

CHANGES IN CABINET THE TOPIC AT OTTAWA

Sir Henri's Retirement Has Made the Political Ball Begin to Roll

IN REGARD TO QUEBEC.

It is Said That Mr. Borden Will Have Hon. James Sutherland as His Successor.

WILL MR. MILLS GO ON THE BENCH?

May Fellow Justice Gwynne in the Supreme Court—Mr. Edward Farrer is Said to Be the Chief Political Adviser of Sir Wilfrid Laurier These Days—The Judicial Commission to Organize in Toronto on Wednesday.

Ottawa, June 22.—(Special.)—The first meeting of the Judicial Commission appointed to investigate changes of electoral boundaries in Federal elections has been held on Wednesday of next week in Toronto for purposes of organization.

Eddy's New Match Factory. Holbrook and Sutherland were yesterday awarded the contract for the erection of a new match factory for the E. B. Eddy Company. The new factory will be larger than the old one, and will be located on the same site. The building will have a frontage of 104 feet, and will be 100 feet wide at the widest portion. The building will be three stories high, and of concrete. The factory will be a storey larger than the old one and have a much greater capacity.

Paper Mill to Run Oct. 1. Work is well started on the new paper mill, which will be in running order by Oct. 1. The capacity of the mill will be 80 tons a day.

Rumors of Cabinet Changes. Rumors of changes in the Federal Cabinet are as rampant as ever. On a night, the retirement of Sir Henri J. Bourke has set the ball rolling. The chief trouble Sir Wilfrid has to deal with in Cabinet studies is the Quebec district. For years the Liberals have been clamoring for reform in the Quebec district. Mr. Tarte, his speech on the subject, and the editorial in his paper are recognized by the Liberals as a precedent. Mr. Tarte is reported to have said prior to his trip to Paris that this was so.

Tarte Must Go. So it is quite on the cards that Tarte must go before an appeal to the country. What will be done with him is an enigma that only Sir Wilfrid and Tarte can settle. Some reports say that he will be High Commissioner to Paris, but after recent antics, the Home Government would surely put the kibosh on that.

Borden Must Go. Another member of the Cabinet, Hon. Dr. Borden, must go. The inquiry into the emergency rationing shows that he was either too lazy or too incompetent to exercise proper vigilance over his department. Besides, there are a hundred rumors about the coöperation of him out of hand. His position will be the Chief Minister of Nova Scotia, for Lieutenant-Governor Daly goes out July 20, 1900.

Sutherland to Succeed Borden. Major Sutherland will be the man to succeed Dr. Borden.

Mills May Step Out. There are rumors about that Hon. David Mills has resolved to resign. But it is not likely he will go out till after the next election. Then Justice Gwynne of the Supreme Court may be moved, and Mr. David will take his place with the changes in view. Mr. Bernier, who shortly be moved up to Public Works, Charles Fitzpatrick will be made Minister of Inland Revenue, and Mr. Brodeur will become Solicitor-General. This would be a strong team in the Cabinet.

Who is the Montreal Lady? The emergency rationing scandal at Galloway is the subject of a book that jeopardized the lives of our soldiers in order to benefit a political supporter. One apologist of Dr. Borden declared to the Montreal lady hadn't bestowed the Minister at the last moment.

Fember's Turkish Baths, 127-9 Yonge Street.

The "Pearl" is Popular. It's the ideal summer frock for a gentleman, and selected at Fairweather's, 84 Yonge, from such famous makers as Christie, Tross or Rodoff, it's a certificate of character in style and quality. Special display of light-weight frocks, \$2.50 to \$4.

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ALLIED TROOPS ON DEFENSIVE AND NO WORD YET FROM PEKIN

Four Thousand Foreign Troops Were in the Fighting at Tien Tsin Wednesday and Thursday and Reinforcements Were Hourly Expected at Last Accounts.

The British War Department Has Been Making Significant Moves and Giving Ominous Orders, Including One For a Lot of Krupp Guns—Russia Orders Mobilization of All Her Siberian Regiments—Japan is Also Very Active—The Whole Situation Presents an Aspect of Decided Seriousness.

