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CLEARING THE ISSUE.

Mr. Thomas Crawford, M.L.A., in the private bills committee, warned Mayor Hocken that he had better be careful in his dealings with the Street Railway Company, because in former days there were men—Mr. Crawford said, "there was men"—who had to leave the country. Mr. Crawford allied himself with the other Tommy interests, and interrupted Mr. McNaught, Mayor Hocken and Controller McCarthy at almost every sentence, until Chairman Lucas had to call him down. He announced his position as being opposed to granting any legislation to the city at all. The city could go ahead and negotiate, he said, and when an agreement had been made, the city could come to Sir James Whitney, and he believed the premier would give an assurance of legislation next session. Chairman Lucas stated his belief that the committee did not see it Mr. Crawford's way at all, and pointed out that there was only one element of disagreement, as to whether there should be a joint bylaw or two separate ones.

Controller McCarthy, who made a lucid statement, why it was impossible to delay action, declared that it would tend to obscure the issue to submit two bylaws when everybody knew that whether separated or not, they must be voted on together and carried together or not at all. This point was quite lost by other speakers, Mr. Beck basing his argument on the rule of the house on the Municipal Act. Mr. Beck was not opposed to the purchase of the railway or of the Electric Light Company, and the bill requires the agreement, if one is arrived at, to be satisfactory to the hydro-electric commission.

The bill, with the amendments agreed to by Mayor Hocken, was reported. The city will now be in a position to carry on the negotiations. Premature attempts to denounce the terms before they are disclosed need not be characterized.

APPRAISING THE SITUATION.

Mayor Hocken explained to the Private Bills Committee yesterday how the city came to approach Sir William Mackenzie with a proposal to buy the Street Railway Co. It was the \$25,000 report of the traffic experts that suggested to him the necessity of securing the unification of the city's railway lines. There are 100,000 people outside the limits of the street railway company's operations. These are to be served by stub lines as far as possible, but these lines are run at a loss, and a double fare is imposed on all who have to come into the old city limits. Most of these 100,000 belong to the working classes, so called. Mr. Gooderham, who drives motor cars and is rarely or never inside a street car, expressed a great deal of indignation over Mayor Hocken's attempt to relieve the situation for these citizens. We believe Mayor Hocken has taken a better business view of the question than Mr. Gooderham, who appeared to have been led like some other members into playing politics, and very small politics at that. The force of circumstances, however, is with Mayor Hocken. He is absolutely disinterested. He is the level-headed mayor the city has had since Mayor Clarke. In him the people have found a champion.

FUTURE OF ELECTRIC SUPPLY.

There is a possibility that the alleged want of confidence may have been of a double-edged nature. No one can understand why Hon. Adam Beck should have shown such feeling over not having been taken into consultation in the street railway matter. But certain statements were made in the private bills committee yesterday that go to show that the city might show some feeling in not having been taken into consultation with regard to the Electrical Development Company. It appears that the Hydro-Electric Commission have more business in sight than they can handle. It appears that new sources of power must be sought. Was all the display of feeling the result of the city having forestalled a move which the chairman of the Hydro-Electric Commission had in contemplation but had not taken the city into his confidence about? No man in Ontario has the hydro-electric interests of the province more at heart than Hon. Adam Beck. He may also have contemplated a coup such as Mayor Hocken has pulled off, and if this be the case he may be forgiven if it appears to him that the city deal may in some way embarrass a provincial deal.

It is unlikely that the purchase of the city electric interests would hin-

der in any way the acquirement of the Electrical Development Company by the Hydro-Electric Commission. The co-operation of Toronto could be relied upon absolutely, and, in fact, the development of the use of power in Toronto will in a few years necessitate the possession of such a plant as the Development Company's. The Hydro Commission must provide for the supply of power to the street railway should the railway be taken over eight years hence. If the city takes up the electric light franchise in seven years the Hydro Commission must supply power for that purpose. Where can this power be had?

It seems clear that the province will shortly be negotiating with Sir William Mackenzie for his Niagara interests. It is possible that this has been already contemplated, and that the two Tommies are further out than ever on their extraordinary view of Mayor Hocken's proposals. If Mr. Beck undertakes to purchase the Electrical Development Company it will be a case of three aces against two jacks.

