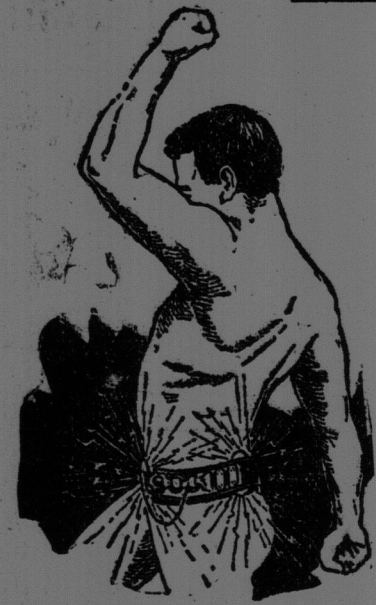


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BOSTONIAN'S OBJECT OF LONE CANADIAN FLAG

Waving Above the Parker House, It Causes Quite a Commotion

Annual Banquet of Canadian Club Held at the Hotel

Closer Relationship Between Canada and States Urged by Speakers

Col. Sam Hughes Declares Countries Can Achieve More Separately

BOSTON, Mass., Mar. 26.—There was a miniature commotion on School street today because the Canadian flag was flying from the end of a flag pole projecting from over the entrance to the Parker House over the street. No serious trouble occurred, but protests were made and the flag was lowered. Later an American flag half as large as the Canadian was run out to the end of the pole, followed by the Canadian ensign. Trouble was caused by men who decorated the Parker House banquet hall for the Canadian Club banquet tonight, at which Col. Sam Hughes, M. P., Governor Pothier of Rhode Island, a native of Quebec, and several others spoke. The law does not allow the public display of foreign flags without equal prominence given to the American.

Their Experience

The Knights of Pythias from St. John ran up against this law, when they were held up in a parade here last summer and requested to carry the American flag alongside theirs. No hard feeling was engendered today, as the man in charge of the decorating is a descendant of a Revolutionary and not pro-British.

In his address at the banquet Governor Pothier said he venerated the flag which waved over his cradle. "That flag," he said, "is a friendly flag, representing people separated politically from the Great American confederacy, but having much in common with us in aspirations, and hopes for development of this continent. The people who believe, I am sure, that these two countries are destined to be drawn into closer relations eventually because of their common interests, their origin and their identical possibilities."

Advocates Co-operation

The governor advocated co-operation between Canada and the United States in protecting the Pacific coast from Oriental hordes. In the event of hostilities, he said, all countries in America should unite in common cause to resist the "yellow peril," if such existed.

Col. Hughes Follows

Colonel Sam Hughes, M. P., followed and referred to the subject of annexation and the "yellow peril" as follows:

"Annexation should never come to pass. The statement that the United States today are face to face with problems that may tax their ingenuity to solve, such nations as are inspired to this, other, whereas were they one, there would be more growth of power, gradually becoming centralized, and in a few generations disruption would surely follow. In the interests of each, annexation should be avoided.

"Suppose for instance that a Japanese or Chinese war with the United States, now a hypothesis, should come a reality, would the United States be stronger or weaker with Canada annexed or separate?

Might Obtain Foothold

"Annexed, the scene might not interest European nations to the extent of interfering to save the situation. Marginalia the energetic Mongolian might in his own inimitable manner obtain foothold on the Pacific slope, destroy the railroad bridges, tunnels and passes across the great table land as well as the American fleet and remain in absolute possession, free from probable attack by the entire force of the United States. Thus the Pacific could readily be made a Mongolian sea and the mountain passes the boundary line.

"But with Canada in full partnership union with England and her colonies, the British Empire would not permit her western coast to become Oriental nor would Australia and New Zealand shores be permitted to be so completely isolated. Thus the United States would, in the independent alliance with Great Britain, be infinitely more powerful than Canada were annexed."

GOVT. PLANS A SALARY GRAB, SAYS REPORT

FREDERICTON, N. B., Mar. 26.—A caucus of the government supporters in the legislature was held this morning, but as far as can be learned there was nothing discussed except the highway act. This question is giving the Hazen followers a great deal of trouble and it is doubtful if they will be able to reach an agreement.

