed mothers."

Mr. Power, explaining his motion, said it was unfair to demand, as under the present law, that a woman be called upon to prove that she had been deserted. There were some cases where fraud might be practiced with this amendment to the act, but they were so few that he hoped they would be safeguarded by giving the pension board discretion of any powers. A woman must then show that she was deserving. The motion should not be referred to a committee, but should be carried in the house.

This motion also carried.

LISTOWEL TO HAVE NEW AUTO WHEEL FACTORY

Company Assumes \$20,000 of Town's Liability in Defunct Concern.

Special to London Advertiser.

LISTOWEL, May 1.—Messrs. Brodie, Armstrong, Morley and Ford, representing the Kemp Metal Auto Wheel, met the town council here last night and accepted the proposition of taking over the insolvent Canada Perfect Wheel Factory, agreeing to bear \$20,000 of the town's liability and promising to begin operations within a month.

The Perfect Wheel factory was built by the town last year in January, after making a contract with the owners of a patent for an auto wheel, but due to mismanagement in September, the company was forced to make an assignment, which involved a heavy loss on the shareholders and the town.

Many Assets Listed.

Listed as assets were Stratford's location, parks, water, pavements, green, educational facilities, clean bill of health, the Grand Trunk shops, factories, and the fact that 50 per cent of the people own their own homes, practically 99 per cent are English-speaking, and that there is very little crime.

On the liability side were placed lack of civic spirit, lack of supervised playgrounds, level crossings, lack of town planning, poor approaches to the city, the sewage disposal works, neglect of trees, the Y. W. C. A. building, and decreasing population.

The Local Council of Women has gone on record in favor of supervised playgrounds. The appeal of the National Council for laws to better protect women and children was endorsed.

BRANT LAW ASSOCIATION TO GET BETTER QUARTERS

Justice Logie Gives Decision That Present Rooms Are Not Satisfactory.

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BRANTFORD, May 1.—Mr. Justice Logie presided at the session of the supreme court held here today to decide the question of furnishing the Brant Law Association with more suitable quarters. Crown Attorney W. M. Charlton, representing Brant county and W. S. Brewster, K.C., and S. A. Jones for the association, demanded that all the witnesses (who were lawyers) leave the courtroom, but he wanted his witnesses to remain in. The case, which has been one of long standing, arose over the request for better quarters by the association, which was refused.

Today Mr. Justice Logie gave his decision as follows:

"I am going to give judgment in favor of the plaintiff. The county is not providing quarters for the law library as provided for by the statutes and must give the members the best accommodation." He recommended that the present office of the crown attorney and the office of the town clerk should be used as the library.

CHIEF SLEMIN RESIGNS POST

Head of Brantford Police Department Granted Two Months' Salary.

Commissioners Sustain Suspensions of Chapman, Schuler and Stewart.

BRANTFORD, May 1.—Commissioner W. D. Gregory's report was taken up at the meeting of the police commission this afternoon, and was sustained.

Duff Slemin, son of Chief of Police Charles Slemin, spoke on behalf of the latter, and stated that the chief was a man without means, a man who had been true to his trust, and one who had never shirked his duty.

Mr. Slemin asked the board to give the chief's case their earnest consideration. At this juncture Magistrate Blake suggested that the press be excluded from the caucus, and that it be held in camera. This was done, and those other than Mayor, Parker, Judge A. D. Hart and Magistrate Blake were asked to leave the room.

Tenders Resignation.

The secret session lasted about an hour, and the press was called in and the results of the convolve divulged.

Chief Slemin tendered his resignation to the board, and this was accepted. He was granted two months' pay in lieu of notice. His resignation read as follows:

To the honorable board of police commissioners:

Gentlemen,—It is with regret that I tender this my resignation, to your honorable board as chief of police of the city of Brantford.

I desire to express my sincere appreciation of the support and kindly assistance I have received from the board of police commissioners in the past and particularly from his honor, Judge A. D. Hart, at whose request I came to Brantford. I have the honor to be, sirs, Your obedient servant, CHAS. SLEMIN, (Sgd.) Chief Constable.