London, June 22.—(3 a.m.)—The silence of Pekin continues unbroken. Four thousand men of the allied forces were having sharp defensive fighting at Tien Tsin Tuesday and Wednesday, with a prospect of being reinforced Thursday. This is the situation in China as set forth in the British Government despatches.

The Legations Are Safe. Shanghai, June 22.—(Special.)—The Chinese Legation in Europe, directing them to inform the Governments to which they are accredited that he is called to Pekin by the Empress Dowager, to act as an intermediary between China and the powers and negotiate a settlement of the points at issue, and begs the powers to facilitate his mission by ceasing to send troops to China.

British Government Means Business. It is expected the Government will send at once 10,000 men to China and possibly, according to some of the morning papers, 10,000 of the regulars now with Lord Roberts.

BRITISH CABINET MET. Lord Salisbury Presided, and After the Meeting Proceeded to Windsor Castle.

London, June 22.—Lord Salisbury presided this morning at a meeting of the Cabinet, specially summoned to consider the Far Eastern crisis. Prior to the meeting the Chinese Ambassador, Mr. Paul Cambon, and the Chinese Minister, Sir Chen Lo Fang, had paid a lengthy visit to the officials of the Foreign Office, and it is expected that important developments will be the outcome of the Cabinet conference.

Approachments as to Tien Tsin. The apprehensions as to the fate of the Europeans out of Tien Tsin have been sharpened by Admiral Kemp's message, which was the first definite announcement of the bombardment and destruction of the foreign consulates. But in spite of Shanghai's grim statement that the Chinese used 40-pounders and that 1000 foreigners were massacred, there is no reason to conclude that the foreign legation has been unable to protect itself.

THE DROUGHT EXAGGERATED That is the Opinion Expressed by President Meighen of Lake of the Woods Milling Co.

IN AN INTERVIEW AT WINNIPEG. But Still the Rain Keeps Off and There is Anxiety-Indignation at Parliament.

Winnipeg, June 22.—(Special.)—A. B. Stickey, president and general manager of the Chicago Milling Co., who has just arrived in the city this afternoon, to go through the Crown's Nest Pass to Nelson, B.C., when he lived there 20 years ago, he was president of the C.P.R., the first president the company ever had.

Mr. Meighen Not So Pessimistic. President Meighen of the Lake of the Woods Milling Company arrived in the city on Thursday, on his annual visit to the west. In an interview, Mr. Meighen stated that from information he had received from the company's own sources, he was of opinion that the reports as to damage to the wheat crop by the drought had been greatly exaggerated.

Indignation at Parliament. There is much indignation over the course of Parliament on the question of taxation of C.P.R. lands. It is vital to the country, and much disappointment is manifested in the Liberals, who have made such a pretence of friendship.

Young Man Drowned. Fred Haskins, aged 17, son of Tax Collector Haskins, was drowned last night.

Mr. James' New Real Estate Office. Mr. S. H. James believes that an active real estate market is approaching, and to put himself in line with it has moved his office to the ground floor, No. 22 Victoria street, where he will be glad to accept commissions for the purchase or sale of property.

Head's Right-All Right. The right hat to insure comfort to-day is straw—the right place to get one is at Fairweather's, 84 Yonge—right styles—exclusive styles—by makers who know just how the hat would be one of those "Kings Justices" or split straw—\$1 to \$2.50.

Letter Carriers' Moonlight Excursion—Steamer Chippewa, June 26th.

Equatorial Belts would be no more a novelty and no more comfort to the dwellers in that tropical clime than would be one of those King's straw hats which Fairweather's, 84 Yonge, are displaying this week would be to the average Toronto man these days—the lightest hat in the world—one ounce—one dollar.

Smoke Penny Post; best in Canada.

END OF A TOUGH GAME.



STEVY (to Kruger): "All our laagers is gone, Paul. Bobs has been fillin' his glass, and dere ain't any left for us."

AGAIN THE RUMOR IS AFLOAT THAT MR. TARTE WILL STEP OUT

In Fact it is Stated That He Has Resigned and That He Will be Replaced by Mr. Bernier as Minister of Works.

