

## SEES 'BAD FORM' IN RESOLUTION

Drury Opposes McNamara Motion Urging Increase of Soldiers' Pensions.

Declines To Support Recommendation To Dominion Parliament.

TORONTO, April 21. — Premier Drury took the position in the Legislature this afternoon that it was bad form or bad manners for the house to pass any resolution calling upon the Dominion government to deal in a particular way with any matters which are exclusively in the federal field of activity.

The point came up when the resolution of J. McNamara (Riverdale) was presented, which would put the Legislature on record as endorsing the demands of war veterans for increased pensions, asking that returned men be given preference in appointments to the Dominion civil service, and requesting that the House of Commons appoint a joint parliamentary committee or royal commission of inquiry to reach a satisfactory decision in regard to requests from the returned soldiers for more generous treatment for themselves, dependents and widows.

**Claimed Precedent.** Mr. McNamara's resolution has been on the order paper since the session began, and this afternoon he explained that the premier had told him he would not support it until it had been altered. The member for Riverdale maintained that he had good precedent for such a resolution from the Provincial house to the Dominion House in a resolution against reciprocity passed in 1911 by the Legislature of this province.

Premier Drury said the resolution was no doubt constitutional, but it was bad form for the province to interfere with questions that were exclusively in the federal field. The constituencies of this province have direct representation in the House of Commons, and there was no need for the Provincial house to take any action.

The Legislature would resent, he said, any memorial from the Federal Parliament on purely provincial affairs. It should work both ways. The action of the Legislature in regard to reciprocity did not alter his opinion as to the advisability of provincial interference. He therefore, speaking on behalf of the government, would not support the resolution.

**Cites Alberta Case.** Hon. G. Howard Ferguson said that Alberta had passed a resolution which might be interpreted the same way as this one in regard to interference with federal jurisdiction, but he did not think it was being viewed that way by the Federal Parliament.

The question was somewhat lengthily discussed when the reciprocity resolution was up, but it was a far more political resolution than this, and he did not think the Federal house would resent a provincial resolution regarding returned soldiers.

He asked why Hon. Manning Docherty was sent to Britain to get the embargo lifted. That was interference with the rights of the British Parliament.

"I went over as a private citizen, and I brought home the bacon," interjected Mr. Docherty.

The resolution was not called, and therefore no action was taken on it. Mr. Drury explaining that he would support it if differently worded, but Mr. McNamara declined to change it.

## Oat Kernel Sprouts in Ear, Causing Death.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 21.—An oat kernel which sprouted in the right ear of Peter Everson two weeks ago brought on meningitis, from which Everson died in a hospital here last night.

A doctor at the hospital stated that the oat kernel had lodged in Everson's ear two weeks ago, finally causing severe pain and delirium.

Everson was taken to the hospital yesterday morning and was unconscious throughout the day.

## HOLD INQUEST INTO DEATH OF PICKARD

Jury Decides Constable Met Death By Gunshot Wound Inflicted By Seimner Noah.

VICTIM'S LEG BROKEN

Three Prisoners To Be Charged at Preliminary Trial on April 25.

Special to London Advertiser.

THAMESVILLE, April 21.—An inquest into the death of Constable William Pickard of this town, who died on Sunday last, was held here today. Dr. Stewart presided as coroner, and Col. P. T. Smith of Chatham acted for the crown. The verdict as given by the jury, follows: "William Pickard came to his death in the General Hospital at Chatham on April 17, 1922, from the result of a gunshot wound, inflicted by Seimner Noah, while he (Noah) Ryckman and Richardson Logan were robbing the Bank of Montreal, Thamesville, on April 9, 1922. Pickard being there in pursuit of his duty as a constable."

High Constable George Peters, the first witness called, gave an account of the part he took in the arrest. William Noah, constable on the reserve, told of finding the gun in the barn on the reserve.

Ross V. McGuire and John Vance, who were present when Logan made a confession, stated that the confession as read to the jury was correct.