Suspensions Upheld.

The board dealing on the three suspended officers was as follows: "Inspector James H. Chapman, Detective F. L. Schuler and Constable Alex Stewart, having been suspended on Nov. 4, 1921, after an investigation by the board of police commissioners, and having been found guilty of dereliction of duty, the suspension was justified and that the charges made against them before such royal commission have been sustained. It is hereby resolved that they be dismissed from the services of the city of Brantford."

It was pointed out by Sgt. Donnelly that the appointed acting chief constable at the same scale of wages as he is receiving now and that he have power to deal with Thomas Tyrrell, a suspended officer, who was suspended by Chief Slemin in March, 1922.

The board paid a high tribute to Chief Slemin for his fine work in the past. "He has performed his duties in a most efficient manner," said Judge Hardy.

\$25,000 DAMAGE CAUSED BY FIRE IN ST. MARYS

Gregory's Clothing Store Razed to Ground and Croswat's Drug Store Badly Gutted.

St. Marys, May 1.—Twenty-five thousand dollars damage was done by fire early this morning in the heart of the business section. The blaze started in the vicinity of the Chinese laundry on Queen street, and rapidly spread to G. W. Gregory's large clothing store next door. Both the laundry and store were gutted. Mr. Gregory's contents were saved.

Mr. D. Robertson's jewelry store was badly damaged by water and smoke, though the contents were saved, while MacLean's drug store did no display of damage, was badly gutted. E. M. Croswat's store in the flat gutted the store and about half of a large store was destroyed by smoke and water.

It is impossible to estimate their loss, as Mr. and Mrs. Croswat are in London, and are not expected home until this afternoon.

The firemen responded early, and within a short time had the blaze under control. The two buildings completely burned were owned by the occupant, G. W. Gregory, and his loss will be heavy, the stock being only partly covered by insurance. The cause of the fire is unknown.

SHORT TERM FOR BIGAMY IMPOSED

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KITCHENER, May 1.—Harley M. Cummings, who pleaded guilty to bigamy a week ago in police court, is today sentenced to an indeterminate term of three months and not more than one year in the Ontario Reformatory.

Magistrate Weir pointed out that the penalty could be seven years, but he thought that punishment in this case should be reformatory rather than punitive, as the prisoner had children to look after.

LIGHTNING HITS BARN NEAR TARA

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TARA, May 1.—During an electrical storm which passed over this district recently the barn on the farm of Councillor A. Sinclair, near Tara, was struck by lightning.

Sinclair rushed into the barn following the crash, a bird's nest up near the roof. He succeeded in poking down the nest and extinguishing the blaze. The bolt passed down into the stable, and the only thing that was burned there was a set of harness.

WORLD NEWS CUT SHORT

FUNCHAL, Island of Madeira, May 1.—It is reported that ex-Empress Zita of Austria-Hungary and her family, who have been living in exile here for several months, will leave here soon to reside in Spain, at the invitation of King Alfonso.

MOSCOW, May 1.—The official newspaper of the Russian railway workers announces that the soviet government has decided to remove the special commissars from the railways and place the entire management under the control—political as well as physical—of the railway administration. Political control has hitherto been under special communist officials.

LONDON, May 1.—According to news received from the Crimea, says a dispatch to the London Times from Riga, M. Lietkins, commissary of education, was murdered while walking from Yalta to Livadia.

An unofficial communication, the dispatch adds, ascribes the murder to bandits, and says cavalry has been sent into the Yalta district to capture the murderers and clear the country of banditry.

BUENOS AYRES, May 1.—Search for the plesiosaurus in the wilds of Patagonia having proved fruitless, the expedition which set out from Buenos Ayres has decided to return. This is made known in dispatches from Bariloche, which are collected by Professor Clement Onelli, director of the Buenos Ayres Zoological Gardens, who explains, however, that the return of the expedition is necessary on account of the approaching winter.

Hope has not been given up of finding the monster, reported to have been seen in an Andean lake, and the plan is to send another expedition in the summer of next year.

