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## POLICE AND RIOTERS FIGHT AT A MEETING IN THE WARD DISTURBERS WERE ARRESTED

Several Thousand Jews Mobbled Rev. Henry Singer When He Opened a Religious Meeting, and in a Few Minutes the Air Was Filled With Bricks and Stones—Several People Injured and Five Rioters Were Arrested.

**Arrested.**  
Samuel Goldstein, 40 Kensington avenue, tailor, 16 years, charged with disorderly conduct.  
Jack Poprowsky, 11 Kensington avenue, tailor, 16 years, charged with obstructing an arrest.  
Samuel Greenberg, 5 Kensington avenue, barber, charged with disorderly conduct.  
Percy Goldstein, 40 Kensington avenue, 9 years old, charged with disorderly conduct.  
Mrs. Rosie Israelson, 11 Kensington avenue, charged with disorderly conduct.

**Cause.**  
Rev. Henry Singer of 704 West Bloor street, Jewish missionary, who held a Christian meeting on the corner of St. Patrick street and Kensington avenue.

**Injured.**  
Mrs. Ethel Goldstein, 40 Kensington avenue, crushed in the mob, when she fell over in a faint as she was trying to protect her nine-year-old son from being arrested.

Bricks, stones, dinner plates, crockery and sharp slabs of slate shot thru the atmosphere at the corner of St. Patrick street and Kensington avenue last night when four or five thousand Jews engaged in a riot with the police after an unsuccessful attempt had been made to drive Rev. Henry Singer, Jewish missionary, from Kensington avenue and break up his meeting. Pieces of granite rock weighing as much as half a pound were hurled thru the air in the missionary's direction, and it was a miracle that he escaped unhurt. Twice he dodged the rocks that were accurately aimed and one of these same rocks struck a comrade in the chest and caused a severe wound.

The riot was one of the fiercest that the police of Toronto have been called upon to quell; but they were ready for it, and to this fact is due the escape of Mr. Singer and his followers.

Last Monday evening Mr. Singer held a meeting at the same corner, but after being pelted with eggs, potatoes and onions he was forced to leave.

**Trouble Began**  
It is stated that at that time Mr. Singer said that he would come back in a week and that he would bring the police to protect him. This warning was not heeded by the Jews in the district, for last night, shortly after Mr. Singer opened his meeting, trouble began.

The police expected that a fight would ensue if Mr. Singer persisted in holding a meeting on the corner, and as early as 8 o'clock Constables Udell, O'Shea, Forbes, Sinclair, Plajnocthesmen Ward, Lilly, Detective Holmes and Acting Detective Lewis were stationed at different points near the corner. A patrol wagon from the Claremont street police station hovered near the corner of St. Patrick street and Spadina avenue, so that no time would be lost if war broke out.

Mr. Singer had no sooner begun his meeting than he alleges that Mr. Goldstein, 40 Kensington avenue, walked up to him and said in Yiddish: "You are going to get killed here tonight," Mr. Singer replied: "Go away and mind your own business." After singing the hymn "Ho My Comrades See the Signal Waving in the Skies," Mr. Singer announced his text.

"As Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, even so must the son of man be lifted up," was the burden of the message that the Christianized Jew wished to bring to the men of his own race; but scarcely had he begun to speak than his hostile brethren on both sides of the street began to drown out his voice by screaming at the top of their voices in a confusion of tongues.

Mr. Singer went up to the Greenburg house at 5 Kensington avenue and asked that the interruptions should cease, but no notice of his plea was taken. He then began his meeting again, when suddenly a white dinner plate shot forth from an upstairs window of the house at 5 Kensington avenue. The missile was hurled thru a tree so that its origin might not be discovered and it fell in the open circle about Mr. Singer and broke into pieces.

**A General Assault.**  
The entrance of the dinner plate seemed to be the signal for a general assault on the meeting, for within a minute rocks were flying in every direction and the

## One Man, One Vote

LONDON, July 14.—(Can. Press.)—The bill to abolish plural voting at elections in the British Isles passed its third reading in the house of commons tonight, after a motion to reject the bill had been defeated by 288 to 215. This bill passed its first reading on April 8, by a vote of 303 to 107. It embodies the principle of "One man one vote."

