OUT GOES MADERO

The President of Mexico Has Tendered His Resignation.

DE LA BARRA SUCCEEDS

Statesman Who Has Been Urging a Compromise Is Provisional President of the Republic — Madero Gives In When Mutiny Occurs Among His Forces — Another Day of Fighting In Capital.

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 15.—President Madero has resigned. De la Barra, now at the British legation, will likely succeed him temporarily.

Rafael Hernanddez, Minister of the Interior, has also resigned.

The private house of President Madero, situated at the corner of Liverpool and Berlin streets, was burning at two o'clock yesterday afternoon. At that hour the artillery firing was only casual.

The resignation of President Madero was announced on the authority of the British legation, where De la Barra took refuge on Thursday after having urged President Madero to compromise with the rebels.

Arrangements for the succession of De la Barra to the Presidency are now being made at the British legation.

Rebels, under Gens. De Llave and Aguilar, it is reported on reliable authority, have captured the city of Puebla, with the assistance of Francisco Pradilla., formerly with Orozco, who headed a body of revolutionists within the city. Gen. Toria has been named as governor.

Puebla is the capital of the State of Puebla, and is one of the most attractive cities of the republic. Its population numbers nearly 100,000. It is known as "The City of the Angels," so named from its beautiful situation. It lies sixty-three miles distant from Mexico City. It contains several fine ecclesiastical edifices and many splendid public buildings.

It was the advance of the federals early in the day which provoked the first sharp reply from the mutinous zone.

Diaz waited until the federals were far down the line, and then threw into their ranks a hail of shrapnel, and swept them with machine gun fire. Few left the street alive.

The Government troops attempted to carry the rebel position from other directions, but always with the same results; the federals fell under a withering fire or were driven back to shelter.

At two o'clock in the afternoon a general order to cease firing was given, but for the two preceding hours the fire from the Government lines had practically been suspended. Gen. De La Vega, commanding the line directly to the east of the rebel position, admitted that he was unable to advance. Failure had been encountered in all quarters.

It was coincidental with this cessation of the firing that a battalion of the Twentieth infantry revolted. All but a handful of these federals succeeded in joining Diaz. The men suddently turned upon their officers and shot them down, but the sound of these shots did not attract general attention in the heavy fusilade. The entire battalion broke for the rebel lines, reaching there in safety.

Thirty-eight of them were overpowered, however, by the loyal troops and were marched to the palace, probably to be executed.

SUICIDES AT NIAGARA.

One Man's Body Is Found and Another Is Missing.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Feb. 15.—One man is known to have committed suicide by going over the falls yesterday, and another is believe to have taken his life in a similar manner. The police on both sides of the river are endeavoring to learn the identity of the two men.

Shortiy before four o'clock yesterday afternoon an unidentified man, about 20 years old, who told Reservation Officer Knapp he was from New York, dove into the rapids above the Horse Shoe Falls and was carried to death over the cataract. There is absolutely no clue to his identity.

Patrolman Charles Smith of the city police force of Niagara Falls, N.Y., was on this side of the river sightseeing with a party of friends from out of the city yesterday morning, and declares he and his friends plainly saw a man leap from Prospect Point to the ice-covered rocks below the American Falls. A search of the rocks failed to disclose a body, but it may be hidden in a crevice or have slipped off into the water. Smith and several others are emphatic in their statements that they saw the man take the leap.

FOILED SUFFRAGETTES.

English Mail Clerk Saved $25,000 From the Flames.

BIRMINGHAM, Eng., Feb. 15.—Militant suffragettes dropped a phial containing an explosive substance into the letter box of the Inland Revenue office here yesterday, causing an explosion and a fire.

The box contained $25,000 in paper money, which, however, a smart attendant succeeded in rescuing before the flames reached it.

Would Abolish Bar There, Too.

WINNIPEG, Feb. 15.—Between 300 and 400 members of the Moral Reform Society of Manitoba waited on the Government yesterday to urge amendments to the present local option law. Their spokesman contended that favorable votes under the act were often defeated under a technicality and they also asked that non-resident voters be barred, as this system tended to corruption and personation. The deputation further pressed for legislation abolishing the bar, or if this were not possible, a referendum on the issue.

OCEAN TO ROCKIES

Union Seeks a Great Transcontinental Waterway.

RESOLUTIONS ARE PASSED

Delegates to Gathering at Berlin Will Urge Federal Authorities to Enlarge the Welland Canal, Deepen the St. Lawrence and Construct a Canal System Along Watercourses of the West to the Mountains.