SIBIU (Hermannstadt), Transylvania, May 1.—General G. Rumania probably will be obliged to defer her long-contemplated trip to Canada, and the United States until next year.

She had hoped to visit America before the coronation of herself and King Ferdinand, which will take place here on Aug. 16, but the wedding of her second daughter, Marie, to King Alexander of Yugoslavia, early in June, will make it impossible.

Then she has a number of official visits to make this year to European countries, so that a vacation during the coronation in August is extremely improbable.

PARIS, May 1.—The Seine court pronounced a death sentence yesterday on Saturday on Macias Charrier, who, with two other bandits, held up the Riviera express last July. His companions were both shot in a struggle with the police outside of a Paris cafe a few days after the hold-up, Charrier being arrested later.

The attack on the train was particularly dangerous, as passenger—Lieut. Carabelli—who resisted was shot dead. It was on this charge that sentence was pronounced.

During the trial Charrier showed extraordinary coolness and indifference to his predicament.

He was a man with a certain amount of education. His answers to the judge's questions gave proof of his warped intelligence, however. Replying to a question as to whether he was a society, Charrier said he was an enemy of society, domiciled in a desert territory, and in a bottomless abyss of loneliness.

He did not appear even to listen to the attorney-general's speech for the prosecution, and seemed utterly unmoved by the verdict.

LONDON, May 1.—The Worstship Company of Apothecaries has sold its ancient shop to a London firm of druggists.

It has been carried on by this city company since early in the seventeenth century, and was, as it were, the classic drug shop, with its discreet and well-known display of the apothecaries' dows of frosted glass—the apothecaries' dows of the shop's wares—the shop forms, the plain facade behind which is hidden a dim old courtyard and then the hall and other rooms of the society. Almshouses, the shop was in Water Lane, was the Blackfriars Theatre, where Shakespeare and Burbage played.

The society's prescriptions, formulae and special preparations—many of them centuries old—are taken over by the new owners. The little factory where the society makes drugs wholesale, chiefly on government orders, has not changed hands.

The shop is a spacious place, lined with mellow-looking old bottles, gleaming warmly with gilt and color. You look in vain for patent medicines or paraphernalia of the modern chemist. It is all drugs and nothing but drugs, and all people who come in with prescriptions are usually known and addressed by their names. The shop is jealously quiet, as befits its pedigree. Many customers are sorry that the company



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TROUBLE ARISES OVER ELDERSLIE-ARRAN DITCH

Mr. Henry and Arran Council Fail To Agree on Width.

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CARGILL, May 1.—The Henry ditch on the Elderslie-Arran town line is again to the fore, and it appears that the parties interested are not clear as to how the ditch should be dug. According to the judge's ruling, the ditch was to be finished by May 12. Mr. Henry has commenced to dig his portion of the ditch, and the Arran Council has called for tenders for its portion.

However, there is a difference of opinion between Henry and the council as to the width of it. Henry claims that the whole length of the ditch should be five feet wide, while the council claims that portions of it should only be three feet wide.

The council sought legal advice in the matter, but it was found that the time for such action has passed. The cost of the ditch will be several hundred dollars.

St. Thomas Topics

TWENTY-SIX local improvement bylaws will be presented to the city council for approval Tuesday night. This is the largest number to be re-

ferred to the council at one time in several years.

FIFTEEN "DEPORTEES" passed through the city on Sunday on a Wash train from western points for New York, where they will be put on ships back to their native lands.

SPRING BUILDING, to a considerable extent, is indicated by the issue of 43 building permits Saturday afternoon from the city engineer's office, to the total estimated value of \$34,790.

DISCOVERY of alleged distilling materials at the home of Michael Mokray Saturday morning has led to the issue of a summons against Mokray, charging an offence under the inland revenue act. Mokray disappeared at the time the search was made, but is believed to have returned.

THREATENING to "get" CHAMBERSLEY of the L. and P. S. local businessman paid \$3 and on for trespassing on the company property. The man complained that he was a victim of circumstance and became very indignant when found that his excuses were not accepted.

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