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(Engineering News.)

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More About Resolution Of Montreal Courts OTHERS ARE TO FOLLOW

Pledge Financial Support and Will Obtain Legal Advice—A Member's Views — Says Members Not Consulted By Officials

(Montreal Telegraph)

The battle between the Montreal Lodges of the Independent Order of Foresters and its Supreme Council began in earnest. At a meeting Thursday night financial support was pledged by thirty-one of the local courts to fight the high authorities in their action of reducing the death benefits of old members by placing heavy assessments on them in order to make up a big deficit in the exchequer, caused by these old members having been admitted prior to 1899, at very low rates of payment.

A brief is to be prepared covering the entire matter. This will begin with the legislation claimed to have been secured at Ottawa last spring authorizing the special assessment of \$260 per \$1,000 policy. This, it is stated, could not have been done legally without notice of the intended bill having been published in the local papers, which, it is stated, was not done, none of the lower courts of the order having any cognizance whatever of such legislation until advised by the executive that it had been secured. Secondly, this bill even if properly enacted, required a two-thirds vote within six months to make action under it valid.

It is also learned today that still another mass meeting is to be held next Wednesday night at Monument National, at which a large number of the thirty Montreal courts not represented at last night's meeting are expected to organize for action along the same lines.

Says Members Not Consulted

"Surely," said a member this morning "Mr. Borden is not so poor a politician as to think a two-thirds vote of the executive was a proper authorization for such a measure? If it were, why could he not put his name on the bill instead of a two-thirds vote of his cabinet, instead of being told to take it to the country. I have no doubt the bill meant a two-thirds vote by members. Certainly it could not mean a two-thirds vote of such a body as passed upon it."

"Do you mean to say it was passed by a supreme convention which was not properly constituted?" he was asked.

"That is exactly how it looks to me," he replied. "Such delegates are supposed to be duly elected by their respective courts. In this case, they assuredly were not so elected. There was no time for that, so the executive simply picked its own delegates, taking care to get their opinions first."

"A stuffed convention, you mean?"

"Just that. We will know how this affects the matter when we get our legal advice."

A prominent member of the protesting element has some interesting figures, which he says he wants explained. One point is the question of that four per cent interest charged on the amount by which the face of the policy is reduced.

"Suppose you negotiated a loan from me for \$10,000 at 6 per cent," he said, to illustrate his point. "At the last moment I told you I had decided I could only let you have \$5,000. That I do, of course I shall expect you to pay me interest on the full amount of \$10,000 just the same. Would you do it?"

SALE OF LADIES' BLACK LEATHER SHOPPING BAGS CONTINUED WEDNESDAY MORNING.

Bargain Sale of Buffets and Dining Tables

Commencing Wednesday Morning

On the fourth floor which is devoted to dining room furniture we find that there are too many pieces, so in order to make more space for display, the following pieces will be disposed of as bargains.

These are all new, this season's patterns and may be obtained now at wholesale prices. Just these few pieces in the sale, so decide promptly.

Buffet, golden quartered oak, 54 inch top, British bevel plate oval mirror.
Sale price \$59.40.

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Sale price \$28.80.

Buffet, golden quartered oak, 46 inch top, leaded glass doors, heavy brass trimmings, oval top of British bevel plate.
Sale price \$27.00.

Buffet, golden quartered oak, 46 inch top, oblong plate glass mirror, leaded glass in centre of cupboard.
Sale price \$29.70.

Buffet, quartered oak fumed finish, top 46 inches, plain all-wood front.
Sale price \$29.25.

Round Dining Table, golden quartered oak, extends six feet, massive legs.
Sale price \$18.00.

Round Dining Table with pedestal, golden quartered oak, extends eight feet.
Sale price \$24.30.

Square Dining Table, 44 inch top, extends six feet, golden quartered oak.
Sale price \$18.00.

Round Dining Table, quartered oak fumed finish, plain heavy pedestal.
Sale price \$18.00.