## TORONTO MAN WRECK VICTIM

John C. Murray, One of the Twelve Who Met Death in Los Angeles Trolley Disaster.

Word was received in Toronto yesterday afternoon that John Carl Murray, 12 Olive avenue, was killed in the excursion wreck at Los Angeles Sunday night, as a result of which 12 persons are known to be dead and 40 injured. Mr. Murray was not a member of the Christian Endeavor tour, and on that account was not mentioned in Mr. Hewatson's despatch yesterday morning.

As it was previously reported that no Canadians were killed, no anxiety was felt by the family. Yesterday afternoon, however, a message came from an undertaker in Los Angeles announcing the death of the young Torontonian.

Speaking to The World last night, Horton Murray, a brother, said that only two months ago he left his brother in Los Angeles, where he was spending his time sight-seeing, as he was a great lover of the open air. He had been out there about a year, and intended coming home for a visit in the fall. The news of his death, following upon the first report, proved quite a shock to the family, and James Murray, father of the young man, left immediately for Los Angeles, where interment will take place.

The late Mr. Murray was 25 years of age. He was a few years ago an active worker in the old St. Mark's Presbyterian Church, which has since been renamed the Dale Presbyterian. Always interested in athletics, he was there an active member of the young men's club and a great friend of the boys. Up till a year ago, when he left for the west, he was secretary of the Vermont Athletic Club, situated in Vermont square.

**HAVENS WINS AEROPLANE RACE.**  
CHARLEVOIX, Mich., July 14.—(Can. Press.)—Beckwith Havens, with J. B. Verplanck as passenger, was the first of the aviators in the Chicago to Detroit hydro-aeroplane cruise to reach this evening. The trip from Pentwater, from which place the start was made at 2.34 p.m., was uneventful. Only one stop was made, a shortage of gasoline making necessary a landing at Frankfort.

**BERLIN PAYS 6 PER CENT.**  
BERLIN, Ont., July 14.—(Can. Press.)—The city council this evening accepted the offer of the Mutual Life of Canada, Waterloo, for the purchase of a block of thirty-year debentures amounting to \$1,368, bearing 6 per cent. interest at par.

## TWO MEET DEATH FROM TRAIN WITHIN FEW MILES OF WHITBY

Fred Dunk, Cook on C. P. R. Construction Train Was Instantly Killed When Car Left Tracks.

WHITBY, Ont., July 14.—(Special.)—When the cook car of a Dominion Construction Co. boarding train left the rails two miles west of Whitby at 5.30 last night, Fred Dunk, cook, was instantly killed and his helper received wounds which will keep him laid up for several weeks. The car was fifth from the engine of a C. P. R. train coming into Whitby at the conclusion of construction work in that district.

The helper, whose name could not be ascertained last night, was burned about the arms when the stove fell upon him, and his legs were badly scalded. He was also cut about the head, but his skull is unfractured. He is now in Oshawa Hospital and will recover.

## WILSON AVERTS BIG RAILWAY DISPUTE

U. S. President Held a Conference With Representatives of the Men and Companies Resulting in an Agreement to Arbitrate the Newlands-Clayton Act.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—(Can. Press.)—Representatives of the 80,000 conductors and trainmen of the eastern railroads, who have voted the strike for higher wages, and managing officials of the railroads agreed at the White House today to submit their differences to arbitration, under the provisions of the Newlands-Clayton Act, which President Wilson and congressional leaders promised to make law by tomorrow night. In the meantime, no strike will be declared, employees and officials asserted, the brotherhoods agreeing to an armistice until Wednesday night.

This victory for arbitration over the strike was the result of a conference at the White House between President Wilson and congressional leaders, the presidents and managers of the roads, and the representatives of the brotherhoods of the trainmen and conductors. The agreement not only averted, temporarily at least, the strike which threatened to tie up traffic generally, but smoothed up differences of opinion that had arisen in both houses as to the composition of the board of mediation, and provided a proper basis on which to deal with the dispute.

The way was cleared for prompt action in both houses, Senator Kern telephoning from the White House to have the senate adjourn until tomorrow instead of Thursday as contemplated, and Representative Clayton announcing that he would move to take from the speaker's table his bill which amends the act in conformity with the Newlands bill in the senate which would be attached.

