

ANTI-CHURCH UNIONISTS WILL FIGHT

ANTI-UNIONISTS TO CONTINUE AS SEPARATE BODY

Publish Signed Statement Today, Officially Stating Their Position.

FIGHT FOR LIBERTY

Thomas McMillan Not Sure of Legal Right To Use Presbyterian Name.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, June 16.—Any impression that the anti-unionists of the Presbyterian Church of Canada have given up the fight against organic union with the Methodist and Congregational churches, following the vote favoring union in the Presbyterian General Assembly at Port Arthur this week, was dispelled by the appearance in local papers today of an advertisement signed by leading Ontario anti-unionists, stating that the Presbyterian Church would be continued and asking every member of the "Presbyterian Church Association" to continue to work "for its constitution and our religious liberty."

The notice was signed by Messrs. John Penman, of Paris, Ont.; Thomas McMillan, of Toronto; Rev. J. W. MacNamara, of Toronto, and C. S. McDonald, of Brampton. Mr. McMillan in an interview declared that the association intended to carry on the fight against organic union. He said the union was consummated. He was not sure of the legal right of the withdrawing churches to use the name "Presbyterian," however. The association would fight the union bills in the Houses of Commons and the provincial legislatures to the very last. He expected many recruits to the anti-union forces.

BAPTISTS STATE STAND.

Canadian Press Despatch. Edmonton, June 16.—A resolution stating that organic union between Baptists and other denominations was now impossible on proposed grounds, but that Baptists recognized Christian worth existing in denominations other than their own, and would continue to cooperate with such denominations, was passed by delegates to the Alberta Baptist Convention here yesterday.

Capt. J. Bowen, M.L.A., Edmonton, was unanimously chosen president.

BOARD MAKES PAYMENT ON COLLEGIATE WORK

On Advice of City Solicitor, Check Is Sent to Contractors.

A check for \$67,777.76 has been sent by the secretary of the board of education on the advice of the city solicitor, to the Nobis Construction Company. This was money that the company was claiming from the Kingston Construction Company, who built the Central Collegiate. There are two other amounts outstanding against the Kingston Construction Company which the board of education will have to meet, one for \$2,000 to the Eggett Plumbing Company, and one for \$1,026.75 to the Belton Lumber Company.

The board will not be out of pocket by these payments, as they withheld some \$10,000 from the contract price due the Kingston Company at the time the school was finished. The firm claiming payments had withdrawn contracts from the larger company when the school was built, and when payment was not forthcoming, they applied to the board.

RACE HORSE OWNER DIES. Canadian Press Despatch. Hamilton, June 16.—Barney Cole of Baltimore, the well-known horse owner, who came here with his stable on Wednesday, to be ready for the meet, died this morning of pneumonia. He was 65 years of age. He is survived by his widow.

Twenty Years Ago Today Ford Started Business

Mammoth Automobile Industry, Internationally Famous, Celebrates Conclusion of Two Decades of Successful Existence.

By JASON CONRAD. Special Cable to The Advertiser. Copyright.

Detroit, June 16.—The flapper who is twenty years old today, and Henry is getting \$50,000,000 worth of laughs out of it a year.

Twenty years ago the dream of Henry Ford, mechanic—he was not even an automotive engineer—began to come true. The Ford factories are now celebrating the conclusion of the second decade of their existence. Their dominating head is celebrating the fact that they have made him the richest man in the world and a national figure. The Ford Company today is at the

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STUDY BANTING'S TREATMENT.

Dr. Orla of the University of Montevideo and Dr. Leiva of the University of Salvador are visiting Cambridge hospital and surgical conditions and studying Dr. Banting's insulin treatment.

Perpetuate Name and Fame of Heroes Who Died in War

Bible Memorial to Lieut. Eric Ziegler To Be Placed on Ridley College Altar.

On the altar in the new chapel at Ridley College, St. Catharines, which will be dedicated tomorrow in honor of 500 young colleagues who served in the great war, a Bible will rest throughout the years to perpetuate the name of Lieut. Eric Ziegler of this city, who gave up his life for his Empire. The name of Lieut. John Labatt Scatcherd, son of Mrs. A. D. Scatcherd, 592 Talbot street, who also gave his life for his country after meritorious service in Flanders, which was recognized by a Military Cross and Bar, will be preserved to posterity by a lectern of the chapel, which is to be dedicated in his name.

