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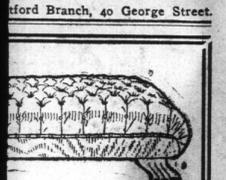
Canada unofficially next. Stimulated by a result of the Minister's visit to England a number of matters are subject of negotiation with the British Government. They include the adjustment of pensions to be paid by Canada to British officers serving here, also proposed to have colonial representatives on boards for the examination of officers.

and Mrs. J. H. Atkins, Norwich, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Alice Ellen, to Arthur Palmer, youngest son of Mrs. B. Palmer of Norwich. The wedding will take place early in November.

Last accounts from Hon. Sydney Smith weren't hankering for any election contests.

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FORTY-FOURTH YEAR

ONE APPLICATION ONLY FOR JOB PUT IN

All Others Needn't Apply For Dairy Inspectorship.

Fine State of Affairs Revealed at City Council Meeting.

A fine little effort to put one over was uncovered at the Council meeting last night. The buildings and grounds committee, through the chairman, Ald. M. W. McEwen, recommended the appointment of Dr. J. W. Porter as dairy inspector. Under some hot fire it developed that not another veterinary in the city was given a chance to make application for the position. The only intimation for the job of it, according to the admission of Ald. McEwen himself, was a resolution passed by the Board of Health some months ago stating that an inspector should be appointed. When this state of affairs was revealed, and duly admitted, it did not take the Council long to throw out the appointment and proceed to give all veterinarians of the city a chance to apply.

The following was the report of the committee: "That this Council confirm the action of the Board of Health in appointing Dr. A. B. Cutcliffe as inspector of dairies, at a salary of \$200; and in pursuance of the resolution of the Board of Health that a permanent official be appointed, we recommend the appointment of Dr. J. W. Porter at a salary of \$400 a year, to commence January 1st, 1914, and that the city solicitor be instructed to prepare the necessary by-law.

The majority of your committee are still of the opinion that the plans for a new City Hall should be prepared by Taylor & Bodley, and arrangements have been made with Mr. Bodley to meet the various heads of the civic departments at an early date to consider the general outline of such plans with regard to office space and other matters.

Your committee will recommend that the new City Hall be erected on a property, unless a more suitable site Darling street side of the Waterous be found.

Where Are They?

Veterans Who Fought in the Red River Rebellion.

Chief Slemin received a communication from Stanley McEwen Brown of Rosemount, Montreal, in which he states that he is anxious to find out the whereabouts of all the old Veterans who fought in the Red River Rebellion during 1870-1-2 and 3. Mr. Brown states that he thinks he is in a position to help them. (Any person knowing the address of any of the following, who composed the Ontario Battalion, will confer a favor on Mr. Brown by advising him of their address.)

Frederick Amandes, George H. Dunne, John W. Babcock, Francis G. Eastman, Chas. Foran, William H. Hawley, William H. Moore, Alfred Morgan, C. Nelson, Col. Sergt., Daniel Rutherford, Wm. Rogers, William Roy, Alexander Rogers, G. Eastman.

ALMOST SAME FATE AS THE ILL-FATED TITANIC

Canadian Steamer Teutonic Passes Within Twelve Feet of an Iceberg Over One Hundred Feet High.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 28.—The White Star liner Teutonic, which arrived here yesterday from Montreal, had a narrow escape from meeting the same fate as the Titanic, when she ran so close to an iceberg, 172 miles off the Newfoundland coast, that she was prevented from crashing into it only by reversing her engines and putting the helm hard a port. The liner passed within 12 feet of the iceberg.

BRANTFORD DAILY COURIER

BRANTFORD, CANADA, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1913

ONE CENT

Mayor Hartman Said That He Would Resign

If He Made One-Tenth Part of Mistakes Which the Police Department Did—An Interesting Exchange at Council.

