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VOTERS LIST COURTS TO REOPEN

ERNEST LAPOINTE TO RUN IN EAST QUEBEC AND MAY GET LAURIER'S MANTLE

(Special To The Record.)
Ottawa, Oct. 15.—The resignation of Ernest Lapointe as representative of Kamouraska in order that he may run as Liberal representative in East Quebec at the coming bye-election on the 27th, is regarded here as having considerable significance. In fact it is interpreted as foreshadowing a new and interesting alignment in the province of Quebec.

Mr. Lapointe has given up a seat which he has had since 1904 to contest a constituency which, at the outset, promised to have at least four candidates in the field. His acceptance of the nomination was however practically to limit the fight to two men, namely himself and Armand Lavigne, former lieutenant of Henri Bourassa, Nationalist leader. There is now no certainty that even Mr. Lavigne will be in the field when polling comes, for the elimination of Mr. Lapointe is the chief purpose of the fight.

Coupled with the definite announcement of Mr. Lapointe's intentions comes the rumor that Hon. Rudolph Lemieux, formerly

Wilfrid Laurier's first lieutenant in Quebec, who will in a few days leave for France to visit the grave of his son, will shortly retire altogether from public life and will accept a position as lecturer in Laval University.

The very fact that Mr. Lemieux held aloof from the contest in Quebec gives color of belief to that report. As a matter of fact since the death of his only son in action and the passing of Sir Wilfrid, his former leader, Mr. Lemieux has taken but a half-hearted interest in the affairs of the public.

It is to be noted also that Sir Lomer Gouin, Premier of the province, has apparently decided not to participate in the pending bye-election or to commit himself in any way on behalf of either of the candidates.

So the "young men" will fight it out. That the mantle of Sir Wilfrid Laurier as Federal leader in Quebec has fallen on the shoulders of Ernest Lapointe is unquestioned, if he secures election on the 27th. He will succeed the Chief as the representative in East Quebec, but he will also succeed him as Federal leader in the province.

NO NEEDY SOLDIER AND DEPENDENTS TO GO HUNGRY

UNDER PLAN OF SPECIAL
COMMITTEE

(Special To The Record.)
Ottawa, Oct. 15.—Behind closed doors the members of the special committee appointed to consider soldiers' civil readjustment are working out the report which they will submit to the commons.

Out of the mass of evidence, statistics and opinions addressed, the committee hopes to be able to make recommendations which may be calculated to further assist the returned soldier on return to civil life.

It may safely be predicted that no further system of gratuities, either along the lines suggested by the Gratiuity Association or the great war Veterans will be entertained in the report.

The principle will, however, be laid down that no soldier or his dependents shall be allowed to be in needy circumstances during the coming winter and it is probable that the creation of a fund on the lines of the patriotic fund, to be administered from the various centres, of the Dominion will be recommended.

Apart from this the committee will likely recommend as follows—

First—That Canadians who have served with the Imperials shall be granted the difference between the Imperial gratuity and the Canadian gratuity. This will include many men who were connected with the medical flying, engineering and other units.

Second—That grants be given to matriculated students who left for the war and who were thus unable to complete their university courses, such grants to be under the control of the government.

Third—That loans be extended to Medical men who had graduated just before the war and who as a consequence of their absence overseas now feel that need of a post-graduate course.

Fourth—That vocational training shall be extended in the case of certain trades, etc.

Fifth—That the insurance branch prepare an actuarial form of insurance which may be granted to disabled men not at present able to secure life insurance.

The committee should report this week.

VOTERS COURTS ARE TO BE REOPENED

TO HEAR APPEALS OF SOLDIERS
AND OTHERS

(Special To The Record.)
TORONTO, Oct. 15.—The possibility of a widespread opening of the Voters' Appeal Courts in Ontario for the benefit of soldier voters looms greater and greater. To-day Premier Hearst's secretary wired that courts in Lon-

don and Peterboro were to be reopened and it is expected that further developments will take place for a general reopening on Friday and Saturday.

Following complaints from all over Ontario the Ontario, the Command of the G.W.V.A. has been exercising its influence with the government to apply some remedial action to relieve the discontent which exists among a great number of returned soldiers, because of circumstances which deprive them of a vote. Secretary Turley, of the Ontario Command, stated today that he had been in touch with the prime minister through his secretary and expects some satisfactory results.