THE EUROPEAN OUTLOOK.

Montenegro's capture of Scutari introduces a complication into the Balkan question that might have been avoided. It is the direct result of the long delay by the great powers in arriving at an agreement and may reopen the old difficulties in even more aggravated form. This procrastination enabled the Servians to aid their allies, especially with the powerful guns that could alone overcome the Turkish artillery and open the way for direct assault. But for this assistance it is improbable that the garrison would have yielded to anything but lack of food. But whatever might have happened had coercive action been earlier applied to the Montenegrins is immaterial now that they have gained their object. For, as Sir Edward Grey pointed out in the house of commons, so far as Montenegro was concerned the war was one of pure aggression.

Austria-Hungary is the power upon which the matter of peace or war mainly rests. Her policy and ambitions are well known and the fact that the most important of her aims is to prevent appearance beyond her reach, will render her all the most insistent that the division of the conquered territory will be to her liking. Saloniki, the finest port on the Aegean, was the goal of Austria's desires, and the hope of ultimately reaching it may not even now be abandoned. Austria's imperative demand for an autonomous Albania, which she hopes to dominate, is the first step on the march to Saloniki, over whose possession the three principal of the allies are already quarreling. Unless they can reach an agreement Saloniki will not improbably become a free port under the protection of the great powers.

Italy is equally concerned with Austria in the control of the eastern shore of the Adriatic and will be no less anxious to establish Italian influence in Albania, with which it has greater racial affinity than Austria. This is another of the points that illustrate the artificial division of Europe. Austria and Italy cannot be in any true sense allies, yet they are both members of the Triple Alliance. German statesmen are fully aware of this weak link and have acknowledged it by recognizing the right of Italy to reserve liberty of action in its relations to Britain and France. Here is the explanation in part of the greater cordiality between Britain and Germany to which Sir Edward Grey and the German chancellor recently bore witness. In it lies the hope of European peace.

MOTOR SPIRIT FROM COAL.

In the current weekly report of the department of trade and commerce Mr. E. D. Arnand, Canadian commissioner at Bristol, refers to a motor spirit produced by a new method of coal distillation, known as the Del Monte process. By it a spirit more efficient than ordinary petrol has been obtained that can be placed on the market at as low a price as 20 cents per gallon, or even less. This has been demonstrated during the last few weeks at two experimental plants, one, the larger, laid down at West Bromwich, and the other and smaller near London. The tests were conducted under the supervision of eminent chemists, engineers and colliery owners and proved so successful that the commissioner says the invention cannot be otherwise described than revolutionary in its results.

Writing on March 28 Mr. Arnand reported that the spirit had for some days previous been subjected to exhaustive trials. Two cars were driven by it from London to Brighton, thence to Worthing and back to London, the route selected being a hilly and trying one. This and further experiments on other roads have demonstrated that a gallon of the new fuel will, on an average, carry an ordinary car 3 1/4 miles further than a gallon of the best petrol. The invention consists of a specially designed retort, by which all the oils that coal contains are extracted cheaply and efficiently. Ten million tons of coal it is calculated will supply all the motor spirit needed in Britain and place the motor industry in an independent position. This quantity is a small fraction of the 265,000,000 tons yearly mined in Great Britain.

Mayor Blankenburg of Philadelphia has arranged to attend a course of lectures at Madison, Wisconsin, on political economy, with two of his

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civic cabinet, so that they may be more competent to administer the affairs of the city. The course will cover 24 lectures in three days. We commend this to the Tommy brigade.

The English language is spreading faster than any other. The Evening Telegram informs us. And louder. And longer, too, when we remember the city council. Just think how the two Tommies spread it!

Sir John Cockburn says that grammar is no use to anybody. Cheers from all public legislative bodies. Renewed cheers from private citizens.

The Philosopher of Folly

By Sherwood Hart

FACING FATE.