**Simple and Satisfactory.**  
The president later announced that he would sign a measure such as agreed upon and described the conference as "simple and satisfactory." Seth Low, president of the civic federation, who had been instrumental in bringing the railroad heads and labor leaders together, acted as spokesman for both sides, relating to the president

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## REBURN'S TRAP FAILS TO WORK

"Black Hand" Pair Escaped When Watcher Uttered an Exclamation.

ST. CATHARINES, July 14.—(Can. Press.)—The threat of "Black Hand" extortion of his whole family unless he placed \$1000 near the Grand Trunk tracks, received by John McNulty, a Merriton hotelman, was followed last week by a demand for \$2000 to be placed near the iron bridge at the old canal.

Provincial Inspector Reburn was detailed and set a trap early this morning. With several people from the village he hid in the vicinity where McNulty placed a package. Two men approached, but a premature exclamation by one of the watchers caused the pair to flee before they could be recognized.

G. T. R. Brakeman J. E. Hosken Fell From Steps of Caboose and Died While En Route to Hospital.

WHITBY, Ont., July 14.—(Special.)—Leaning from the caboose steps of a G. T. R. freight three miles west of Whitby last night, J. E. Hosken, brakeman, fell to his death and was picked up by a train which followed shortly afterwards. It is thought that he was struck by the projecting girder of a bridge.

Hooker had been stationed to look out along the train for hot boxes and other causes of trouble. No one saw him fall, and he had been picked up before his disappearance had been noticed on his own train. He was still breathing when taken on board the second train, but succumbed before Whitby was reached. He did not reside in Toronto.

## POWERS UNABLE TO FORGE AN ARMISTICE

Sir Edward Grey, While Fully Recognizing Horrors of Balkan Struggle, Intimates That Concert of Europe is Practically Powerless—Little Fear of Further Complications.

LONDON, July 14.—(Can. Press.)—In the house of commons tonight, Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign secretary, replying to a suggestion that an armistice should be forced on the Balkan States, said that it was impossible to exaggerate the horror of the war, but mere words were not likely to affect the situation, and it would be most difficult for the concert of Europe to resort to force to impose peace.

Bulgaria had asked Russia to aid her in securing peace; Serbia and Greece had agreed to cease hostilities under certain conditions. As to Turkey, no exception could be taken to her action so long as she adhered to the Enos-Midia line. The essential thing for the powers, said the foreign secretary, was to perfect and maintain an agreement. The war was so exhausted, that it could not be of long duration and no complications ought to arise endangering the European concert.

There was every reason to believe, he concluded, that matters would be brought to a satisfactory termination.

## IVANOFF'S "SPLENDID RETREAT"

SOPIA, July 14.—(Can. Press.)—It is reported that Gen. Ivanoff has effected a splendid retreat. Semi-official statements have been issued, accusing the Greeks of setting fire to the Town of Seres, and declaring that the Bulgarians attempted valiantly to get the fire under control. Other statements charging the Greeks with wholesale massacres and atrocities in Seres and elsewhere in Macedonia were issued.

## The Grain Grower Counts

And Everybody Now is Watching the Western Crop.

(Winnipeg Grain Growers' Guide, July 9). If there is anyone who doubts that the grain growers of the prairie provinces are one of the most important factors in our national life, the situation today will convince him. From the Atlantic to the Pacific the leading business men of Canada in every branch of our commercial life are watching the wheat crop of the prairies. In Winnipeg and prairie cities naturally the interest is very deep, but in Toronto and Montreal and even in St. John and Halifax, the business houses of Canada at this season are literally "sitting up nights" with the western wheat crop. Commercial travelers find that business now is comparatively dull and will be for the next two or three weeks until the crop is assured. A general crop failure in the three prairie provinces today would wreck hundreds of concerns in every city in Canada, because they have built their business on the expectation of sharing in the profits of the wheat crop of the prairies. There could not be a better illustration of the important position which the much-abused grain grower occupies in the economic fabric of the nation.

Up till a year ago, when he left for the west, he was secretary of the Vermont Athletic Club, situated in Vermont square.

## N. T. R. TO AVERT GRAIN BLOCKADE

New Route Will Be Ready for Fall Movement, Says Major Leonard.

