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SACHEL OF THE SATELLITE

The jailer's uniform will soon fit John Davidson.

Why is the B. Mistake knocking that proposed new Liberal paper?

That electric road is again being talked about. Talk has failed to build it on several occasions.

The B. Mistake is the only one exhibiting any worry over that new paper. You know what that means.

So was some color the giftie give us, to see ourselves as it were, in the B. Mistake.

To the City Aldermen—You can't expect the Harrison Hall that you must upon the waters yesterday to come back as a market to-morrow.

The "Satellite" is a green pumpkin. The B. Mistake.

In that case, I'll do for a 17th of March decoration.

That market is apparently to be built by special Council meetings.

Now the B. Mistake is busy trying to square things with P. O. Tom Groves.

MADE A DATE.

W. H. Robinson was rather excited last week, apparently. Before leaving, he tucked a notice on his door. "Out of the city, will be back Thursday, the 30th." Thursday is March 2nd.

"The News has every proof that the Liberals of this riding feel that never before have their interests been looked after so well as they are at the present time" by the Daily News and the Weekly Banner-News. The B. Mistake. That is probably why George Stephens, ex-M.P., found occasion publicly and A. B. McCoig, M. P., found the opportunity privately to properly comb the B. Mistake.

GOOD TOBACCO

Herbert S. Clements M. P., Pays Parliamentary Tribute to the Production of Kent and Essex.

The following discussion of the tobacco raising interests is clipped from the Globe's parliamentary reports of Saturday:

In Committee of Supply the estimates for the Excise Department were considered.

Hon. Mr. Brodeur stated, in reply to questions, that the tobacco industry was growing in importance.

Mr. Henderson suggested that if the flavor of the Canadian tobacco could be improved there would be a corresponding increase in the consumption of that article, and that of the imported would be reduced. He could not see any reason why Canadian tobacco, grown in practically the same climate, should not have as fine a flavor as the American tobacco, and suggested that the difficulty must be the result of the curing. The Minister should utilize the expert knowledge at his disposal by devising an improved method of curing the leaf.

Mr. Clements assured Mr. Henderson that Kent and Essex counties produce tobacco equal to any produced by the United States.

Hon. Mr. Brodeur assured the House that the Government were desirous of doing everything possible to foster and encourage the most important industry of tobacco culture. He realized that we could produce an article of excellent quality, and could not see why the Canadian leaf should not be used instead of the foreign. While the leaf may not perhaps look as nice, there was no reason why cut and chewing should not be composed entirely of Canadian leaf. He thought the preference for the imported article was largely a matter of prejudice. Experts have been sent by the Government to investigate the methods adopted in

BILL RAMO IS RELEASED

Tried on Several Charges of Burglary—the Crown Didn't Press the Prosecution.

It was Thought Ramo Should Have a Chance and He Was Given It.

William Ramo was given another chance to-day. O. L. Lewis pleaded for him and had his plea heeded. Mr. Lewis urged that Ramo had already served a term of 23 months. He was taken by the Windsor police and sentenced when on his road to Chatham for trial. Then lastly Mr. Lewis painted the picture of the young man's life. He had never had a chance. His mother had died when he was very young and his father had had to work hard and the boy and man had never had a chance. Ramo was arraigned on several charges this morning. He pleaded not guilty to the charge of breaking into George Taylor's cigar store on the 3rd of November, 1895. This was about two years after Ramo escaped from jail. Howard Grandbois, who had served three years on this same charge, was a witness to-day. He said he got the coppers and pipe from him when arrested from Ramo. If Grandbois' story were true, he served three years for another man's crime. After ten years the evidence was very rusty and this case was dismissed with the consent of the Crown. There was also the charge of stealing a pair of interfering boots from Theodore Douvras. It was to this charge that Ramo had pleaded guilty and he was in jail awaiting sentence when he escaped. There was another charge of burglary, namely, breaking into Scott's & Fitter's store. The Crown decided not to prosecute these cases. Ramo couldn't remember leading guilty to the charge of stealing the interfering boots. The evidence of the case, however, was produced showing where the late C. J. O'Neill had defended him and pleaded for leniency in sentence. Ramo was recommended to jail and was just twelve years getting back to the police court for sentence.

