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OPPOSITION ANXIOUS ABOUT JUDGE TUCK

Press Minister of Justice to Announce His Future Status on Bench

Mr. Aylesworth is Non-committal—Dr. Stockton Declares N. B. Judiciary Act an Attack on the Independence of the Judiciary, and R. L. Borden Accuses Dominion Executive of Conniving With New Brunswick Government—Bourassa Quotes Some Indemnities of Senators and M. P.'s Last Session.

(Special to The Telegraph.) Ottawa, July 5.—In committee on the bill abolishing the supreme court of New Brunswick and creating two courts in its place, Dr. Stockton, Mr. Fowler and Mr. Borden endeavored to ascertain as to how the judges would be appointed to the courts. Mr. Aylesworth previously said that there would be six judges appointed and there were six on the present court and it was intended to retain the services of these six judges.

Dr. Stockton said that the court was abolished because it was intended to get rid of one of the judges, namely, the chief justice.

Mr. Aylesworth said that the creation of the courts rested with the province, and what he was doing in this legislation was to meet what the province desired. As to the intention about the judge in reference to their appointments nothing had been arrived at.

Mr. Fowler pressed for an answer as to what was going to be done with the chief justice. He asked Mr. Aylesworth to say that he was to be appointed chief of the court of appeal.

Mr. Aylesworth replied that he could not say what was to be the position of the senior justice judge as to whether he was to be appointed to the court of appeal or to the trial court; neither could he say as to the second senior and the same thing applied to the third senior. The opposition appeared to be only concerned with the chief justice.

Mr. Fowler said that what he wanted was that the seniority of the judges be preserved.

Dr. Stockton said that it was a blow at the judiciary and what he was doing in this legislation was to meet what the province desired with the concurrence of the dominion executive was attacking the independence of the judiciary. The bill was reported to committee and stands for a third reading.

The final disposition of the public works estimates last night opens the way for possible re-consideration of the bill if the Lord's Day bill can be disposed of in the commonsense today. There are, however, supplementary estimates and many details yet to be worked off. The premier's hope is to have all business finished by Tuesday, but this is regarded as almost impossible.

The bill to provide for a hall mark on Canadian gold and silver received the support of the Banking and Finance committee of the Commons today, and it has been passed by the senate it is assured of being law. W. K. McLaughlin, H. P. Toronto, president of the American Watch Case Company, spoke in favor of the measure. He said there was much misrepresentation as to goods made of gold and silver. The purpose of the bill was to prevent this. It was the custom of some in the trade, he said, to stamp watch cases as being of higher quality than they actually were. He produced a case, guaranteed for twenty years, the gold of which would wear off in three years. There were 200,000 of such cases in Canada today, he said, the manufacturer of which was out of business.

In committee again on Mr. Emmerson's bill to amend railway act, Mr. Lanouette moved an amendment embodying the conclusions of the special committee on his bill. The amendment provided that the company may run up to a speed of ten miles an hour over level crossings in thickly populated parts of cities, towns and villages, but if they desire to exceed that speed they must protect the crossing. The amendment was adopted and the date of coming into force was fixed as January 1, 1916. An amendment by Mr. Emmerson was accepted relating to regulation of express charges, providing that it shall not apply to existing contracts prior to Nov. 1, 1916, or until such time till the railway company determines.

Must Get Villagers' Consent. When the house resumed at 3 o'clock the amendment of Mr. Emmerson making it necessary to get the consent of the village before the companies could use their highways was carried.

Lanouette's amendment was voted down by 27 to 61.

Mr. Staples moved to consider clause 29 to insert a provision giving the provinces the right of expropriation of any telephone company with special purpose of meeting the views of Manitoba, as of the province desired to install a telephone system.

Sir Mackenzie differed from Senator Ellis' suggestion that the time would come when Canada would separate from the mother country. He hoped the day would never come. The ties between Britain and Canada, as time progressed, would grow stronger.

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Want Churchill, Novelist, for Governor. Concord, N. H., July 5.—The Lincoln Republican Club, of New Hampshire, "an organization of Republicans whose aim is to aid in making the government of the state a government of the people, by the people and for the people," has invited Winston Churchill, of Cornwall, the novelist, to become a candidate for the Republican gubernatorial nomination on an anti-corporation platform, and he has accepted the invitation.

Col. Pinault in New York Hospital. Ottawa, July 5.—(Special)—Colonel Pinault, deputy minister of militia, is in New York, in the hospital, where he has undergone an operation and is improving.

