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## WORKINGS OF THE MACHINE

Interesting Circumstances Associated With the Pardo Campaign in Chatham.

A Suspicious Case Which Will Be Investigated—A Stranger in Town.

A suspicious case has come to notice in connection with the late registration court, the evidence of which is very damaging against the workings of the local Liberal machine.

Leon Reaume is one of the names entered upon the books at the Police Station. This man is a former resident of Chatham, having at one time lived on Cross street. Early last summer he went to Detroit, where he has been working ever since. Two weeks ago he came back to the city and was seen hanging around Jack's hotel, apparently boarding there. He registered his name on the voters' list as Leon Reaume, lot 13, w. a Ingram street, laborer. This is his father's home. He claims, it is said, to have been visiting for some time in Detroit and took an oath that he had been in Chatham for three months. His brother, Richard Reaume, who runs a grocery on the market, stated yesterday afternoon that Leon had been away since last summer but had come back to this city two weeks ago. He did not know why he came back but he went away again to-day.

While Reaume was here he was met by a Chatham citizen who expressed his surprise at seeing him back in town again. Reaume answered that he had been away but had come back to town to register. He said he was going back to Detroit, but would be in Chatham again on the 29th of May to cast his vote.

Reaume is a man without means and unable to travel at his own expense here from the States. This case is, to all appearances, a serious one and should be thoroughly investigated.

## BY-LAW DEFEATED

Deering Bonus Received Majority of Hamilton Votes but not Sufficient to Carry.

Hamilton, Ont., May 21.—A by-law to vote \$50,000 bonus for the establishment of a Canadian branch of the Deering Harvester Mfg. Co. here was voted on to-day, and while the by-law received a large majority of the votes cast, not a sufficient number of the ratepayers voted in order to pass the by-law, and it was defeated principally as a result of the apathy of the ratepayers. The number of votes cast in favor of the by-law was 2,222, and against the by-law 624—majority in favor of the by-law, 2,198. Number of votes necessary in order to carry by-law 3,858. There was a good organization in favor of the by-law, but they were unable to get the voters to the polls in sufficient numbers to ensure the carrying of the by-law.

## C. A. F. O.

Major Reed, of This City, is Recommended for These Decorations.

The undermentioned officers of the Canadian forces in London and Western Ontario will be recommended to have conferred upon them the Colonial Auxiliary Forces' Officers' Decorations:—

Lieutenant-Colonels—R. McEwen, 26th Regiment; G. S. Ryerson, Militia Army M. S.; W. M. Garibore, 14th Hussars.

Quartermaster and Hon. Majors—J. Beck, 33rd; J. B. Smyth, 7th Regiment. Paymaster and Hon. Majors—A. Cranston, 29th; A. R. McClelland, 22nd Regiment; R. G. Reed, 24th Regiment; A. Williamson, 37th Regiment; Captains—G. C. Follock, 27th Regiment. Paymaster—D. MacMillan, 7th Regiment. Capt. J. Tuck, 37th Regiment.

## TORONTO ARTIST DEAD.

Toronto, May 21.—Henry Martin, the well-known artist, of this city, is dead.

## ONE LUNATIC PERISHED.

Montreal, May 22.—The Laurentian Sanatorium, north of this city, was destroyed by fire early yesterday, resulting in the death of Mrs. Malvina L. Goddard. The institution was the leading place in the Province for the treatment of tuberculosis, and Mrs. Goddard was there with her daughter, Mrs. J. Bruce Payne, of Granby, who was under treatment. All the inmates, numbering 17, escaped, and were cared for in hotels and houses in the village. The loss on the building is \$15,000, with \$10,000 insurance.

## 82 BODIES RECOVERED

Knoxville, Tenn., May 21.—Up to midnight last night eighty-two bodies had been taken from the Fratterville mine at Coal Creek, the scene of the disaster in which 225 miners lost their lives. The cause of the disaster developed to-day when it became known that gas had collected in an abandoned mine close by, into which an opening had been accidentally made last week by a boy working in a lateral. An attempt was made to stop up the opening, but it is believed that a leak remained.

## BOERS ARRIVE AT PRETORIA

Were Chosen at Vereeniging Conference to Interview Kitchener.

Boers in Holland do not Think Peace Will Result From the Conference.

