

SOUTH AFRICAN BILL SUSTAINED

Indemnity Measure Passes
House of Assembly by 57 to
44 Votes.

Premier Smuts Forces Hertzog
To Bare Aims of Na-
tionals.

LONDON, April 30.—(By Canadian Press Cable.)—The House of Assembly of the South African Union on Saturday read the indemnity bill a third time, the vote being 57 to 44, says a Reuter dispatch from Cape Town.

The bill provides for compensation for citizens who suffered because of the recent Rand rebellion. In course of the debate Premier Smuts commented on an earlier statement of Gen. Hertzog, leader of the Nationalist party, that the republic would come when the English and Dutch-speaking people decided through Parliament in favor thereof.

Premier Smuts said that Tielman Roos, leader of the Transvaal Nationalists, who always gave the keynote of the Nationalist policy, had repeatedly said that the farmer and laborer must rule South Africa. Premier Smuts asked Gen. Hertzog whether the co-operation of the Nationalist and Labor parties represented the Nationalist policy. Gen. Hertzog replied: "That is the immediate object."

Alluding to this reply, Premier Smuts said he wanted the whole country to realize the position, adding that the new combination consisted of two entirely heterogeneous elements speaking two voices.

ELLIOTT RESIGNS POST WITH ONTARIO POLICE

Commissioner Reports Ill-Health
Principal Reason for His
Action.

TORONTO, April 29.—General H. M. Elliott, who has for the past year been commissioner of the provincial police, and who has resigned owing to ill-health, spent his last day in office today. General Elliott, who was a great favorite with the majority of members of the force, was the recipient of many good wishes this morning when he doffed the official hat.

General Elliott intends going away for a short time to regain his strength. "It is with many regrets that I am severing my connection with the Ontario provincial police on completion of one year's service," writes General Elliott in a circular letter to the rank and file of the force.

"Poor health and private reasons have compelled me to come to this decision notwithstanding the fact that the reorganization is not complete, but with the appointment of district inspectors and the co-operation of provincial inspectors I feel sure that the new machine, if given a fair trial, will function satisfactorily. This, however, can only be achieved by giving to my successor the unselfish loyalty and assistance that has been accorded to me, therefore establishing an efficient chain of responsibility and the rational enforcement of the law. Goodbye and good luck to all."

BRITISH EDITOR DISCLAIMS GUILT

LONDON, England, April 30.—(By Canadian Press Cable.)—The case against Horatio Bottomley, member of parliament and former publisher of "John Bull," on charges of fraudulently converting funds of the Victory Bond Club, was concluded in the Bow street police court late on Saturday, and was sent up for trial in a higher court. The defendant was admitted to bail.

In a long statement, in which he said he reserved his defence, Bottomley declared the charges against him were utterly false and that the prosecution was exploiting a "veritable mare's nest." He said that at the forthcoming trial he would have no difficulty in proving that never a penny of the Victory Bond Club's funds came into his hands unless he was entitled to it or unless it was required and used for the club's purposes.

MOTOR PARTY COMES TO GRIEF

INGERSOLL, April 30.—Two in Alexandra Hospital and two in the lockup is the manner in which an auto party, said to belong to London, is being taken care of here. One of the two in the hospital is believed to be seriously injured, but no definite statement in this respect could be made by the attending physician.

The party came to grief near Dickson's Corners, North Oxford, this afternoon, after a zig-zag course that terminated abruptly in the ditch. Word was sent to the police. Chief Holmes went to the scene of the mishap and brought two of the party in with him, while the two in the lockup were picked up here. It is claimed that liquor figured prominently in the accident, and more will be ascertained at the justice mill in the morning. The police are endeavoring to learn the name of the owner of the car.

RUSSO-GERMAN PACT REPORTED

LONDON, England, April 30.—A dispatch to the London Times from Warsaw, dated Saturday, says it is reported that a Russo-German military agreement was signed in Berlin, April 3. It provides that the soviet government shall give Germany warships and maintain a certain number of troops opposite the Polish frontier. Germany is to deliver to Russia arms and munitions and equipment for the construction of poison gas warheads and also airplanes and wireless ant.

Members of Mildmay Congregations Take Action in Favor of Church Union

Special to London Advertiser.
MILDMAY, April 30.—Congregational meetings to discuss the feasibility of church union in Mildmay were held in the Methodist and Presbyterian churches here yesterday afternoon, when both congregations voted in favor of the union plan. It is expected that the change will come into effect about July 1 next.

