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British Spokesmen Declare Question Must Be Settled At Present Conference.

PROGATION IS SOUGHT

Arrangements Being Considered To Replace Anglo-Japanese Pact.

Washington, Dec. 5.—(By Ben Dea, Staff Correspondent of the Canadian Press.)—In default of important developments in the Washington conference, the newspaper "experts" here are extremely busy today arranging imaginary settlements of a number of important questions.

The Anglo-Japanese alliance, which has been the subject of informal discussions in the conference for the past week, is still the focal point of public attention. Widely varying opinions regarding this question are expressed in today's press.

One Washington writer declares the abrogation of the alliance is one of the "prime objectives" of the United States delegation in regard to far eastern questions. He stated that from the United States point of view this is necessary to the full fruition of the conference.

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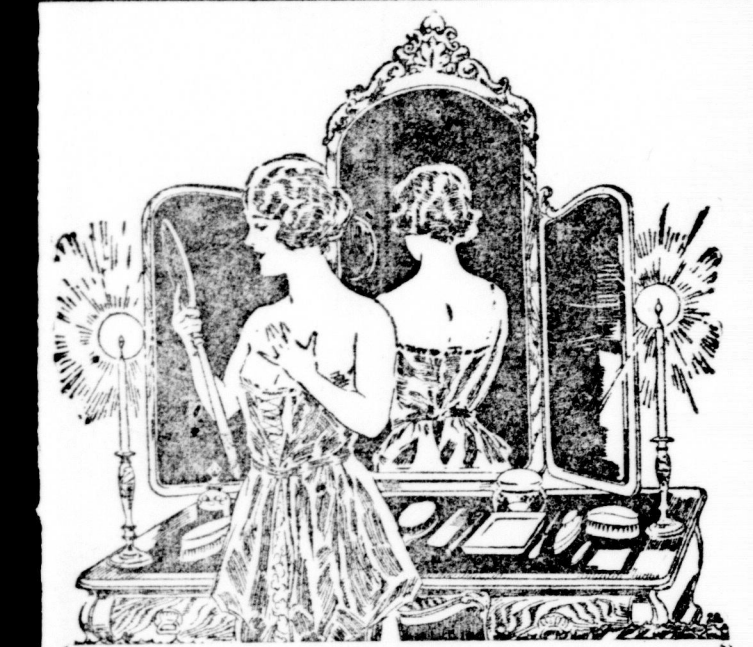
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DIES AFTER HE HELPS UNEARTH FRIEND'S BODY

James Quick, Central Avenue, Succumbs To Shock Beside Peter Donohue's Body.

One of the most tragic accidents in the history of the city occurred shortly after 5 o'clock Monday afternoon, when James G. Quick, 584 Central avenue, explored beside the dead body of Peter Donohue, whom he had helped dig from the corner of Central avenue and English street.

Mr. Quick, on quitting work at 5 o'clock on the construction of a house being erected by D. S. Murray, 591 King street, on the above mentioned corner lot, looked around for Mr. Donohue, who had been digging the sewer, and was horrified to see that there had been a cave-in and no sign of Donohue. He immediately called for Mr. Dodd, 448 King street, also working on the house, and grabbing shovels the men frantically started to remove the six feet of earth covering Mr. Donohue.

John Nutkins, 725 Central avenue; Joseph Creighton, 701 Central avenue, and H. Cassil, 713 Central avenue, who passed the corner soon after, all procured shovels and in ten minutes were able to lift the dead body of Donohue from the heavy earth that had suffocated him.

The body was carried to the sidewalk and gently laid down. Mr. Quick, whose heart had been weak for some time, followed, breathing heavily and fell to the sidewalk, dead. He had not stopped digging for an instant in his efforts to reach Donohue and died from the strain he had put forth to save his friend.

The remains of both men were removed to the undertaking establishment of George E. Logan, after Mrs. P. R. Clegg and Cameron Wilson had pronounced life extinct.

Coroner Dr. Robert Ferguson was notified and has ordered an inquest for Tuesday on the remains of Donohue. It was not until several hours later that the body of Donohue was identified. He is believed to be about 50 years of age, was unmarried, and was working with his brother on Ridout street. The latter left the city a few days ago for Detroit, and efforts are being made to get in touch with him.

Mr. Quick, who was 65 years of age, was well and popularly known throughout the city. For 32 years he was foreman for the late John J. Ford, and supervised the erection of many of the finest buildings in the city, including the Grand Opera House, the Dominion Savings Building, Masonic Temple, Normal School, Victoria Hospital and St. George's School.

Mr. Quick was a lifelong Liberal in politics and was a past grand of Chorazin No. 190, I.O.O.F., under whose direction the funeral will be conducted. He attended Dundas Centre Methodist Church.