BERLIN, Ont., Feb. 15.—Claiming that the industrial prosperity of Canada, and particularly of Ontario, demands instant action on the part of the Dominion Government in the line of the development of Canada's water transportation facilities, representatives from a score of municipalities of Southern Ontario met here yesterday at the convention of the Great Waterways Union and adopted a policy which it is hoped will result in the construction of an all-red water route from the Atlantic Ocean to the Rocky Mountains. After considerable discussion a series of resolutions were passed which were as follows:

"Whereas, the Great Waterways Union has given over one year to the careful study of the question and value of inland water transportation of Canada examining numerous reports issued by the Governments of the Dominion and the United States, and interviewing leading engineers and experts on the subject, including those who have been employed on the surveys, the result of which in the report now presented to this meeting, all of which, we believe, strengthen the hands of the Government to carry on and carry out the great work which they have begun as evidenced by the two million dollars in the estimates for construction work on the Welland Canal this year.

"Furthermore in view of the early completion of the new Erie barge canal and the Panama Canal making time of very great importance, we earnestly urge the Dominion Government that large appropriations and all reasonable haste be made to secure the earliest possible completion of an improved Welland Canal.

"Furthermore, we especially urge the Dominion Government to appoint at the earliest possible date a commission, the same to include business men and representatives from Ontario and the western provinces to investigate and report upon the development of the St. Lawrence River to a depth of not less than 30 feet for the passage of ocean vessels via St. Lawrence and the Welland Canal route to the head of the great lakes; also on the development of waterways from Lake Superior to the western provinces; and it is further urged and suggested that the commission will include the chairman of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario or a representative of the commission as the larger portion of the proposed developed route lies in Ontario and involves to a large extent the development and use of Hydro-electric power. Furthermore, that we respectfully ask the Dominion Government to expend no money for construction work on the French River or Georgian Bay Canal until such route can be shown by reliable and independent engineers to be commercially practicable, and thus avoid the risk of almost certain waste of public funds amounting to many millions of dollars."

Moved by T. L. Church, Toronto, and seconded by Geo Thorp, Guelph: "That the association memorialize the Government of Canada when they are reconstructing the international deep waterways commission to see that a representative of the Ontario municipalities or the Ontario Power Commission is selected for the said commission."

B. C. Mummings, mayor of Goderich, also moved a resolution asking the Dominion Government for the outer breakwater of the Goderich harbor. Goderich is now the third port on Lake Huron receiving grain. The resolution will be sent is to the Government with the others.

ROBBER AS DOCTOR.

Los Angeles Burglar Comes To Steal and Stays To Cure Babe.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 15.—A burglar who went to rob Mrs. Fred. Morris, remained to save her baby's life, according to a report she made yesterday to the police.

Mrs. Morris said her baby was stricken with croup. She started to run for a physician. Just as she went out her front door, she met a masked man, who ordered her to keep quiet at the risk of her life. She screamed, "My baby is dying. I am going for a doctor."

"Let me help you," said the robber, dropping a revolver in his pocket.

Mrs. Morris, frightened, led him back into the house. He asked for vinegar, sugar, and water and concocted a mixture which he forced down the infant's throat. Then he rubbed olive oil on the child's chest and worked for an hour before he told the mother it was out of danger.

"You must have a baby yourself," remarked Mrs. Morris.

"I have five," replied the man. "That's why I came here to-night."

Then he left and Mrs. Morris refused to give the police a description of him.

May Not Recover Bodies.

CHRISTCHURCH, N.Z., Dec. 15.—Commander Evans, when questioned yesterday as to the suggestion that the bodies of Captain Scott and his comrades should be recoverel, said:

"The best people to judge are those who served under Captain Scott. Had we been in the same place as the victims we should have wished our bodies to remain at rest where we had given our best efforts in the cause we so earnestly believed in."

Commander Evans will remain in New Zealand until the arrival of the widow of Captain Scott.

TUMULT IN HOUSE

Hon. Robert Rogers Savagely Assails Liberal Leader.

PREMIER CALLED TO ORDER

Minister of Public Works Charges Sir Wilfrid Laurier With Directing a Press Bureau For Purposes of Slander and Premier Borden Loses His Temper In Protecting His Colleague.

OTTAWA, Feb. 15.—Something of the tense strain which the tightening situation is developing in Parliament was evidenced in the wild scene which characterized the chamber yesterday afternoon. The spectacle of a Minister of the Crown turning the House into a bear garden and hurling epithets at the head of the Liberal leader, and of the Prime Minister shaking with passion making threats and comments, which, the Speaker, in calling him to order, intimated, would "not be permitted in the best of company," demonstrated the changed conditions in Canada's Parliament.