This life is a mixture of joys and of woes—today we're parading in suits of Nell rose, with rings on our fingers and bells on our toes, and wads of long green in our purses; tomorrow we're going to the workhouse for loans—anon we are out in the road breaking stones, or sliding up alleys for bottles and bones—for life is a chain of reverses. Today we may carry our lunch in a pail and help to dig drains for the wing on the fall—tomorrow we're dining on mulligan and quail, and lobster and real old green turtle; one day we are buying up guaranteed stocks, arrayed in silk topcoats and waistcoats and socks, the next day may find us aground on the rocks while over us hurricanes hurtle. This life is a riddle we all of us feel, but when we are thrown by a turn of Fate's wheel, it surely is foolish to lie there and squeal—to weep and to wall and make faces, there's always a balm in life's bitterest drugs—when ever an engine runs over our legs 'tis plain that we cannot have corns on the pegs the doctors will put in their places. When trouble looms large as a ninety-foot whale and we are the one that's heaved over the rail, what good does it do us to weep and to wall and tear at our hair and kimona? The billows may roar and the tempests may howl, but the wind of misfortune may make us their sport, yet somehow and somewhere we'll pull into port, the maybe we'll travel like Jonah.

UNCLAIMED BAGGAGE SALE.

Remember, only once a year trunks, valises, suit cases, packages, etc., are sold by auction.

Take advantage of this opportunity today, Thursday, April 24th, from 10 to 12, at Henderson's, 87-89 East King st.

CRIMEAN VETERAN DEAD.

BROCKVILLE, April 23.—(Special.)—The death occurred at his home here of Robert Belmont, aged 82. He came to this country from Oxford, England, and lived for some years in Prescott before coming to Brockville. He was one of the British soldiers at the siege of Sebastopol, and later took up arms in the Indian mutiny. He was also a Fenian raid veteran, and in those times was a member of the Ottawa Rifles at Prescott. His widow and seven children survive.

POSTAL EXAMINATIONS.

The postoffice department in the city makes every effort to keep their clerks up to the highest proficiency. To do this the executive department have devised a system of examinations or tests, which every clerk has to undergo at least once a year.

FIGHTS TO GET LICENSE BACK.

KINGSTON, April 23.—(Special.)—Mr. Eccles, proprietor of the Grand Opera House Hotel, cut off in a rupture a year ago, has applied for a license. He says false statements were made last year about his house, and that he was not given fair treatment. He has secured counsel to fight the case. Only 15 licenses are to be granted, which means that one must be dropped if his request is granted.

At Osgoode Hall

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Motions set down for single court for Thursday, 24th inst., at 10 a.m.:
1. Davidson v. Thompson.
2. Re Bell Estate.
3. Re Hill.
4. Re Gage Estate.
5. Whibley v. Patterson.
6. Andrews v. G. T. R. Co.
7. Re Randall and Canada Foundry.

Peremptory list for appellate division for Thursday, 24th inst., at 11 a.m.:
1. Merson v. Ontario Sulphur Mines Company.
2. Hart v. Latreille.
3. Inglis v. Richardson.
4. Rescor v. Lowry.
5. Corby v. Foster.
6. Gibbons v. Berliner.

Master's Chambers.
Before J. S. Cartwright, K.C., Master.
Rogers v. Imperial Portland Cement Co.—Gordon (Bicknell & Co.), for plaintiff, obtained order for issue of concurrent writ for service on defendants abroad. Time for appearance 20 days.

Powell v. Williams—C. M. Garvey, for plaintiff, moved for judgment for possession under C.R. 603. T. N. Phelan for defendant. Mr. A. Williams. Enlarged one week at defendant's request to permit of cross-examination of plaintiff.

Burns v. Jackson—O. H. King, for plaintiff, moved for judgment for immediate possession in an action on two mortgages. G. C. Campbell for defendant. Motion dismissed. Costs to defendant in the cause.

Sovereign Bank v. Craig—Collier (Ross & H.), for defendant, obtained order dismissing action without costs.

Graham v. Caswell—F. S. Button (Stoutville), for plaintiff, obtained order of writ of habeas corpus out of jurisdiction. Order made. Time for appearance 20 days.

