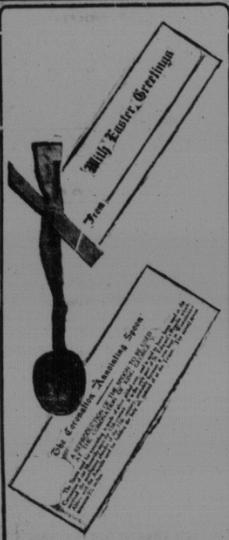


BROCKTON WILL NOT PROSECUTE CHAS. D. SHELDON

He Will Probably Be Returned To Montreal To Answer The Many Charges Preferred Against Him There.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 29.—Charles D. Sheldon alias Chas. D. Washburn, confined here in the county jail charged with being fugitive from justice, has not retained a counsel to fight the extradition proceedings, which, if successful, will return him to Montreal, where he is wanted for alleged irregularities amounting into the millions. Officers from Montreal are expected here tonight. No word has been received by the police from Brockton, Mass., concerning any claim the authorities may have on Sheldon.

Brockton, Mass., March 29.—The Brockton police have a warrant charging forgery of notes for nearly \$300,000 twenty years ago against Charles D. Robinson alias Charles D. Sheldon, under arrest at Pittsburg. In view of the time elapsing since Robinson disappeared from Brockton and of more recent charges pending against him in Montreal the local authorities will make no attempt to prosecute him at this time.



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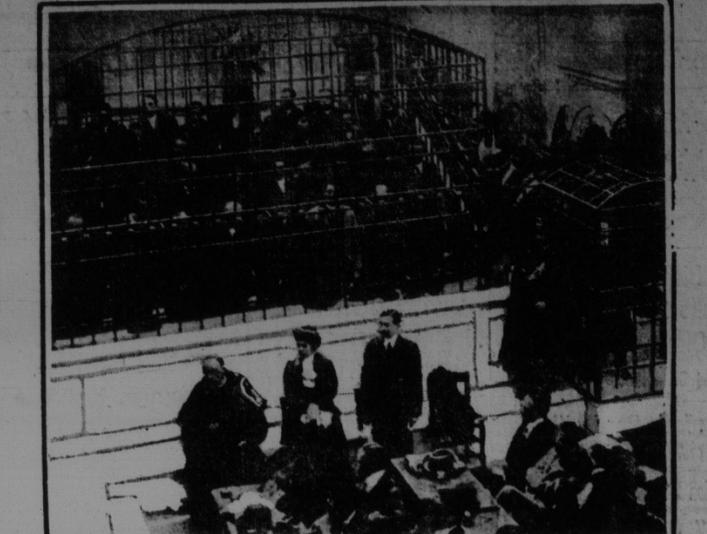
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VIEW IN COURTROOM AT VITERBO, ITALY, WHERE THE CAMORRISTS ARE ON TRIAL.

The above is a photo of the interior of the courtroom at Viterbo, Italy, where the accused Camorristas are on trial, nominally for the murder of Genaro 'Cuculo' one of their own members who betrayed their secrets, but really for years of miscellaneous criminality all over the province of Naples. The Camorrist prisoners, 34 in number are in the big cage surrounded by soldiers. The little cage at the right hand side of the photo is occupied by Genaro Abatemaggio, a Camorrist who turned informer and has to be boxed up separately for fear the others would kill him before the guards could interfere. Don Ciro Vitozzi, the Camorrist priest who sits in front of the cage (on the left) is also allowed the freedom of the lawyers' table because he is nearly dead from heart disease and will probably die before the trial. The woman beside him is the wife of a prisoner.

Viterbo, Italy, Mar. 29.—The entire sitting in the trial of the Camorristas was occupied today in the furnishing of the witness stand. The witness at great length during the afternoon concerning contradictions in his statements made at different times. To the question of the president as to whether he suffered from epilepsy, Abatemaggio replied in the negative.

There is a military medical certificate, said President Bianchi, 'stating that you left the army after three attacks of epilepsy.'

'That I did it purposely to be sent home from the army,' said the witness.

The lawyers for the defence jumped to their feet, shouting: 'Then you served the military and you are now trying to deceive the judicial authorities.'

During the questioning of Abatemaggio by the president, the prisoners were radiant, in the belief that the severity with which the president selected disputed points for explanation was a good omen in their behalf.