Hon. Robert Rogers began it by rising to a question of privilege. He announced his intention of reading from "a dirty rag, which under the rules of the House he must call a newspaper." This turned out to be The Regina Leader, which had charged Mr. Rogers with having "tipped off" to Mr. Donaldson, the Conservative whip in the Saskatchewan Legislature, 80 acres of land available for homesteading within the corporate limits of the city of Prince Albert.

It appears that some years ago a forest reserve on the north side of the River Saskatchewan, opposite the city of Prince Albert was thrown open to homesteading by Hon. Frank Oliver. Later on a bridge was built at this point, and the land became very valuable. Mr. Rogers intimated that his predecessor, Hon. Frank Oliver, was responsible for some big snap in the homestead line at this point going to Liberal henchmen.

Hon. Mr. Oliver promptly challenged the assertion, but the Speaker ruled out his point of order.

Somehow or other eighty acres had been overlooked, continued Mr. Rogers, and he rejoiced that some good Tory had homesteaded it. He emphatically denied, however, that he or any official of the Interior Department had "tipped off" Mr. Donaldson, who did the homesteading, or had been guilty of any impropriety of any kind.

Proceeding, Mr. Rogers charged that the press story concerning the transaction had been sent out from the Liberal Press Bureau, which was "carried on by falsification and misrepresentation, on the authority and under the direction of the right hon. gentleman who leads the Liberal party."

Sir Wilfrid protested, but the chair ruled that the Minister was speaking of "some unknown organization." Whereupon Mr. Rogers proceeded. He characterized the Liberal bureau as a falsifier and a vilifier, and charged that the Liberal leader was responsible for it.

Sir Wilfrid again protested to the Speaker, and Premier Borden entered the fray. Sir Wilfrid, he said, had not raised a whisper of protest when certain of his supporters had recently insinuated that the Premier of Manitoba was "a liar."

The leader of the Opposition said he would bring proof of the justice of the epithet, and the Premier retorted, "You can bring it on as soon as you like." "Very well," responded Sir Wilfrid.

"Everyone knew," Mr. Borden continued, "Hon. Mr. Oliver's lack of manners."

Sir Wilfrid was again on his feet, seeking to address the chair.

When order was secured Sir Wilfrid Laurier said the leader of the House had charged another member with "lack of manners," a procedure which violated the rules of good conduct.

"I think it is best that hon. gentlemen should not use words and expressions which would not be permitted in the best of company," commented the Speaker.

Mr. Rogers persisted in charging the Liberal chief with directing the "press bureau," and finally the Speaker ruled the allegation out of order. The case will come up again when the papers are tabled.

Big Firm Incorporated.

OTTAWA, Feb. 15.—The "Dominion Manufacturers, Limited," has just been incorporated, with a capital of three million dollars. The head office will be in Toronto and the company will carry on a general manufacturing business.

The "Cheddite, Limited," with its head office in Montreal and with a capital of one million dollars, has also been incorporated for the purpose of manufacturing dynamite, powder, etc.

Adrianople In Flames.

LONDON, Feb. 15.—Heavy fighting with considerable losses is reported to have occurred at Bulair on Thursday. Portions of the town of Adrianople are said to be in flames from the bombardments.

Sofia reports that a detachment from the Turkish garrison at Adrianople has deserted to the Bulgarian lines.

Two Foreigners Killed.

FORT WILLIAM, Feb. 15.—Two men, a Montenegrin and an Austrian were killed and three injured, one probably fatally, at Red Rock, a short distance east of here Thursday afternoon when a steam shovel struck a charge of dynamite which had failed to explode.

Will Meet In Montreal.

OTTAWA, Feb. 15.—The executive of the National Council of Women in session here yesterday decided to hold the annual meeting in Montreal May 1 to 8. Mrs. Torrington, of Toronto, is presiding at the executive sessions.

STILL AFTER R. & O.

W. F. Maclean Brings In Amendment To Stock Issue Measure.

OTTAWA, Feb. 15.—On the third reading of a bill in the House last night authorizing the Richelieu & Navigation Co. to increase its capital from $10,000,000 to $15,000,000, an million to fifteen million dollars, an amendment was offered by the member for South York (Mr. Maclean) which provided that the company should not be authorized to increase its capital until it had obtained an order from the Railway Commission certifying that the money to be raised thereby was necessary for the purposes of the company.