Judge's Chambers.
Before Falconbridge, C.J.
McPherson v. U. S. Fidelity and Guaranty Co.—W. Laidlaw, K.C., for plaintiff, appealed from order of the master in chambers dismissing motion for judgment on a bond under C.R. 603. G. H. Kilmer, K.C., for defendant. Judgment (v. v.). The case presents unusual features, but, nevertheless, I cannot disregard the long line of modern decisions gradually restricting the plaintiff's right to set judgment under the rule, and so I think the master was right and have nothing to add to his judgment. I do not see my way to making any special order or condition as to payment of money into court. Appeal dismissed, with costs of cause to defendants in any event.

Single Court.

Before Falconbridge, C.J.
Re Abell and City of Toronto—C. A. Moss, for Abell, on motion to quash bylaw, stated that negotiations for settlement pending and asked that motion be enlarged sine die. Enlarged accordingly.

Wood v. Brodie—C. A. Moss, for plaintiff, on appeal from report of local master at Perth, asked enlargement to answer affidavit. H. M. Mowat, K.C., for defendant. E. C. Cattell, for instant. Enlarged until 28th inst.

Re Robert Baldwin Estate—C. A. Thompson, for executor, obtained an order referring to Mr. J. S. Cartwright, K.C., special referee, to pass the accounts.

National Trust Co. v. Dominion Graphite Co.—R. H. Fermenter, for plaintiff, and Reel obtained order authorizing receiver to advance or borrow at a rate not exceeding 6 per cent per annum a sum not exceeding \$4000, for purposes of paying insurance premiums, taxes and costs of caretaking and other incidental expenses properly incurred and to be incurred by said receiver, such sum to be a charge upon the property and assets of the company in priority to all bonds or debentures.

Before Middleton, J.
Re Toronto Concrete Building Co. and Tyndall and Lyon—W. R. Wedgworth, for vendor, moved for order declaring that objection to title of the Toronto Concrete Building Co. to lands in question has been satisfactorily answered by vendor, and does not constitute valid objection. E. G. Long for purchaser. Judgment: I do not think the objection is well taken. Thomas Galt joined in the conveyance and the fact that he is described as a partner and another joins with him, raises no presumption against his right to sell. Rite esse acta applies.

Before Kelly, J.
Godson Contracting Co. v. McLeod—J. Haverson, K.C., for plaintiff, obtained an injunction restraining defendant until Monday, 26th inst., from parting with the possession of one 15-ton four-wheel Brown hoist, now in possession of defendants, to any person or corporation other than plaintiffs.

Court of Appeal.
McKenzie v. Elliott—The majority report of this case it was stated that judgment was awarded plaintiff for \$3315, but the amount is in addition to \$39 paid, defendant to plaintiff before action, so that the price paid for the barn is \$3354.

Appellate Division.

Before Meredith, C.J.O.; MacLaren, J. A.; Magee, J.A.; Hodgins, J.A.
Alabastine Co. of Paris v. Canada Producer and Gas Engine Co.—I. F. Hellmuth, K.C., and W. A. Boys, K.C., for defendants; Appeal by defendants from judgment of Clute, J., of Dec. 17, 1912. Argument of appeal resumed from yesterday and concluded. Judgment reserved.

Pinard v. Eby—J. U. Vincent, K.C., for plaintiff; G. W. Mason for defendant. Appeal by plaintiff from judgment of senior judge of County Carleton, of Feb. 20, 1913. Action to set aside agreement for sale of a motorboat by defendant to plaintiff and for damages. Defendant counter claimed for balance of price for boat. At the trial plaintiff's action was dismissed without costs, and the counter claim allowed with costs of counter claim. Appeal dismissed without costs.

Re Nichols Hall v. Wildman—H. T. Beck for defendant; G. H. Watson, K.C., and L. M. Hayes, K.C., for estate of Nichols Hall. Appeal by defendant from order of Latchford, J., of March 10, 1913. The order complained of was made on appeal by Marianna Wildman, from the report of local master at Peterboro, under order for administration taken out by Hall and Innes, the executors, which declared that the executors were not liable to indemnify Mrs. Wildman against a certain judg-

ment, and dismissing her claim that they should account to her for \$200 which they retained from her in 1881, to meet possible contingencies. The order of Latchford, J., held that executors was liable to account for the \$200, and for Mrs. Wildman's share as residuary legatee in so much of \$600 and \$348.98, as may not have been expended in administering estate, but might claim compensation, and in other respects dismissed appeal with costs to executors out of fund. Appeal partly argued and enlarged until May 5.