He is survived by his widow, two sons, Charles and Gordon, both of this city, and three daughters, Minnie, Florence and Mrs. W. Binks, all at home.

The funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from his residence to Woodland Cemetery. The services will be conducted at 2 o'clock.

FOUR DOCTORS ON NEW CITY COUNCIL

The Mayor-Elect Has Good Backing of Professional Men.

The 1922 council of thirteen members will contain six professional men, four of them being physicians.

In taking over the reins of office about the middle of January, Dr. J. Cameron Wilson, mayor-elect, will be supported in the council by three fellow practitioners. Two of these represent Ward 2, Doctors Bean and Douglas. Dr. Holmes, the fourth doctor, will represent Ward 4. He previously sat for two years for Ward 1.

A. M. Judd, the third alderman for Ward 2, will give this area a solid representation of professional men, he being a lawyer, Dr. Cunningham, dentist, ex-alderman and chairman of the 1921 board of health, is the sixth professional man.

Grocers come next with two, J. T. May, ward one, and Gordon Drake, ward three. Ald. Drake will be on his eighth term as alderman.

The other four councilors are Ald. Ashton, street car conductor; Ald. H. B. Ashplant, accountant; Ald. B. F. Brighton, baker, and Ald. Fred Watkinson, builder.

There has been a slight change in the official figures, posted as called for by the statute by the city clerk at noon on Tuesday.

Ald. Holmes' total in ward four is 911, an increase of 18. W. J. Nutkins, also a candidate in the same ward, gained 10, but did not improve his standing, and Borden Campbell, for the board of education, gained 21.

Since the armistice the Krupps have taken out eight patents in France for new gun equipment and submarine periscopes.

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Will Install New Locks At County Jail

As a result of the inspection at the county jail Monday morning by W. W. Dunlop, inspector of prisons, and the jail committee of the county council, new locks will be installed throughout the institution by an expert locksmith from Belleville.

Doors will also be built between the two exercising yards of the men and that of the women.

Governor Dawson also recommended that an iron door with a grill be installed to take the place of the ordinary door used at present by officers bringing prisoners to the jail, and that it should be kept locked at night. This suggestion will be with the approval of the inspector, and will be carried out in the near future.

Other improvements of a drastic nature are under consideration at the present time.

REMANDS DOYLE ON THEFT CHARGE

Case of Man Accused of Stealing Overcoat Adjourned Till Monday.

James Doyle of Windsor was charged in police court Tuesday morning with stealing an overcoat from Wm. V. Stride, 125 York street, the case being remanded till next Monday by Deputy Magistrate P. H. Bartlett.

Stride stated that the coat was stolen from the hat rack of the Morkin House a week ago Sunday night. He saw Doyle on the street, in Windsor, last Friday, and had him arrested.

Doyle stated that he had met a man on Richmond street the same night the coat had been stolen and had bought it from him for \$5. He had arrived from the West the night before and had stopped over in London because hotel accommodation was cheaper here than in Toronto. He did not even know where the Morkin House was, and he had never been in trouble before.

The magistrate was inclined to give Doyle the benefit of the doubt, as he told the story in a straightforward manner, when the crown introduced the witness, Stanley Piper, who declared that he had seen Doyle eating his supper at the Morkin House on the night in question.

"He's got a nerve to stand up and say such a thing," said Doyle, addressing the court. "They are trying to frame me, sir."

"This last evidence puts a different complexion on the case," said the magistrate. "I will remand you till Monday," declared the court.

CONSIDER CHARGES AGAINST TRUSTEES

Last Meetings of Board of Education Devoted to Discussion of Irregularities.

Whether the board of education, at its regular session on Tuesday afternoon, will consider further the question of contracts for Collegiate Institute furnishings is problematical.

For some days the question of alleged irregularities in this and other respects has been threshed out to a certain degree, but the climax arose when at an open municipal meeting the charges were made by several citizens that a certain clique on the board was receiving most of the contracts.

The matter of electric lights in schools has also been discussed at considerable length, and the claim was made by Trustees J. B. Wright and Mrs. John I. A. Hunt that hydro lights, approved by No. 2 committee for the Wexley road school were subsequently removed without knowledge of all the members of the committee.

"Whether this matter will come up again is difficult to say," said Trustee Wright on Tuesday. "We considered this matter at our last committee meeting, and with the chairman, Trustee Harry Hayman, held that it was all a misunderstanding. It is nevertheless remarkable that Mrs. Hunt and myself could be so positive as to the identity of the hydro lights."

