

WILL JAIL ALL IF "DEBORAH" IS PUT ON AGAIN IN TORONTO

Magistrate Suppresses Play as Highly Immoral, and Imposes Fines on Seven Members of the Company—Heavy Loss to the Producers Through Closing of the Show.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, May 23.—"Deborah" has been ordered suppressed. The seven actors participating in "Deborah" were found guilty on Tuesday night's performance, late this afternoon by Magistrate Denison on a charge of presenting an immoral play.

No mention was made of any other night's performance.

Deputy Chief of Police Archibald, however, declared that if any actor was made to put it on again, he "would back the patrol wagon up against the theatre and take them all to the police station."

The seven actors were each fined \$5 and costs or 30 days each for Tuesday's performance. Maynard Waite, the manager, was fined \$20 and costs or 30 days.

Manager Maynard Waite stated after the trial that on the advice of Mr. Denison, no further performance of the play would be given tonight at the Princess, or tomorrow.

"It means a loss of \$3,500 or \$4,000 to us," said he, "and we are not booked for any city next week, so I don't know where we are going."

Will Alter Play.

W. Legrand Howland is the author of the first time anywhere on Tuesday. On that occasion W. Banks, the theatrical censor, ordered alterations to and eliminations of sections of the play. These will be carried out.

Rev. John Coburn, of Toronto's "Committee of Forty," which aims to keep the playhouses clean, laid charges as the first night's performance, with the result stated.

LIBERALS SCORE OPPONENTS FOR SCALP HUNTING

Wholesale Dismissals Absolutely Indefensible, Say Maritime Representatives.

Discussion Over Spending a Million Repairing Steamers and Ice Breakers.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, May 23.—With the Senate chamber the centre of interest, the Commons today was largely deserted, and spent its whole time in making progress on the estimates of the Department of Marine. The proceedings were almost entirely of a routine character.

Liberals from the Maritime Provinces engaged in vigorous criticism of the wholesale and indefensible character of dismissals which had been carried on by the Government. Mr. J. H. Sinclair, of Guysboro, described Investigator Duchesne as "a scourge" going about the province looking for scalps.

During the afternoon sitting an interesting discussion arose over the item for one million dollars for maintenance and repairs to government steamers and ice-breakers. Hon. R. Lemieux asked if the ships to be procured would be built in Canada.

Hon. Mr. Hazen stated that experience had shown that contracts let in Canada had not been delivered on time, whereas contracts were let to firms of established reputation in Britain, such conditions did not occur. Tenders from the other side of the water were much lower.

"It would, however, be quite fair, said the minister, to ask that tenders awarded British firms should be carried out in Canada, and that the firm should establish yards in Canada where the ships would be built."

STRAIGHT TALK AGAINST JAPS BY FIERY LEGISLATOR

Declares He Is Justified in Protesting Over Government's Attitude.

California Should Have Right to Pass Whatever Legislation Is Necessary.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Washington, May 23.—Hitting at California because the state is seeking to eliminate the influx of Japanese, Representative Bartholdt proposed a constitutional amendment vesting in the federal government authority to treat with its non-resident citizens.

Just before the introduction of the Bartholdt resolution, representative Sisson, Mississippi, delivered his much advertised speech on the alien law controversy.

"If any nation should decide that it was to dictate to us how our land laws should be framed, then we would be unworthy of nationhood," he said, "submitted to such dictation. Does anyone claim that this is a declaration of war because I announce this truth? I have no declaration of war for this government to decline to override the rights of a sovereign state at the dictation of a foreign power," he said.

"If the United States with its army and navy and with brute force—superior to anyone of these states—should take away from the state the right to control these domestic concerns and deliver the state to the mercies of the aliens from any nation, then I maintain the Federal Government has prostituted its authority. Is the mere announcement of this principle a declaration of war?"

"It was announced by Secretary Bryan this afternoon that important announcements might be looked for tomorrow. But he declined to indicate specifically the purport of these announcements."

FORCED TO ADMIT HIS PARTICIPATION IN SHADY DEALS

Stephen J. Stilwell Was Badly Rattled Under Grilling Cross Examination.

State Is Confident of Securing a Conviction in Big Bribery Trial.

[Special to The Advertiser.] New York, May 23.—The favorable impression that Stephen J. Stilwell made in taking the stand in his own behalf today during his trial for bribery was completely shattered under Assistant District Attorney Nott's grilling cross-examination.

Before he left the stand and closed his case he was forced not only to admit his part in several shady transactions, in which widows were involved, but to contradict a portion of the testimony of Samuel Lewis, jun., his main witness, and even to contradict his own.

