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CHANGED DEPOSIT SLIPS.

WHAT THE BANK OFFICIALS SAY.

Gamey Said He Found the Missing One in His Glove, But That is Not the Original—Evidence About His Visit to Buffalo Shut Out—The Cases of Alleged Contempt of Court—Manitoulin Witnesses Questioned.

Toronto, April 29.—The attention of the Gamey Commission yesterday was directed to three matters—the alleged contempt of court by The Mail and Empire and World newspapers, a further enlightenment of Mr. Gamey's doings with deposit slips, and the position which Mr. Gamey took when seeking the votes of his constituents last May.

The defence next put in evidence as to Mr. Gamey's position politically during the election campaign of last spring. Their witnesses, over a dozen, testified that Mr. Gamey had announced that he would pursue an independent course, supporting any good measure for Manitoulin that the Ross Government would propose; that after The Globe interview on January 30 Gamey expressed surprise at the people saying that he had taken the course he had frequently said that he would not be like Mr. Campbell, who, a Conservative, sat for five years with his hands tied.

The cross-examination was directed to show that Mr. Gamey said he would support any good measure proposed by the Government; that this was the usual custom of any candidate for political honors; that Mr. Gamey might still be a Conservative, even if he supported a Liberal measure for the good of Manitoulin; and that Mr. Gamey had strongly denounced what he called the corruption of the Ross Government.

The court then resumed the consideration of Mr. Gamey's transactions with a \$500 deposit slip in the Ontario Bank on Saturday, April 18.

Mr. Howarth, recalled, was questioned at some length about the marks on the deposit slips which Mr. Gamey returned, but his evidence was not conclusive as to whether or not they formed his initial "H."

Mr. James Brown, accountant, said his attention was called by the teller to the slip, with the denomination changed from hundreds to others and not added up. The messenger, Mr. Barton, was sent out and returned with Messrs. Crossin and Gamey.

Mr. Brown replied that it was not, and Mr. Gamey persisted for some time that it was. Finally when Mr. Gamey saw they were positive, he said it must have been lost. Mr. Howarth went to the factory with Mr. Gamey, but failed to find it. Mr. Gamey came back in the afternoon, and, producing a slip, said that he had found the missing one, which had slipped into his glove.

He asked to have back the one he left in the morning. The witness replied that it had left his possession. Mr. Gamey asked to get it and send it to Mr. McPherson's office. Mr. Gamey returned a fourth time with Mr. J. M. Might, and said it would be all right to send it to Mr. McPherson's office. At first he took the second substitute handed in as the original.

The cross-examination with regard to these substitute slips was directed to show that they were not copies of the original, because one was not added up, and neither had the ledger folio or the file mark.

Chancellor Boyd remarked impatiently that the questions were of no importance, for it was not a criminal investigation.

Mr. A. W. Barton, messenger, who was sent to the Crossin factory after Mr. Gamey, said he asked for the slip he took away from the Ontario Bank. He said he had the original. Gamey left and would exchange. Gamey said the one with the four denominations was the one he got out of the bank and also put back. He replied that it was not.

duced the report of the Conservative Executive on Feb. 16 sent to The Globe by Mr. Gamey. This report was in Mr. Gamey's own handwriting and stated that Mr. Robinson had said in the meeting that Gamey promised last spring to take an independent stand if the Government were sustained and, moreover, that Gamey had received many Liberal votes on that account. This was the point the defence sought to prove by these Manitoulin witnesses. The court then adjourned.

MORNING WEDDING

A very happy event took place at 8.30 this morning in St. Joseph's Church, when Miss Pauline Wigzell, of Wigzell's confectionery, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Harry Crump, of the same establishment. Miss Mamie Clancy, of Detroit, made a charming bridesmaid, while Jeanne Crump, brother of the groom, was best man.

The happy couple left at noon on their honeymoon to Buffalo and other points east, and on their return will take up their residence on Wellington street. Both young people are well and favorably known in the city and their many friends join in wishing them every happiness.

TROOPS ORDERED OUT,

STRIKE AT MONTREAL BECOMES THREATENING.

The Police Overpowered—One Vessel's Crew Stood Prepared to Shoot—A Jeering Crowd Watch Non-union Men at Work.

Montreal, April 29.—Mayor Cochrane and the Police Committee held a conference about 1 o'clock and decided to order Lieut.-Colonel Gordon, the district officer in command, to call out two regiments of infantry and one regiment of cavalry, commanding them to proceed in all haste to the waterfront, where the police had been overpowered by a mob of striking longshoremen and sympathizers. A number of special Magistrates were sworn in, with instructions to read the riot act should the mob attempt further violence.

The soldiers began to muster early in the afternoon, but it was 8 in the evening before a march out was made. By that time the trouble seemed to be over, but protection of property was considered necessary.