51 Riddlean Heroes.

Lieut. Ziegler, son of Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Ziegler, 254 Waterloo street, was numbered among 51 Riddlean heroes who paid the supreme sacrifice. He died at the age of 23 at the third battle of Ypres. The name of Lieut. Ziegler has gone down in the records of the war illuminated by the account of glorious deeds performed on the field of battle. He was with the 7th Machine Gun Brigade, which is credited with saving the day for the British forces, and it was while he was directing his men from an exposed position that he received his death wound.

Buried Near Commander.

Lieut. Ziegler was buried within a few feet of the grave of General Mercer, who commanded the brigade and who died at the same battle. His name was mentioned in the account of the battle recorded in a book by Lord Beaverbrook.

Died Near End of War.

Lieut. Scatcherd died in the closing days of the war during the drive of Cambria on Sept. 3, 1918. He was killed in action, and at the time of his death was serving with the 7th Machine Gun Brigade.

FLOOD IN OKLAHOMA BEGINNING TO RECEDE

Swelling Waters Cause Damages Which Are Estimated in the Thousands.

Special to The Advertiser.

Oklahoma City, Okla., June 16.—Flood waters, which have menaced Oklahoma for the last week, began to recede today, damages estimated at thousands of dollars, when torrential rains in Kansas and Oklahoma sent streams in this section over their banks, inundating rich farming land and flooding homes in the low lands.

Reports here indicated the Arkansas River was still on a rampage in Arkansas, but little additional damage was expected.

AUTO DRIVER GETS THIRTY DAYS' JAIL

William Atkins Penalized For Driving Car While Intoxicated.

Thirty days in the common jail was the sentence meted out by Magistrate Graydon in police court this morning to William Atkins, charged with driving a motor vehicle while intoxicated. Atkins pleaded guilty, and as it was his second offense, received a stiff penalty.

John Robinson, Edward McCullough and Joseph Read, with Atkins at the time, were charged with being intoxicated. Ten dollars and costs were their portion, paying which they were allowed to go.

Harry Atkinson, charged with theft, was allowed to go on suspended sentence, he having promised the court that he would accept work with W. E. Kelly, children's aid inspector, had found for him, and keep out of trouble. Atkinson, together with another boy, Alex. Bell, escaped some time ago from the industrial school at Mimico. Bell's father came down and took him home a couple of days ago.

Frances Lawton, charged with vagrancy, was remanded a week. She did not appear in court.

DEMONSTRATION TRUCK WILL TOUR THE COUNTY

R. A. Finn, of the department of agriculture, announces that the water supply demonstration truck for the purpose of explaining country sanitation and water supply systems will be in Middlesex County from June 30 until July 7. The truck carries a complete unit of farm plumbing and a small engine and pneumatic pressure tank, all in actual operation. The truck is being operated by the Institute's branch of the department of agriculture, and is in the charge of E. Newsome of Weston, Ont., who will lecture to farmers at the points where the demonstration truck is halted for instruction purposes.

The truck will reach every farming centre in Middlesex, and will be placed on London market on Saturday, July 7.

AMAZING OVER WELLAND

Canadian Press Despatch. St. Catharines, June 16.—Amazement at the magnitude of the construction work of the Welland ship canal was expressed by Sir George Fuller, premier of New South Wales, and Hon. S. W. Lawson, premier of Victoria, who with Mrs. Lawson made a tour of inspection of the work yesterday as the guests of the Dominion government before taking a private car for the West on their journey homeward.

REV. R. ENDICOTT HAPPY AT DECISION OF CHURCH UNION

Methodist Mission Secretary Charms With Speech at Port Arthur Assembly.

RELATIONS IMPRESS

Confident Opposition to the Scheme Will Yet Embrace Unity.

By R. E. KNOWLES. Special to The Advertiser.

Port Arthur, June 16.—Charmed by the address of greeting, as were about a thousand others, delivered before the General Assembly by Rev. Dr. James Endicott, secretary of the Methodist board of foreign missions, I sought him at his hotel here, before he resumed his west-bound journey. "How were you impressed with your new relation?" I asked the doctor.

"Most favorably," was the doctor's smiling reply. "We Methodists have nothing on Presbyterians for cordiality. It was a wonderful experience for me. I was the first to look into the face of our new fiancée."

Means To Go Ahead.

"And what do you think about her promise true?" I asked, quoting from Annie Laurie.