Goed to the Jury.

The case will go to the jury tomorrow with the state confident of securing a conviction. In the morning both the defence and the prosecution will sum up.

Stilwell ended his direct testimony serene and smiling, after denials of having ever offered to report Geo. H. Keady's bill favorably for \$3,500.

The most telling testimony admitted was concerning the suit of a widow of Daniel S. Decker, his former partner, in an effort to get Decker's share of certain fees.

"Were you Decker's partner?" "No," he snapped.

"In a deposition after Decker's death in 1909 didn't you swear that you were the sole surviving member of the firm of Stilwell & Decker?"

"If that paper says so, I did."

"And then two years later, when this suit was brought by his widow, didn't you swear that you were not?"

"Yes."

Fell Into Trap.

Flustered, he tried to explain the discrepancy in his testimony, only to sink further into the trap Nott had prepared. He next admitted that a Mrs. Margaret B. Saunders, a widow of \$7 years, had made him a residuary legatee in her will, and though he was not named in the will, that one will in 1907 was the last, and that he had gained about \$4,000 from the will.

Upon a threatened suit, however, he compromised with the family and paid over \$2,800 to the family. Thereupon the matter was hushed up.

Testimony indicated that the state records had been tampered with in reference to this case.

Expert Investigation.

An investigation will probably result, Stilwell said, that his reason for being so interested in the Ken-dall bill was to secure Governor Sulzer's support for the Bronx county bill in case the court appeals declared it unconstitutional. But as the court of appeals made its favorable decision on March 14 and the numerous telephone calls to Ken-dall's right after that, he was forced to admit that this was not his reason.

Mrs. Clara Walters, wife of Senator Walters, and Miss Eleanor J. Macder, a stenographer and relative of Stilwell's, testified. The latter made a good witness for Stilwell and denied the conversation over the telephone about the bribe.

A RICH FIND

More High Grade Silver Located on the Lawson Property.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Cobalt, May 23.—Another excellent shoot of high grade ore has been opened up by the La Rose. It is an addition to the ore reserves of the company, inasmuch as the existence of this particular showing had never been known before.

The strike was made at the 100-foot level about 100 feet west of the No. 8 shaft. The vein as it is now being developed is from five to six inches of 3,000 ounce ore and upwards.

While the Lawson has no long shoot of ore there appear to be numerous pockets of very high grade of such a richness that their comparative shortness is more than compensated for. A little more than a month ago the company ran into just such another shoot of ore. The recent strike will again boost the production.

J. C. SMITH, of Wingham Collegiate, who will become principal of Ingersoll High School.

Man Held-Up Was An East End Rumor

Reported To Have Been "Slugged" and Robbed of Large Sum.

A rumor to the effect that a man named Fitzmaurice was held up, assaulted and robbed of a large sum of money near the Grand Trunk tracks on Adelaide street shortly after midnight was circulated about the city.

No confirmation of it could be secured, however, the police and several families of that or similar names living in East London denying all knowledge of the affair.

The rumor was that the man was going towards his home with a large amount of money in his pocket, when he was set upon by two men, who struck over the head with a club. He was rendered unconscious, and while in that condition his pockets were rifled.

MIKADO BETTER, BUT CONDITION IS STILL CRITICAL

Gravest Anxiety at Tokio Over Recovery of Japanese Ruler.

All Negotiations Over Alien Land Bill Have Been Discontinued.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Tokyo, May 23.—The condition of the mikado who is ill with pneumonia early today showed a slight improvement.

The latest bulletin signed by Doctors Mauro and Aoyama who are in attendance says: "His majesty's temperature has risen to 103.36. His pulse is 90, and his respiration is 30."

This shows a rise of 1 point from the time the previous bulletin was issued.

A number of native organizations have dispatched special messengers to the imperial shrine to pray for the recovery of the emperor.

Anxiety Prevails.

The official announcement that the emperor's ailment is pneumonia and evident anxiety of the royal entourage have conveyed to the public the impression that his condition is much more grave than had been supposed and in consequence a feeling of depression prevails in all quarters.

The dense crowds about the Ayoma Palace today prevented the removal of the mikado to the modern Chitose Palace as had been advised.

Although the people about the gates were very orderly a military guard has been placed about the palace. The emperor remained in his room, his temperature took the alarming rise from 101 to 102. When the fever showed no signs of abatement this morning the emperor remained in bed and then insisted that she take some rest.

