

EDMONTON NEWS

LOCALS.

All applications for the renewal of liquor licenses for the province for the year 1926 and 1927 should be in the office of the lieutenant-governor...

CONATION TO FIREMEN.

James A. Powell & Co. have made a donation of \$50 to the firemen's benefit fund in appreciation of their efforts several weeks ago at the fire on the corner of Rice street and Queen avenue.

WHAT IT MEANS.

Over \$27,000,000 of foreign capital will be brought into the province to build railroads if the Rutherford government is sustained.

POLICE MAKE A RAID.

As the result of a raid made Monday night by the city police force Evelyn Williams, of Kingston avenue, appeared at the police court and pleaded guilty to being the keeper of a house of ill fame.

TRAFFIC BLOCKED ON BRIDGE.

All traffic on the Saskatchewan bridge was again blocked for about a quarter of an hour on Monday morning owing to a long C. N. R. freight train becoming stuck.

ANOTHER ENGINEER.

Mayor Lee on Wednesday has a visit from another consulting engineer in connection with the search of the city for a new water supply.

FUR CATCH SMALL.

Twenty-four years ago the Bulletin reported the departure of Colin Fraser from Edmonton with three dog teams bound for Island Lake, beyond Lac La Biche.

NO TAX ON COFFEE.

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His Holiness' Cold Improving.

Rome, March 9.—The pope, who has been suffering from a cold, is much better today. The spring-like weather has had a good effect on the patient.

Saskatoon Gambling Joints Raided.

Saskatoon, Sask., March 9.—A couple of gambling joints in town were raided by the city and a number of frequenters and others taken in. A man named Combs, who operated the game, got two months in jail.

Largest Battleship in the World.

New York, March 9.—The laying of the keel of the battleship Florida, to be the largest ever constructed, began at Brooklyn Navy Yards this morning.

ALBERTA MUSICAL FESTIVAL.

Indications from all parts of the province point very strongly to the second annual Alberta Musical Festival being a success.

DEBENTURES STILL HIGH.

Latest quotations received from the British financial markets by the city commissioners show that the Edmonton debentures still retain the high figure in British financial circles.

RETURNING OFFICERS.

The following are the returning officers and the electoral districts for the forthcoming elections: Pembina—Wm. Garrison, Pembina.

EXHIBITION BOARD APPOINTS MANAGER.

Arthur G. Harrison, secretary of the Edmonton Exhibition Board, has appointed H. R. Mountfield as managing secretary of the Edmonton Exhibition Association at a salary of \$1,500 per year.

HAMILTON MURDER MYSTERY.

Body of Ethel Kinrade, Eukomed, Florence Kinrade's Two Different Stories. Hamilton, March 9.—Ethel Kinrade's body was exhumed this afternoon after resting in the grave nine days.

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LABOR Held Friday Night in New Windsor Block Hall.

MESSRS. CROSS AND McDOUGALL GET A MAGNIFICENT RE

ATTORNEY GENERAL Explains Workmen's Compensation and its Benefits to the People.

Resolution Passed Unanimously

Seven Hundred Union Members

dorsing the Rutherford Government's Action on Behalf

of Workingmen and Pledging

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vis Barker, Jos. Adair, A. J. H. Garrison, Charles

and E. H. McDougall—Douglas

Will Support Amendments Needed For Its Improvement

UNIONS ENDORSE GOVERNMENT.

The following resolution, endorsing the Rutherford government and especially

its candidate of Hon. C. Cross was unanimously passed

by a standing vote at the meeting of labor union delegates

of the city last night at the Windsor block hall.

Between 500 and 700 were present.

The assembly was presided over by

Traders' Unionists of the city of Edmonton, commending

Rutherford's Government especially the Attorney General in passing labor laws

and particularly such measures as the Workmen's Compensation Act, the

Mechanics Lien Act, and the Extension of the Hours of Labor Act, and pledging

their support to the government in its efforts to safeguard

the interests of labor.

Many doubts had ever existed as to the mind of Hon. C. Cross

in the appreciation of the workingmen of the labor legislation

which has placed on the statute books of the province the most

liberal and just labor laws in the history of the Dominion.

The city has organized labor unions and has pledged its support

to the government in its efforts to safeguard the interests of labor.

It is now established beyond doubt that organized labor in

Edmonton will support the government in its efforts to safeguard

the interests of labor.

Mr. Cross from political support to both the Attorney

General and his cabinet, who has pledged himself to the

Workers' Compensation and other measures which will

tend to make it a better place in the interests of the

workingmen of the city.

The presiding officer was

Joseph J. Adair, president of the Trades and Labor Council

and other officers were Hon. C. W. Cross, J. W. Adair, J. H. Garrison,

Charles May, Travis James, organizer of the union, H. A. McDougall, an

exhibitor, and E. H. McDougall, secretary of the Trades and

Labor Council, and E. H. Garrison, president of the Typographical

Union. Mr. Adair presided at the meeting and introduced the

report of the committee on the proposed amendments to the

Workers' Compensation Act.

The opening speech of the

president was warmly received.

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