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## BY A VOTE OF 60 TO 21

Legislature Declares Mr. Gagey Was Unfairly Dealt With.

Resolution of Thanks to the Judges, Passed by Ross Majority, Expunged From Session's Records — Mr. Gagey Makes a Moderate Speech and is Commended by Mr. Harcourt and the Premier.

Toronto, May 11.—The resolution passed by the Legislature on June 26, censuring R. R. Gagey and praising the work of the judges who heard his bribery charges, will be expunged from the records. By a vote of 60 to 21, the Legislature decided yesterday that it was entitled to this.

Mr. Gagey made a speech, moderate in tone, but forceful in argument, calling forth commendations from Mr. Harcourt and Mr. Whitney. He spoke briefly, and was frequently applauded. The opposition sentiment was voiced into some of the cases in England, where resolutions of the House of Commons had been expunged, but which he said were not on all fours with the present case. He pleaded for the two judges who investigated Mr. Gagey's charges, and asked that they be spared such an indignity. To this Mr. Whitney very forcibly replied that Mr. Gagey should be considered. Reading a few extracts from the judges' report, he showed that they were absolutely untrue in their statements. It was never too late to right a wrong, and he would give his vote on the resolution with great pleasure. The vote was:

The Division List.  
Yeas—Whitney, Foy, Matheson, Pyne, Reame, Monieith, Hanna, Willoughby, Hendrie, Crawford, H. Carscallen, Hoyle, Gagey, Macdormid, Downey, Jessop, Fox, Bradburn, H. Kerr, T. G. Carscallen, Lucas, Little, Duff, Carnegie, Jamieson, Morrison, Brower, Tucker, Kidd, Lackner, Dunlop, Mahaffey, Pearce, Craig, Aubin, Lamarche, Neely, J. J. Preston, Dr. Preston, Gallagher, Lennox, Devitt, Bowyer, Ferguson, Nixon, Smellie, Dargavel, Pratt, Paul, McCowan, Galton, Montgomery, Clapp, Fraser, Lewis, Torrance.

Nays—Ross, Harcourt, Graham, Mackay, T. H. Preston, Fennie, Auld, Munro, Atkinson, R. A. Thompson, Hislop, McDougall, May, Racine, Labrosse, McMillan, Kennedy, Rathbun, McNeil, Kohler, Reed, 21.

The following paired: Calder and Sam Clarke, McGarry and Cameron, Pattinson and Tudhope, Beck and John Smith, Ellier and Bowman, Clark and Anderson, Hodgins and Currie.

Mr. Nesbitt, Mr. Gagey's deskmate, it is said to have been not in the House, and was not present. N. Smith of the Soo left his seat and watched the division from the press gallery. He had no pair. It would have hurt his feelings to vote against his friend.

Mr. Gagey's Speech.  
When Mr. Gagey rose, some enthusiastic ladies clapped their hands. Gagey asked that the clerk read the resolution passed by the Legislature on June 26, 1903. He then moved the following resolution:

"That the record of this House, passed on the 26th day of June, 1903, adopting the report of the committee on the charges of bribery set forth in the statement made to the House of March by Robert R. Gagey, member-elect for the District of Manitoulin, thanking the commissioners for their just and impartial conduct in the matters referred to them and regretting that it has become the duty of the House to place on record an expression of disapproval of the conduct of the member for Manitoulin in connection with the matters forming the subject of the investigation, be rescinded and expunged from the journals of the House."

For some time, he said, he had considered whether it was necessary to bring before the House a resolution of this kind, and he came to the conclusion that it was due to him and his family that something should be done. He had been placed in a position quite satisfactory to himself, so far as the country was concerned, but there was the record, which was in accord with the verdict of the people. He believed he secured a vindication from the people of Ontario on Jan. 25 last, when he went through the Province and addressed about 95 meetings. Both sides discussed the merits and demerits of the case, and considering the verdict of the people he could be excused from dealing with the report of the judges in full. In the Muskoka bye-election, a case was discussed very fully, and though a supporter of the then Government had been returned at the general election, an opponent of that Government was returned by a large majority at the bye-election. Mr. Gagey then referred to the North Renfrew bye-election and to the reluctance of the Government to make a general appeal to the people. When the election was brought on, the Government sustained "the most remarkable defeat that has ever overtaken any political party in the province."

It was only proper, he said, to ask the Legislature to do what the great majority of the people of Ontario desired them to do.

Just One Instance.  
He gave one particular instance of the unfairness and incorrectness of the report of the judges, which was the statement that he deposited \$300 in the Ontario Bank on a certain date. It was an absolute falsehood. The Government must have known that these statements were untrue, and he asked if we had come to it that a Government should place on the records of the House statements they knew to be false.

The people of his own constituency knew the nature of the charges made, and the nature of the judges' report, and what was the result? On Jan. 25 he was re-elected by a much larger majority than he was in 1902. In Gore Bay, in the election of 1902, he received a majority of 14. On Jan. 25, in his own home, though he had not the opportunity to look after his canvass, out of a total vote of 159 the Liberal candidate received only 35. The people of his constituency had endorsed him fully, and it was only right the motion should be allowed to pass.