Montreal, June 22.—(Special.)—The rumor is again revived that Hon. Mr. Tarte has resigned, or will do so in the near future. It is stated that he will be replaced by Hon. Mr. Bernier at the Department of Public Works; that Hon. Mr. Fitzpatrick will be Minister of Inland Revenue, while Mr. L. P. Brodeur, Deputy Speaker, will be Solicitor-General.

C.P.R. STOCK SOLD DOWN TO 88, BUT FEARS ARE OVERDRAWN

People in London Are Getting Anxious—Too Much Importance Being Given to Manitoba's Crop and Too Little to Ontario's.

Montreal, June 22.—(Special.)—There was a further break of 1 point today in Canadian Pacific, 77 1/2 shares having been sold. The lowest point reached was 88, which is a record for the stock since it was introduced into the market.

Has 50,000 Men in Siberia. In the coast province of Eastern Siberia, both of Vladivostok, there are 85,000 infantry and 4500 Cossacks, with 24 field and mountain batteries—80 guns. The Russian railway guard in Manchuria consists of 1500 Cossacks.

A BATTLE WITH BAYONETS Two Members of 44th Battalion Were the Only Ones to Mar the Harmony of Camp Niagara.

Both Men Were Badly Used Up. To-day Camp Will Be Broken—Yesterday the Brigade Marched Thru Town.

Niagara-on-the-Lake, June 22.—The military camp now being held at this place is the last of the season, and it is expected that the camp will be broken up by the end of the month.

A FRENCHMAN'S POINTER. Tells the French-Canadians They Have More Real Liberty Than Real a Republic.

Montreal, June 22.—(Special.)—La Patrie states that it has had a visit to-day from an eminent Frenchman, who is on the way home from Cochin China. He states that the French colonies are very badly governed and concludes as follows: "French-Canadians! if we have in France the pompous title of republic for our Government, it is not more than a name, and we are not so free as we are told to be."

Special Information are offered to parties booking excursions to Bondy's Hotel on Metropolitan Ry. For rates and particulars, Tel. 2102.

Good Reasons. A few good reasons why "Club's Dollar" has such an immense sale are: It is as good a tobacco as can be bought for any money. It smokes cool and will not irritate the tongue, and is sold at a popular price, 1 lb. tin, \$1.00; 1/2 lb. tin, 50c; 1/4 lb. tin, 25c; 1/8 lb. tin, 12c.

AT NIAGARA TO-DAY. A Brilliant Show, the Finale of the Camp.

The dance, which concludes the camp at Niagara this evening, will attract large numbers across the lake to the Queen's Royal. Special reduced tickets, including boat fare and hotel, can be obtained at the Queen's Hotel.

OTTAWA LINEMEN'S STRIKE. A Brilliant Show, the Finale of the Camp.

Union Men Notified That It Will be Impossible to Grant Them Shorter Hours and More Wages.

MANAGER M'RAE GIVES REASONS. Says the Fire was a Great Loss to His Company, But the Men Will Stay Out.

Ottawa, June 22.—(Special.)—The Ottawa Electric Company has notified the union men that it will be impossible to grant them shorter hours and an advance in wages. After stating that it was impossible to grant the union's request, the following reasons are given by Manager McRae to the strikers:

Drink Oatmeal Springs Water. 240

Grand & Toy's Bangs. Globe Vernicle Elastic Collar. Instructing device bind all units in a single case, firmly together. No tools or experience required to set up a cabinet. Ask for illustrated catalogue. Grand & Toy, Limited, Stationers and Printers, Wellington and Queen-streets, Toronto.

LIBERALS AFRAID OF MORE DISCLOSURES

The Majority of the Enquiry Committee Voting Every Motion Down

TO CONCEAL THE FACTS Regarding the Emergency Rations, Which Prof. Rutian Says Can't Be Called Such.

MR. CLARKE'S SEVEN MOTIONS

To Have the Remnants of Hatcher's Provisions in the Possession of the Militia Department Analyzed Are All Refused, One After Another, as Well as a Motion to Notify the S. A. Contingent of the Grade of the Food Supplied.