DIGBY BOATMEN DIDN'T ACCEPT JURY'S VERDICT

Eight of Them Caught Six Miles from Shore in Terrific Storm

OUT ALL NIGHT

(Special to The Telegraph.) Digby, N. S., July 5.—One of the worst gales of wind ever known in the Bay of Fundy at this season of the year prevailed here yesterday, accompanied by rain. The fishing fleet arrived safely at Westport, Freeport, Tiverton and along the Digby Neck shore, with the exception of four boats from Culloden. No telephone connections with that village delayed the news until tonight.

The story is a remarkable one, considering that it resulted in no loss of life. When the gale was at its worst four small open fishing boats were almost six miles off shore endeavoring to beat in. One, containing Howard Daley and Dell Till, was blown away off shore and remained all night out of sight of land, its occupants expecting every moment to see the small craft founder in the tremendous sea which was running. But by pluck and good management the little boat was kept afloat and arrived at Culloden safely late this afternoon.

In the meantime the boat containing Percy Ross and his brother Ernest filled up, with the sea breaking over her. The occupants threw out the fish and bait and were rescued just in time by the Digby fishing schooner Emerald, commanded by Captain Ansel Casey, and taken into Turnews cove, Digby Gut.

The other two boats, containing Will Ross and his son Dillie, and John Daley and Aubrey Port, were also compelled to spend the night in the bay, but could see Point Prince light when the weather was not too thick.

The eight men who experienced such a narrow escape from disaster appear to be all right tonight, but would not care to have the same thing repeated, although they are thorough boatmen and have weathered many a gale.

OWEN SOUND LOCAL OPTION BY-LAW QUASHED FOR FRAUD

SITUATION IN EGYPT SERIOUS, SAYS EARL GREY

Creates a Sensation in Parliament When He Refers to Recent Attack on British Officers as Not Accidental

London, July 5.—Parliament and the country were given a surprise tonight by the unexpected and sensational speech at Sir Edward Grey, the foreign secretary, on the situation in Egypt. An interesting debate on foreign affairs had been anticipated when the house of commons took up the foreign estimates, but, on account of Russia and the Congo affairs, rather than Egypt. All other subjects, however, were temporarily forgotten when the house regarded the momentous character of Sir Edward Grey's denunciation with regard to Egypt.

A speaking in a solemn tone and amid a tense silence, the minister declared that the recent attack on British troops at Tanta was not accidental, but a deliberate manifestation of the fanatical spirit which had necessitated the strengthening of the garrison in Egypt, and declared that unless the authority of Lord Cromer and the Egyptian government were strongly upheld, it might lead to a situation requiring the adoption of such unconstitutional measures as meet the emergency as would be especially distasteful to the Liberal government.

NEW YORK MILLIONAIRE'S ONLY SON DROWNED

WESTERN ASSURANCE COMPANY HAS NO NEED TO ISSUE STOCK

GREAT DROUGHT AT 'FRISCO BROKEN

MORAN AFTER BOSTON ICE COMBINE

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DR. ATHERTON SERIOUSLY ILL

Wife Summoned to His Side Thursday Night at Montreal Hospital

ANGLICAN SYNOD

(Special to The Telegraph.) Fredericton, N. B., July 5.—Charles F. Randolph, youngest son of the late Hon. A. F. Randolph, was taken ill this evening with a severe attack of appendicitis, and underwent an operation at the Victoria Hospital. At a late hour tonight he was resting quite comfortably.

Mrs. Atherton left for Montreal this evening in response to a telegram stating that her husband, Dr. Atherton, had taken a serious turn. The doctor went to Montreal on Monday to be treated by Dr. Sheppard for internal trouble.

The total amount of lumber rafted by the Fredericton Boom Company up to June 30 was 46,654,795 feet, of which about 40,000,000 feet are spruce. About 50,000 feet were rafted by private parties and delivered to the company at Springhill.

Manager Bliss estimates that there are about 70,000 feet in the booms at the present time.

Whether, If it Was Made, It is in Existence

WELSFORD MAN WON IN THREE-CORNERED CONTEST

REVERDY STEEVES OF ST. JOHN ELECTED TO VICE CHAIR—OTHER OFFICIALS CHOSEN—NEXT SESSION TO BE HELD IN ST. JOHN—ORDER TO PUT PAID ORGANIZERS IN THE FIELD—OTHER MATTERS OF INTEREST.