WATER AND SEWERAGE BOARD FAVORS LEASING MISPEC MILL

Will Recommend Council to Allow Stetson, Cutler & Co. to Have Property for \$2000 a Year, with Option to Purchase at \$25,000--Many Other Matters Dealt with.

At the meeting of the Water and Sewerage Board last evening it was decided to recommend the council to lease the Mispec Pulp Mill to Stetson, Cutler & Co. for \$2,000 a year, with an option to purchase for \$25,000. A delegation was heard in connection with the water shortage at Lancaster Heights, and the engineer's recommendation to install a pump at the reservoir on the Heights was approved and sent in to the council. The Marble Cove sewerage matter was again brought up by a report of the engineer on his efforts to secure a right of way. A committee was appointed to confer with representatives of the Board of Trade and Fire Underwriters with a view to making a test of a divided water service. A number of tenders for excavations for sewers were accepted and many other matters dealt with.

Ald. Likely presided and there were present Ald. White, Hayes, Smith, Russell, Wilmore and Sproul with the Council Clerk and the City Engineer.

The Pulp Mill Proposition. Ald. Likely said that the sub-committee had tabled the Mispec Pulp Mill proposition over with the recorder and the mayor and had decided that if the mill was worth \$30,000 some months ago, it ought to be worth the same amount now. They recommended that the mill be leased for \$2,000 a year for a period of ten years, and to give an option to purchase for \$30,000.

The chairman added that Stetson, and Cutler said they would only give \$20,000. He thought if they split the difference the matter would go through.

Ald. White said everybody was anxious to get the mill in operation, while protecting the city's water privilege. If the company took away their machinery the building would hardly bring \$20,000. He thought they had better sell.

The chairman: 'The council would not accept \$20,000.'

Ald. Wilmore thought they should hold out for \$30,000.

Ald. Hayes thought they should make an offer of \$25,000.

Ald. White's motion was then adopted.

Lancaster Water Supply. Geo. Maxwell and John Montgomery were heard in connection with the water supply on Lancaster Heights. They said the supply was getting so bad that at times they couldn't get water with a pump. Mr. Maxwell said he had ways to get a good supply till this winter. He noticed the falling off last summer, and did not think the trouble was due to people letting their taps run in cold weather.

Mr. Montgomery said he lived on about the highest part. Some years ago he had no trouble, but he had not been able to get water for four months. All the residents of the district had signed a petition, complaining of the water supply.

Dr. L. M. Curran and W. I. Fenton were also heard. Dr. Curran said the district had a very poor supply, certainly not enough for fire protection, and this was a drawback to the development of the district.

Mr. Fenton said the tenants of his

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Says the Treasurer of Caledonia Township

Fenaghvale, Ont., Jan. 29th, 1910. For thirty-five years (and I am now over seventy) I have been a terrible sufferer from Constipation.

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GARRETT, TRIMMED AGAIN

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At tonight's meeting, however, the crowds came from not only this city but from different sections along the St. John river valley from York County as well as from Sunbury County.

An hour before the meeting opened all the seats were taken and during the evening hundreds stood in the aisles throughout the entire meeting.

There were some exciting scenes before the meeting opened. A paid choir leader introduced the speakers and called for cheers for Burden. Groans and hisses greeted him and then there were cheers for Dr. Fleming.

Mr. Carvell spoke there was little or no applause, but the feeling of the audience was strongly shown when Mr. Fleming was speaking. He was cheered and applauded during his speech and at the end of his speech he was cheered and applauded.

Mr. Carvell said himself in had with the students of the Normal School, university and business college, who occupied a seat in the gallery, by yelling at them once when they were applauding: 'I hope those infants up there will never get into the Normal School.'

Later on Mr. Fleming referred to the slur that had been cast upon the young men by Mr. Carvell and general applause from the audience greeted the speaker. He also mentioned the treatment accorded the students and his expression of pleasure that the young men of this country should be taking such a lively interest in the public affairs of the country.

In the course of his speech Mr. Carvell made some rather remarkable statements. On one occasion he declared openly that it was the fact that the counties of the St. John valley sent 'conservative members instead of radicals to parliament in 1907 that caused the Transcontinental railway to be routed by the back route instead of through New Brunswick.'