NEGOTIATIONS DELAYED.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Washington, May 23.—Spitting the arrival of a crisis in the condition of the mikado, no further steps will be taken in the negotiations concerning the California alien land law.

This fact was established today when it was learned that the conference between Secretary Bryan and Ambassador Chinda for next week had been indefinitely postponed.

Both President Wilson and Secretary Bryan watched the course of the emperor's illness carefully today and requested the Japanese Embassy to keep them informed of all developments. Indications of a change in the Japanese situation today is the fact that it was not touched upon in general discussion at the cabinet meeting and that not a single word was said in it has developed in the past forty-eight hours.

Nothing Will Be Done.

It is practically certain that nothing further will be done in the matter of the alien bill until after the emperor has passed the crisis in his condition. Japan has until August 10 in which to file her reply to the Bryan note, that being the date on which the Webb bill becomes effective. If the referendum fails, and it is understood that all negotiations between the two governments will be postponed as long as possible. The state department has advised the State that everything possible is being done by officials here to prevent the enforcement of the law, and it is thought that the mikado's government will know the matter to rest for the time being.

Unable to Change Prince's Itinerary

Governor of Quebec Was Anxious to Entertain King's Son.

[Canadian Press.] Halifax, N.S., May 23.—Capt. Victor Pelletier, A.D.C. to Sir Francis Langelle, lieutenant governor of Quebec, has been in the city for the past few days endeavoring to complete arrangements for Prince Albert's itinerary which would bring the training ship to Quebec for the King's birthday. The Cumberland's itinerary calls for her arriving at Quebec on June 5, and Capt. Smith was unable to change the programme of the cruiser as arranged by the admiralty.

Capt. Pelletier also brought with him an invitation to the prince from Mayor Lavallee of Montreal to visit that city while the Cumberland is at Quebec. Mayor Lavallee and the Montreal city council desired to go to Quebec on a special train to pay their respects to the royal sailor and have him accompany them on their return. This program however is not in accord with the King's wishes and there will be no state procession to Montreal, but the Prince with other middlemen is to visit that city and Toronto, also going on to Niagara.

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PRINCESS VICTORIA, only daughter of the German Emperor, who was married at Berlin today to Prince Ernest of Cumberland. Royalty from all over Europe gathered for the wedding.



TEN PRESBYTERIAN LAYMEN GAVE \$100,000 TO AID MEETING

Paid Transportation Expenses of Delegates From All Over Canada To General Assembly in Toronto—Four Thousand Will Gather.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, May 23.—The Presbyterian General Assembly, which will open here on Saturday, May 24, will be attended by four thousand delegates from all parts of the country. Of these six hundred are delegates to the meetings of Women's Home and Foreign Missionary Societies.

The expenses of transportation have been very large, but through the generosity of ten prominent laymen of the church, who contributed \$10,000 each, this matter has been easily met without any charge on the ordinary funds of the church.

Outlook Encouraging.

The work entailed in preparing for the reception of the delegates has been enormous, but everything is well in hand, and the committees will be able to give all information that would be needed as to the location of any delegate in the city. For some weeks a large staff of secretaries has been engaged on the task, but the greater part of the work has been successfully and efficiently carried out.

An elaborate card system has been prepared with all names of hosts, churches, presbyteries, and delegates, carefully filed, so that it was possible to find the location of anyone at a moment's notice.

When Congress Opens.

When the congress begins the office staff will be transferred from Knox Church to the Massey Hall, where final arrangements will be carried out.

Words has just been received that two special intercolonial trains will arrive in Toronto early on the morning of the 24th with 500 delegates from the Maritime Provinces. The western delegates, it was expected, would also come by special train, but no announcement had yet been made of the time of their arrival.

HOTELMEN ARE ORGANIZING

Judge Durand, of New York, Tells Them How to Combat Temperance Forces.

Judge Durand, of New York State, has been in the city for several days for the purpose of organizing the hotelmen of the city. He has visited a number of Canadian cities and has made a number of speeches as to the best means of organization, and the best means to be adopted by the hotelmen to meet the movements of the temperance and prohibition forces.

A majority of the hotelmen attended the meetings conducted by Judge Durand, May 22, and were called by The Advertiser said that there was nothing to give out in connection with his visit.

Youths Planned to Rotten Egg Farmer

Nine Young Men Were Fined by Magistrate at Goderich.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Goderich, May 23.—Following young men and boys from the Township of Stanley, John Armstrong, Lloyd Armstrong, Daniel Johnston, William Johnston, Cyril Wylie, John Reid, Earl Johnston, Morris Johnston and Chester Duncan, aged from 16 years to 25 years of age, were up before Police Magistrate W. E. Kelly today, and were sent up for trial on a charge of unlawful assembly.