It is said that there is a proposal on foot to increase the salaries of the members of the executive.

At the meeting of the N. B. Press Association this afternoon, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, J. L. Stewart; vice president, J. D. McKenna; and secretary, J. P. Maloney. Council—Geo. J. Clark, W. K. C. Parlee, John T. Hawke, A. J. Payson, H. B. Anslow, R. E. Armstrong, A. M. Belding.

A resolution was adopted urging the government to remove postage from weekly newspapers mailed to points in the United States.

PROF. ANDREWS IS THE NEXT SPEAKER

The executive of the Canadian Club met yesterday afternoon. There were present the president, C. B. Allan; the secretary, E. T. C. Knowles; Dr. A. W. MacRae, Dr. H. S. Bridges, E. B. LeRoy, Geo. A. Henderson, J. N. Harvey, Dr. T. D. Walker, James A. Dator and A. M. Belding.

It was decided to invite Prof. Andrews of McGill University to address the club on Thursday evening, April 16th, on "The Economic Value of a Good Citizen."

A. J. Dawson of the Standard of Empire will address the club at a luncheon on Saturday, April 24th, at 1:15 p.m.

The executive discussed at some length arrangements for the future, and hopes to have a series of very interesting meetings this year.

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PAUPER ARISTOCRAT ASTONISHES GUARDIANS

Appears Before Board Wearing Eyeglasses and Sporting Silver-Mounted Stick.

LONDON, March 26.—Richmond Board of Guardians has just discovered in its workhouse a pauper who has been in the habit of writing begging letters from that institution.

There arrived at the workhouse for the man, whose name is Slater, a letter which an official suspected contained money. On opening the envelope there was found in it a postal order for £5 from a gentleman at Stoke-on-Trent. When interrogated, Slater admitted he had written letters to people all over the country asking for money, which was forwarded to him in postal orders. He always, he declared, addressed the letters from "2, Grove road," which is the registered postal address of the workhouse.

Slater was called before the board for an explanation, and created great surprise when he appeared before the guardians attired in a heavy double-breasted coat, with an eyeglass and a silver mounted walking stick, presenting a very distinguished appearance.

The guardians, after discussing various alternatives, such as retaining the money to pay for his maintenance or turning it to the sender, decided to give the man the postal order, and with it his marching orders. Slater was accordingly told that he was now no longer destitute, and must leave the workhouse.

FIVE CORPSES ADRIFT IN SHIP'S LIFEBOAT

Gross Discovery by Passing Steamer Solves Mystery of the Sea.

PARIS, March 26.—The steamer Australia yesterday, which reached Algiers yesterday, has assisted to clear up a mystery of the sea. Two weeks ago the steamer Australia was driven down in the Mediterranean by an unknown sailing ship.

The crew of the Australia took to the boats and were saved. The fate of the crew of the sailing ship was uncertain. The captain of the Hamburg steamer reported that he had seen previous to his reaching Algiers and at a point about 100 miles from Oran a lifeboat, bearing the words, "Condor, London." The boat, which had a mast and portion of a cabin, contained the bodies of five sailors. As the steamer drew alongside the lifeboat, one of the corpses was washed overboard.

The captain examined the lifeboat and its ghastly freight very closely, and finding that it contained only dead men, he kept on his course and left the boat to drift. The men had clearly been dead for some time, judging from the condition of the bodies. From this discovery it is presumed that it was the Condor which was in collision with the Australia.

What has happened to the rest of the Condor's crew is not known.

KETCHEL WINS FROM O'BRIEN

NATIONAL ATHLETIC CLUB, New York, Mar. 26.—Not since the repeal of the Horan law, which stopped the big flat-bout in this city, has such a fast and furious contest been seen here in the squared circle as that tonight in which Stanley Ketchell, the middleweight champion, defeated Jack O'Brien, Philadelphia at the National Athletic Club. Many thought that O'Brien would do some stalling in this fight, but everyone who saw the fight was agreeably surprised as it was a hot bout from start to finish.

