

TO ISSUE WRIT IN A FEW DAYS

G. B. Henwood, of Henwood & Harrison, confirms report Hawes will take action.

You may state that a writ will be issued shortly in the Supreme Court by G. B. Henwood, of Henwood & Harrison, to the Bulletin this morning.

It is understood that it will cost for \$250,000, the first sum advanced.

What the Associated Press dispatch gives the following statement from N. F. Davidson, K.C., with reference to Alfred Hawes' relations with his firm in the Waterways Railway deal.

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AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE TENDERS

Are Giving Saskatchewan University Governors Much Trouble.

Saskatoon, Sask., April 1.—The board of governors of the Saskatchewan University have been sitting all day engaged in an effort to come to a decision on the tenders submitted for the agricultural college buildings.

The lowest tender is 25 per cent above the estimate, owing to the increased rate of wages during the past year.

Tomorrow morning the governors will resume their deliberations and expect to arrive at a decision as to their report.

It will not be known for some days whether the firm named will get the contract even if it is recommended as the best.

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AETNA ERUPTION MORE ALARMING

Images of Diety Thrown in Path of Lava Fall to Stop Flow—People in a Panic.

Catania, April 2.—Conditions around Mount Aetna became more alarming and the detonations more deafening as time progressed.

The eruption shows no sign of stopping. Priests exhort the people to place candles in the divine power, but so far this has not been effective.

Efforts are being made to protect a giant cistern near Borelio. Scientists say if the lava strikes this an explosion will follow and destroy Borelio.

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MEAT EXPORT TRADE

E. G. Palmer, chilled meat expert, to whose efforts the recent agitation in connection with the adoption of this system of exporting beef, which has been brought to the favorable attention of the Federal Government, is due, writes The Bulletin on the subject as follows:

"It will be sure to be of particular interest to a very large proportion of the readers of your paper to know that following the first accomplished by the Chilled Meat Committee regarding the establishment of a system of meat exporting from this country, a company has been formed by men interested in live stock raising in Manitoba, Ontario, Saskatchewan and Alberta, under the name of 'Meat Exports Limited' for the express purpose of carrying out the necessary preliminary work essential to the inauguration of a thoroughly organized system of chilling, packing and exporting from these western provinces, and at the same time time, a representative body with whom the government may deal in the matter."

"The object is to have the industry initiated as early as practicable in the smallest possible way compatible with the revenue of the Dominion, and with the interests of the producers of live stock, and to have a market not only a better and more stable, but also a more profitable one for the live stock of the country, but also a market for the live stock of the Dominion of all kinds of meat animals."

"To insure a continuous (yet not overabundant) supply of stock suitable for exporting purposes, and which is produced under the most favorable conditions on a healthy and durable footing, it is considered necessary to provide for the maintenance of one complete district depot, say at Winnipeg, another somewhat similar but smaller depot in Alberta, and five small works, to be distributed over the principal feeding centres of the Dominion, each of which would in itself form the nucleus for a complete plant as seen in the business of a district depot."

"The erection and equipment of these works, and the necessary expenses of refrigerator cars, working capital, etc., is estimated to require an investment of approximately \$2,000,000. The Dominion Government is now considering the question of financing the capital required for the granting of other tangible assistance towards financing the export trade of the Dominion."

"As the initiation and development of the meat export trade of the Dominion is a matter of national importance, and one which will have a beneficial effect upon the live stock industry of the Dominion, it is suggested that the Dominion Government should take the initiative in this matter, and should be prepared to meet the cost of the works, and to provide for the maintenance of the same."

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RAISED A FOG IN LUMSDEN AFFAIR

Striking Conservative Members of Committee Attempt to Recloud Issue in Parliament.

Ottawa, March 31.—For six hours in the House of Commons today the Lumsden committee, Messrs. Lennox, Crothers, and Barker, vainly endeavored to recover their retreat from the investigation by parking a fog which might look like smoke, signifying to the public that there was favor of laying a cable across the Atlantic by the Lumsden committee.

They went into tedious detail over the old ground. The basis of their whole argument was that because they were refused the right to nominate the counsel to conduct the inquiry, irrefragable evidence in the matter by the majority of the committee, therefore the investigation must necessarily be a farce, and that the obvious explanation of the whole matter lay in the knowledge of the Opposition members that the inquiry was likely to vindicate rather than impeach the National Transcontinental Commission.