They were subsequently arraigned before County Judge Doyle, and pleading guilty were fined each \$5. It appears that the boys gathered to rotten-egg a resident of the same township who had incurred their displeasure.

A hydro-electric commission has a gang of men working in Goderich preparatory to installing the system here, and expect it will be in operation by September.

Miss Mona Kidd is visiting her aunt in Toronto.

Mrs. Clark, of Montreal, is visiting her brother, John Galt.

Mrs. Hunt, of London, who was visiting Mrs. W. L. Elliot, has returned home.

Rev. T. McRae has left for a short visit to his home in Beaverton.

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—MODERATELY WARM. Toronto, May 23.—Rain has been general today in Eastern Quebec and the Maritime Provinces, while a few light scattered showers have occurred elsewhere. The weather continues warm in Alberta and over the greater portion of Saskatchewan.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: London, 50-58; Victoria, 48-70; Vancouver, 48-70; Kamloops, 44-78; Edmonton, 48-72; Banff, 40-74; Prince Albert, 40-70; Calgary, 46-70; Moose Jaw, 35-72; Regina, 37-70; Winnipeg, 50-44; Port Arthur, 36-42; Parry Sound, 42-58; Toronto, 40-64; Kingston, 48-54; Ottawa, 50-58; Montreal, 50-56; Quebec, 48-50; St. John, 42-48; Halifax, 40-48.

Forecasts. Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Light to moderate winds; fine and moderately warm. Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence—Fair; a little warmer. Lower St. Lawrence—A few scattered showers, but partly fair; not much change in temperature. Gulf and Maritime Provinces—Fresh winds; cooler and showery.

WEDDING GIFTS ARE VALUED AT OVER \$2,500,000

Kaiser's Present to Bride Was a Wonderful Tiara of Diamonds.

King George Changed Auto for Jewelry as Result of Accident.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Berlin, May 23.—The eve of the wedding of the Kaiser's daughter to Prince Ernest of Cumberland was marked by a gala performance at the Royal Opera House, the favorite flower, carnations, in all shades, from white to deepest red, in order that the overpowering scent might be avoided, the bulk of these were arranged.

Chose "Lohengrin."

The interior of the house was lavishly decorated with festoons of Princess Victoria's favorite flowers, carnations, in all shades, from white to deepest red, in order that the overpowering scent might be avoided, the bulk of these were arranged.

The play presented was the first act of "Lohengrin," which had been chosen by Princesses Louise and Marie, on the occasion. New scenery was ordered especially by the Kaiser, Putnam Griswold came from London to sing "Henry, the Fowler." The most brilliant audience ever seen in Berlin assembled in the theatre half an hour before the royal party entered. The parterre was en masse of gorgeous uniforms, and the front rows in the balcony were occupied by ladies of the court circle, mostly dressed in blue. This is understood to be Prince Ernest's favorite color. Many of the ladies wore diamond tiaras and the whole display of jewelry was striking.

A rap of the court chamberlain's wand on the floor indicated the arrival of the royal party. The bride party appeared first, the princess dressed in salmon-colored satin, both bowed to the audience, and according to etiquette, remained silent during the entry of the royals. The Kaiser led Queen Mary into the box; then came King George with the Duchess of Cumberland, all bowing to the audience before taking their seats.

Performed Well.

Griswold, Rudolf Burck as Lohengrin, and Madame Refregan Waag as Elsa, performed well under the trying circumstances, etiquette forbidding any applause or cheering.

After the performance which lasted an hour and a quarter, the sovereigns drove through the cheering crowds to supper at the Cecil Hotel.

Wedding gifts numbering over 100 and estimated as worth more than \$2,500,000, were inspected today by the British sovereigns, and the Duke and Duchess of Cumberland. The Kaiser's chief gift is a wonderful diamond tiara. The Kaiserin gave the trousseau and a pair of diamond earrings. The bridegroom's parents a magnificent diamond necklace. Queen Alexandra gave a diamond corsage ornament, with a large sapphire in the center. The King of Saxony sent a great Dresden centerpiece that is one hundred years old.

King George had intended giving an English automobile, but being reminded that the bridegroom's brother had been killed last year in an automobile he altered his gift at the last moment. There were also many gifts of a useful character, such as furniture, pictures, horses and carriages, etc.

It is stated by high authority that the bride pair will be proclaimed Duke and Duchess of Brunswick with-in a few days. They will spend their honeymoon at the Kaiser's hunting-lodge at Hubertstuck near Berlin.