"That she really means to go ahead. We must all regard it that way now, and claim that word 'catholic' as our own."

"Dr. Endicott," I inquired, "in your great speech this afternoon, why did you say 'If it is God's wish that we should be one'?" Why did you say "Since I would say any contingency remaining?"

"That is for the Presbyterian Church to say," he replied. "I am not already spoken its mind."

"Yes, so far as I know, and we fondly trust it is final. Let me say this to the same thing had happened in my conference, I would say as was fixed and settled. And I am confident that many of the assembly who voted 'no' will yet go on."

"What should be the attitude of the assembly to the opposition?"

"So far as it has captious, or factious, they should ignore it."

"Absolutely none—except, of course, in terms of what any high spirit would feel with regard to Presbyterian reluctance."

"It is a little of that, but what will be the feeling if the Presbyterians bring a match in whose good offices my new-found relative had not shared."

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LADY MARY CAMBRIDGE WEDS.

Lady Mary Cambridge, niece of Queen Mary and the Marquis of Worcester, who were married on June 14 in St. Margaret's Church, Westminster. The wedding was one of the most fashionable of the present London season. The King and Queen, Queen Alexandra and many notables being present. Lady Mary was one of the bridesmaids at the wedding of both Princess Mary and the Duke of York.

CLERGY BELIEVE UNION QUESTION SOON SETTLED

Do Not Anticipate Antis Will Hamper Church Union Permanently.

AGREEMENT CERTAIN

The Passing of Parliamentary Bills Only Necessary Now.

That plans for the union of the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational churches in Canada have now reached the stage where an ultimate amalgamation is only a matter of time is the opinion of representatives of the three denominations, when interviewed by The Advertiser this morning.

As the general assembly of each church has endorsed the church union idea, the feeling locally seems to be that amicable agreement between the bodies concerned is certain and that definite plans for the actual union will be consummated with little delay when the federal and provincial governments have passed the bills concerning the transferring of properties and vested funds.

Although none of the ministers interviewed would be so optimistic as to think that the anti-unionists had given up fighting, they did not anticipate that they would hamper permanently a church union.

Vote Was Favorable.

In discussing the present outlook this morning, Rev. M. Kelly of the First Congregational Church pointed out that the Congregationalists have voted in favor of church union by an overwhelming majority. The question was the ninth issue at the recent Congregational Assembly at Ottawa.

Mr. Kelly expressed himself as being pleased with the developments to date, and declared that everything looks bright for a union that would be a boon to three denominations.

"As far as the denominations themselves are concerned, union is consummated," he stated. "But nothing further can be done until legislation, pending the transfer of property and rights and funds is passed by the federal and provincial governments. The bill is expected to be brought before the February session of the commons."

Will Lose Names.

Mr. Kelly further stated that in his opinion the churches would lose their individual names, as the union would be incorporated under the name of the United Church of Canada, but that the denominations would still retain their individualities.

The Rev. J. F. Roycroft of the First Methodist Church told The Advertiser that real progress could be expected when enabling legislation was granted by the federal and provincial parliaments. He said, however, that a considerable amount of detail work must necessarily be accomplished before union was a reality, and for this reason the actual union might not be completed for five or six years.

He drew attention to the fact that the proposal has been advanced that in rural settlements church union be effected at once, but he did not think himself that this would be a fact until the union proper takes place.

Union In the Offing.

As his reason for this opinion, he said that although union seems to be in the offing, on account of various present conditions, it was wiser not to anticipate until all arrangements have been completed.

The Rev. D. C. MacGregor also asserted that judging from the situation, it was only a matter of time

FIND AYLMER GIRL, MISSING ONE WEEK AT BYRON HOUSE

City Police Locate Pearl Hopper at Home of Mrs. Bancroft.

CLAIMS KIDNAPPING

Maiden Declares Man Lured Her Into Auto by Fictitious Tale.

After having been missing from her home in Aylmer since Sunday last, Pearl Hopper, 17 years old, was found late yesterday afternoon by County Constable E. J. Dawson at the home of a Mrs. Bancroft, Byron.

According to Constable Dawson he was notified by Chief Birrell that a girl who had disappeared, was at this home in Byron. He immediately went there, and found the girl, who was brought to the city in the evening, and kept there to await the arrival of her parents from Aylmer, they having been notified that she was found. Mrs. Hopper took her daughter back by motor about 10 o'clock last night.

