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DEBATE ON SUNDAY BILL WAXES WARM

Laurier Pleads With Members to Give and Take in Objectionable Clauses

Declares That the Legislation is in the Interest of the Workingman—A Montreal Representative Declares That if it Passes it Means Locking One's Self in the House on the Sabbath—Some Sections Passed After Lively Tilts.

(Special to The Telegraph.)

Ottawa, June 21.—In the House of Commons this morning Mr. Borden's amendment to the bill reached him that arrangements could not yet be made for the entrance of Canadian goods into Japan.

Mr. Faurer said the Japanese consul general had not yet received instructions as to the sort of certificates he should issue, but was expecting them every day.

Mr. Laurier said the bill was a compromise between the two sides. He was not in favor of the bill as it stood, but he was in favor of it as a compromise.

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SAYS N. C. R. LAND WAS VERY CHEAP

Minister of Railways Declares Moncton Site Was Acquired in Best Way

MR. AMES DIFFERS

Montreal Member Moves a Vote of Censure on Government for Buying from a Middleman Instead of Direct—Motion is Voted Down by Large Majority.

(Special to The Telegraph.)

Ottawa, June 21.—At the evening session of the house, on motion to go into committee on the bill to purchase land for the railway, Mr. Ames (Antoine) moved a resolution in regard to the purchase of property at Moncton for railway purposes.

He went on to narrate the whole circumstances in connection with the purchase of the property. He said that the property was not used as a residential or business property, and was only good for railway purposes.

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METHODISTS IN ANNUAL SESSION

First Draft of Station Sheet Submitted, Involving Many Changes

DR. CARMAN'S SPEECH

Declares Church Union Rests With the People, But They Must Think It Over Carefully and Not Surrender Any of Their Essential Doctrines—Officers Elected.

(Special to The Telegraph.)

Marysville, June 21.—The full conference opened this morning with Pres. Lodge in the chair. The proceedings began with a most impressive devotional service.

The general superintendent, Dr. Carman, then took the chair and the roll call was read, sixty-five ministers and thirty laymen answered to their names.

Dr. Carman then addressed the conference and showed how well he retains his vigor and his spirit. He felt the need of speaking especially of two subjects.

The doctor spoke of the fact that the church union originated in the Methodist conference and it was clearly that the assemblies of the other churches should make the first definite statement.

He spoke of the parallel between the loss of leaders in the Presbyterian church and the loss of leaders in the Methodist church.

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THROWS DOUBT ON CAVE STORY

Guide of Stewarts Takes Telegraph Reporter to Place in Woods

SURPRISED AT FIND

Expresses Himself Amazed When Told of Discoveries Said to Have Been Made—Says Stewarts Used Two Sticks of Dynamite, Then Left—John Stewart Claims Real Place is Yet to Be Found.

(Special to The Telegraph.)

Andover, June 21.—The alleged discovery of a cave and human remains in a cave at Upper Kincardine assumed a different complexion this evening. A Telegraph reporter today visited the spot described by the Stewarts in yesterday's despatch and there was found apparently little to bear out their story.

It may very well be said, though, that there is no question of the standing of the Stewarts as reputable men in the community.

According to Benjamin Heatsgrove, who acted as guide to John and Charles Stewart, they did not effect an entry into the cave and consequently found no curios or other relics of the past. He said they made one explosion with a stick of dynamite on Monday and as it proved ineffective he says they came away in disgust.

John Stewart said to still stoutly maintain that the find was genuine and that Heatsgrove was not with him when he made his discoveries.

Arrangements could not be made today with either of the Stewarts to visit the spot as they had other business to attend to. In the afternoon, however, through the courtesy of Dr. Clark, who has shown great interest in the affair, a Telegraph reporter secured the assistance of Geo. Clark, who is a native of Upper Kincardine, they drove out fourteen miles to interview Benjamin Heatsgrove who owns a farm about three miles from the cave. On the way a call was made at the home of Peter Clark, who he volunteered to bring his team along and pick up Mr. Heatsgrove it was found possible to proceed to the scene of the discovery.

At the meeting Mr. Heatsgrove, the reporter briefly outlined the discoveries the Stewarts said they had made, and asked if he could show the place. He followed them to the spot. Mr. Heatsgrove evinced considerable surprise on hearing of the wish, and rather curiously, but he brought the subject to a close at once. "Come on," he said with a laugh full of significance, "and I'll show you where they found them."