WINNIPEG, July 14.—(Special.)—There is no possibility of any grain blockade this fall on the Grand Trunk Pacific system, because the new route over the National Transcontinental will be in position to afford transportation for grain this winter.

Such was the statement made by Major Leonard, chairman of the Transcontinental Railway Commission.

Speaking of the work in progress on the line, Mr. Leonard stated that there were at present about five thousand men in employment on the line, and that the work was being pushed forward rapidly. Two end divisions of the transcontinental, that is to say, between the points of Graham and Armstrong, and between Hearst and Cochrane, are practically completed and ready to be taken over by the operating department.

## SOME OPINIONS ON THE RESULT

SIR JAMES WHITNEY: It is a magnificent victory and a very far-reaching one, indeed.

HON. W. J. HANNA (over the long-distance telephone from his home in Sarnta): The electors of North Grey did what anyone would have expected. They were fully acquainted with the issues and the worth of the government, and the hypocrisy of the leaders of the Liberal party, who went into North Grey to agitate the electors. There was no mistaking, from the time the electors got busy, what they were going to do.

N. W. ROWELL, K.C., M.L.A. (leader of the opposition): My information convinces me that the result in North Grey was due to the open combination between the Whitney government and the liquor interests, with unlimited financial resources at their disposal. For the sake of Mr. McQuaker, who was an exceptionally fine type of candidate, and the workers who stood so valiantly by him, I regret the result. The loss of the seat, however, will have its compensations if it helps to awaken the people of the province to the undoubted fact of an offensive and defensive alliance between the Whitney government and the liquor interests. When the people realize that this combination exists I do not believe that they will stand for it. This by-election is but an incident in the fight which will go on with unabated vigor for a progressive government and the abolition of the bar. We need the crusading spirit. It may require events like North Grey to awaken the people to the situation and develop this spirit.

## Another Note Of Warning

The great issues in this province turn on public rights, not on our drink habits; and The Globe has met a very perceptive in North Grey, where that paper and Mr. Rowell sought to put the hydro-electric policy of Sir James Whitney's Government based on public ownership of the policy of municipal reform, and the improvement of farming and social betterments. In a place secondary to the one issue of abolishing bars. It is not the bar, but how to improve farming, how to get a square deal for the people at the hands of the trusts and combines, and questions like these that command public attention. And as for Hon. Mr. Hanna, who had devoted himself largely to questions that concern our jails, prisons and asylums, he was certainly the last man on whom to make a dead-set because of a petty scandal in connection with his department. Probably the set-down of Mr. MacKay, as leader of the opposition, had also something to do with it. When The Christian Guardian made its attack on Globe methods, it must have been for substantial reasons.

Any way the result will be far reaching. The Liberal party has still the work of reorganization before it; and we do not see how it can ever recover itself under the direction of men who have grown intolerant in their leadership and unprogressive in their policy. A Liberal party that is not progressive is without a trade and without standing ground.

**Matter of Figures**  
Therefore it was only a matter of the figures by which the would be elected. The only serious slump was in the town of Meaford. The following are the majorities in the different municipalities:

Cameron—Owen Sound 290, Derby 13, Shallow Lake 40, Sarawak 33, St. Vincent 5.

McQuaker—Meaford 29, Keppel 7, Sydenham 87.

**A Big Parade.**  
At 9 o'clock tonight the enthusiastic supporters of the Conservative candidate marched in a procession two blocks in length from the Conservative committee rooms on East Tenth street. About the town there were a dozen autos, numerous carriages and fifty to seventy-five conveyances of a miscellaneous character. They were headed by the Citizens' Band, the 21st Regiment Band, and the rear was brought up by the Owen Sound Highland Pipe Band, who have been with Cameron all thru the riding during the course of the campaign. The town hall would not accommodate the people, and the meeting was made an open air affair; the different speakers coming out on the portico of the market building.

J. M. Davis appeared as chairman for the occasion. He thanked the electors of the riding for what they had done. It was only a short time ago since the Liberals had been thanked for the occasion. He thanked the assistance they had given in the election of a Liberal, and he knew he could thank many of the Liberals of the riding for what they had done today. He had returned the compliment which the Conservatives had helped to pay to Hon. A. G. MacKay.

