

BECK METHODS NOT PLEASING TO ALL DELEGATES

Ingersoll Mayor and Hamilton
Manager Voice Objections
to Laudatory Motion.

ASK INDEPENDENT PROBE

Not Satisfied With Clarkson
Hydro Audit—Also Want
Engineers to Take Look.

TORONTO, Nov. 27.—At a meeting of the executive of the Ontario Municipal Electric Association, held in the city hall today, Mayor Buchanan of Ingersoll, supported by L. E. Sifton, Hamilton, presented a resolution to the effect that the association request permission to appoint an independent auditor and engineer to investigate the books and affairs of the Provincial Hydro-Electric Commission and report back to the association.

"I am doing this," said Mr. Buchanan, "so that we can personally, as an association, refute the charges against hydro on the authority of our own investigation."

An amendment put by W. K. Sanderson of St. Thomas, that no action be taken until the Clarkson audit, made recently, be received and considered, was adopted.

There were only two votes for the original motion by Mayor Buchanan and Mr. Sifton.

Refuse Pat on Back.

The discussion started when Mayor Buchanan, who presided, submitted a motion of thanks to Sir Adam Beck, "for the splendid part played by the hydro during the war and in congratulating Sir Adam on his own efforts."

"Absolutely nothing doing," said Mr. Sifton.

Mayor Buchanan: "It is time we stopped congratulating and started a little criticism. I am willing to give credit to Sir Adam Beck for what he has done in the past, but I do not think he has acted quite right in the past two years. Manufacturers using hydro power are not pleased, and Sir Adam did not co-operate with Sir Henry Drayton as much as he should have done. I object to a man being told that he is a liar when he goes to the provincial commission. Sir Adam Beck seems to have come to the conclusion that he can put the opposition in any way he likes."

Mr. Pocock Satisfied.

Mr. Sanderson: "Sir Adam Beck has done well, and the hydro has done well during these war years."

Mr. Sifton: "I want to maintain the record of the hydro. It can only be honored by an independent auditor."

Philip Pocock, London, said he was satisfied with the Clarkson audit. "It refutes all the charges."

Mr. Sifton: "I am not satisfied with an audit alone. I want an independent investigation by an engineer as well."

Resolution passed.

Among the resolutions carried are:

"That this association carries itself on record as being in favor of all municipalities, commissions, and public service bodies giving preference in employment to the unemployed."

A motion that the Provincial Government be petitioned not to allow the Federal Government to allocate or claim any surplus waters of Ontario, as same are the property of the people of this province and should be retained for the benefit of the people to be administered by the Ontario Electric Power Commission of Ontario, was carried unanimously.

A suggestion that the publicity man should be appointed to let the public know what the association was doing was favorably received.

Col. Billy Bishop Honorary A.D.C. to Governor-General

OTTAWA, Nov. 27.—Lieut.-Col. William Bishop, M.C., Canadian Forces, has been appointed a honorary aide-de-camp of the governor-general.

114 German U-Boats Turned Over So Far

MAARWICH, England, Nov. 27.—Twenty-seven German submarines were surrendered today to the Allies. This brings the total of German U-boats turned over to 114.

BRITISH SEAMEN TO SERVE THANKSGIVING FEAST TO U. S. TARS

LONDON, Nov. 27.—Via Reuters.—The British admiralty has sent instructions to all bases directing that United States naval units be entertained on Thanksgiving Day, tomorrow. Crews of the five ships in the American battle squadron will be the guests of the men of the five British squadrons.

In London, Thanksgiving services will be held at St. Martin's Church, Trafalgar Square, and in Westminster Cathedral. Four hundred men from American units will have lunch at Albert Hall, an equal number of British seamen acting as hosts.

MONTREAL HERALD IN
HANDS OF RECEIVER

MONTREAL, Nov. 27.—The Herald today publishes the following:

"During the past four and a half years the newspaper of the world have been compelled to carry heavy burdens. The cost of every item of the administration has risen by leaps and bounds until the total cost has been for a long time, out of all proportion to the revenue. Hundreds of newspapers have suspended publication; hundreds of others have been merged with other journals."

"The Herald finds the increasing cost and the accumulated burden beyond endurance, and submitted to a receivership."

60 Times as Many Guns
Taken in Three Months
As Britain Had in 1914

LONDON, Nov. 28.—(Canadian Press dispatch from Reuters' Limited).—In the course of a second speech at Wolterhampton, Premier Lloyd George, referring to Britain's enormous industrial effort mentioned that the guns we had been using for the last 20 years were guns nobody ever dreamed would be taken except for siege purposes. He remembered how great soldiers had scoffed at the idea that such heavy guns could be dragged to battlefields. At the end of the war we had 200 times as many of these guns as we had at the beginning. We captured 60 times as many German guns in the last quarter as we possessed at the beginning of the war.

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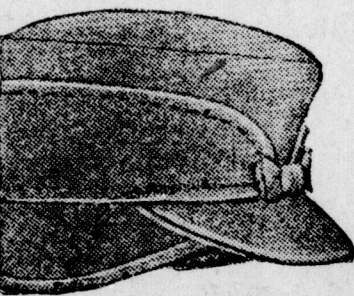
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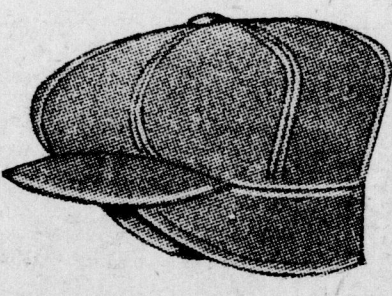


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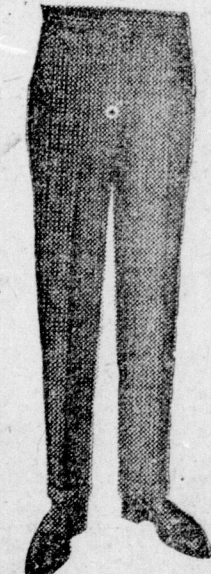
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