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Turks Will Demand Use of Straits For Transport of Troops

THE CORSICAN IS REQUISITIONED AS TROOP SHIP

London, Sept. 27.—(Canadian Press.) The British government yesterday requisitioned the British-Indian steamer *Messia* and the Canadian Pacific steamship *Corsican* as transports to cover military detachments to the Near East.

The Corsican is well known in the St. John winter port work.

WHAT IT COSTS TO RUN SCHOOLS

Report Submitted to Meeting of Commissioners.

Takes a Large Portion of the Taxes—Street Work Field Day—Tenders for Cloth—Building Law Matters are Discussed.

At a meeting of the common council this morning with all the commissioners present excepting Commissioner Bullock, the report of the committee of the whole was received and adopted with the exception of a section dealing with the recommendation that the department of public works be instructed to have a 10 day's work a day when a culvert under the second bridge in the Ashburn road at an estimated cost of \$724, to be paid for by bond issue and that the work and estimate of cost be approved. This was laid over until next week.

The report of the finance committee of the board of school trustees was read by the clerk and was as follows:

St. John, N. B., Sept. 22
To His Worship The Mayor and Members of the Common Council of the City of Saint John.

Gentlemen—I have the honor to present my annual report upon the books, accounts and finance of the Board of School Trustees of the City of St. John. I audited the books and accounts for the year ended June 30 last. The statement of assets and liabilities signed by me, which is now handed to you, was correctly prepared from the books of the trustees and in my opinion represents their position of June 30 last.

Statements of receipts and expenditures (capital and current accounts) signed by me, are also presented and show the sources of the board's income and for what the expenditures were made. These were proved respectively. All expenditures were reasonable. The bonded debt on June 30, last, was \$903,50. Debentures to the amount of \$16,500 matured during the year which, with \$21,500 that matured the previous year, in all \$38,000, were re-issued as redemptions for twenty-five years at six per cent. interest. Debentures to the amount of \$157,000 were issued for Lorne School and other capital work at twenty-five years expiry at six per cent. interest.

The interest on overdrawn account paid Bank of Nova Scotia was \$1,502.50.

All repairs to buildings and furniture were \$47,382.71. The coal for heating the schools for the year cost \$45,457.29.

The amount paid out for teachers' salaries was \$260,942.95; and that for students for June was \$212,18.90.

I handed the securities held for the sinking fund and as follows, viz:

Invested in bonds (face value \$90,000) \$82,459.70

Cash in Bank of Nova Scotia \$1,502.50

"Special Act." \$97,364.95

These bonds are in safety deposit box at their bankers.

It is a pleasure to see this fund grow, as it was unknown prior to the year 1908. All debentures issued since that date have carried amortization.

I handed the securities held for Parke's Medal Trust and found them correct.

The board carries fire insurance on buildings and furniture to the amount of \$325,500.

A blank policy on boilers was also carried to the amount of \$10,000.

Respectfully submitted

ADAM P. MACINTYRE, C. A.

City Comptroller

Commissioner Thorneys noted that the report was correct and that he thought that the report should be published and Commissioner Frink agreed with him in this saying that few people realized that, in round figures, \$500,000 of the taxes went to the schools.

The mayor said that he could like the press to publish the report as he thought that the public should find them correct.

Commissioner Frink said that a great deal of credit was due the comptroller for the efficient way he had handled the sinking fund.

Street Matters.

A communication was read from residents of Manners-Sutten street, off the Millidgeville road leading along the shore, asking that repairs be effected to the road and that trees be taken over by the city.

It was agreed that the letter which both

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Insist on This Before Entering Peace Conference

HOMERS SO FAR NUMBER 1,028

Nearly 100 More Than in Big Leagues Last Year

Nehf Comes Into Form to Aid Giants in World Series—Yankees Need One Game from Boston to Win Pennant.

(Canadian Press.)

New York, Sept. 27.—Free from pennant worries after one of the most strenuous campaigns in their career, the New York Giants wound up the battle against western opposition by taking the final game of the series from the St. Louis Cardinals, 6 to 8, behind Neff, who steady two runs.

It was the 10th defeat in four games for the Cards, who lost to St. Louis and showed them back for fourth place, while Cincinnati, trouncing Philadelphia, 15 to 8, climbed to the third position.

Indication that Nehf has practically recovered from the effects of a foot injury which checked his effectiveness earlier in the season was regarded as an important factor in the Giants' world series chances. The southpaw held the heavy-hitting Cardinals in check in all but two innings and exhibited perfect control.

Neff, although beaten twice by Hoyt of the Yankees in last year's series, twirled brilliantly both times, and in his third start turned in a decided victory by outpitching Hoyt in the eighth game, 1 to 0.

The Giants will play a double header today with Philadelphia at the Polo Grounds, and McGraw plans to call on his reserve forces after giving the regulars a brief workout.

The Yankees, within sight of the pennant, hope to settle the race beyond all doubt by winning from Boston tomorrow in the first of a three-game series with the Red Sox. They hold a lead of three and a half games over St. Louis, and will need four more contests to play need only a single victory to eliminate the mathematical uncertainty yet existing.

Dazzy Vance achieved his eighteenth victory of the season, while the Dodgers pounded out 10 hits in a 10-5 win, in the only other major league game played yesterday.

Nine home runs in the three games played brought the season's total for both leagues to 1,028, close to 100 more than last year's record crop of 987 circuit blows.

Garfield Tebo, eighteen, convicted slayer of Waters Hutchins, a farmer of Rockville, Dugby county, Aug. 4 last, was this morning sentenced by Justice Davies Humphrey and A. Dodge Lanigan to 10 years.

Mrs. Schmidt, mother of the bride, was held in suspense by the church authorities as to whether she would be allowed to attend the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Enman left later in the day for St. Andrews and after arriving in Halifax, N. S., will travel to Toronto by way of the United States.

They will make their home in Rose Dale, Toronto. Going away the bride wore a traveling suit of brown tweed with mink fur and brown beaver hat. Among those attending the wedding were the bride assisted by her mother, Mrs. Enman and Miss Morrison and Mrs. Skinner, the bridesmaids.

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