Cameron of Owen Sound. He thanked the electors of the riding in the usual felicitous terms. He thought they had made answer in no equivocal manner to the campaign of slander which had been directed at the provincial secretary. It would teach those men, who had fattened the charges, that when they came to the hard-headed electors of the province they would have to face

## CAMERON WINS IN NORTH GREY CONSERVATIVES GAIN A SEAT LIBERAL FOR FIFTEEN YEARS

More Than Three Hundred Majority for Whitney Government Candidate in By-Election Caused by Resignation of A. G. MacKay—"A Magnificent and Far Reaching Victory," Says Sir James, While Mr. Rowell Charges a Combination of the Provincial Government and the Liquor Interests.

By a Staff Reporter.  
OWEN SOUND, July 14.—The part that the Proudfoot "charges" played in the North Grey by-election, as well as the result of a certain section of the Liberal party in Ontario practically compelling A. G. MacKay to resign the leadership of the Liberal party in Ontario, was shown here today in the by-election to fill the vacancy caused by Mr. MacKay's resignation. Colin Cameron, Conservative nominee, was elected over John McQuaker, the Liberal candidate, by a majority of 278.

For fifteen years Mr. MacKay represented the riding, which was considered always as a Liberal stronghold, altho the vote on many occasions was very close. It has been known for many months, in fact since Mr. MacKay "resigned" and went to Edmonton, that there was a feeling among his friends, especially the Liberals, that he had not been treated fairly, and they took their first opportunity of expressing themselves at the polls.

Others were dissatisfied with the action of the Liberal party in fighting the by-election on the abolish-the-bar policy, while still others, after attending the joint meeting between Hon. W. J. Hanna and Wm. Proudfoot last Saturday night, went to the polls this morning determined to vote for a man who would support the Whitney government and help in furthering the good things the government is carrying out in this province.

North Grey has thrown back the slanders against the premier of the province and the provincial secretary, into the teeth of the men who were so ill-advised as to take them. Also, it is a direct repudiation of the so-called Rowell policy.

The majority of Cameron and the victory for the Whitney government is a most notable one, that Hon. A. G. MacKay held the riding for years, and at the last election his majority was 741. This great handicap has been overcome.

**Popular Victory.**  
That the victory was a most popular one is indicated by the fact that with the exception of The Hamilton section of 1911, never has Owen Sound witnessed so enthusiastic and large a celebration and procession as that which took place tonight in honor of the winning candidate. It is estimated that there were 6000 people about the city hall when Mr. Cameron thanked his supporters.

The last days of the campaign were concentrated by both the candidates at Owen Sound and the immediate vicinity. On Friday night of last week Mr. McQuaker, the Liberal candidate, and Mr. Rowell, the leader of the opposition, appeared before a mass meeting and set out their views on the public questions of the day. Then on Saturday night was the meeting of the electors, or what they had done, and hoped that he would at some future date have the pleasure of thanking them for polling up a similar or greater majority for the Conservatives. (Cheers.)

**TURKS CONTINUE ADVANCE.**  
CONSTANTINOPLE, July 14.—(Can. Press.)—The Turkish delegates to the Balkan financial commission at Paris have been recalled. The Turkish armies are continuing their advance and have arrived at the Silivri-Belgrador forest line. Enver Bey's forces have occupied Rodosto.

It is understood that a Servo-Turkish agreement has been reached, but is awaiting ratification from Belgrade before being signed.

**BY WIRELESS.**  
Jores: Did you feel the Niagara earthquake over here in London this day, John? It shattered the Globe's foundations, and Master Rowell's in the rack.—Pop.

Popovitch: 'Taint no worse than the way I was spun out of the city mill revolving door by Lantz Hocken and Phil's paper. He'll be starting up the dockwork again without Whitney'll be shouting that it's prodigious. I'd like to give you some advice, but won't.—Jores.

Jores: It's no advice that I'm seeking; it's stickin' plaster.—Pop.

**Dinens' Hat Bargains.**  
A few weeks more and the newspapers will contain our advertisement for furs and for the season 1912-14. It is to get in readiness for next season's fur business that we are making a clearing sale of summer hats, of every description at prices without regard to cost.

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