The police got a raking over the coals at the City Council meeting last night as a result of the prosecution of a foreigner who had duly received his license from the civic authorities. Mayor Hartman put some ginger into things when he declared that the police could attend to everybody's business but their own. The prosecution of the peanut vendor was the result of a desire around police headquarters to get back at those in the council chamber. The license committee had acted in good faith in granting the license but apparently a mistake had been made.

It was T. Campbell, who was fined \$6.35 and Ald. Spence moved that the fine be remitted. The man had a pedlar's license, granted by the license committee for 6 months. The party paid his money and did business as authorized by the license. Apparently a mistake was made: there was a by-law, No. 1100, but was not printed. The party who complained occupied a \$7.44 stand on the market and the defendant was fined \$6.35. That is a different kind of business than that accorded Thornton's, said Ald. Spence. Thornton's adjournment after adjournment while this man is fined right off the reel. It was a case of making fish of one and flesh of another. Ald. Spence believed the city was morally bound to return the money to Campbell.

Mayor Hartman also went into the case. He declared that the prosecution was only a knock at the mayor. If he as mayor had made the tenth part of the mistakes the police department had he would resign his chair and hide his head in shame. There were all kinds of rug sellers and others declared Mayor Hartman who had gone scot free as a result of inactivity of the police. All they wanted to do up at Queen street was to give a crack at the license board instead of getting a slap in the face, they should have been notified.

Ald. Ryerson said he was partly responsible for getting the by-law passed. There was a time when peanut vendors unhitched their horses on the street and sold stuff from their wagons which stood in front of any business man's place the vendors cared to pick out. Ald. Hollinrake asked if it would be necessary to rescind By-law No. 1100. Ald. Spence said it was no case for acting hastily. Ald. Hollinrake: "I guess you're right."

Quite a Row Over Seat in Paris Town Council

Mr. J. R. Layton Was Right on Deck and Put Up an Argument Against Being Fired From Body.

PARIS, Oct. 28.—The regular monthly meeting of the council was held last night, those present being Mayor J. R. Layton, Aldermen Davidson, Aldermen Evans, Wells, Rehder, Fasken and Torrance. Ex-Deputy Reeve Layton was in his accustomed place at the table.

Among the other communications received were two from Mr. Layton in respect to declaring his seat vacant at the last regular meeting. It was moved by Ald. Fasken, seconded by Ald. Torrance, that Mr. Layton's communication be placed on file. Ald. Evans wished to know just what disposition that made of the matter, and then the discussion was on.

Mayor Patterson said that Mr. Layton's letters were contradictory. One admitted that his seat was vacant, and the other did not. For his part he would not be bullied by Mr. Layton. They had been very patient with him, as he had been absent for five consecutive regular meetings, and the same thing had occurred in 1912.

Mr. Layton based his defence on the fact that no effort had been made to fill the vacancy, and consequently they gave him no chance to regain his seat this year. The same Act which says that "any member absenting himself for three consecutive months—his seat shall be declared vacant" also states "that any seat so declared vacant before the month of November, the mayor, or in his absence the clerk of a councillor, shall

BAD LUCK TO RETURN MONEY

Murphy, Tammany Leader, Prefers Always to Keep it.

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Whether John A. Hennessy's charges against Tammany warrant an investigation was a question to be determined by the District Attorney's office to-day. According to arrangements Hennessy was due to confer with one of District Attorney Whitman's assistants in response to a subpoena, and if anything of a tangible nature developed, it was suggested that John Doe proceedings would result. William Sulzer commenting to-day on Chas. E. Murphy's statement of last night that he (Murphy) had received \$25,000 campaign contribution from the late Anthony N. Brady, but had returned it, said: "The assertion that Murphy returned the \$25,000, is to laugh, and makes the statement ludicrous. Murphy never returns money. He thinks it is bad luck. Ask the chief's friends; they will corroborate this. I have proof of all I say."