Square Dining Table in elm, 42 inch top, extends six feet.
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Black Taffeta, chiffon finish, for suits, waists, dresses, 36 inches wide, yard \$1.15; 43 inches wide, yard \$1.60.

Charmeuse Satin, for suits, dresses and waists, 39 inches wide, yard \$2.00; 40 inches wide, yard \$1.50, \$1.65, \$1.75, \$2.35.

Fleur de Velour Satin, for waists, dresses and suits, 40 inches wide, yard \$2.50, \$3.15.

Fleur de Nice Satin, for suits, dresses and waists; 40 inches wide, yard \$2.75; 43 inches wide, yard \$3.50.

Black Corded Mantle Silk, suitable for coats and suits, 48 inches wide, yard \$3.00.

Black Faile Francaise, for mantles, 32 inches wide, yard \$3.15; 40 inches wide, yard \$4.00.

Black Duchesse Satin, for linings, 25 inches wide, yard \$1.35.

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Why Western Canada Prospers

S. J. Phillips, writing from the office of the United Committee for the Taxation of Land Values in London, England, has sent the following communication to J. Obed Smith, assistant commissioner of Canada, 11-12 Charing Cross, S. W.:

Dear Sir—The following note appears amongst the "news items" issued this week on behalf of your office by Messrs. S. Davis & Co.:

American immigrants: A number of prosperous immigrants have passed through Calgary on their way to farms between that city and Edmonton. They consisted of thirty families from Massachusetts and New York state, and have migrated to Alberta in consequence of the success of an American farmer who returned to the United States and encouraged his friends to sell out and accompany him to Canada. The general class of settlers going into Alberta is reported to be exceptionally good.

THE LAND TAX

Editor Toronto Telegram:—

Sir,—In your issue of September 30th an article appeared from your own correspondent, entitled "Land Tax is Broken Record." Will you kindly grant me space to correct, if possible, some erroneous impressions given in various papers of the east. This year I have traversed the Northwest provinces and also British Columbia, and am familiar with economic conditions in the far west.

Ald. S. J. Crowe of Vancouver, says Vancouver will have to revert to the ancient method of taxing improvements in order to raise sufficient revenue, and at the same time he tells us that the lands of Vancouver are only assessed at 60 per cent of their value, and the tax rate is only 22 mills. Now it is clear that if all land values were taken for social purposes and a deficit remained, then it might be necessary to tax improvements and thereby retard development when only 22 mills is levied on 60 per cent of the economic value?

The net effect of the enlightened tax system of Vancouver has been to give British Columbia, in 27 years, by far the most modern city of Canada. There are three times as many modern buildings on Granville street, Vancouver, than on Yonge street, Toronto, and the population of Vancouver is only 150,000 and Toronto 450,000. Vancouver is only 27 years of age, while Toronto is about 100. Toronto is the chief city of the richest and most fertile province of the Dominion, which has a population of 2,000,000, while Vancouver has had to fight for a place amid the stern and forbidding Rocky Mountains, with a provincial population of only 400,000.

Mr. Crowe and all others of his frame of mind should take time enough to recognize the vast economic difference between the effect of a tax on land value and the effect of a tax on labor value. When we tax labor value we make goods scarcer and dearer. When we tax land value we make land cheaper and more accessible.

The only weak point in Vancouver's programme is the fact that she takes so little of her own value for her own use, and has allowed a vast amount of land value to go to private individuals, thereby encouraging land speculation.

If money is worth 8 per cent, in Vancouver, her tax rate, instead of 22 mills, should be 80 mills, and the assessment instead of 60 per cent of the value should be 100 per cent. The cure for Vancouver's troubles is not less justice, but more justice; not less democracy, but more democracy.

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There are a number of effective short-stories, "A Professional Episode" is a powerful tale by Arthur Morrison, who wrote "Tales of Mean Streets" and "Green Ginger."

Professor Albert Schinz, of Bryn Mawr, contributes a noteworthy paper entitled "Walt Whitman, a World's Poet?" "The Wife of a Littlelander," by Forbes Lindsay, tells how the members of a certain community have solved the high-cost-of-living problem. "The

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