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On motion, the selection of the next place of meeting was here taken up, and on the first ballot St. John was selected. The high chief was chiefly engaged this afternoon in electing the court officers.

For high chief ranger, M. N. Cockburn, K. C.; Harry Woods, and Judge Eberts were nominated. Mr. Woods was elected. J. E. Bernier and Reverdy Steeves were nominated for the office of high vice-chief ranger. Mr. Steeves was elected. E. W. Emmerson and T. P. Eastman were elected high secretary and high treasurer respectively.

Drs. Lawson, Borden and Doherty were nominated for the office of high physician. Dr. Lawson was chosen. R. B. Hanson defeated R. H. Davis for the high councillorship.

James V. Russell and Thomas Murray were re-elected auditors. The appointive officers were: High orator, Rev. B. H. Thomas; journal secretary, B. M. Grindley; organist, P. G. Perry; E. Woodward, J. W. Smith, J. Woodward, S. Thorne; marshal, Frank Allingham; conductor, Mrs. B. A. Marvin; messenger, Nora Costello; S. Beault, J. A. Brooks, J. Beattie, H. Orchard.

Votes of thanks passed, after which the high court adjourned, to meet in St. John next year.

DID NESBITT GIRL MAKE AFFIDAVIT AGAINST THAW?

Much Speculation in New York Whether, If it Was Made, It is in Existence

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FAILED TO APPOINT PRESIDENT TO KING'S COLLEGE, WINDSOR

Board of Governors Left Matter in Hands of a Committee—Five Professors Chosen.

(Special to The Telegraph.) Halifax, July 5.—A meeting of the board of governors of King's College, Windsor, was held today, Bishop Worcester in the chair. There were also present the Venerable Archdeacon Kaulbach, Rev. Sub-Dean Crawford, Rev. W. H. Bullock, Rev. E. E. Harris, of Bedford; Rev. J. DeW. Cowie, of Fredericton; Justice Hannington, of Dorchester; H. H. Pickett, of St. John; Mr. Wilcox, M. P. P., Windsor; J. B. Smith, W. R. Foster and R. J. Wilson.

A lengthy discussion regarding the presidency of the college took place. The Rev. Abbott Smith, of the diocesan theological college, Montreal, who was very prominently mentioned as a successor to Dr. Hammah, has notified the board that he would not accept. Finally the matter of the presidency was left in the hands of a committee.

Five professors were re-appointed among which were Willets, Bober and Brockwell.

FLOATING ELEVATOR AT MONTREAL ALMOST SINKS STEAMER

Montreal, July 5.—(Special)—Steamer Gasparian and a floating elevator operated by Montreal Grain Elevator Company, collided in midstream opposite Victoria pier this afternoon. A hole, three by one and a half feet, was pierced in the Gasparian's port side, nearly empty, and below the water line. The result was a tremendous influx of water, which threatened to capsize the vessel.

Captain Bouchard, notwithstanding the imminent danger of his steamer going down, pointed her nose across stream and steamed at full speed for the shallows by St. Helen's Island. There she was successfully beached and it is expected that she will be raised tomorrow and taken into dry dock. The Gasparian is a coasting vessel, engaged in general carrying trade between Montreal and Gaspe coast. The floating elevator was not much damaged.

HALIFAX DRUG CLERK DROWNED FROM CANOE

Halifax, July 5.—(Special)—Henry O. Allen, a young drug clerk, was drowned this afternoon by the upsetting of his canoe on the North West Arm. He and Chas. McDunnell were paddling when their canoe turned over. Allen sinking and McDunnell keeping himself afloat till rescued. It is the general opinion that Allen had some affection of the heart which weakened him. Canoeing on the Arm is very general and it is considered to be surprising how few drownings don't occur.

Wm. Hendrie Left Big Estate.

Toronto, July 5.—(Special)—One million seven hundred thousand dollars is the estimated value of the estate of the late William Hendrie, of Hamilton.

TWO MORE RUSSIAN REGIMENTS MUTINY

St. Petersburg, July 5.—Despatches received here today from Samara state that two regiments garrisoning that important provincial capital, had mutinied and presented a series of political and service demands. The officers promised to satisfy the service demands if the mutineers would return to duty; but the men replied that they would be satisfied only with compliance with all of their demands. The mutineers still command the situation, but are not indulging in excesses. The situation is complicated by the fact that in Samara the revolutionists are pushing a movement to proclaim a republic in case a general strike is declared, and may seize the present opportunity to further their aims.