The amendment was seconded by J. G. Turriff, Liberal member for Assiniboia. Mr. Turriff and Mr. Carvell (Carleton, N.B.) favored the amendment, while Mr. Boyce (W. Algoma) opposed it. Under the rules, the debate went over until Monday, when there will probably be a number of speeches delivered both for and against the amendment.

Mr. Maclean, in proposing his amendment, said there was a general demand over the country for such Governmental supervision of corporations as would guard against melon cutting and watered stock.

The tolls of a public service corporation, he said, depended largely upon the amount which the company had to pay out in the way of dividends. Mr. Maclean said he had no quarrel with the R. & O. Co. It asked leave to increase its capital, and he was suggesting that said increase should be under the supervision of the Railway Commission.

Mr. Turriff, in seconding the amendment, said there was reason to believe that the Richelieu & Ontario Co. would soon be controlled by the Furness Company and the Canadian Pacific. The mergers which had been going on were increasing the cost of transporting grain, until now it cost about as much to produce and transport wheat as the price received for the same.

Mr. Royce (W. Algoma thought the amendment was defective because the phrase "railway commission" was used instead of the phrase "board of of railway commissioners." At any rate in his opinion there should be an amendment to the Railway Act to be applicable to all corporations if any legislation at all was needed. The R. & O., he contended, should not be singled out for special legislation.

Mr. Carvell, after replying to the technical argument of Mr. Boyce, stated that in his opinion the argument advanced by the mover of the amendment was unanswerable.

MEMORIAL TO HEROES.

Impressive Service Is Held In St. Paul's Cathedral.

LONDON, Feb. 15.—The British nation yesterday paid its last sad respects to the memory of Captain Robert F. Scott and his heroic companions who died in the wilds of the Antarctic after reaching the South Pole. A great memorial service was held in the Cathedral of St. Paul's in the centre of the metropolis, and this was attended by people in every form of life from King George, in the uniform of an admiral of the fleet, down to the common laborer.

The King, surrounded by a brilliantly-uniformed staff, occupied a seat beneath the great dome. Only a few seats had been reserved for the royal party, which comprised representatives of Queen Mother Alexandra, and of the Duke and Duchess of Connaught. Premier Asquith, with the whole of the Cabinet Ministers, were present, with many members of the foreign diplomatic corps and their attaches.

Hours before noon, the time set for the singing of the first hymn, "Rock of Ages," the police had to turn away many thousands who could not even get within view of the doors of the cathedral.

The service was a simple but solemn one. It included the playing of the "Dead March In Saul," in which the great cathedral organ was accompanied by a military band. The service concluded with a hymn, "Jesus Lover of My Soul." In the closing Collects, the names of the five dead explorers were included.

Vast crowds remained outside the cathedral and a great number of British bluejackets were present, both inside and outside.

Similar memorial services were held at Portsmouth, Devonport, Chatham, and other naval centres, and in many churches throughout the kingdom. The Union Jack flew at half-mast everywhere yesterday.

HAS THREE LETTERS MORE.

Duke Adds Queen's Degree To His Collection of Titles.

KINGSTON, Feb. 15.—The Duke of Connaught paid his first official visit to Kingston yesterday and had a very busy time. The duke had been here twice to visit the Royal Military College and once is passing through to take a boat down among the Thousand Islands, but this was the first time he was accorded a civic welcome. Ideal weather favored the visit.

His highness received a civic address from Mayor Rigney and the aldermen in the city hall at nine o'clock. Afterwards he reviewed the cadets at the R.M.C., the Artillery, and the veterans.

At three o'clock he attended a special convocation at Queen's University, where the honorary degree of doctor of laws was bestowed upon him by the chancellor, Sir Sandford Fleming, who in the year 1901 conferred the same degree upon the duke's nephew, King George.

Furniture Factory Burned.

IONIA, Mich., Feb. 15.—The Ypsilanti Reed Furniture Co., an institution adjoining the State Reformatory walls and in which convict labor was largely employed, was destroyed by fire yesterday at a loss of $265,000. The state lost $100,000 worth of equipment in the factory.

WHAT ABOUT TACK TRUST?

Mr. Rowell Reminds Government of a "Burked" Inquiry.

TORONTO, Feb. 15.—N. W. Rowell, leader of the Opposition, vigorously attacked the Government in the Legislature yesterday because the charges against members of the tack combine in 1905 had been dropped by the Attorney-General after a police magistrate had committed them for trial and the grand jury had returned two true bills.