Before Mulock, C.J.; Riddell, J.; Sutherland, J.; Lettich, J.
He Hon. Robert Hamilton Estate—R. R. Hall and S. T. Medd (Peterboro) for Annie Seaborn Hill; G. H. Watson, K.C., for executor. Appeal from judgment of the chancellor of Dec. 10, 1912, made on motion of executor for an order construing will of said Hon. Robert Hamilton, and deciding that Annie Seaborn Hill's share must be subject to a deed of settlement during coverture. Judgment: We agree with the judgment of the chancellor for the reason stated by him therein and would dismiss the appeal with costs.

SCUTARI'S FALL IS CELEBRATED

Montenegrins Wild With Joy Over Success of Long Siege.

CETTINJE, Montenegro, April 23.—(Can. Press.)—The first tidings of the fall of Scutari was received at two o'clock in the morning in a telegram from the crown prince to the king. The populace were immediately apprised of the glad news by the firing of salvoes of artillery and the ringing of church bells. Tumbling out of bed the people assembled at the palace, cheering enthusiastically.

From the balcony King Nicholas addressed his people and embraced the representatives of the allies, who called to congratulate him.

The Turks before capitulating had nearly exhausted their ammunition. By the terms of the surrender they marched out of town with the honors of war, bearing their small arms and retaining also some light guns.

Fought Hand to Hand.
The final attack began Monday night and fighting continued almost incessantly for 24 hours. The Montenegrins pushed right up to the defence and engaged in bayonet fighting with the Turks. Despite desperate counterattacks, the invaders obtained a footing in the fortress at midnight and at four o'clock detachments entered the city.

The siege lasted six months, having begun in the middle of October. Servian troops did not take part in the final assault, but the Servian cannon were used with great effect.

There are other versions that Essaad Pasha, the Turkish commander, gave up the defence after the outlying key position of Ibrahim-bosch had fallen, and that negotiations for the surrender had been in progress since Monday.

ARMISTICE IS EXTENDED.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 23.—(Can. Press.)—The armistice between the Turks and the Bulgarians, which expired this evening, has been extended to noon, May 5.

ENTER OFFICIAL EXEUNT CHILDREN

Incident at Haileybury Shows Bilingual Agitation Not Yet Dead.

HAILEYBURY, April 23.—When ordered back into the separate school after recess, 50 children of one of the primary rooms immediately fled into the school and then out by the fire escape to the Protestant Supervising Inspector White of North Bay, was visiting the separate school here.

The pupils in one of the smaller rooms attempted to leave the school room also, but the teacher barred the door and then stood guard and kept them back.

Inspector White visited the higher classes of the school, but in the majority of the rooms no adverse notice was taken of him.

That is the first trouble over the bilingual school question which has confronted the Haileybury board. In Cochrane, on the previous day, nearly all the scholars of the separate school left when Inspector White called.

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SIX MONTHS FOR STEALING WATCH.

KINGSTON, April 23.—(Special.)—George Wilson of Montreal stole a watch from George Holden in a boarding house where he stayed over night. Magistrate Farrell gave him six months in the General Prison.

IN MINISTRY 40 YEARS.

KINGSTON, April 23.—(Special.)—Rev. J. Edmond Stone, one of the most prominent Methodist ministers in eastern Ontario, today celebrated his 70th birthday. He has been in the ministry 40 years and occupied many pulpits in this section.

DIED BY ALCOHOLISM.

At the city morgue last night a jury was empaneled by Coroner Dr. Singer to enquire into the cause of the death of John Regan, late of 706 Dundas st. laborer, whose body was found lying at the rear of Clifford st. on Monday, April 14. Dr. Graham, who gave evidence of post-mortem examination, stated that Regan had taken an excessive amount of alcohol, which poisoned the stomach, and that his heart was diseased. Several of the neighboring residents who saw Regan also gave evidence. The jury returned a verdict of "Alcoholic poison and heart trouble."