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

CROWN ATTORNEY J. B. McKillop, Judge J. C. Judd, Deputy Sheriff B. F. Watterworth and Squire W. H. Chittick are today selecting the jurors for the January assizes, which will commence Jan. 29, 1922.

THE WEEKLY REPORT of communicable diseases in London, as issued by Dr. W. S. Downham, M.O.H., is as follows: Chickenpox 11, diphtheria 4, scarlet fever 5, tuberculosis 3, whooping cough 3.

WITH COMMISSIONER ELECT Jared Vining and Commissioner Fred Mitchell both still confined to their homes through illness, it is improbable that the regular session of the public utilities board, postponed from last week, can be held this week as expected.

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COURT DISMISSES DISORDERLY CASE

Constable Testifies Accused Called Him "Whole Cheese."

Hassan and Company were fined \$2 and costs in police court Tuesday morning, for allowing garbage to stand on a public street.

"I want to keep the place clean. I like to do it," said Mr. Hassan. "Well, you had better do it," stated the court. "This garbage is likely to breed disease germs; you will have to get more cans."

A constable stated that Fred Hismar had been acting in a disorderly manner Monday night, on Richmond street, and had told him that because he had a uniform on he thought he was "the whole cheese."

Hismar denied that he was disorderly, and called a friend, Mr. Mulhall, to prove his statement.

"If the men that were with these men were drunk, as you say, why did they not arrest them?" inquired the magistrate of the constable.

"Because they were not drunk enough," was the reply. "The case is dismissed," declared Magistrate Bartlett, who criticized the officer for the arrest under the circumstances.

Frank Williams, when arraigned on the charge of stealing a baby buggy, the property of Jeremiah Coulson, pleaded not guilty, and was led away to the cells on remand.

He later appeared and changed his plea to guilty, but the remand still held good.

Gordon White and James Wench were both allowed out on suspended sentence. Last week they pleaded guilty to stealing a small quantity of coal from the Scott Chamberlain Company, and it was alleged they were selling it to another man. The court gave both boys a severe lecture.

IRISH TREATY IMPROVES TONE OF STOCK MARKET

London, Dec. 6.—The news of the Irish agreement was joyously received from the stock exchange, where the gilt-edged section, which recently had been more cheerful in tone, was given an added fillip by the Irish news.

Consols, war loans and Irish stocks benefited most from good investment buying, but the improvement also spread to other securities.

The better tone was assisted by the easier monetary situation, which now is regarded as conceivably admitting of an early reduction in the bank rate.

PROVISIONS

Liverpool, Dec. 6.—Hams—Short cut, 140s 6d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 94s; Wiltshire, 122s 6d; clear bellies, 107s; short clear bellies, 105s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, 67s 3d; American refined, in pails, 73s 6d.

Cheese—Canadian finest white, 105s 6d.

OILS

Liverpool, Dec. 6.—Turpentine Spirits—70s 6d.

Rosin—Common, 10s 6d.

Petroleum—Refined, 1s 4d.

War Kerosene—No. 2, 1s 5d.

NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, Dec. 6.—Wall Street, 10:30 a.m.—Shippings, oils and motor specialties were conspicuously strong at the opening of today's stock market.

Mercantile Marine preferred, Standard Oil of New Jersey, United States Rubber and Goodrich made gains ranging from large fractions to 1½ points. British exchange made no visible response to the reported settlement of the Irish situation, but German marks strengthened decidedly and Swiss francs rose to par, their highest quotation in almost two years.

2:30 p.m.—Business slackened at midday, traders then devoting their attention to the main points of the president's message, as issued by the news tickers. Many miscellaneous issues, especially chemicals and utilities, continued to strengthen, but steels, shipbuilding and leather showed losses of 1 to 2 points.

(Reported by Jones, Easton, McCallum Company for The Advertiser.)

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St. Paul, 21 1/2 21 1/2 21 1/2 21 1/2
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American Sugar, 54 1/2 54 1/2 54 1/2 54 1/2
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Inter. Paper, 11 1/2 11 1/2 11 1/2 11 1/2
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Chino Copper, 27 27 27 27
Inspiration, 37 1/2 37 1/2 37 1/2 37 1/2
Miami Copper, 25 25 25 25
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Oils—
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Crucible Steel, 64 1/2 64 1/2 64 1/2 64 1/2
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6 NEW ACTIONS AWAIT HEARING

Knollwood Park Resident Sues City Over Cost of Sewer.

Six more actions to be tried at the December sittings of the Supreme Court, which open at the Court House on December 12, were set down for trial Tuesday.

Henry Lawrence, of Mitchell, is suing Daniel Noy, of this city, to recover \$1,050 and interest from May 1, 1921, which he alleges to be due as a result of breach of contract by defendant of an obligation to pay off the plaintiff's liability under a certain mortgage given by the plaintiff to D. H. Tennent.