Digby Thompson and Ralph Allard told of assistance given the deceased constable after he was wounded. Dr. Elgie of Chatham, who made an X-ray examination of Pickard, states that he found a bullet in the victim's leg, which had broken both bones. He claimed that death was primarily due to gunshot wounds. Dr. Stewart corroborated the evidence of the former witness. Dr. W. L. McIlwraith, who made the postmortem examination, read his report and gave the cause of death as due primarily to gunshot wounds.

The preliminary trial has been set for Tuesday, April 25, at 2 o'clock, in Chatham, where the three prisoners, Noah, Ryckman and Logan, will be charged with murder. C. Lavrenko of the firm of Brackin and Larnach, attended in the interests of Noah, while Barrister McDonald appeared for Logan and Ryckman.

**NOMINATED BY LABOR.** Brandon, April 21.—A. E. Smith, M.L.A., Brandon, was last night nominated by the Brandon Labor Party to re-contest the seat at the forthcoming provincial election.

## AWARDS SLIPPERS TO MISS HAUSKIN

Princess Charming Finds Cinderella at Charity Night Ball in Winter Gardens.

MOST PERFECT FEET WIN

Dr. H. A. Stevenson, M.L.A., Presents Prize to Young Woman Who Qualifies.

Finding the girl with the most perfect foot in London was an interesting feature of the charity night held at the Winter Gardens Friday under the joint auspices of the Campbell Becher and Overseas Chapters, I. O. D. E. Just as the famous glass slippers fitted the exquisite feet of Cinderella of fairy lore, so the slippers, a dainty pair of black suede donated by Aspland & Sons, fitted Miss Hauskin, and were presented by Dr. H. A. Stevenson, M.L.A., to the lucky young woman, who danced in them until the ball ended at midnight.

Princess Charming himself, in a velvet cloak and feathered hat, fitted the feet of the guests present, and even though many wicked step-sisters tried to claim the shoes, the slippers were discovered and the hunt for Cinderella continued once more, until the real princess was found.

Welcomed by Regents.

The many guests were welcomed by the regents of the chapters, Mrs. F. J. Greenaway and Mrs. A. H. Clinger. The interest shown in the affair was greatly accelerated by the proceeds. The Overseas Chapter is applying its share to the subscription made to the War Memorial Hospital, and the Campbell Becher Chapter, having completed its quota, will use part of the money in connection with the "big sistering" education work which they have undertaken.

Excellent music was provided by Lombardo's Orchestra, and dancing continued until midnight. Among those lending their patronage were: Mayor Cameron Wilson and Mrs. Wilson, Major Gen. Panet and Mrs. Panet, Lieut.-Col. W. M. Gartshore and Mrs. Gartshore, Mrs. A. Becher and Mrs. T. H. Smallman.

**Committee in Charge.** The committee in charge of the excellent arrangements consisted of Mrs. Arthur Keene, Mrs. Ralph Slater, Mrs. James Murray, Mrs. W. Hodgins, Mrs. B. Hookway, Mrs. W. D. McGregor, Mrs. H. Morgan, Mrs. G. Keenleyside, Mrs. J. E. Wylie and Mrs. J. E. Richards for the Campbell Becher Chapter, and for the Overseas Chapter, Mrs. Wakeling, Mrs. H. Lobb, Mrs. Hooper, Mrs. Board, Mrs. A. Croden, Mrs. Irwin, Mrs. Mace, Miss Blanch Pigot, Mrs. Adams and Mrs. McMurray.

**FORMER NURSING SISTER CONVICTED**

TORONTO, April 21.—"She had friends in the days of her prosperity; in the days of poverty they are gone," declared K. H. Greer, K.C., in the county judge's court today, when Mrs. Eileen Beck, convicted of inducing Col. Lawrence Cosgrave to induce a check for \$500, and also convicted of two charges of false pretences, appeared before Judge Coatsworth for sentence.

"I can't help it; I'm sorry," said the judge, as he imposed an indefinite sentence of from six to twelve months at the Ontario Reformatory, sentence to date from April 1. Mrs. Beck is 26 years old, a trained nurse, and served her country as a nursing sister for nineteen months.