In the first round, O'Brien was knocked down three times and his last fall was practically a clean knockout, as the timely clang of the gong found the Philadelphia in a hopeless state. It was Ketchell's right hand that did the work. The men weighed in at noon today, each tipping the scales at 160 pounds. There were three preliminary bouts, one of which resulted in a knockout, Freddie Dipples of Brooklyn, stopping Andy Parker of New Haven in less than two minutes of the first round.

GOVERNOR MCGREGOR HAS BEEN PROMOTED

LONDON, Mar. 26.—The following changes in the British colonial service have been announced:

Sir Wm. MacGregor, governor of Newfoundland, has been made governor of Queensland; Sir Ralph Chalmers Williams, governor of the Windward Islands, succeeds to the governorship of Queensland; and Sir James Hayes Sadler, governor and commander-in-chief of the East African protectorate, becomes governor of the Windward Islands. Governor MacGregor's salary will be £26,000 yearly. His promotion is due to his services in the matter of the fisheries dispute.

BREWERIES AMALGAMATE

MONTREAL, Mar. 26.—The formation of the Eastern Breweries, with a capital of about \$12,000,000, an amalgamation of all the breweries in this province, was announced today. Not one of them is left out.

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I know of a great many properties worth from seven to eight thousand dollars that are only assessed on five or six thousand.

I earn six hundred and forty dollars per year, and I am taxed thirteen dollars. I do not save any money for a rainy day because my children have many wants that I cannot supply. I do not drink or spend a cent foolishly.

My grocery, dry goods, hardware and boot and shoe men as well as other traders I deal with, are taxed on the stock they carry at the rate of two cents per hundred, and I know that for every dollar's worth I buy I pay two cents as a tax to the city, and I know the merchants don't actually pay one cent of this stock tax. I know the small merchant is taxed up to the full amount of his income or nearly so, and in some cases over. I am told that the rich merchant is not taxed on his net profits or income that he derives from his business, but is only taxed on what he could get a man (who would be much harder up than the rich merchant is), to act as foreman or manager to his business.

I know that as the consumer pays the stock tax of two per cent, and as I pay the city two per cent, on my wages, I pay four per cent, on my six hundred dollars income to the city treasury.

Now, I know that the rich merchant may make from five to twenty thousand per year net profit out of his business, and he is only taxed on from one to three thousand dollars. I know

WANTS TO FOUND REPUBLIC IN PERSIA

Bulgarian Officer Starts on Mission of Deposing Czar and Proclaiming Himself.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 26.—An ex-officer of the Bulgarian army named Petroff is now the central figure in the Persian revolt.

Petroff has placed himself at the head of the revolutionary "army" and is now marching on Tolestan with the avowed intention of killing the Shah and proclaiming himself President of the Persian republic.

This soldier of fortune is apparently destined to become one of the most picturesque figures in the modern history of Persia. He had experience in Macedonia as a leader of insurgent bands, and recently joined the Persian revolutionaries, who specially recognized him as a leader.

As a precautionary measure Russia has dispatched sixty Cossacks and two Maxim guns from Baku to Resht to reinforce the consular guard there, which has hitherto consisted of only nine Cossacks. A Russian gunboat has been sent to Enzeli.

At least 300 Russian deserters and saboteurs are stated to have joined Petroff's revolutionary force.

The critical position of the Persian government is intensified by the fact that the Shah's troops are insufficiently supplied with artillery and ammunition cartridges for their rifles, while the revolutionaries are well armed, having plundered the arsenal at Resht.

OTTAWA, March 26.—A return showing shipments of apples in cold storage from St. John and Halifax was presented to parliament today by the Minister of Agriculture, from St. John last year 2,212 barrels of apples were shipped to Liverpool in cold storage and 5,374 barrels and 186 boxes in cooled air. During January and February of this year the quantity of apples shipped in cold storage from St. John and Halifax was the largest on record for those months.

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