The defence alleges that Lawrence no right to claim any money from him.

Tennent and Tennent for plaintiff and W. C. Fitzgerald for defence.

Sues City of London.

James S. Hill on behalf of himself and other ratepayers, is suing the City of London. The plaintiff claims that the notice of intention to undertake the work was published in such a way as to mislead the ratepayers as to the cost which was asserted as \$2.98 per foot frontage under a certain mortgage given by the plaintiff to D. H. Tennent.

The line to be specially assessed was divided into two sections without the knowledge of the plaintiff or his associates and the form of notice, which was altered to show the rate per foot frontage of each section as required by the local improvement act.

He asks an order of the court declaring bylaw 5971 and assessment made in accordance therewith, invalid. The city declares that a petition was presented for the work, although it was not necessary. The work was not divided into two sections and the estimate published was an honest and true estimate of the cost.

J. M. Donahue for plaintiff, and T. G. Meredith for the city.

Seek To Recover House.

G. S. Geoghegan and C. R. Sumner are suing Frances B. and Charles E. Singleton to recover possession of house and premises known as 5 Gerrard street, city. They allege that the defendants are behind two months in their payments, thereby cancelling the agreement.

The defendant, Frances Singleton, in her statement of defence, states that owing to illness, payments could not be kept up, and that if the plaintiff is allowed possession of the house, she should be reimbursed for money expended less a reasonable amount for rent. It is also alleged that there was a connection as promised, and a counter-claim is made for costs.

Tennent & Tennent for plaintiffs, and J. W. G. Winnett for defence.

J. E. Dennis of this city asks for specific performance of an agreement with F. G. Poole of Windsor, involving the sale of two lots on William street to the plaintiff for \$4,200. The plaintiff claims \$150 paid by him with interest, and that the \$150 be declared as a lien upon the lands, and that the lands may be sold and the proceeds applied in the payment of the \$150.

The defendant claims that he did not enter into any agreement, and did not receive \$150.

Ivey, Elliott & Ivey for plaintiff, and Bayley & Bayley for defence.

Would Dispossess Tenants.

Harriet Buckle, executrix of the estate of the late Frances Hannah Buckle, alleges she is the owner of a house on Adelaide street, occupied by Margaret and Mary Ward for a number of years as monthly tenants. They were given notice to vacate the premises on July 31, 1921. The plaintiff asks possession of the house and \$50 mesne profits.

The defence claims that the work was done for the deceased on the understanding that the property was to become hers by will. Dressmaking had been done for the deceased for ten years in payment of the property, and the defendants claim a conveyance of the property as a counter-claim.

Bayley and Bayley for plaintiff, and McKillop and Douglas for defence.

Claims Personal Injuries.

Alice Van Leon is suing W. D. Christensen for unstated damages for personal injuries sustained when defendant's auto struck her on July 25, 1921, on Oxford street.

The defendant denies any negligence and asks that the action be dismissed.

J. W. G. Winnett for plaintiff, and Buchner and Ramsay for defence.

DEMANDS RECOUNT IN SECOND WARD

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In the city who had purchased property after May did not get a vote. There was also trouble over income tax voters. The roll of most of the wards was made out before the income tax list was prepared at all. There were some income taxpayers names on the list, but there was nowhere to find out where they were on.

In this latter regard, J. G. Richter is planning a scheme to have income taxpayers assessed at their home instead of where they work.

Ald. Ashton says that the matter will have to be straightened out some way. He asked the clerk who named the assessors.

The answer was that the assessment commissioner, Stephen Grant, and the mayor.

Record Vote Was Cast.

Mr. Ashton said that they would have a mayor for 1922 who might be depended on to act in the matter.

One of the returning officers in yesterday's contest ran into a new trouble. One of the voters decided that he wanted to take one of his ballots with him. The officer objected, and there was quite a squabble. Finally part of the man's vote was deposited and he went off with the other ballot.

According to the election act, the voter should have been disqualified. "That is the only punishment I can see laid down," said the clerk. "If there was any other I would certainly act."

"The vote out yesterday was the biggest vote in the history of the city," said City Clerk Baker. He expressed the opinion that the change in the date from New Year's was in a big measure responsible for the new interest in the contest.

Magistrate, in Christmas Mood, Lets Minor Offenders Go Free

Possibly because it was election day and possibly because the old Christmas spirit had waited its way into the Carling street court room, the magistrate allowed all and sundry vagrants who came before him Tuesday morning to wander out into the great outdoors as free men, with the exception of one colored youth by the name of LeRoy Washington, who claims Maryland as his home.