Mr. Lewis asked that Ramo be given a chance. He had been hunted so long that now he had a hunted look.

Mr. Smith in consenting to the suspended sentence gave Ramo fair warning that if he ever came up again he would get the limit. Ramo was then allowed to go on suspended sentence and he departed with his father. Judge Houston expressed his intention of asking the Government to pass a law compelling suspended sentence men to report the same as ticket of leave men. He also thought that the Windsor police should have let Ramo come through to Chatham since that was the place he was going to when he had consented to come across the line without extradition. The action of the Windsor police assisted in securing Ramo's release.

ARE PROMOTERS AFTER \$30,000?

Rumor Circulated that Radial Road Men Are Charter-Mongering.

Public Solicit an Authoritative Statement in View of By-Law Passed.

The rumor is persistently traveling to-day that the promoters or provisional directors of the local radial railroad project are holding out their charter for sale at the sum of \$30,000. Such is said to have been the result of the negotiations with the Windsor-Chatham line on Saturday.

Even to prospective local business interests it is said this sum is held out for.

The rumor, if true, is occasioning much comment and criticism. It is pointed out that at a meeting in Pain Court during the Clements-Stephens campaign, A. B. Caracollen, the eloquent Wallaceburg speaker, sternly arraigned the promoters on the charge of charter-mongering. The charge elicited a prompt and emphatic denial from two of the local promoters present who stated that their identification with it was purely on the grounds of public interest and they did not expect to make a haul by the sale of the charter.

In view of the city's interest under the by-law passed it would seem that some authoritative statement should be made relative to these utterances and the present rumors.

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WILL IMPROVE MAIL SERVICE

Supt. Pyeatt, of the P. M. R. Assures Herbert S. Clements that Arrangements Have been Made.

West Kent's Energetic Young Member with Messrs. Clark and Gordon Succeeded in Bringing About Change

Herbert S. Clements, M. P., has received an important letter from Superintendent Pyeatt, of the Pere Marquette Railroad, in acknowledgment of his protest on behalf of the people of this district against the unsatisfactory mail and train service, notifying him that a change has been decided upon. At the outset Mr. Clements, along with Mr. Clark, M. P. of Essex, took this matter up vigorously, both with the railroad and the post office department. Mr. Gordon, M. P., East Kent, also lent his sturdy assistance to the movement and these three gentlemen have energetically devoted themselves to a remedying of the present unsatisfactory conditions.

The news of their success reached Ottawa on Friday in a letter from Mr. Pyeatt, of the Railroad, to Mr. Clements in which he states that arrangements have been completed with the Post Office for the handling of mail on trains 1 and 4, 11 and 14, which will be much more satisfactory than at present, as it will admit of mail being distributed from London to Walkerville on No. 1 leaving London at 4:45 a. m. and returning leaving Walkerville at 4:30 p. m. This will give mail early in the morning and the people along the line time to answer the same and get it off on the evening train; the same also applying to Sarnia Branch, No. 11, leaving Blenheim at 7:40 a. m. and arriving at Sarnia at 10:35 a. m. and No. 14, leaving Sarnia 4:15 p. m. and arriving at Blenheim at 7:05 p. m., making connection with the main line trains.

Mr. Pyeatt also assures Mr. Clements that preparations are under way for a change of time on this Division and promises to give him notice of the same as soon as arrangements are completed.

This news will be eminently pleasing and satisfactory to the people of this district, and if Mr. Clements is able further to secure a satisfactory change of time table he will have earned the grateful appreciation of the whole community.

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BOUGHT FARM

Herbert S. Clements, M. P., Has Purchased Tilbury East Homestead and will Work the Farm

Herbert S. Clements, M. P., has purchased the farm in Tilbury East Township which he was visiting on the occasion of his last visit from Ottawa here and will in future devote his time, outside of his parliamentary duties, to this farm and his other farm in Manitoba. He will

probably still continue to live in Chatham, where he has stock in a number of our city's prominent industries.

Mr. Clements has also held the reputation of being one of the thorough young farmers of our county and his resolution to actively farm his Tilbury acres himself will be very satisfactory to his agricultural constituents here, showing that he will have the interests of the farming industry always at heart.

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