NEW CHURCH BODY FORMED IN GALT

Followers of Rev. W. S. Webb Join
Christian and Missionary Alliance
of Toronto.

WILL HEAD KILTIE BAND

R. W. Roelofson Accepts Temporary
Directorship of Well-Known
Musical Organization.

Special to London Advertiser.
GALT, April 30.—R. W. Roelofson, one of the city's prominent manufacturers, and an ex-bandmaster of the Kiltie band, has been requested to again become leader of the band. He has consented to accept the position temporarily. Under his direction the band became one of the best-known musical organizations in Western Ontario.

Since he resigned the pastorate of the First Baptist Church, Rev. W. S. Webb has been holding services in the Barrett and Martin Hall, and now his followers have been organized into a religious body, a branch of the Christian and Missionary Alliance of Toronto. Rev. A. W. Roffe, superintendent for Canada, organized the work here.

Re-Elected President.

James Heveron of Waterloo was re-elected president of the Western Ontario Typothetae at the annual meeting held at the Iroquois Hotel here. Other officers are: Vice-presidents, B. G. Gummer, Guelph; Ivan Shantz, Kitchener; Jas. Hurley, Jun. Brantford; H. J. Foster, Galt; J. E. Cheevers, Guelph; secretary-treasurer, D. R. Wallace, Guelph; J. E. Middleton of Galt was elected a member of the finance committee.

Herbert Mowat, who left Monday for Toronto where he will make his headquarters as general secretary of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, carried away with him a beautiful pair of gold cuff links, suitably engraved, as a gift from the Young Men's Club of Trinity Church, of which he had been the popular leader for several years.

Ticket Agent Resigns.

Alexander McKean, city ticket agent of the C. P. R. in this city for the past sixteen years, today gave up his post, having been superannuated after forty years' service. He commenced his railroad career as a clerk at Winnipeg for twenty years, and Bluff, Manitoba. He then came east and entered the mercantile business at Mount Forest, having charge of the railway, express, telegraph and steamship agencies. He was there seventeen years, and after six months in Chatham came to Galt in May, 1906, and has been here ever since.

His successor, who commences his duties tomorrow will be John Campbell, travelling passenger agent. Mr. Campbell, before going on the road for the company, was the freight and depot agent here, and has made Galt his home for many years.

JUSTICE LOGIE HOLDS WEEKLY HIGH COURT

Issues Various Orders in Cases
Affecting Estates and
Transfers.

Justice Logie presided at the weekly high court Saturday morning held at the courthouse. His Galt and Scottish Clan, an order was made on consent for payment out of court to the widow of \$100, balance to Florence Ward, E. M. Flock speaking for all parties.

Re Ellen Lee estate, an order was made releasing Richard Lee from acting as executor of the estate and appointing Richard W. Lee in his stead; reference ordered to local master to take old accounts and propound a scheme for maintenance of Ellen Lee and her family. F. H. Curran for the motion.

Re W. R. Mayer, vendor to W. H. Bartlett, purchaser, an order was made declaring that certain conveyances registered do not form a cloud upon the vendor's title, the land being in the township of Westminster. U. A. Buchner for the vendor; B. Ramsay for the purchaser.

BUSINESS BLOCK AT ST. MARYS BURNED

ST. MARYS, May 1.—Thousands of dollars damage was done at an early hour this morning by a fire which broke out from an unknown cause at about 1:30 o'clock in the heart of St. Marys' business section.

Among the buildings already destroyed or partly destroyed are a Chinese laundry, from which the laundrymen just escaped in the nick of time; G. W. Gregory's clothing store; George Robertson's jewelry store and McLean's drug store. The firemen responded promptly, and many citizens at 2 o'clock this morning were helping to fight the flames, which it is feared may spread to other buildings.

STEAMER ARR VALS.

NEW YORK, April 29.—Lituania.

GOTHENBURG, April 29.—Stockholm, New York.

LIVERPOOL, April 29.—Carmania, New York.

HAMBURG, April 27.—Orduna, New York.

DANZIG, April 21.—Polonia, New York.

NEW YORK, April 30.—Panhandle State, London; Noordam, Rotterdam; Southern Cross, Buenos Aires.