Trouble began this morning, when gangs of non-union men attempted to unload the cargoes of the steamers Monterey and Alexandrian. The steamers lay about 400 feet apart, and each was guarded by police, mounted and on foot. A mob of 500 or more longshoremen, zealous to prevent the unloading of the ships, marched back and forth between the steamers, and kept the police in constant action. For a time the crowd contented itself with looking on and commenting sarcastically upon the work of the men unloading. These men were new to the work. The trucks they used had not been oiled since last fall. The sun was hot and dust flew in blinding clouds across the wharves. It was not long before a couple of the men picked up their coats and crawled under the ropes and in another second were lost in the crowd. This was greeted with a yell and a burst of cheering. That was the start. The yelling kept up. A hurra for the crowd was hurled at the men at work, and the strikers began to gain ground. Presently a spirited malcontent smashed a board on a policeman's head, and a general rush followed. The police stood their ground well, and managed to prevent the crowd from breaking the lines. But the lesson was not a pleasant one, and the appearance of the men looked so determined that it was decided to abandon operations. That naturally appeased the strikers, but it did not satisfy the steamship men, who were under contract to deliver their cargoes and take on more. Prominent vessel owners waited on the Mayor and Police Committee, and the result was the order to call out the militia.

A ship liner set fire to a part of the cargo taken from the Alexandrian and was placed under arrest.

A non-union workman was dragged from the gangways, severely beaten and thrown into one of the slips. He was rescued.

The meeting of the union broke up about midnight, and from what could be learned there will be a clash in the early morning. The men dispersed quietly. Every opening in the wharves wall which divides the city from the wharves is guarded by a company of soldiers with fixed bayonets.

The strikers succeeded in dragging the gang planks away from the Alexandrian, which forced the men to quit work. They tried the same manoeuvre with the planks of the steamer Carigan Head, but the captain ordered his officers to threaten to fire, and immediately a half dozen revolvers were levelled at the assailants. The captain then promised instant death to the first man who would attempt to disturb the planks. The result was a victory for the sailors.

The master carpenters held a meeting to-night, and at a late hour it was given out that the men would be asked to submit their differences to arbitration.

PREMIER ROSS' BUDGET.

CASH BALANCE IN THE BANKS AMOUNTS TO \$1,621,292.

Excess of Assets Over Liabilities \$1,939,262—Estimated Expenditure \$4,537,428—Estimated Revenue \$4,403,372—New Asylum for Epileptics in Oxford County—Survey of 53 New Townships to be Undertaken.

Toronto, April 29.—"New occasions teach new duties" may be said to have been the keynote of the budget speech delivered yesterday by Premier Ross in his capacity of Treasurer of Ontario. Early in the afternoon he made several interesting statements, one being that the Government would shortly establish an Asylum for Epileptics in Oxford County, and that the Penetang Reformatory would be transformed into an asylum for the aged and harmless insane. The Temiskaming Railway is expected to reach New Liskeard by the autumn of 1904, while the outcome of the explorations for coal was regarded with some hope. The financial statement showed estimated receipts for 1903 of \$4,403,372, which, with cash on hand, will make \$5,818,883, while the estimated expenditure so far is \$4,537,428. The assets are \$7,824,208, and the liabilities \$5,884,946, leaving a surplus of \$1,939,262.

Lieut.-Col. Matheson, the financial critic of the Opposition, followed, and estimated a deficit last year of \$209,000 on ordinary revenue and expenditure, and that it would be larger this year. When he concluded the House witnessed the sudden collapse of the debate. Mr. Whitney deferred further discussion, and the House, going into supply, made considerable progress.

The following statement shows the situation in tabulated form, on the lines of Premier Ross' speech:—

ASSETS.	
1.—Direct investments	59,339 76
Drainage debentures	89,756 60
Tie debenture coupons	18,043 37
Municipal drain. asses.	25,572 50
Sault Ste. Marie debent.	190,922 23
2.—Funds held by the Dominion on behalf of Ontario	2,562,116 38
U. C. Gram. S. fund.	212,789 94
U. C. Public Works fund.	1,672,291 41
Land improve. fund.	124,555 13
Fund created under act of 1881	2,848,285 52
Common school fund	4,768,135 15
Interest on bonds of Ontario	1,415,510 74
on behalf of Ontario and Quebec	7,824,208 97
bearing 5 per cent.	
Upon basis of 1901 census, Ontario's share being	1,469,690 85
2.—Bank balances	
Current accounts	187,773 49
Special deposits bearing interest	1,227,721 25
	1,415,510 74
	\$7,824,208 97

LIABILITIES.	
1.—Balance of account current with the Dominion from Confederation to date, including Common School fund and other transfers, capitalizing the Crown under tribal treaties assumed by the Dominion, the capital having been apportioned to the Provinces under various awards, with interest upon the said account current, and including interest as between Ontario and Quebec, as finally adjusted	\$1,807,986 49
2.—Railway certificates—present value	\$2,230,122 25
—Annuities certificates—present value	1,782,531 29
3.—Common School fund Collections by Ontario, from 1st January, 1902, payable to the Dominion, in trust for both Provinces	9,774 33
Less Ontario's share upon basis of last census	5,568 18
	4,206 15
Total	\$5,884,946 18