Vindication Brought Joy.  
"All I ask is to give me," said Mr. Gagey, "for the benefit of myself and family in the future, what the whole Province of Ontario seem to me to say I should have. On the 26th of January, though the defeat of the Government may have been pleasing to thousands of Independent Liberals, as well as Conservatives, no man felt the same feeling of satisfaction that I felt when the returns began to come in. When I heard of South Ontario, East Wellington, Centre of the Province, North York, East York and other constituencies, I thought to myself I am getting even with the men, who with two judges without human hearts, attempted to destroy me. There could be nothing more satisfactory to me. When I thought of the leader of the late Government, I thought he must realize that fair-play and decency are the best manner in which to conduct the Government."

Has More Evidence.  
"If the opposition desires any further evidence, I have it. If they desire to go into the case more particularly I can do it. I'm not going to wear the House with further evidence which I have in my pocket, but if the opposition desires it I can assure them that it will be as creditable to the old Government. I will be glad if the members of this House will vote on this question without reference to their party associations, because this motion does not emanate from the Government. I offer this motion on its merits, and ask only that justice shall be done to myself."

Mr. Harcourt.  
Mr. Harcourt remarked that no member desired, or expected, the decision of the case should be discussed. The episode was one of, if not the, most regrettable in the history of the House, except the bribery case of 1884. The motion, Mr. Gagey had said, was unusual, therefore he thought it should be approached with great caution to avoid a bad precedent. He referred to a couple of British cases, showing how unusual a case it was. Whatever the House might see fit to do, it was beyond the power of the House to obliterate the doings of the House, though he might nominally do so.

Mr. Harcourt referred to the high and peculiar position of the judges. "It is," he said, "not right they should be dragged into the political arena." Here the Government benches were most vigorously and decisively pounded by the members.

The Only Inference.  
If the motion prevailed the House refused to thank the judges for their report. Then the only inference was their conduct was unjust. The duty of defending the judiciary was upon the shoulders of the Legislature, and by their votes they should them. If the judges were guilty, impartially they should be impeached; so that if any member voted for Mr. Gagey's motion they should pledge themselves to take this serious responsibility.

Who rather than the Attorney-General, should uphold the judiciary? Mr. Harcourt said he had addressed many meetings since June 26, 1903, and on no occasion did he refer to this regrettable incident. He refrained from discussing it, because there were issues enough.

He then came to the question: Were the commissioners warranted in coming to the conclusion they did? Here he branched off to say that the last speaker had led them to the conclusion that the last campaign was not a Whitney-led campaign.

Not Parallel.  
Mr. Harcourt proceeded to quote the nearest precedents, although he claimed there was no exact parallel. There was the Wilkes case in England, in which the reversal motion was carried eleven years after the member was expelled. There was also the Bradlaugh case in England and the William Lyon Mackenzie case in Canada, to which Mr. Harcourt alluded.

Summing up he said the finding of the judges was just and impartial, the investigation thorough and the finding such as to warrant the vote of censure. The House "regretted" that it was compelled to pass the vote. There was no harshness in it. What useful purpose could be gained by the excluding of the record? It was a fact of history, and could not be obliterated from the memory. It looked childish to strike from the records a fact that could not be obliterated.

The Premier.  
In closing the debate the Premier said the speech of Mr. Harcourt was remarkable. From a to z of the speech, Mr. Harcourt had not dared to take the House into his confidence in regard to the merits of the case. He desired to congratulate Mr. Gagey on the marked fairness and moderation of his remarks.

Mr. Whitney commented on the remark of Mr. Harcourt that he had not referred to the Gagey case in his hustings, and he invited him now to discuss the merits of the case.

Richard's Verdict.  
Mr. Harcourt had not been able to conceal the sting and venom of his remarks by saying that he (Mr. Whitney) was not the leader of the Government. Mr. Harcourt had intended to find a safe resting and hiding place under the robes of the judiciary. The members of the late Government were the last men who should dare to say that any doubt was being thrown upon the dignity of the judiciary. The Conservative party had pleaded with the Government not to besmirch the judiciary and when these pleadings were of no avail these men, who are now the champions of the judiciary, sat down in council and succeeded in degrading the judiciary.

Mr. Harcourt had referred to the bribery case of 1884. "And I suspect that no hon. gentleman was so close to that case as the hon. gentleman who has just taken his seat."

Like Horatius.  
Mr. Gagey had fought the case like a man, singly and alone; and it with a legion of perjurers and scoundrels who followed him around caused him to slip a little. Is it any wonder that

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Teumseh, from present appearances, will be a fast aggregation this year and every effort is made to keep the standard of play fully up to what it was last evening on Tecumseh Park, those who are here are gradually rounding into shape.

## BASEBALL WEDNESDAY.

The Eastern League.  
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Mr. Gagey had not consulted the Premier with reference to his motion. He had put it on the order paper and then told the speaker what he had done; and he had assured Gagey of his hearty support.

Mr. Whitney did not know any vote he had given with more heartiness than the one he would give to render justice to the man who, single-handed and alone, stood for weeks and months wickedness gathered in one last unsuccessful attempt to keep in power the party of the hon. gentleman who had just sat down.

## WORLD OF SPORT

LAORUSSE

The Chippewa Lacrosse team are out working hard every evening, and good results are expected here on May 24th, when they play Dresden on Tecumseh Park.

All members of last year's Bagle Band team and all interested in seeing Chatham and a junior C. L. A. team are asked to attend a meeting at the Garner House to-night at 8 o'clock sharp. Business of importance is to be brought up.

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