## World News CUT SHORT

NAPLES, April 21.—Wolves have been seen roaming about the country surrounding Naples. They have been driven into the plains by the cold weather prevailing in the mountains. The peasants are greatly alarmed for the safety of their children and flocks.

The mayor has awarded a prize to a man who killed one of the animals.

LONDON, April 21.—It is stated here that the Bulgarian delegation has presented to the Genoa conference a memorandum asking a moratorium on the payment of Bulgaria's war reparations. The point is said to have been made that the yearly interest is equal to the entire Bulgarian revenue for the year 1922-23.

MONTEVIDEO, April 21.—The National Council of Administration, which is one of the executive branches of the government of Uruguay, is considering the commercial treaty with Russia lately proposed by Leonid Krassin, soviet commissioner of foreign trade, to the Uruguayan minister in Berlin.

The council has resolved that, prior to any further consideration of the treaty, President Bram must define the relations existing between Uruguay and the soviets, as Uruguay has not yet recognized the Moscow government.

LONDON, April 21.—The ministry of health announces that the Rockefeller Foundation has acquired a site for the proposed school of hygiene in London. The foundation provided \$100,000 on the understanding that the British government would become responsible for supplying the staff and maintaining the school.

The site is in Bloomsbury and adjoins land preserved by the government for new buildings for the University of London. The purchase is the result of a meeting a few days ago between Mr. Rose, a representative of the Rockefeller Foundation, and the ministry of health committee.

MADRID, April 21.—Spain's new taxation program, which Minister of Finance Bergamini will present at the forthcoming session of Congress, includes an annual tax of 360 pesetas for private carriages, 120 pesetas for saddle horses and from 660 to 2,500 pesetas for automobiles, according to their horsepower. Extra taxation will be imposed on specially luxurious bodies.

Holders of titles, whether Spanish or foreign, will be taxed 10 per cent. Duty is imposed by the measure upon inheritances.

Those whose incomes are below 2,000 pesetas annually are exempt from income taxation. Bachelors over 25 years of age will pay more income tax than married men.

Domestic postal rates are increased. Interior telegraph tolls will be 10 centimes per word, with a minimum charge of one peseta per message and a charge for deferred telegrams are abolished.

A proportional tax on business turnovers is provided, but the amount is not yet fixed.

MOSCOW, April 21.—A partially itemized bill for the billions of gold rubles which the soviet state plans to send at the Genoa conference for damage done to Russia was announced yesterday by the Rosta, the official Bolshevik agency, simultaneously with the news of the Russo-German treaty. The claims are against the Entente powers.

Among the items are the following: Confiscation by the Czechoslovakia at Jarusk of gold valued at 15,000,000 rubles.

Confiscation by the Japanese of six large ships of the Amur flotilla, with cargoes of gold valued at 1,000,000 rubles. The value of the ships is not estimated.

Kolchak's destruction of 167 railroad bridges, valued at 20,000,000, and other railway property "worth hundreds of millions." The damage inflicted at Yaroslavl on the Volga is fixed at 52,000,000 rubles. Kolchak at Kazan confiscated more than 1,000 pounds of gold, worth 641,000,000 rubles. The damage in Ukraine by Denikin and other raiders is placed at 60,000,000.

BERLIN, April 21.—In 1920 Berlin had 55,000 burglaries as against 11,000 in 1909. Last year's figures have not yet been compiled, but are undoubtedly larger than those of 1920. Business houses, particularly those in the cloak, suit and textile trades, have been particularly hard hit by the wave of crime. These trades have now organized for self-protection on model lines—for Berlin—having found inadequate the present police protection of 2,300 night patrolmen for Berlin's 5,000 streets, many of which are miles long.

From tonight a "dead line" is being drawn at night around the center of the clothing trade section of Berlin, bounded by Kronen, Jerusalem, Markgrafen and Mohren streets, an area approximating four square city blocks. Uniformed watchmen on foot and civilian cyclists will patrol the periphery of the forbidden section from the business closing time until one hour after business reopens in the morning, and nobody will be permitted to cross the dead line, either entering or leaving the district, unless able to prove that he has legitimate business there.