QUEENSTOWN, April 27.—Cedric, New York.

ODDFELLOWS HOLD PARADE TO CHURCH

Members of Order in St. Thomas
Hear Address by Rev. Wilfrid
Gaetz.

LAUDS FRATERNAL IDEAL

Pastor Scores Hypocritical Persons
Who Seek "To Advertise
Wrongs of Others."

Special to London Advertiser.
ST. THOMAS, April 30.—One of the largest crowds ever witnessed here turned out today to participate in the 103rd annual Oddfellows' church parade, held at First Methodist Church. Representatives of the order were in attendance from London, St. Thomas, Port Stanley, Aylmer and a number of other places in the district.

The parade formed at the city hall near the east-end clubrooms, headed by the Elgin Regimental brass band, and followed immediately by the members of the Canton in dress uniform of gold and braid, and the members of the Lady Rebekahs.

An interesting discourse was delivered at the church by Rev. Wilfrid Gaetz, about 1200 being present in the service. The choir, who assisted in the service, were all members of the order, and J. H. Jones, former Trinity Church organist and a member of St. Thomas Lodge, No. 78, presided at the organ.

Urges Brotherhood.

In his address, Mr. Gaetz urged a greater exemplification of the world brotherhood. Benevolence among members of the fraternity of Oddfellows was, he said, a very fine thing, and he had heard a great deal of the good work done. It was necessary, however, in order to fight conditions in the world today, to create a greater spirit of brotherhood planned after Christ's teachings.

The speaker used as a theme for his address the words from St. Luke 10: 31, "And when he saw him he passed by on the other side," from the parable of the Good Samaritan. He said that the barbarism evidenced in the parable quoted was still in existence today.

Barbarism of an equally dangerous kind could very easily be found under the veneer of modern civilization, and while the tomahawk and other war weapons of early days were not in use today, other even more dangerous weapons were used.

Three Pass By.

In the parable three persons passed by the Priest and the Levite, both prominent in church work, while the Samaritan, a man not looked upon highly in church life of the day, stopped and administered to the man who had fallen among thieves. The same thing often occurred in modern life, he said.

The general opinion of some, even some of those prominent in church affairs, was that because they had escaped through life they might scourge the man who had fallen among thieves.

"I'd far rather be the man among thieves who was administered to when I meet my Master than those hypocritical persons who seek to advertise the wrongs of others," declared Mr. Gaetz.

CARS CRASH AT ST. THOMAS

Samuel Grantham Sustains Severe
Injuries to Head.

Special to London Advertiser.
ST. THOMAS, April 30.—Samuel Grantham, a Balacava street resident, was severely injured about 12:15 this morning when a taxi-cab operated for the Palace Livery of this city, collided with a car he was driving, at the corner of Balacava and Edward streets. Mr. Grantham was removed from the car and rushed to a physician, where it was found necessary to place several stitches in his head. The cars were both slightly damaged.

HAMILTON FIRE CHIEF INJURED

HAMILTON, April 30.—Chief A. B. Teneyck of the fire department and Firemen W. Trodman, Herb Cunliffe and Fred Hampson were injured Saturday afternoon while fighting a fire which did heavy damage to the Imperial Vinegar and Pickling Company's works. Chief Teneyck's condition is regarded as serious, having suffered a severe shaking-up and a bad gash on the head. A score of firemen had a narrow escape when one of the brick walls collapsed.

The origin of the blaze, which did \$20,000 damage, is not known.

CLAIMS BANDITS KILLED LIETKINS

LONDON, April 29.—According to news received from the Crimea, says a dispatch to the London Times from Riga dated Thursday, Commissioner of Education Lietkins was murdered while walking from Yalta to Livadia. An official communication, the dispatch adds, ascribes the murder to bandits, and says cavalry has been sent into the Yalta district to capture the murderers.

FORMER RESIDENT KILLED.

Special to London Advertiser.

TARA, April 30.—Miss Jennie Dalgarno, daughter of the late A. W. Dalgarno, of Arran Township, and a former resident of Tara, was struck and killed by an automobile at Long Beach, California, according to word received here.

SLAYS CRIPPLED WIFE WITH AXE

York County Farmer Also
Inflicts Severe Injuries On
Stepdaughters.