CAPITAL DEMANDS ARBITRATION

IN THE STEEL STRIKE DIS-
PUTE

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—Demands that organized labor's proposal for arbitration of the steel strike be made an immediate issue in the national Industry Conference was made today by the Capital group, through its chairman, Harry A. Wheeler.

Bernard M. Baruch, Chairman of the Public group, has proposed that action on steel resolution be postponed until Thursday.

OUTSIDER WON THE CZARWITCH STAKE

AT THE NEWMARKET RACES
TO-DAY

NEWMARKET, England, Oct. 5.—The running of the Czarwitsch Stakes here to-day furnished a sensation when an outsider Ivanhoe, owned by White, against whom the odds were twenty to one, took the event.

Golden Melody, owned by V. Stewart, was second, and Bridgman, owned by W. G. Riggs, was third. Nineteen horses started.

SOFT COAL MINERS INTEND STRIKING

DATE IS SET FOR OCTOBER 31

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Oct. 15.—A decrease of \$32,575,418 in the grand total of Canadian trade for the six month of the fiscal year, ending September 30, as compared with the same period in 1918, is shown by the monthly trades statement issued through the customs department.

Condition Favorable.
The condition of Mr. C. Kouba and Mrs. Herb Himburg, who were injured in the railway crossing accident on the holiday, who are in the hospital, is favorable.

TAX IS NOT FOR AVERAGE INVESTOR

Victory Bond issues of other years had a tax exempt clause which aroused considerable interest but for the great majority of investors it could have no material effect.

The forthcoming loan has not this tax exemption feature, but it must be firmly impressed that it is only the interest yield that is taxable.

Married people and people with dependents are not taxed on an income of less than \$2000. So it can be seen that the great majority of investors in these bonds will never know personally that the income from their bonds bears a tax.

The tax on bond income is only for rich men to think about.

POLES BEGIN WAR IN RIGA REGION

CAPTURE CITY OF KOVNO.

Stockholm, Oct. 15.—The Poles have begun an offensive against German-Russian forces in the Baltic region, according to a message received here from Riga. They are reported to have captured Kovno, six miles northwest of Vilna, near the Courland border.

Riga is in flames.

London, Oct. 15.—Part of Riga is burning owing to the bombardment of the city by German-Russian forces, according to a Central News dispatch from Helsinki.

DENIKIN'S FORCES MAKE BIG STRIDE

ALMOST WITHIN STRIKING DIS-
TANCE OF PETROGRAD.

London, Oct. 15.—With General Denikin's Cossack army advancing from the south and the northwestern Russian forces almost within striking distance of Petrograd, the Soviet government of Russia appears to be facing a crisis. Bolshevik headquarters at Petrograd were closed last Thursday, according to dispatches to the Daily Mail from Revel. The northwestern Russian army has apparently crashed through the Bolshevik lines over a wide front.

London General Denikin's anti-Bolshevik army has captured the important city of Orel, together with thousands of prisoners and enormous quantities of material. It was announced in advices received here today.

OREL IS AN IMPORTANT CAPTURE

LONDON, Oct. 15.—Two batteries of Bolshevik artillery fell into General Denikin's hands. While Orel is 230 miles south of Moscow, possession of the city will give General Denikin a secure hold on vast stretches of territory in old Russia, as the place is one of the most important railway centres south of the present Russian capital.

LONGSHORESMEN STRIKE BROKEN

MEN ARE RETURNING TO WORK.

New York, Oct. 15.—The strike of longshoremen and other harbor workers which has paralyzed port activities here for several days and threatened serious food shortage, was broken today when the ferry workers returned to work and 15,000 of the 80,000 longshoremen resumed their labors.

Union leaders predicted that by Friday all of longshoremen would be at work.

Ferry men at midnight unexpectedly decided to return immediately accepting with reservation governments compromise wage increase offer. Before dawn all ferries were plying Hudson as usual.

MANY PASSENGERS RESCUED FROM SHIP

WHICH TOOK FIRE IN MID-
OCEAN

(Special To The Record.)
NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—A wireless message was received today by local agents of French line from the captain of the steamer "Chicago," saying that he had on board 19 first class passengers, 18 second and 102 third, rescued from the Fabre liner Venezia, which was abandoned on fire in mid-ocean.

The Chicago also carries fifteen officers and 140 men of the crew of the Venezia, and 160 sacks of mail.

PARNEL OUT OF IT AT ST. CATHERINES

RACE BETWEEN LIBERAL AND
LABOR CANDIDATES.

