Hamilton Happenings

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D.R.O. AND CLERK GUILTY TAMPERING WITH BALLOTS

Henry Lawson and Harry Dillabaugh Get Two and Four Months Sentence.

HAMILTON, Dec. 4.—(Special.)—William Lawson, who was appointed as deputy returning officer in the provincial elections, was sent down for two months, and Harry Dillabaugh, his poll clerk, was sent donw for four months for tampering with ballots. It was the first case tried under the new Controverted Elections Act passed by the legislature last session, and was heard by Justice Anglin and Justice Clute. D. L. McCarthy, Toronto, defended the accused.

The evidence showed that Lawson allowed Dillabaugh to have a book of ballots, and that Dillabaugh took them to W. S. McLaughlin, Liberal chairman in Ward 5, and offered to sell them for $100. McLaughlin testified that he did not regard the matter seriously, and thought it was a joke. He had signed an affidavit concerning the affair, which was published in The Globe, but had done so for political ammunition. McCarthy's defence was that the whole thing was a joke, and he argued that the act did not apply.

The justices retired and returned in a few minutes, announcing that they had agreed that both prisoners were guilty. Justice Anglin said the thing might have been regarded as a joke by the prisoners, but he and Justice Clute were satisfied that the act covered just such cases, as the word "fraudulent" had been intentionally left out of the act. There could be no purity of elections or self-government if the ballots were tampered with, and his lordship then passed sentence.

Mr. McCarthy asked for a stated case, but Justice Anglin said they knew of no authority for such a procedure, but promised to accede to the request if furnished with authorities.

Barton Township Suit.

Justice Anglin kept the high court open until a late hour to-night taking evidence in the suit brought by Barton Township to compel the city to supply its residents with water under the annexation agreement of 1903. The city's defence was that it had no water to spare. City Engineer Fellows, Toronto, gave same startling evidence in behalf of the city with reference to the condition of the waterworks. He said the pumps were working to their utmost capacity now, and that in case of a break down of even one of them the city would be in bad shape.

Judgment was given in favor of the city, the court holding that it was not bound to supply water except when it had more than enough for its own use. The judgment is of considerable importance, and there was general rejoicing among the aldermen and officials when the award was made known. There was a further question as to whether the city was compelled to afford sewer accommodation. The court held that under the agreement the city was compelled to do so, but he reserved judgment on the question of whether the city had a right to enter into such an agreement.

Big Iron Merger.

The Canadian Iron Foundry Company, a local concern, has been bought up by a big eight million dollar merger, which will be known as the Canadian Iron Corporation. The new company has taken over a number of iron plants in Canada, including the Canada Car Wheel Works in Montreal and works at Three Rivers, Que.; Fort William, St. Thomas and Londonderry, N. S. Formal transfer of the properties was made on Wednesday, the consideration being $1,557,000. The financing is done chiefly in London. Thos. J. Drummond of Montreal is president, and the directors include Geo. Cudewill of New York.

John Stevenson, 24 Arthur-avenue, had a finger taken off at the Westinghouse Co.'s plant this afternoon.

Battle of the Forest.

Prof. B. E. Fernow of Toronto University spoke this evening before the Hamilton Scientific Association on the battle of the forest. He said that it was not only necessary to renew the crop of trees as the agriculturalist did, but to prevent the wholesale and indiscriminate destruction by the ax and fire.

There was but a fair attendance at the annual concert given this evening in Association Hall of St. Andrew's Benefit Society.

Labor Candidate.

H. J. Halford has been endorsed by the Independent Labor party as an aldermanic candidate in Ward 7, and Walter Rollo as a candidate for the board of education.

Amongst the numerous protests that are being filed are protests against Mayor Stewart's election in West Hamilton and against W. O. Sealey's election in Wentworth County.

Robert Dow, Metcalfe, has been appointed as immigration officer, with headquarters at Hamilton, and some of the local Liberal workers are dissatisfied because a Hamilton man did not get the position.

Perchanio Donato, an Italian, was sent down by Police Magistrate Jelfs this morning for 18 months for stealing $25 from a fellow countryman.

This morning Justice Anglin gave judgment in the suit of the Canada Carriage Co., et al, to set aside a conveyance of property made by E. A. Lea to his sister-in-law, Maud C. Lea. The case had been taken to the supreme court, which ordered a new trial. His lordship set aside the conveyance, but found that Mrs. Lea was not guilty of intent to defraud.

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CHARGE MALONE TO-DAY.

Chief Constable of Simcoe Will Be Formally Arraigned This Morning.

SIMCOE, Ont., Dec. 4.—(Special.)—Chief Constable Malone will appear before Magistrate Beamer at 9 o'clock to-morrow morning to face a charge of attempted murder of Constable Wilkins. His counsel, W. E. Kelley, and Crown Attorney T. R. Slatt, will ask for an adjournment, and further adjournments will be made until Wilkins is able to appear and testify. The wounded man is making good progress, altho none of the bullets have been extracted, and doctors in attendance say he is practically out of danger.

There are no new developments in the case, but public interest is still intense.

Premier Whitney's Thanks

Premier Whitney has sent the following letter to Mrs. Massey Treble:

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The hearing of the appeal of the Toronto Railway assessment will be heard on the 21st at 2.30 p.m.

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