TROOPS RUSHED TO COLORADO MINES

Will Not Be Stampeded In Buying a Pulmotor

Alderman McFarland Says He Will Save Money if He Can on Purchase—The Expositor Receives a Showing-Up.

Serious State of Affairs Calls For Prompt Action.

Governor Will Not Let Strike-breakers Enter District.

DENVER, Colo., Oct. 28.—By noon today eight infantry companies of state troops, now on their way in accordance with the orders of Governor Ammons, issued this morning, proclaiming a state of insurrection, will reach the scene of the coal miners' strike at Huertano, in Las Animas county, and before sundown it is expected they will be joined by 11 other infantry companies, three troops of cavalry and two batteries of field artillery. Three other infantry companies will arrive later.

The scene of the disturbances is in the two counties of which Walsenburg and Trinidad are the county seats. The spines are reached by branches from the Colorado and Southern railroad and from the Denver & Rio Grande, which parallels a few miles eastward. The station of Barnes, where a bridge was reported dynamited last night, is the junction point of one of these branches, and the destruction of this bridge would interrupt travel on that branch line.

Immediately after signing the order directing Adjutant-General Chase to proceed to the mining district with the entire militia force of the state, Governor Ammons made a statement giving his reasons for issuing the order. "I have no other recourse," the Governor said, "Yesterday the situation got away from everybody. I am compelled to act. For 48 hours I had been trying to arrange a settlement, but the agreement to keep the peace during the negotiations was violated, and the events of Monday showed that the leaders had not enough authority to prevent outbreaks. Any one who wants to work will be given protection to go and come in peace, but I will not allow the importation of strike-breakers. I mean to be fair to both sides, while enforcing peace and protecting life and property."

The Governor's orders to the Adjutant-General proclaim a state of insurrection, direct the disarming of both strikers and mine guards, order the closing of saloons in the district and the enforcement of the order against the importation of strike-breakers and prohibit the intrusion on company property of all except company workers. They direct the preservation of law and order and the protection of life and property.

The ordering of the militia came after a day of conferences. The strikers had yielded several points, and the prospects for a settlement seemed good, when the outbreak of violence in the district put a stop to further negotiations.

The first conferences had hardly begun when word reached the Governor that a force of 100 deputies had fired upon the tent colony of the strikers at Ludlow, and that the strikers, replying with shots, had caused the retreat of a trainload of guards proceeding to the Tabasco mine, said to be besieged by the strikers. The report that the deputy fired first was later denied. Late in the afternoon a party of guards proceeding across the hills to the relief of the Tabasco mine was attacked by strikers near Berwind, and in the exchange of shots it was reported two strikers were killed and five wounded. A report that the strikers had captured seven mine guards could not be confirmed, but it was admitted the strikers had taken possession of a Colorado & Southern switch engine.

The latest outbreak reported after the Governor had decided to order on board the troops was the dynamiting of the railroad bridge at Barnes.

ZERO WEATHER IN THE WEST

WINNIPEG, Oct. 28.—Zero weather visited sections of the Canadian prairie west for the first time this winter. Swift Current recording two degrees below, and other Saskatchewan places a few degrees above zero. It was much milder in Alberta. A cold snap visited this city last night accompanied by a driving snow storm which began in the afternoon with rain and sleet, and turned to snow with a bitter north wind. October, however, had made a new record for mild weather, and most people are well prepared. The harder weather will facilitate the uncompleted threatening operations, particularly in parts of Saskatchewan where little progress has been made during the past fortnight owing to wet weather.

DIAZ GOT PROTECTION VERA CRUZ, Oct. 28.—General Felix Diaz applied to the American consulate during the night for protection and was taken on board the United States Gunboat Wheeling. Jose Sandoval and Cecilio Ocon, two Mexicans, and Alexander Williams, an American newspaper correspondent, who had made similar application to the consulate, were also taken on board the gunboat with General Diaz.