(Special To The Record.)
St. Catharines, Oct. 15.—The singular situation has developed in this one time Tory hive of it being a straight fight between J. E. Masters, Liberal, and Frank Greenleaf, Independent Labor, with R. Parnell, Conservative, practically out of the race. This is the statement of Liberal members to-day.

Last night's Conservative meeting in the Grand Opera House, where Tory conclaves are always held, was the smallest on record, showing little interest in the fight on the part of Conservatives. Addresses were given by Bright-Gen. Ross, Senator Blain and Brig-Gen. King. The place was only half filled.

MUST DIE ON FRIDAY.

Regina, Oct. 15.—Dr. D. Jervais, V. Carmel and J. B. St. Germain, found guilty of murdering sheriff's officers Mr. Ray, Horsley and Lajoie at Sheep Creek were to have hanged September 17 but postponement of the death sentence was ordered and the latest instructions from Ottawa are that they must die on Friday, between 6 and 7 o'clock in the morning.

The Mississippi River Scenic Highway Association, which plans to build a tourist highway from Lake Itasca to New Orleans, will hold its annual meeting today at Memphis.



IN THE ONTARIO ELECTION RACE
—The winner picture is that of R. J. Soden, Conservative candidate in West Peterboro. Below, from left to right, are: J. M. Webster of Bridgen, U. F. O. and Labor standard-bearer in Tamiakaming. The lower picture is that of Peter Gardiner, who is opposing Mr. Webster, as Conservative candidate in West Lambton.

NEW OFFICERS ARE APPOINTED

At a meeting of the Directors of The News Record Limited, held at the offices, Mr. W. V. Uttley resigned as an officer of the Company. Mr. W. D. Euler, M.P., was appointed President, and Mr. W. J. Motz Treasurer and Managing Director.

On Thursday evening the Company is giving a Complimentary Banquet at Wagner's Hotel, Bridgeport, to Mr. Uttley, to which invitations have been extended to the Directors and staffs of the two amalgamated companies, The News Record Limited and Rittinger and Motz Limited, as well as to the master printers of the Twin City. Mr. Uttley is leaving at the end of the week for the South for the benefit of his health. His many friends wish him a pleasant holiday and a safe return home, ready for many more years of service in his profession.

EXTRAORDINARY INCREASE IN THE IMPORTATION OF HARMFUL DRUGS

LEADS TO GOVERNMENT
ACTION

(Special To The Record.)
OTTAWA, Oct. 15.—The extraordinary increase in the importation of narcotics including opium, morphine and cocaine has moved the government to action in the matter. Hon. N. W. Rowell, President of the Privy Council, is sponsor for a resolution now on the order paper which provides for the imposing of a maximum fine of a thousand dollars or one year in jail upon any person, who, without a license, imports into or exports from Canada "any cocaine or any of its salts or preparations or any opium or its preparations or any opium salts or its salts or preparations."

In conclusion, after pointing out flaws in the United States system of government including the professional politician, in elections for petty offices, as compared to the Canadian system where there are no such professional politicians. (Continued on Page Two)

A BIG MEETING HELD IN LINWOOD

ALD. ASMUSSEN AND OTHERS
SPOKE

At a new Germany This Evening a big meeting in the interests of Ald. N. Assmusen, the Independent Liberal candidate, was held in Linwood last evening. The attendance was large, being bigger than at any meeting held by any candidate in that district.

Mr. Louis Heimler occupied the chair.

Addresses were delivered by Mr. George Schnarr, Dr. Schnarr and Mr. W. D. Euler, M.P. All the addresses were well received. The enthusiasm that prevailed, with the large attendance, can be considered as being indicative of a clean sweep in the riding as a whole.

This evening the candidate holds a meeting in New Germany. On Thursday evening Waterloo is the place and the windup will come on Friday when Elmira electors will have the opportunity of turning out to hear the issues discussed from the Independent Liberal candidate's platform.

In connection with the meetings held in Bamberg and Wellesley on Monday evening, a slight error occurred in yesterday's report. Mr. W. D. Euler, M.P., was among the speakers. It was wrongly stated that Ald. H. M. Bowman spoke. At Wellesley Mr. Ottman was the chairman and at Bamberg, Mr. Geiger filled the office.

MEETING HELD BY REFORM ASSO.

IN IMPERIAL THEATRE LAST
EVENING

A meeting in the interests of the candidate of the North Waterloo Reform Association, Mr. Walter J. Snider, was held in the Imperial theatre last evening.