If it proves a success, the system will be extended to other burglarized districts.

**FINDS CONDITIONS IN BRITAIN BETTER**

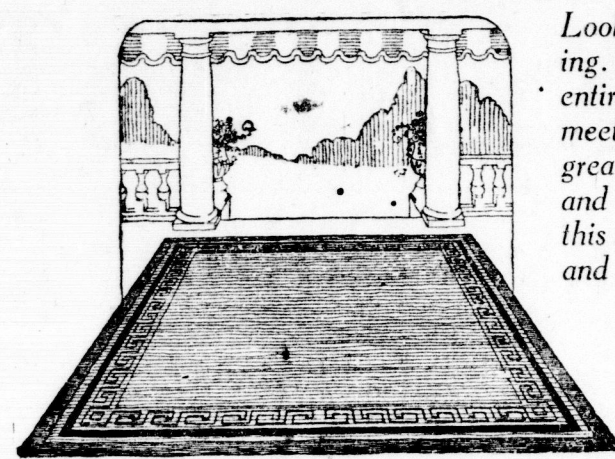
STRATFORD, April 21.—That the serious unemployment situation in Great Britain is gradually readjusting itself is the opinion of J. L. Bradshaw who has returned from his 57th crossing of the Atlantic.

A marked improvement is also noted in general business conditions. While in London, Mr. Bradshaw saw Misses Edith and McDonald, local teachers, who are interchanging with English teachers.

**URGES FORWARD LOOK FOR IRISH**

NEW YORK, April 21.—Lady Astor, first woman member of parliament, in an interview today criticized the element in the United States population that is bitter toward Great

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## DISAPPROVE PLACING OF STUDENT NURSES ON CASES

Brantford Convention Passes Resolution Protesting Action of Superintendents.

BRANTFORD, April 22.—At the opening of the convention of the Graduate Nurses' Association of Ontario here this morning reports were presented covering varied forms of nursing, including private, hospital, industrial and provincial nursing.

Miss Misner urged extension of rural community nursing. Miss Houlding reported on the nurses' forum established in Brantford. Ina J. Grenville told of the pioneer work under the provincial nursing in Algoma district. Cases were often so extreme she felt herself well repaid. Primitive conditions, lack of conveniences and ignorance of even rudimentary health knowledge were difficulties.

A resolution was passed, disapproving of placing by hospital superintendents of student nurses on cases and charging for their services when graduates were available. Another approved of "refresher courses" for graduates.

Newly elected directors are: Mrs. A. C. Joseph, London; Miss J. I. Gunn, Toronto; Miss E. Gasbell, Toronto; Miss H. Carruthers, Toronto; Miss A. Malloch, London; Miss E. H. Dyke, Toronto, and Miss M. I. Foy, Toronto.

The directors (these seven and the 14 whose terms have not expired meet tonight to elect officers.)

## AGREEMENT WITH MANITOBA GAINED

OTTAWA, April 21.—(By Canadian Press).—The prime minister in the house this afternoon, referring to the progress in the negotiations regarding the return of the natural resources to the western provinces, announced that an agreement had been reached with Manitoba recognizing that that province should be put on an equality with the other provinces.

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the matter is to be referred to arbitration, the award being subject to ratification by Parliament and the Legislature of Manitoba.

LEADER TO CONTEST SEAT. Portage la Prairie, Man., April 21.—

Major F. G. Taylor, M.L.A., Portage la Prairie, recently appointed leader of the Provincial Liberal-Conservative Party, was last night nominated to again carry the standard of his party in this constituency.

## A Man had two Dreams

The first dream set him thinking, hoping and wondering. A dream of a little home for himself and his family. In this dream-home were comfort, contentedness and happiness.

He awoke from that dream believing it hopeless—yet he dreamed on and hoped and wondered.

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