Surplus of assets, after deducting liabilities	\$1,939,262 79
ESTIMATED RECEIPTS, 1903.	
Subsidy	\$1,196,572 80
Interest on capital held, and debts by the Dominion to Ontario	235,000 00
Interest on investments	90,000 00
Crown lands department	325,000 00
Public institutions	125,000 00
Education department	65,000 00
Public Works dept.	100,000 00
Provincial Secretary's dept.	100,000 00
Cannal revenue	300,000 00
Succession duties	245,000 00
Supplementary revenue tax (on and 25 Vic.)	275,000 00
Tavern and brewers' licenses	15,000 00
Law stamps	2,500 00
Alms tax	45,000 00
Fisheries	4,000 00
Assessment of patients	4,000 00
Removal of patients	4,000 00
Total estimated receipts	\$4,403,372 82
Cash balances 31st Dec., 1902	\$1,415,510 74
	\$5,818,883 54

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURE, 1903.	
Civil government	\$339,448 00
Legislation	139,350 00
Administration of justice	425,655 89
Education	925,241 96
Public institutions maintenance	320,915 00
Colonization and immigration	14,325 00
Agriculture	225,859 00
Hospitals and charities	225,647 88
Repairs and maintenance	62,750 00
Public works	82,597 00
Colonization roads	145,450 00
Charges Crown lands	225,175 00
Refunds	40,195 19
Miscellaneous	191,652 75
Total	\$4,537,428 82

EVENING WEDDING

Last evening at 7 o'clock the home of Mrs. Robt. Martin, Wellington St., was the scene of a very pretty but quiet wedding, when her youngest daughter, Annie Margaret, was united in marriage to James T. Blowers, of Schenectady, N. Y., to the strains of the Lohengrin wedding march, played by Miss L. L. Martin, of Detroit. The bride entered the drawing room leaning on the arm of her brother, D. Martin.

The pretty bride was becomingly attired in her going away gown of blue snow flake, carrying a shower of bridal roses, and was assisted by Miss Nesbitt, of Detroit, who was gowned in blue silk with etamine overdress. The groom was supported by the brother of the bride, R. G. Martin. Dr. J. R. Battisby, of St. Andrew's Church, officiated.

After the ceremony the party partook of a daintily served luncheon. Many and costly were the gifts received by the bride, showing the popularity and esteem in which she was held, among them being worthy of mention a beautiful candelabra and timepieces from the employees of the firm of R. Martin & Son.

The happy couple left on the 11.06 train for their future home in Schenectady, N. Y.

Victim of Robbers.

Los Angeles, April 28.—George L. Mills, manager of the Syndicate Loan Company, who had been missing since last Wednesday, has been found dead in an empty house here. The hands were tied and the head had been crushed in from behind. His jewellery was gone, and he evidently had been killed in a hold-up.

Whitby's New Paper.

Whitby, April 28.—Mr. C. A. Goodfellow, of the firm of Goodfellow Bros., proprietors of The Midland Free Press, will publish here next week the first issue of The Keystone. It is to be an independent newspaper.

TELEGRAPH BREVITIES.

Additional warships have been ordered to join the British fleet in Asiatic waters.

Two French fishing smacks foundered in the channel, and fourteen men were drowned.

Andrew Ziseo was caught in the pulley in an elevator at Fort William and received shocking injuries.

C. Arthur Pearson, proprietor of The London Daily Express, has purchased The St. James' Gazette.

The Government have approved Lord Dundonald's plan for the organization of a guides' corps in connection with the militia.

Victoria University has granted honorary D.D. degrees to Rev. Levi Curtis, Rev. Dr. Lane and Rev. John McDougall.

A new decree issued by the Venezuelan Government will, it is believed, put a stop to immigration and the introduction of foreign capital.

New York liquor dealers are entering upon a campaign of revenge against those responsible for the imposition of increased license fees.

David Hogg, an employee of the Canadian Cotton Company at Hamilton, dropped on the street while walking home from work and expired.

Herbert the sixteen-year-old son of Major Cooke of Stratford fell down the elevator shaft at the McLaugh Furniture Factory and was killed.

Mr. Harding, barrister; Mr. O'Brien, publisher, and Mr. Schwoob of Stratford deny the statements made in Nelson's affidavit in Buffalo in reference to themselves.

The plant of the International Salt Company, located at South Chicago, with three boats lying in the Calumet River, were burned last night. The loss is estimated at \$1,250,000.

Mrs. Fred Earl, of Pontiac, who has been visiting Mrs. Geo. Clements, returned home to-day.

Girl's Strap Slipper.

A large variety of Girl's Strap Slippers has been put into stock at prices from

50c. to \$1.00, sizes 3 to 7 1/2

75c. to \$1.25, sizes 8 to 10 1/2

\$1 and \$1.25, sizes 11 to 2

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