The proceedings were opened with moving pictures. Later in the evening addresses were delivered.

Mr. W. Downing acted as chairman. The speakers were Messrs. E. W. Clement, Capt. D. G. McIntosh, Mr. Snider, and Mr. C. M. Bowman, M.P., P. of Southampton.

Others on the platform were Mr. S. Hallman of Waterloo; E. W. B. Snider, Dr. J. F. Honsberger, J. B. Weaver, Julius Roos of Waterloo; L. Master, P. Sims of Toronto, and others.

Mr. Clement eulogized the Liberal party claiming that all reforms of the present administration had originated in the ideas of the Liberals. He deemed the breaking away of some of the Liberals and their stand in putting up other party men as acts of ingratitude.

Coming to the Independent Liberal candidate, Ald. Assmusen, he said he had never heard of him having been a Liberal or given any support to the Liberals, looking back ten years or so, a far he could remember.

In conclusion, after pointing out flaws in the United States system of government including the professional politician, in elections for petty offices, as compared to the Canadian system where there are no such professional politicians. (Continued on Page Two)

DRAYTON ACTIVE KINGSTON RIDING

BORN THERE IN 1869

KINGSTON, Oct. 15.—Sir Henry Drayton, Unionist candidate for Kingston in the coming bye-elections, yesterday afternoon addressed the employees in several of the city's large industries about the Victory Loan. Kingston is interested in the fact that the Finance Minister was born in Tete de Pont barracks here in 1869, the son of an army officer. Sir Henry after a trip over Kingston harbor this morning is now in a position to advance this city's advantages to being created the east terminal for the grain shipping trade.

SAMUEL GOMPERS IS SERIOUSLY ILL

SUFFERING FROM NERVOUS
BREAKDOWN

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—Samuel Gompers, president of American Federation of Labor, was reported today by labor leaders to be suffering from a nervous breakdown. He is confined to bed, with a temperature of 101 degrees.

The special session of the Colorado legislature called by Governor Shoup to meet today to act on the Federal suffrage amendment has been postponed until next month.

A STRONG PERSONNEL FOR THE COMING V.L. CAMPAIGN

Local Victory Loan Organisation Complete and Plans Well Under Way. Every Dollar Raised Will Be Spent in Canada.

Local Victory Loan Organisation Complete and Plans Well Under Way. Every Dollar Raised Will Be Spent in Canada. Citizens of North Waterloo will again have an opportunity of buying Victory Bonds. As the day of the great nation wide campaign draws near we find in our midst a very complete organization such as was responsible for the overwhelming success of last year's campaign in North Waterloo. To head up this organization there is the Chairman of last year, Mr. Geo. C. H. Lang, who is the dynamic behind the activities of all the various sub-committees and who is ably supported by Mr. H. M. Snyder of Waterloo and Mr. A. R. Kaufman of Kitchener, as Vice-Chairmen, both of whose assistance in the forthcoming Campaign is greatly appreciated.

Mr. Thos. Hilliard of Waterloo is Chairman of a very large Honorary Committee of prominent men throughout the country in the local unit, whose duties are to boost the loan in their local communities.

Mr. Chas. Ruby and his committee will again this year handle all large subscriptions of \$25,000 and over on which no commission is paid and the force of this committee has already been felt in some very substantial subscriptions have already been promised by the industries and institutions in Kitchener and Waterloo and throughout the unit.

Mr. August Lang is Chairman of the Sales Committee in charge of the work of selecting canvassers, supervising of canvassing in the various eight districts. In this connection nearly all the canvassers have been appointed in the urban centres and the country and the townships should be well manned by the end of the present week.

North Waterloo is fortunate in having Mr. N. M. Davison head a large committee of representative business men throughout the unit which handles the interior organization of factories and institutions. The excellent results obtained last year from the employees of North Waterloo were most gratifying and there is no doubt that this year when taking

into consideration the increased prosperity and greater production that even a greater sum may be rolled up to the credit of the employees in all Kitchener's and Waterloo's prosperous industries.

The publicity committee is in the hands of Mr. Henry Nyberg and have well in hand the work of county-wide distribution of publicity material such as posters, pamphlets, leaflets, educational matter together with a series of public meeting throughout the county, which work is in the hands of Mr. G. O. Phillip. The immense amount of matter that passes through this committee's hands is truly a credit in itself.