Reticent on Case.

Local police will say nothing about the case, the reporter having been told when making inquiries that nothing was known, and that the girl was a juvenile. Chief Birrell would not state how he knew the girl was at Byron, although it undoubtedly was the result of investigations carried out by the local police following a visit of Mr. Hopper to this city last Wednesday, when he enlisted the aid of the London police.

Miss Hopper told the police a story of having been kidnapped by a St. Thomas man, who took her away in an automobile. She did not know who he was, except that he was called "Bill." She admitted having been at Mrs. Bancroft's for four days, but would give no explanation as to where she had spent the rest of the time.

Stopped by Man.

To the Aylmer police, Miss Hopper stated that she had been stopped on the street by a tall man in an automobile who had told her that her mother had fallen downstairs and was badly injured, and crying for her. Without thinking she jumped into the motor and started, as she thought, for her home. Instead of this the man drove her out in the country, and despite all her efforts to get out of the car, managed to keep her. Further than this she would make no statement.

An investigation is being conducted by the Aylmer police in an effort to find the man who she claims did the kidnapping.

METHODIST MEMBERS HOLD ANNUAL PICNIC

Dundas Street Central Congregation Stage Festivities at Springbank.

The congregation and children of Dundas Street Methodist Church turned out in full force at the annual picnic held yesterday at Springbank Park. The program consisted of a complete list of sports including a tug-of-war that provided much excitement and amusement.

The feature sport presentation was the baseball game between teams captained by Rev. Walter E. Millson, president of the London Conference, and Rev. John Garbutt, pastor of the church. The All-Stars, Rev. Mr. Millson's team, easily defeated the Has-Beens, the aggregation headed by Mr. Garbutt. One of the unusual events of the day was the Chinese kite-flying competition, which was won by Chin Sing.

Following is a list of the winners: Race for boys 8 and under—Charles Hound, Bill Deacon, Fred Wood; girls 6 and under—Mary Sumner, Gladys and under—Charles Gibson, Frank Deacon, Arthur Dolby.

Girls 8 and under, Agnes Magee, Hilda Adams, Margaret Hart; boys 10 and under, Harold Harding, Roy Louch, Charles Sheppard, Anna Gordon and under, Fred Jones, Harry Banks, Bob Ferguson; and Obey, John Covey.

Ladies' chess race, Jean Gordon and Marion Gowie, Bonnie Banks and Alma Piner, Annie Cahill and Hilda Grant; married men's race, George Copeland, R. Hound, Mr. Moore, ball-loon race, toddlers, Betty St. Clair, Dick St. Lawrence, Maxine MacLean, primary boys, Jack Spence, Frank Deacon, Charles Gibson; rooster parade, Fred Jones, Eddie Spence, Fred Magee; kite flying, Chin Sing, Ho Hing, Chin Game; sack race, Frank Deacon, Fred Jones; still race, Stuart Ward, Arthur Ward, Fred Jones; ladies' donkey race, Mrs. Cursley, Hilda Grant; four-legged race, N. Blair, A. Colhoun, L. Harding; girls' ball-throwing contest, D. Cahill, C. Middleton, G. Godwin; kicking football for girls, J. Gordon, H. Grant, C. Middleton; tug-of-war, choir against number eight club, choir won; girls' sack race, H. Grant, A. Cahill, L. Downham.

until a union of the three churches would be consummated.

Questioned whether he thought the churches would retain their former names or not, he asserted that if the bodies concerned were united under the name of the United Church of Canada, he expected that St. Andrew's Church would still be known as St. Andrew's, and that the word Presbyterian would not necessarily be eliminated.

Dr. MacGregor went on to say that each church would retain its own special form of service, and agreed with Mr. Roycroft that the form of service would be left to discretion of the local church.



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GEORGE HODGE AGAIN CHAIRMAN OF BOARD

Re-elected Head of Railway Adjustment Commission This Week.

Canadian Press Despatch. Montreal, June 16.—George Hodge, assistant general manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, was re-elected chairman of the Canadian railway board of adjustment No. 1, in the course of the meeting which commenced June 12 and terminated on Thursday. Ash Kennedy, assistant grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, was selected as vice-chairman. In the course of the sittings, fourteen decisions were given. Since the inception of the board in August, 1918, the number of decisions given has been 169, with a number of other settlements made.

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