Pretoria, May 21.—In accordance with an arrangement made April 6, the Boer delegates who were chosen at the Vereeniging conference arrived here May 18. They consist of four representatives from the Transvaal and Orange River governments, Gen. De Wet and Gen. Delarey, and are accompanied by eight secretaries. The party has been lodged in a house next door to that occupied by Lord Kitchener.

## DON'T LOOK FOR PEACE.

London, May 21.—The Paris correspondent of the Times quotes part of a letter from Holland, in which it is stated the Boers there do not believe the conference at Vereeniging will result in peace. It is not thought the British conditions will be rejected brusquely or absolutely, but that the Boers will put forward other conditions which Great Britain will be unable to accept.

PEACE WILL COME BY FORCE. The war, it is said, will be resumed with less ardor on both sides, but it will go on to the end, and peace will come by force without a previous conference and without a treaty.

## BURLEIGH COMING HOME.

London, May 22.—Bennett Burleigh, the correspondent at Pretoria of the Daily Telegraph, has cabled his friends here that he is about to return home. The Telegraph interprets this action on the part of its correspondent as a circumstantial intimation that peace has been arranged in South Africa, and that owing to the censorship Mr. Burleigh was unable to communicate this fact to his paper.

## WILL LAST ANOTHER WEEK.

London, May 21.—All statements regarding the deliberations of the Boers at Vereeniging are simply guesses. Their sessions are private, and under Gen. Kitchener's orders they are not disturbed. It is expected that their deliberations will last a week. The censorship has allowed the following to pass from Pretoria under yesterday's date:—"It is considered doubtful here whether peace will be concluded. Bids of terms are being discussed by the Boers. The Free State representatives are believed to be most opposed to the British conditions. Ex-President Steyn, who leads the opposition, is more extreme than Gen. De Wet, who now appears to be more pacific than formerly, but both of them, with Wessels, Muller, Hertzog and Collier, are against peace. They undoubtedly are strong and render the conclusions of peace doubtful. Those who convened the conference, consisting of members of the old Transvaal Government, undoubtedly favor peace, while the Free State desire independence as the basis of any terms."

## CONCURRED IN BY MANY.

Inside circles in political and financial London concur in the foregoing, adding that Cape Colony, where the only fighting has been done recently, will continue to be the scene of war whatever happens at the conference and the Boer leaders will direct their cause from there even if they withdraw from north of the Vaal River.

## MORE TROOPS TO GO.

The War Office has ordered six battalions of Yeomanry to proceed to South Africa Saturday next.

## MUTINY IN WORKHOUSE.

Canton, Ohio, May 22.—In a mutiny at the Starke county workhouse yesterday, Guard George Jacobs was killed and Guard Homerstone was dangerously shot. A prisoner named Gignante did the shooting.

Later it developed that there was no general mutiny among the prisoners, but that one of them named Chas. Gignante had pulled a revolver out of the pocket of a new guard who was passing through the work shop, and opened fire on the guards.

## WON'T GIVE THE BONUS.

Hamilton, May 21.—A by-law to grant \$50,000 bonus to the Deering Harvester Manufacturing Co. of Chicago, for the establishment of their proposed Canadian branch in this city was voted on by qualified ratepayers to-day, and defeated by a small majority.

## ELECTIONS IN NORTHWEST

Government Sustained at the Polls by a Majority of About Twenty.

Premier Haultain Will Have a Steady Working Majority in Next Assembly.

Winnipeg, Man., May 21.—(Special.)—The Haultain Government was sustained at the polls for North-west Territories legislative assembly elections held to-day. Returns are incomplete, but sufficient have been received to indicate that the Government will have a majority of nearly 20 in a House of 35 members.

Premier Haultain is elected in Macleod by a fair majority.

Hon. A. T. Sifton was returned for Banff by about 200 majority, leading his opponent at every poll. E. C. McDiarmid, Opposition, is returned for Carrington.

Other members elected are—Calgary East—J. J. Young, Ind. Calgary West—R. B. Bennett, Opposition. Lacombe—P. Talbot, Government. Medicine Hat—W. T. Finlay, Government.

Maple Creek—H. A. Greeley, Government. Mitchell—A. D. McIntyre, Government (accl.). Qu'Appelle South—G. H. U. Bulyes, Government (accl.). Qu'Appelle North—D. H. McDonald, Opposition leader (accl.). Souris—J. W. Connell, Government (accl.). Wetsaskiwin—A. S. Rosenoll, Government (accl.).