J. P. Scully is Chairman of a large Committee known as the "Names Committee" and their work of preparing lists of prospective Bond buyers is such that will undoubtedly produce excellent results when the campaign is over.

Mr. A. Lookhart is taking care of the transportation committee. This year and will see that all speakers and deputations have adequate transportation requirements.

The various committees described above embody the most active and prominent men in the district. When the gun is fired on Monday, October 27th, North Waterloo will again show its good business principles in subscribing to the limit and obtaining their objective which will entitle them to the Prince of Wales Honor Flag, a beautiful emblem of which the Prince of Wales' crest appears.

There are altogether eight canvassing units to be covered by some fifty canvassers. This small army will devote its entire time to obtaining subscriptions for the ensuing three weeks. Not a farmer, employee, business man or manufacturer will be overlooked in the fine tooth combing that these aggressive men have taken upon their shoulders to do.

The objective for North Waterloo is comparatively easy, as last year and taking into consideration the prosperity that the district has experienced in the last twelve months it should be a simple matter to reach and pass this objective long before the campaign closes.

NEED OF NEW TECHNICAL SCHOOL VERY APPARENT

529 Students Crowd Collegiate at Evening Classes. And More
Are Still To Come.

THE GROWTH OF COURSES.

The necessity of an occupational school in this city was never more apparent than it was last evening at the opening of the evening industrial classes at the collegiate institute. 529 persons, more than double the number who attended the classes last year, sought admission. This number is not the limit as yet, for at the next classes an additional quota will be present if it is expected.

The situation was such that the staff of instructors had difficulty in placing the students. Lack of ample accommodation is being experienced. The difficulty has been aggravated by the forced removal of the sewing classes from Victoria school to the Collegiate.

The courses provided and the number of students attending the first classes are as follows:—

Electricity, 44.—A practical course is given illustrated by apparatus in present day use. A special feature—advanced work for men in the trade; Drawing, 24.—Mechanical and Free-hand, Elementary and advanced—Instruction individual; Woodworking, 14.—Including cabinet making and the making and reading of the associated Blue Prints; Chemistry and Physics, 11.—An elementary course leading up to the application of Chemistry to In-

dustrial work—Individual Laboratory instruction is given: Workshop Mathematics, 11.—From Elementary steps to the various mathematical formulas required in construction; Commercial Arithmetic, 20.—As required in business transactions; Bookkeeping, 10; Clay Modelling, 7.—Advanced and Elementary—Instruction individual; English, 24.—Practical and business English; Shorthand, 27.—Pitman's System as authorized by the Department of Education; Typewriting, 30.—The Touch System is taught. Classes limited to 14 students; Household Science, 11.—Including a complete course in Cooking and Sewing; Basketry, 8.—Includes all forms of reed work. Preference is given to beginners; Dressmaking, 81.—A complete course. Preference given to those who have had not more than one year's instruction; Millinery, 19.—Covers all grades and classes of ladies' hats; Wood Carving, 4.—For furniture decoration; Stationary Engineering, 4.—A practical and helpful course, by an experienced man. As announced some time ago the Advisory Industrial Committee has added more subjects this year, which promise to receive patronage sufficient to warrant keeping them on the to the application of Chemistry to In-

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GRIMSBY LIQUOR MAKER COMMITTED

FOR TRIAL ON CHARGE OF OPER-
ATING A STILL.

(Special To The Record.)
St. Catharines Oct. 15.—The Grimsby farmer, Fred St. John, accused of keeping a big whisky still still at his home in Grimsby yesterday afternoon was committed for trial by Magistrate Kidd of Grimsby. He will likely have his trial before County Judge Campbell here. His bail of \$2000 being renewed.

The authorities have not yet been able to find the whereabouts of the two other men concerned in this affair.

The annual meeting of the Methodist Woman's Home Missionary Society will open its sessions today in Detroit.

AN INTERESTING WAGER
Among the wagers on the election results in this riding, which are indicative of the speculation with the public, is that made by a Waterloo business man. This is \$300 to \$100 that the Independent Liberal candidate, Ald. Assmusen, will win. The wager was taken up by another business man in that town.

CALL TO DEPUTY RETURNING OFFICERS

All deputy returning officers in the city are asked to be at the City Hall at 8 o'clock Friday evening to receive final instructions for election day.

The International Exposition of Municipal Equipment, a permanent display to illustrate modern municipal development, will be opened today in the Grand Central Palace, New York City.