When Hon. Mr. Fleming replied to Mr. Carvell he pointed out the inconsistency of his opponent's argument in saying that the Dominion Government did not want a C. B. operation when Premier Hazen had been the person to suggest it. Continuing Mr. Fleming pointed out the fallacy of Mr. Carvell's argument that in last year's session an agreement between Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the leader of the opposition that no new legislation should be introduced was responsible for the delay in the project occasioned by the federal government. He reminded the audience of the statement made by R. L. Borden on that occasion when he arose in parliament and said that he would not object to the legislation being introduced if it was decided to leave a willingness to go to Centerville or Lakeville in Carleton County and discuss with Mr. Carvell the route to be followed.

Mr. Carvell in the course of his speech stated that the Dominion Government could do with all the money Mr. Carvell said it had, was to agree to give the \$6,400 subsidy.

There was great excitement at this stage of the meeting and a few minutes later Mr. Carvell called upon the chairman for help and ex-sheriff Sterling, who had recovered from the loss of memory with which he suffered at the time of the Central Railway Royal Commission investigation, remembered his instructions and called time.

The meeting is expected to prove a great vote winner for the government party tomorrow at the polls. The electors who attended were convinced that the Hazen government are making an honest effort to give the people of the St. John valley a railway and that they were able with the block's brigade consisting of Mr. Carvell and his friends, at Ottawa and the provincial opposition.

Cheers for Dr. Morehouse and the Hazen government ended the meeting and Mr. Fleming was generally congratulated upon his success in again downing the Carvell counter-buffet.

Dr. Morehouse will be elected tomorrow by a majority of generous proportions.

LATE SHIPPING. Rockland, Me., March 29.—Sld. Schr. Mosma, from St. John, N. B. for Washington.

New London, March 29.—Sld. Schr. Samuel Hart, from St. John, N. B. for New York; Manuel R. Cusa, from St. John, N. B. for Providence.

Prawle Point, March 29.—Passed: Str. Shenandoah, St. John and Halifax, for London.

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Mr. Baxter explained that the desire of the council was merely to place the task of framing a new charter in the hands of a committee of men wholly independent of the council.

Men favorable to the commission plan rather than in the council itself which is divided in its opinions. All this was of course, on the supposition that the new scheme would be carried in the plebiscite. So far as the council was concerned it had no wish to call this committee a royal commission or anything else in particular, but merely wanted to meet the wishes of the people and in its desire to do so the speaker regretted that there had evidently been a misunderstanding on the part of some of those enthusiasts who feared the opposition of the council.

Mr. Baxter reviewed in detail a number of the radical changes which the introduction of the commission plan would involve and showed that the greatest care would be necessary in the preparation of the charter.

A Change Of Sentiment. At the close of Mr. Baxter's address there was evidence of a very considerable change of sentiment on the part of a number of the delegates, some of whom began to think that they had acted without sufficient thought in so energetically opposing the measure.

W. H. Barnaby, chairman of the Citizens' committee, was then heard. He was in favor of the original bill, but opposed to the proposed amendments. It was the citizens of St. John who wanted government by commission, and citizens should have the preparing of the bill. The citizens' committee already had a charter committee busily engaged in receiving facts and information upon which to frame a bill. The proposal for a royal commission had been sprung upon the people, was carried through the Common Council by a bare majority. The citizens' committee felt no antagonism in this matter towards the Common Council; they wanted only to work in harmony with it, but they did not want to delegate the preparation of the commission charter to a royal commission to be appointed, but to retain that right for the citizens themselves.

Citizens Should Decide. Miles E. Agar followed along the same lines of the previous speaker. He took the ground that the legislature should not say, and ought not to be asked to say, whether St. John's system of civic government was a good or bad one, that was a matter solely for the citizens themselves. He submitted that the preparation of the bill should not be left to possible opponents of the scheme, but its advocates and friends. He presented a protest against the amendments signed by about 1,500 citizens.

T. H. Estabrooks said that the matter had already been fully discussed, and he would refer only to the royal commission proposal. He contended that the framing of a commission charter should be left with its friends, and not to the legislature. The Common Council was divided almost evenly, eight for a royal commission and seven against it. On the other hand, the citizens were almost unanimous against the royal commission idea, and so far as he could learn only the eight aldermen before mentioned favored it, and he appealed to the committee to leave the matter in the hands of the citizens.