Federal politics cut no figure in Legislative elections in the Territories, the Premier, Mr. Haultain, being a Conservative, while the other two members of the Government—Messrs. Sifton and Bulyes—are Liberals. In the last assembly the Government and Opposition parties each consisted of Conservatives and Liberals in about equal numbers.

## BLOW OVER TEMPLE

Serious Affray Between Two Workmen at Walkerville Yesterday.

Windsor, Ont., May 21.—James Barclay, a moulder, struck Arthur Watkins, colored, over the right temple with a heavy bar of iron at the malleable iron works, Walkerville, this morning. Watkins was taken into the office of the works and Dr. Story summoned. The wound bled profusely, but Watkins showed no other signs of life. The doctor resorted to artificial respiration methods, and succeeded in reviving the patient. He was then removed to his home in Sandwich. It is thought he will recover. Chief of Police Griffith located Barclay, who is employed at the Kerr engine works, about 11 o'clock on one of the back streets. He was apparently in a stupor, and the officer had no trouble in locking him up. He assaulted Watkins, it is said, simply because he was colored.

## SAD DROWNING

Ferdinand Pare, of Windsor, Falls off the Dock There Yesterday.

Windsor, Ont., May 21.—Hardly had the river given up the remains of young Isadore Simmons, who was drowned at the Michigan Central slip, May 16, 24 hours, when another person was engulfed at the same place. Ferdinand Pare, living at 153 Wellington avenue, left his home about 3 o'clock with his brother Albert, to the Michigan Central dock to scoop out some minnows and it was while so doing that the pole of the scoop net broke and young Pare fell in and was drowned. Albert gave the alarm and William Zimmerman, employed on the car ferry Transport, attempted to save him. Three times, he made the attempt, but in vain.

Workmen along the dock and employees on the Transport stated that the body was raised to the surface at least three times by the wheels, but all efforts to recover it proved fruitless.

Pare's death caused no little sorrow among the pupils who attended the collegiate institute immediately after his being established on the new site. The unfortunate man was 26 years of age. He leaves a wife and two children, the eldest of whom is barely two years old. Pare for some time past had been engaged in manufacturing novelties which he sold at fairs and on the street.

## TORONTO BROKER SENTENCED.

Toronto, Ont., May 21.—Broker I. D. Edwards was to-day sentenced to one year's imprisonment in the Central prison for misappropriating \$3,000 received for stock of the Ashoka Coal Co., and failing to account for it to the company. He had repaid all he could of the amount misappropriated.

## GRAND RALLY

Milverton, Ont., May 12.—An enthusiastic meeting in the interest of J. C. Monteth, the Conservative candidate in North Perth, was held this evening in Groves's Hall, which was well filled. The speakers were—Messrs. Magwood, ex-M. P. P.; W. S. Dingham, of the Stratford Herald, and the candidate. A. W. Steinboff, of Stratford, upheld the cause of the government. A musical quartette from Stratford entertained the large audience between addresses. The meeting closed with cheers for the King, the candidate and Mr. Whitney.

## GREAT REVIEW OF TROOPS

It was Given in Honor of M. Loubet's Visit to Russia the Guest of Czar.

His Majesty Toasts the French President—Speaks of France as Russia's Ally.

Tsarskoe-Selo, Russia, May 21.—The Czar, President Loubet, the Carina and the Dowager Carina attended a great review of troops to-day. His Majesty on horseback, and M. Loubet, the Carina, the Dowager Carina and the Grand Duchess Sergius, in a carriage, passed down the front of the troops, attended by brilliant suites. The Imperial and Presidential cortege received an ovation from the large crowds of people which assembled to witness the military display.

At the luncheon after the review the Czar offered the following toast—"Mr. President.—The troops whose march past you have just witnessed, are happy to have been privileged to render honors to so highly esteemed a chief of a state friendly and allied. The lively sympathies felt by the Russian army for the splendid army of France are well known to you. They constitute a real brotherhood of arms, which we can regard with all the greater satisfaction because these imposing forces are not destined to support one another aggressively, but, on the contrary, to strengthen the maintenance of general peace, and safety." Continued on Eighth Page.

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