When that party had proceeded some distance they drove down the road a mile or so, finally stalling their horses in Hunter's barn at the direction of Mr. Heatsgrove. From the barn they cleared up. We must not surrender one of our essential doctrines. We cannot afford to barter our doctrines for any union. We must go to the union with calm deliberation.

This is particularly applicable to the ministry. The moral and intellectual standard of the Unit. must remain unimpaired. We must endeavor to get the best men for our ministry. We must combine spiritual power with the best education. The Methodist minister must not cease to vindicate himself by evangelistic zeal and fidelity to doctrine.

In conclusion he again referred to the necessity of carrying out in greatest detail the requirements in the training of the candidate for the ministry of the church.

Against Speculation in Theology
The second subject mentioned was the matter of speculation in theology. There is a danger of speculating with a logical mind discussing such questions with himself. But such things must not be foisted on the public. Let the minister confine himself to the plain teaching of the Bible. Let the thinker keep his doubts to himself.

The superintendent's speech was greatly enjoyed and appreciated by all present. The conference then proceeded to the election of officers. The fourth ballot Rev. Wm. Dobson was elected and made a fitting speech in recognition of the honor. Rev. M. R. Knight was elected secretary.

WARNS IDLE RICH OF THEIR ANGER

President Schurman Declares Them a Parasite on the Community

Their Wealth Liab to Be Taken Away by an Outraged People--Deplores the Mad Rush for Money to the Exclusion of Nobler Things--Also Tells Cornell Students that Dishonesty is the Parent of Anarchy and Justice is the Soul of Society.

(Special to The Telegraph.)

Ithaca, N. Y., June 21.—The annual commencement exercises of Cornell University were held today on the campus. The academic procession stretched from the library to armory, where the degrees were awarded. Over 600 first diplomas were presented. Prayer was offered by Professor C. M. Tyler and a short speech was made by Professor Goldwin Smith.

President Jacob Gould Schurman delivered the commencement address. He said: "What is the blight and malady of our time? Is it not the mean and sordid conception of human life which everywhere prevails? Among all classes and conditions of people do you not find a vitally active if generally unexpressed belief that the life of human beings like the brute creatures about them consists in the enjoyment of the material things which perish in the using? To get and to have is the motto not only of the market, but of the altar and of the hearth. The energy of the nations is pouring itself into production, we are coming to measure man with his heart and mind and soul in terms of mere acquisition and possession."

A warning Christianity and a waxing materialism are the twin spectres of our age. And between them not only the natural idealism of the spirit, but the ten commandments and the golden rule are disavowed or disregarded, and in their place, at least for the six active days of the week, is the ruthless struggle for life and the success of the strongest, the most cunning, or the most highly favored whether by powers superior or by powers inferior. But the vast majority are fairly handicapped and goaded either by the pangs of hunger or the pricks of envy or the stings of injustice they bitterly denounce a social order in which the few monopolize what they deem the good things of the world.

Scores Idle Rich
It is often said that college men need to have the concrete taken out of them. And there is, perhaps, some justification for the saying. It does not follow that the student in mental training and acquisition makes a superior person. And the estimate of yourself and your fellow men is not to be formed by the way of individual competition uncontrolled by the social conscience or by the way of socialism inspired by the initiative of individual competition.

Justice the Soul of Society
The one solvent of all these evils is justice—absolute justice, justice in the soul of society. The supreme need of all human beings is for better hearts and wiser heads. And only with the development of the human race of reason and justice and honesty and kindness will economic problems be definitely settled.

Meanwhile we must restrain the brutal and predatory pursuit of wealth by law for the protection of the weak and for the equalizing of opportunity. And I have little doubt that the gigantic inequalities which the present system of distributing economic goods has brought about—heart-rending poverty and there the oppression of the poor—will be swept away if to the present system be added the principle of individual competition uncontrolled by the social conscience or by the way of socialism inspired by the initiative of individual competition.

Vice of the Age Easy Wealth
The vice of the age is that men want wealth without undergoing that toil by which alone wealth is created. Among the rich and well-to-do business and professional classes "grafting" has become a common term. It is a grafting of the young man upon the old man. It is a grafting of the young man upon the old man. It is a grafting of the young man upon the old man.

Sir Charles Tupper
GOT SOME EASY MONEY
Drew a Salary and Perquisites from Crown Life Insurance Company.