WILL BOOST HYDRO. ST. CATHARINES, Ont. Oct. 28.—At an enthusiastic meeting of the Board of Trade last night, that body made a plan to boost the Hydro by-law which will be voted on here next week and to oppose a proposal to enter into another contract with the Dominion Power and Transmission Company.

DIAZ JUMPS ON THE RESCUE SHIP

Kept at Vera Cruz by U. S. For Such Purposes.

Others May Want to Escape Strong Hand of Huerta.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—The Gunboat Wheeling, because of her light draft, has been held at Vera Cruz with the single purpose of affording refuge to political fugitives as well as officials of the American embassy who might be in distress. The Wheeling was chosen for that particular purpose because she was able to approach the shore of Vera Cruz, whereas the big battleships under Rear Admiral Flagler's command have been obliged to anchor about six miles out from the city.

Officials here say that there is no question whatever of the right of the commander to extend an asylum to such a fugitive as Diaz as there have been many precedents to support such action. In South American countries and notably in Chile and in Peru where, in recent years the right of asylum has been claimed and exercised, it has always been found possible for the United States Minister or consul to secure from the titular government a pledge of safe conduct for the fugitives from their place of hiding to the American ship. In the case of Diaz, however, it is believed that the Washington Government was prepared to go farther, if necessary and to furnish a marine guard, basing such an assertion of extra-territorial authority in the general allegation of the existence of a state of anarchy, recognized by international law as a sufficient warrant for the exercise of such precautions.

It is presumed that once on the Wheeling, General Diaz would be soon transported to one of the battleships in the outer harbor to remain until he can be transferred to one of the merchant steamers bound for another port.

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FINED \$100

Thornton's Limited Case Settled in Police Court Today.

The long drawn out case of the Board of Health vs. the Thornton's Limited, charged with a breach of the Public Health Act, came to an ending this morning when Magistrate Livingston imposed a fine of \$100 on the Company. Sanitary Inspector Glover was present and asked for a conviction. Mr. W. A. Hollinrake appeared for the defendant.

Edward Roberts contributed \$2.85 for a breach of the same act. William Riley charged with being drunk was given another chance. M. N. Wallace was summoned to appear, charged with the same offence, but did not put in an appearance. Jacob Green was assessed \$2.85 for not complying strictly to the Building By-law.

MORE BRIDGES NEEDED ACROSS GRAND RIVER

An Inquiry Launched—Resolution at Council Introduced by Alderman Spence at Meeting Last Night.

The opening of big new districts and the establishment of greater and easier access from one district to another, was the purport of a resolution introduced by Ald. J. H. Spence at the City Council last night. Ald. Spence explained that the measure was for the general development of the city, and not for one or two particular sections. When asked why he had not included in his resolution a recommendation for a subway at St. Paul's Avenue, he declared that such a subway was greatly needed and he was heartily in favor of it, but there were wider areas to be served by new bridges than that beyond St. Paul's. However, he would do his best with the railway and in any feasible scheme to re-open St. Paul's Avenue and restore the rights which undoubtedly a large number of ratepayers had lost by the Grand Trunk agreement. The resolution which was carried, was as follows:

That in the opinion of this Council, the time has arrived when more bridge accommodation should exist between the East and West banks of the Grand River, and this Council would suggest that a committee, consisting of three delegates from the following bodies: City Council, county council, Brantford Township council, Board of Trade and Trades and Labor Council, be appointed by the various bodies mentioned, along with the members for both Dominion and Provincial Houses, to discuss, and if considered advisable, to devise ways and means of financing the construction of said bridge or bridges, and report back to their respective Boards the result of said investigation, and receive fresh instructions regarding same, so that some plan may in the end be devised, suitable to the interests of all parties concerned, and that the City Clerk send copies of this resolution to the various bodies mentioned here, and ask their co-operation in appointing delegates for an early meeting in connection therewith.

Ald. Minshall said he was sorry that no mention had been made of the St. Paul's subway. He declared this was most essential.

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