In reply to a question by Premier Hazen, Mr. Estabrooks stated that he favored the passage of Clause 2 of the bill, which provides that an act for the government by commission shall be prepared by the Common Council and sent to the legislature.

At the request of John E. Wilson, M. P. W. Allingham spoke on behalf of the Trades and Labor Council.

Afternoon Session. As there were still several speakers to be heard adjournment was taken for lunch and in the afternoon shortly after the House had assembled and adjourned the hearing was resumed. This time the details of the bill were discussed in a rather free and easy manner, many speakers being heard. During the lunch hour the delegates had held a little indignation meeting of their own and prepared a resolution or rather an amendment to the bill which was presented by Mr. Belyea. This was discussed at some length. There was also a resolution that the committee was strongly opposed to the idea of a royal commission.

After a somewhat lengthy discussion in which Mr. Hazen offered many valuable suggestions, it was decided to leave the whole matter in the hands of a joint committee to be arranged according to the ideas expressed by the delegates when the hearing adjourned. Before this was done there were further addresses from Messrs. Barnaby, Tilley, Belyea, Skinner, Baxter, Donovan, McGoldick and others.

Mr. Barnaby expressed the pleasure of the delegation and their thanks to the Municipalities Committee and to the members of the legislature for the kind reception and full hearing given them.

Hon. Mr. Hazen said that it was always a pleasure to meet delegations from St. John and especially so the present large and influential one. The business upon which they had come was equally important with many affairs before the legislature and he would willingly have adjourned the House for a day or two or three if necessary so that the St. John legislation might have full discussion. He was gratified at the business-like way in which the delegation had gotten down to work and the able manner in which their views had been presented by the several speakers.

A Bill Agreed Upon. The committee selected on the premier's suggestion consisted of Messrs. Hazen, Barnaby, Belyea, Baxter and Tilley. They sat after the hearing and went over in detail the different points at issue, and were able with very little trouble to arrive at the final settlement of the matter. The result is that the bill to be presented to the legislature which will without doubt be passed without further amendments, will read as follows:

'An act to provide for the taking of a plebiscite on the commission plan of civic government in the city of St. John.

'Be it enacted by the lieutenant governor and legislative assembly as follows:

1. It shall be the duty of the common clerk of the City of St. John when preparing the ballots for the civic elections in April next, to have printed at the bottom of each ballot, the following words, namely: 'For Commission.'

'Against Commission.'

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DIED. WARNOCK—At St. John West, on the 29th inst., Bertie D., beloved wife of Capt. Wm. Warnock, aged 37 years, daughter of Mr. Wm. Parker of Beaver Harbor, N. B., leaving her husband, father and one sister, Miss Ephra Parker, to mourn their loss.

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mission' and if he does not favor government by commission he shall rule, erase, or strike out the words "For Commission."

"II. At the close of the poll the commissioners shall ascertain the number of votes polled for government by commission, and the number of votes polled against government by commission, and shall report the same to the common clerk with their returns.

"III. If the majority of the electors at said election should vote in favor of the plan, it shall be the duty of the charter committee of the committee of citizens of St. John who are at present promoting the elective commission plan of civic government for the said city, to submit a bill to the provincial legislature at the next session thereof in accordance therewith."

The business of the day was ended about 5 o'clock and the delegation left Fredericton on return shortly after 8, reaching the city at 11.

Return of the Delegates. At 11 o'clock last evening the train which flashed the device "Commission government for St. John," through the woods between here and Fredericton, rolled into the Union depot, and disgorged the citizens' delegation.

Out of the warmth and light of the cars they descended into the cold and deserted station and hurried away with a look of weariness and doubt, as if disappointed at the failure of the people to meet them with brass bands and fireworks and enthusiastic gratitude.

Some of the leaders stopped by a reporter and expressed themselves well satisfied with the reception they had received at the hands of the legislature and declared that they had got all they expected, and that every reason to be gratified at the results of their excursion.

Walter Allingham, the president of the trades and labor council, was the only member of the party who had a delegation of his fellow citizens on hand to receive him. He was met by a number of prominent trade union officials, who held a long conference with him but whether the union men were satisfied with the turn matters took at Fredericton is not known.

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