His Duties as President Were Nominal—Presided at Annual Meeting and Attended Three Other Sessions During the Year According to Witness at Insurance Inquiry.

(Special to The Telegraph.)
Toronto, June 21.—The investigation of the affairs of two insurance companies, the Crown Life and Excelsior Life, was concluded by the Dominion Insurance Commission today. The greatest amount of interest was attached to the evidence of Sir Charles Tupper, president of the Crown Life, the first of the younger companies to come under the searchlight of investigating counsel.

There were several revelations brought out in connection with the company, among them the payment of bonuses as well as commissions to agents and the retention of the salary of Sir Charles Tupper in addition to a salary of certain percentages of funds which came into the coffers of the company.

WATCHED CAPTAIN PRATT THROUGH HOLES IN PARTITION

It is Reported That a System of Espionage Was Kept on Curlew's Commander

Three Charges Have Been Preferred by First Officer Robinson, Two of Them Serious—Secret Inquiry Opened at St. Andrews Thursday.

(Special to The Telegraph.)

St. Andrews, N. B., June 21.—The investigation into the charges against Capt. Pratt, of the Curlew, for which he is now under suspension, began at the custom house this afternoon behind closed doors. Commissioner Copp said that there would be neither counsel nor public present.

There are three principal charges, viz., falsifying pay sheets, disrespect to officers, and having improper company on board the steamer.

First Officer Robinson, who made the charges, arrived today from the Curlew. There are four witnesses on the Curlew to be examined in support of the charges. The investigation is likely to last for another day or two. The only witnesses on the stand this afternoon were First Officer Robinson and Second Officer Kyfin, but the latter has not completed his testimony.

It is reported outside that a system of espionage on the captain's movements was going on for some time on board Curlew. It is said that holes were bored in the cabin partitions for that purpose. Capt. Pratt will say nothing on a good deal of interest is being taken in the inquiry.

Disorderly Women
SUFFRAGISTS ARRESTED
Five Dragged Away from Chancellor of Exchequer Asquith's Residence

London, June 21.—Miss Billington, Miss Kenney and three other leaders of the militant Women Suffragists were arrested in Cavendish Square today for creating a disturbance in front of the house of Chancellor of the Exchequer Asquith, who is the particular bugbear in the ministry of the women suffragists.

A score of women with banners flying assembled in Cavendish square this morning and announcing their determination to be heard by Mr. Asquith, defied the police until their leaders were arrested and dragged off to the police station.

Miss Billington was fined 50 or two months' imprisonment, whereupon she expressed the intention of becoming a martyr and of going to jail. The hearing of the others was adjourned.

The Countess of Carlisle, herself an ardent suffragist, referring to the affair at a meeting of the Women's Liberal Federation, said she had been shocked as she passed through Cavendish Square to see "so-called women suffragists fighting the police and making an impertinent mockery of womanhood."

She repudiated any connection with these "poor misguided women."

Canoe Upsets
AND TWO DROWN
Girl Trying to Grab Cap in Water Did It—She and Youth, Who Tries to Save Her, Victims.

Auburn, Me., June 21.—While canoeing on Lake Auburn this afternoon Winslow Burbank, aged 19, a freshman at Bates College, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burbank, of South Paris, and Miss Lulu Libby, aged 17, the adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Libby, of 55 Winter street, Auburn, were drowned.

There were two others in the canoe. A. M. Adams, aged 21, also a freshman at Bates of Millinocket, and Miss Hattie Webb, aged 19, of Allen Court, Lewiston. Burbank's skull cap blew off and Miss Libby in reaching for it overturned the canoe. Burbank, who was a good swimmer attempted to rescue her, but she got her arms about his neck and the two sank. Adams saved Miss Webb just as she was sinking for the third time. The bodies have not been recovered.

Dropped Dead
WHILE LAUGHING
Ellsworth, Me., June 21.—While on her way to a circus here this afternoon, Mrs. John G. Davis, of Surrey, dropped dead. Her husband and two children were with her at the time. Mrs. Davis was laughing at the time she collapsed. Death was apparently due to heart trouble.

Bertha Claike Off to Prison.
New York, June 21.—Bertha Claike, who pleaded guilty to manslaughter in having killed Emil Gendron, was taken from the Tombs prison today to Auburn prison. She is under sentence to serve not less than two years and two months nor more than five years.