Ottawa, June 22.—(Special.)—The uselessness of trying to establish charges of fraud and negligence before a parliament committee of the House is being evaded with increasing force daily. Messrs. Russell, Britton, Belmont and Campbell, the Liberal majority members of the Rations Committee, never lose an opportunity to prevent anything coming out in evidence that may show that Mr. Borden's charges are truthful. It is at times ridiculous to see the pains with which Dr. Russell will chew an argument into shreds in order to keep out legitimate evidence.

Dr. Britton is Lamblike. Dr. Britton assumes the best dog's case of consternation, and meets everything that is pertinent with: "I do not think this has anything to do with the case." A man can't say that the doctor has shown no license to think, but the Opposition members of the committee can not refrain from smiling at the lamblike innocence of the doctor.

Belmont a Despot. Mr. Belmont, as chairman, thinks he is the committee and his rulings are given with the vigor of a despot. He occasionally tells Mr. Monk or Mr. Casgrain that their conduct is unseemly and introduces personalities when arguments do not come his way.

The Majority Rules. Mr. Campbell is a comparatively silent member of the committee. By actual count he has asked only about six questions. Yet when it comes to talking the Opposition members, he is ready with: "Well, let us take a vote." Mr. Campbell is a slave to rule by majorities. No matter what four members of the seven members may decide, it is always right in Mr. Campbell's eyes.

The State of things naturally gives rise to many jars, and never an hour goes by but that the rival sections of the committee are at it.

The New Hat for Outings and Touring—Popular and a Reasonable Hat. Have you noticed that the tired politician's cap has almost entirely disappeared? Have you noticed the hat that is almost entirely a sensible hat? A sensible hat is a hat that is not only sensible but also comfortable. It is a hat that is not only sensible but also comfortable. It is a hat that is not only sensible but also comfortable.

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FIN AND WARM. Meteorological Office, Toronto, June 22.—(8 p.m.)—The intense heat and drought continued in Manitoba and the Northwest Territories and at present the prospects of any rain are far from good. At Winnipeg to-day 98 degrees in the shade was recorded, at Minnedosa 104 degrees and Qu'Appelle 100 degrees. Showers have been fairly general in Southern Ontario, but no rain is reported from the more northern parts of the province. Showers have also occurred in the Upper St. Lawrence Valley and in Nova Scotia, but the weather generally in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces has been fair.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 52-52; Calgary, 54-75; Prince Albert, 64-82; Qu'Appelle, 68-100; Winnipeg, 66-88; Port Arthur, 52-70; Parry Sound, 69-74; Toronto, 58-89; Ottawa, 63-74; Montreal, 62-84; Quebec, 58-68; Halifax, 56-80.

Prohibitions. Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Moderate winds, mostly northeasterly and easterly; fine and warm. Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Moderate winds, mostly northeasterly and easterly; fine and warm. Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf—Fair and moderately warm. Maritime—Light to moderate winds; fair and moderately warm.

DEATHS. CRANSTON—A Deputy Colorado, on Wednesday, June 20, John Cranston, in his 65th year. Funeral from the residence of his brother-in-law, 114 Maplehurst-avenue, on Monday, June 22, at 3 p.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

HALFAN—On Thursday, June 21, 1899, at Linden Villa, John Halfan, (Saturday) afternoon at 4 o'clock.

SCOTT—In Brimpton, on Friday, June 22, 1900, Mary Letitia, beloved wife of Mr. Alex. P. Scott, aged 49 years. Mr. Alex. P. Scott died 49 years. Burial in Brimpton, on Saturday, June 23, at 2:30 o'clock. Intermment in Brimpton Cemetery.

Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

THOMPSON—On Friday, June 22, at 822 King-street west, Eliza (Lizzie) Thompson, in her 85th year.

Funeral notice hereafter.

Houses to Rent. Beautiful house, Harbour-street, 30 dollars per month. Only 15 minutes thoroughly modern house north of Bloor. 10 rooms, 22 dollars, both clean and sanitary. B. P. Alexander, 22 Victoria-street. 240

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