SENATE PASSES HIGHWAYS BILL DESPITE GOVT.

Carries Important Amendment Over the Head of Speaker Landry.

Unique Incident in Canadian Parliamentary History—Showing Up Gov

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, May 23.—For the first time in Canadian parliamentary history, it is said, the Liberal majority in the Senate passed through the Upper House today on motion of the leader of the Opposition.

Because the Liberal majority insisted on incorporating in the highways bill an amendment insuring the operation of the principle enunciated by the Liberal majority in the Senate, which had really killed the bill.

The amendment inserted in the committee stage of the bill provided that the sum of money voted in any year to be expended for highways' improvements under this act, shall be apportioned to the several provinces in the proportion to the population of such province, respectively, as shown by the next preceding census.

The Speaker Overruled.

Today the issue was vigorously fought out in the Upper Chamber. The Liberal majority, led by Sir George Ross, overruled the decision of Speaker Landry that the third reading of the bill could only be moved by the Government leader.

Then they proceeded to pass the bill by a vote of 48 to 15, a majority of 27. The Commons will now have to consider the bill as amended.

Senator Loughheed made it plain that the Government would do as it did last year. The bill will be killed, but the country will know that the onus must be at the door of the Government and not with the Liberal majority in the Senate.

ENTICED GIRL

Hamilton Man Found Guilty of Serious Charge in Detroit.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Detroit, May 23.—Tried and found guilty on the charge of enticing a little girl to his room, Charles Smith, 29 years old, was sentenced to 20 days in jail today.

When he has completed this sentence, Smith will be re-arrested on several charges of larceny from Detroit stores.

Mrs. Gardner Better.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gardner, of Erie street, will be pleased to learn that Mrs. Gardner's condition has been greatly improved and her recovery is expected. She has been confined to Victoria Hospital for several weeks and her condition was such that the members of the family were called to her bedside.

KILLED HER LOVER AND THEN SUICIDED

Pretty Telephone Girl Was Crazy With Jealousy.

[Special to The Advertiser.] San Francisco, May 23.—Crazed by jealousy, Dolly Orr, a beautiful 19-year-old telephone girl, went to the jail of her sweetheart, John Morrison, 25 years old, this afternoon, and after firing three bullets through his body, turned the weapon upon herself, inflicting a fatal wound.

FATAL FIGHT OF FEUDISTS.

Merikold, Miss. May 23.—Two men were killed and four seriously wounded today in a free-for-all fight following a quarrel between Marlon Henry and John Law. Dead: Will McMullin and Jake McMullin, brothers.

POLICE HAVE ROUGH TIME HALING TWO TO STATION

For fighting in a Chinese restaurant on Dundas street two men were gathered in by the police about midnight Friday. Both men gave the officers considerable trouble in taking them to the station the older man jumping into a rig near the corner of Clarence street and attempting to make off. The other, who was a young

JEWISH RESIDENTS OF CITY TO DEMAND SEPARATE SCHOOL

Anxious That Children May Have Chance to Study Hebrew Language.

Jewish residents of London may inaugurate a movement for the establishment of Hebrew separate schools.

Mr. Joseph Fox is, among others, a leading advocate of the establishment of such schools. In the opinion of Mr. Fox, the Jews have quite as much right to divert their school taxes to the support of separate schools as the Roman Catholics.

The local Jews especially desire that their children shall be instructed in the Hebrew language. In England, children of the Jewish population are instructed in both English and Hebrew branches in schools largely supported by the benevolence of the Rothschild interests.

THREE THOUSAND MEN WILL GATHER FOR CAMP

Probable That the Manoeuvres Will Be Held at the Coves This Year.

The following militia units are to come to this city to attend the annual training camp on June 16: Twenty-Sixth Regiment (Middlesex), Twenty-Seventh (Lambton), Twenty-Eighth (Perth), Thirtieth Wellington Rifles; Thirty-Second (Bruce); Thirty-Third (Huron); First Hussars (London);

Twenty-Fourth Grey's Horse (Oxford), No. 1 Company (Canadian Army Service Corps (Guelph), under command of Major O'Brien; No. 16 Corps of London under Major Coles; Fourteenth Field Ambulance Corps of St. John's; and Fifteenth Corps of London, and detachments from the R. C. R. and Ordnance Corps of this city. The total strength will approximate from 2,500 to 3,000.

Carlisle's Heights will be the site of the camp, but it has not yet been decided where the manoeuvres will be carried out. It is probable that the Coves will be the place chosen.