Therefore the Opposition chose to make campaign material out of it by conjuring up a cloud of suspicion rather than by relying on actual facts.

One of the most important bills of the present session was put through late Wednesday night by Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, when the bill to give the railway commission control over the cable companies was passed.

The postmaster general explained that while personally he had been in favor of the bill, he had found when he went to London that the number of shareholders in cable companies was so great that strong objection would be taken to the schedule laying a cable across the Atlantic.

It was decided to propose that urgent messages should remain at present, a word, for semi-urgent messages sixpence a word, and a special rate to be introduced as the result of consultation with the Dominion Government, former British postmaster general, who promised to pass concurrent legislation through the British parliament.

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SUBORNATION OF PURGURY

Well Known Toronto Egyptian Arrested on This Charge.

Toronto, March 30.—Geo. H. Atlas, B.A., an Egyptian, especially ordained by the Presbyterian church, was arrested on a warrant by Judge Denton following indictment by the Grand Jury for subornation of perjury. The charge is based on the confession of Charles Risk, a Macedonian, who accompanied Atlas to Macedonia in 1909 to bring back Bakraoff, an important witness in the trial of Steffof, since hanged for the murder of Vinson.

Upon the motion before Judge Winchester in surrogate court to compel Atlas to furnish better security of the estate of Mendeeer Simoff, Risk swore he journey with Atlas to Macedonia and that he saw Atlas pay Simoff's widow eighty pounds in gold, which he had got from the estate of Simoff before leaving Canada.

Before the grand jury yesterday, Risk swore all his evidence was untrue. He had never seen any money paid the widow, the whole story of the visit and the payment being concocted by Atlas, by Atlas to tell the story. Atlas' arrest as a church lecturer and is highly educated. Atlas is also waiting trial upon three charges of fraud.

Both the resolutions and Budget through the Commons is received with enthusiasm—Redmond holds out for Adoption of His Plan.

London, April 1.—The Radical forces are delighted with the signs of firmness which they detect in the cabinet's new programme to force the race against the Lords and King.

Loud and prolonged cheers greeted Asquith's declaration that both the veto resolutions and the budget will be pushed through the Commons by rigorous use of the closure.

Monday next, division on motion: Tuesday, closure motion for veto resolution. April 19th, veto debate in committee; April 19th, closure motion in budget; April 19th to 26th, budget.

Winston Churchill carried the cabinet program a step forward, when with tremendous emphasis and with Asquith at his side, he wound up his speech last night with these sentences:

"The Lords have flouted the prerogatives of the crown and the privileges of the Commons. It is necessary, therefore, that crown and Commons, acting together, shall restore the constitution of the country."

On the question of tactics, Redmond said, concentrating on the veto alone, permits that the final stages of the budget in the Commons must follow, not precede the decision of the Lords on the veto.

RUSSO-FINISH BILL IN DUMA

Duma to Have Authority Over Finland Referred to Committee.

St. Petersburg, March 31.—The Russo-Finnish bill, giving the Duma authority over Finland, was introduced in the Duma yesterday. After a debate it was referred to a committee of twenty-one members.

The opposition leaders, Prof. Milukoff, leader of the Constitutional Democrats, M. Gueschikoff and M. P. Pokrovskiy, Social Democrats urged the immediate rejection of the measure on the ground that it constituted a violation of the Finnish constitution. The Octoberists, Count Benningden and Prince Tenisheff, defended the bill, insisting that the Imperial legislature alone had authority capable of dealing with the complex Russo-Finnish relations.

The reference of the proposed constitution to a committee was carried by a majority composed of Mohammedans, Progressives, Octoberists, Nationalists and Conservatives. The minority included the Poles, Constitutional Democrats, Laborites and Social Democrats.

On and after thirty (30) clear days from the date of this notice, viz.: On the 11th day of April, 1910, the following quarter sections in the following townships will be open to the first eligible applicant.

Table with columns: Township, Range, Meridian, and numbers 1-6.

Dated at Edmonton, Alberta, this 11th day of March, 1910.

Agent of Dominion Lands.

If you love your horses and want an easy running wagon you will buy the Massey-Harris' Wagons.

Separate bids will be received by the undersigned until May 5th, for the northeast quarter of section 14, township 49, range 26, west 4th, near Calgary, Alberta, and the southwest quarter of section 17, township 54, range 22, west 4th, near Agricola, Alberta.