The Liberal leader believed that there was no justification for abandoning an investigation. He stated that it was the bounden duty of the Government to be particularly vigilant to protect consumers who could not protect themselves against the actions of combines.

Mr. Rowell spoke on a motion he had made two days ago for an order of the House for the return of all documents in connection with the case of the tack combine and copies of all correspondence between the Attorney-General and Mr. DuVernet, K.C., the crown counsel.

Following Mr. Rowell's arraignment of the Government, Hon. J. J. Foy replied that the Government had not carried on an investigation against the combine on the advice of Mr. DuVernet, who stated that there was not evidence of guilt to warrant one. He read a letter from the crown counsel stating why the case had been dropped. He had no objection to the Opposition seeing all papers in connection with the case.

Mr. Sinclair asked an order for the return of all documents in connection with the case of Magistrate Dempsey of Cochrane and the liquor trials. Mr. Foy replied that all such reports to the Department were confidential, but he had no objection to giving the returns of all cases of complaints, etc.

Mr. Hanna replied for the Attorney-General: "The case in question was originally launched before Mr. Rogers. Magistrate Dempsey sat on the case in a mistaken view of the law. He was not properly seized of the facts because there was evidence in Mr. Rogers' hands which he had not seen. He tried the case without the facts, the result being that his decision was annulled."

Ten revised bills, clause by clause, were considered in committee of the whole, and will likely be given their reading on Monday.

BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

In less than two hours, 42 paintings were disposed of for prices aggregating $797,050, in an art sale yesterday in New York City.

French-Canadians of Haileybury and vicinity have voted $1,000 to advertise northern Ontario in the lower part of Quebec province.

All that is required now for the completion of the C.N.R. line between Ottawa and Toronto is the construction of 22 miles of track near Smith's Falls.

The Donaldson liner Athenia, inward from Glasgow, grounded at the entrance to St. John, N.B., harbor yesterday, but she was later released by tugs.

St. Thomas Board of Education management committee decided on a new salary schedule giving an increase to every teacher, the extremes being $500 and $2,200.

A New York judge yesterday denied a motion to admit to bail Edward F. Mylius, the journalist, convicted in England of libelling the King. Mylius is detained at Ellis Island.

Four men and one women were arrested in Montreal on a charge of operating a white slave trust, their victims being Jewish girls duped by a mock marriage ceremony.

More than $200,000 of the $300,000 required to build the new Wesleyan College here was subscribed in a few minutes at a banquet of prominent Montreal Methodists last night.

Earl Buchanan, aged 20, was instantly killed at Leamington yesterday, when he was crushed between a moving box car and the freight shed at the Pere Marquette railway station.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Willey, an English couple en route to New York to take ship for Southampton, were turned back at Morristown because they had resided in Canada only nine months.

RAN IN FRONT OF AUTO.

Toronto Lad Is Mortally Injured While at Play.

TORONTO, Feb. 15.—Dashing out unexpectedly in front of a motor car as it was passing his home, Earl Johnston, the 12-year-old son of Harry Johnston, of 300 Jarvis street, was run down and so seriously injured at five o'clock yesterday afternoon that he died two hours later in the Toronto General Hospital.

The car which struck the boy was an electric, and had proceeded a few hundred feet south from Carlton street, when, according to the driver, the boy ran right into the side of the machine. The back wheel of the car passed over the boy's body.

Sues For $10,000.

MONTREAL, Feb. 15.—Moise Pariseau is claiming $10,000 from Michael J. Haney, contractor, of Toronto, for injuries received while working at Verdun, Que., on March 2, 1912.

Plaintiff alleges that he was ordered to tighten some bolts on a crane, which fell on his hand, and amputation was necessary.

Newfoundland's New Governor.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Feb. 15.—Newfoundland's new governor, Walter Davidson, C.M.G., assumed the reigns of authority in the colony yesterday, succeeding Sir Ralph Champneys Williams. A cordial reception was accorded the new executive by other members of the Government.

Two Chinamen To Be Electrocuted.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Two members of the Chinese Hip Sing Tong, named Eng Hing and Yee Dock, yesterday were sentenced to execution during the week beginning March 24 for the murder of Lee Kay, during a Tong shooting here a year ago.

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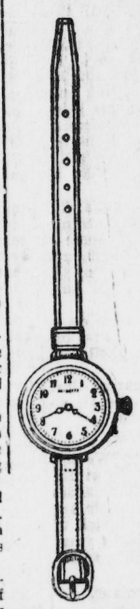

A WORD OF CAUTION

The average person buying a watch largely by the appearance of the case, with very little regard to the movement.

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