Robert Stevenson Placed
Under Arrest While On
Way To Toronto.

SUTTON WEST, Ont., April 30.—One of the most gruesome tragedies which the northern part of York county has known for many years occurred late yesterday afternoon, when Robert Stevenson, who lives on a farm several miles south of here, killed his wife by battering her over the head with an axe and inflicted such frightful injuries on his stepdaughters, 11 and 13 years of age, that the condition of both is grave, and the recovery of one is most doubtful.

The tragedy came as a climax to a series of domestic troubles which, it is understood, had been in progress for a long time.

Mrs. Stevenson, who was partially crippled, and unable to defend herself, evidently was killed almost instantly. The wounds inflicted upon the two children were most severe, Chief Kirk stated, their heads being cut open by blows from the axe.

The older girl, Nora, ran out of the house and started across the fields. Procuring a shot-gun, Stevenson gave chase, and when he caught up, shot her. The condition of the girl indicates that when the man caught her, she faced about and threw up her arms for protection, as both her arms and her breast were filled with shot.

After committing the crime, Stevenson took to the woods whither a posse of farmers pursued him. As darkness came on, however, they were unable to track him, and the next heard of the man was when he boarded a Metropolitan car heading for Toronto. The conductor notified the police who boarded the car at Schomberg and made the arrest.

POLICE DISCOVER MASH OWNER MAKES ESCAPE

St. Thomas Officers Unable to Lo-
cate Still on Premises.

Special to London Advertiser.
ST. THOMAS, April 30.—A search made by officers on Saturday at the home of Michael Makray, Lynhurst, resulted in the discovery of a large quantity of wheat and rye mash, and a charge will be laid under the inland revenue act.

When Detective Joseph McCully and Revenue Inspector W. T. Collins succeeded in entering the house they were met by Mrs. Makray. In a room which was boarded up and which is alleged to have been used for distilling purposes, they found two large barrels and large amounts of grain and sugar.

Before the officers entered they were met by Makray, who offered to take them through the rooms after he had put his horses in the barn. Makray left the officers while he went round to the back to open a door. He did not return and has not been seen since.

The officers believe that some of the liquids were poured down into the cellar before they went in. No trace of a still was found.

GRAIN CARRYING OPENS

Six Large Freighters Cleared at
Goderich Harbor.

Special to London Advertiser.
GODERICH, April 30.—The grain trade at the harbor has got away to a good start, six big freighters having been handled at the harbor in the past week.

The members of the Menesetung Canoe Club are considering the installing of a radioophone in their club at the Masonic Temple. A final decision will be reached at a meeting the first of next week.

The prospects for a good summer trade is bright, all of the cottages practically being engaged already. Charles Lee, the proprietor of the Sunset Hotel, is making improvements in the way of putting running water in all the rooms.

CANADA SECOND IN MILK EXPORT

LONDON, April 30.—(By Canadian Press Cable.)—Discussing the importation of condensed milk into Great Britain, "the agricultural market report" issued by the minister of agriculture, refers to the great modernization in trade conditions in recent years, the change being mainly one of direction.

The publication shows that North America has now almost completely ousted Switzerland from the position it held ten years ago, when that country practically supplied the whole English trade. Canada now takes second place only to the United States in the sweetened whole condensed milk trade. Canada's maximum exportation to Great Britain occurred in 1920. Australia and New Zealand, says the report, are now entering the market as shippers.

COMPOSER'S MOTHER KILLED.

NEW YORK, April 30.—Mrs. Rose Grainger of White Plains, N. Y., Australian composer and pianist, was killed today by a fall from the 18th story window in the Aeolian Hall building. The police reported it as a case of suicide. Word was immediately sent to the son, who is said to be in Los Angeles on a concert tour.

COMPROMISE WAGE RATE.

HAMILTON, April 29.—Commencing May 1, the stonecutters' wage rate will be 87½ cents per hour. The former scale was 90 cents. The employers asked for a reduction of 10 cents an hour, but a compromise was effected.

NOTICE TO THE PEOPLE OF London and Vicinity

Positively the most astounding announcement ever made to the people of London will appear on page 7 in Wednesday's paper, an announcement of vital importance to every man and young man in London and vicinity.

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Page 7 in this paper next Wednesday, May 3. Phone your friends and tell your neighbors. Big surprises are in store for the people of London.

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