FOR SALE—LOTS 16 AND 17, BLOCK 15, Fort Saskatchewan. Will exchange for quarter of section 17, township 54, range 22, west 4th, near Agricola, Alberta.

FOR SALE—320 ACRES (2 FARMS), 2 miles from railway, 100 acres broken ready for seed, 5 miles south of Leduc which is a good market town, good buildings, two good wells and wire fenced. Can supply 80 tons of hay. Price \$23 per acre. Terms, cash preferred, or half cash and interest at 8 per cent. Apply W. Mogdans, Leduc, Alberta.

WANTED—TEACHER 1ST OR 2ND CLASS, for Foreman, B.C. Duties commence soon as possible. Terms seven months. Apply stating experience and giving references to A. Edgeworth, Secy-Treas., Foreman, Alta.

WANTED TEACHER—AT ONCE, for the school No. 1738 of the village of Legal, a Roman Catholic teacher, male or female, fully qualified to teach in any public school in Alberta and capable to teach also an elementary course in French. Salary \$700 per annum. Average attendance 35. References to A. Edgeworth, Secy-Treas., Legal, Alberta.

WANTED TEACHERS—PROFESSORIAL, second class, male, for following Ruthenian schools: Kolomea, four miles east from Mandan, 2 standards, attendance 20. Sich, on standard, attendance 25, eight miles north-east of Mundare, 700, six miles north of Riley, first standard, attendance 30. Salaries \$600 per year, begin April 1st, continue until December. Teachers' quarters at \$3 per month at every school. Apply to Peter Svarich, Vegreville.

Business Location Vacant. For rent or for sale 25x20, two storey home for sale or to rent, 150 roomed house near the railway on the G.P.F. A large variety of farms for sale.

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FRENCH IMMIGRANTS COMING TO RED DEER

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Red Deer, Mar. 3.—At the organization meeting of the Memorial Hospital directors, F. H. Tallman was re-elected president, S. E. McKee vice-president and A. W. G. Allen secretary for 1910.

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LIBERIA UPRISING COMICAL

Troops Fire at Each Other But the People Give No Heed.

Berlin, April 2.—The disturbance between the natives and the British military troops in Liberia is more comic than serious, according to a report which the admiralty has received from the commander of the German gunboat Sperber. The gunboat arrived at Cape Palmas on February 23rd.

The captain says that he offered to disperse the insurgents. Gen. Padmore, of the Liberian army, declined the assistance. The government troops then opened a desultory fire, to which the revolutionists on the opposite bank of the Palmas river replied.

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NO ARRANGEMENT AS YET FOR RECIPROcity

Dominion Government Has Accepted Invitation to Send Representatives of the Two Administrations—Neither Time, Place Nor Date Fixed.

Ottawa, Ont., Mar. 31.—The government has not yet considered the question of sending representatives of the Dominion to the meeting of the Dominion Government and the United States Government, which is to be held in Washington, D.C., on April 15th.

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RETAIN TRADE FREEDOM

In the course of his statement in Commons last night on the matter Sir Wilfrid Laurier said: "We have retained our absolute power of free trade of action, with respect to negotiating trade treaties with any nation."

"We can negotiate a treaty with Germany; we can negotiate a treaty with Italy; we can negotiate a treaty with Belgium; we are absolutely free. We have made no surrender of any right, but we intend to begin with non-interference, not new of any one else receiving such a commission."

He had discovered that Lorenzo Bede, now proprietor of a hotel at North Vancouver, and also of the Grand Pacific here, derived a rental of \$1,000 monthly from the five-sharks on Chatham street, under normal conditions would not produce \$5 monthly. His collections were made regularly.

Commissioner Tait intimated that his sole desire was to prevent the women from being made the victims of extortion. As to the two houses of ill-fame, flourishing in the heart of the residence district, he averred that as the proprietress owned the property, it had been decided to be wisdom not to interfere with them.

Trouble Expected in Hamilton. Hamilton, Ont., April 1.—Practically the whole police force has been ordered to report at 6 a.m. tomorrow to protect the Hamilton Steel Company's plant from foreign laborers on strike. The company expects trouble.

Carlo Basile, a workman, was arrested tonight for carrying a revolver and a knife. One thousand men are on strike.

New Settlers for Camrose. Camrose, Alta., April 1.—Seven car loads of settlers' effects arrived here last week. The new comers are farmers from Iowa and have purchased considerable land in this district. Seeding has begun in this district and the farmers are busy everywhere on the land.

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