

PREMIER IN ROLE OF PEACEMAKER?

Sir Robert Borden and Two Cabinet Ministers Off to Valcartier.

FRICION REPORTED

Officers Said to Resent Bitterly Criticisms of Hon. Sam Hughes.

OTTAWA, Sept. 18.—Sir Robert Borden, Sir George Foster and Hon. Robert Rogers left for Valcartier to-night, where, it is understood, the premier's aid will be sought in straightening out some serious difficulties that have arisen in connection with the organization of the overseas force.

They will probably remain also for the review of the troops on Sunday, at which the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall will be present.

It is understood here that Hon. Sam Hughes has been free of his criticisms of officers in the presence of men under their command and that resentment over this treatment has resulted in protests to Premier Borden being made.

Pungent Criticisms. It is stated that on one occasion Col. Hughes, accompanied by the com. postcommandant and staff, first made their appearance when a certain battalion was drawn up in column awaiting his arrival. Apparently nettled because he was not received with the "Present arms," the minister rode up to the commanding officer and ordered him to take charge of his regiment.

"That is if you can," he added. During the subsequent manoeuvres Col. Hughes repeatedly rode up to senior officers and abused them for imagined breaches of discipline. To one officer, a veteran, and generally conceded to be one of the most efficient officers in Western Ontario, he addressed some particularly pungent remarks, declaring that he was not fit to be in the service.

"God pity the men," exclaimed the minister, after watching one manoeuvre.

Many of the officers were given orders, and hardly had the commands been issued before Col. Hughes criticised the recipient for not having them carried out. A typical instance of this came when a colonel was ordered to put the battalion thru the attack.

"From where is the attack coming?" he asked, preparatory to making disposition of his command. "Get out," shouted the minister. "You would all have been shot, to pieces by this time," he then ordered another officer, a junior captain, to take the senior's place. Long before the former had carried out the manoeuvre, however, Col. Hughes had ridden from the scene.

CAPT. LINDSAY TO AID TROOP TRANSPORTATION

Superintendent of Pilots Leads His Services to Marine Department.

By a Staff Reporter.

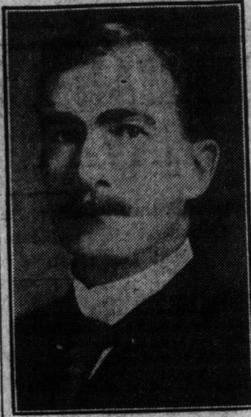
OTTAWA, Sept. 18.—The services of Captain H. St. George Lindsay, superintendent of pilots, have been temporarily lent by the marine department to the department of militia and defence in connection with the transportation of the Canadian troops to the scene of the war. He will inspect all the trophies used, and act in any other capacity required.

Saturday Afternoon Lake Trip. The delightful Saturday afternoon trips across the lake to Lewiston and Queenston are still available by the commodious steamers of the Canada Steamship Lines, Limited. This beautiful September weather is ideal for a sail on the lake. Steamer leaves city street dock at 2:06 p.m. Rate is only 75 cents. Tickets at office, 48 Yonge street, or Vanoe street dock.

TROLLEY VAN RUN DOWN.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Sept. 18.—Eleven persons were killed and fifteen injured as the result of a trolley car being run down by an Illinois Central freight train near this city.

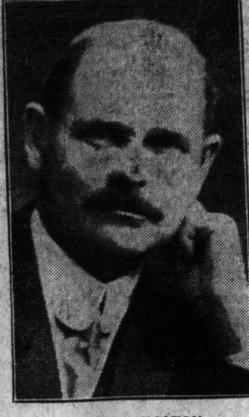
WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION COMMISSION.



SAMUEL PRICE, K.C., Chairman.



A. W. WRIGHT, Vice-Chairman.



Geo. A. KINGSTON, Commissioner.

ONTARIO COMMISSION ON COMPENSATION IS NOW READY FOR WORK

Alexander Wright and George A. Kingston Chosen To Work With Samuel Price, K.C.—Court Will Open January 1st, 1915—Government Thinks No Delay Is Necessary.

The personnel of the workmen's compensation commission is now complete. The Ontario Government announced last evening that A. W. Wright and Geo. A. Kingston will serve with chairman Samuel Price, K.C., of St. Thomas, in this court, which opens on Jan. 1. Alexander Whyte Wright has been chosen as the second member and vice-chairman of the commission. He is known as one of the first and strongest advocates of public ownership in Ontario, a thoughtful writer on economic questions and a careful executive. Born at Elmira, Ont., about 70 years ago, his life has been largely spent in Canada. His gift of oratory gave him a place in the election campaign of 1878, won by the Conservatives. In 1895 he was appointed by the Dominion Government a commissioner to enquire into sweatshop conditions. In 1897 he went to New York to edit The American Artisan, having acquired considerable journalistic experience in his younger days as editor of The Guelph Herald, The Orangeville Sun, The Stratford Herald and The Toronto National and Labor Reformer. On his return some

years later he became Conservative organizer for Ontario. His present home is in Niagara, although he lived for many years in Toronto.

An Eminent Lawyer. Samuel Price, K.C., whose appointment as chairman of the commission was announced July 21, is eminent among the lawyers of the province. He lives in St. Thomas, and specializes in actuarial work and the more abstruse branches of his profession. He has served on royal commissions, and once declined the chairmanship of the Ontario Railway Board.

Has Studied the Subject. The third member of the commission, George A. Kingston, is 48 years of age, and has lived in Toronto continuously since 1889. He was born near Stirling, in Hastings County. During the seven years which followed his graduation from Osgoode Hall in 1892, he practised law.

For the next ten years, until 1909, he was engaged in the insurance business, much of this time however as claims solicitor for the Employers Liability Assurance Corporation. This experience gave him a very special opportunity of studying the subject of Workmen's Compensation, and especially the relation of rate to risk, and the relative hazards of various employments.

While engaged in this work he published in 1909 a compendium of Workmen's Compensation Laws in the various provinces of Canada. He was then assistant manager of the Union Trust Company since June, 1910.

No delay necessary. Now that the commission has been chosen the next step will be the organization of the department, and it is likely that the commissioners will be called together shortly for a conference. One of the more important appointments yet to be made is that of medical referee, and several names are obtaining consideration.

It is the government's intention to set the court in action on the date arranged in the house. Although there has been suggestions that industrial conditions will warrant any delay, Chairman Price will receive \$10,000 annually as his salary, Mr. Wright \$8500 and Mr. Kingston \$7500.

MOVE TO CONCRETE KINGSTON HIGHWAY

Whitby Residents to Approach Government — To Give Work to Idle.

At a meeting in Whitby last night, a deputation was appointed to request the Whitby council with a view to join in petitioning the provincial government to convert the Kingston road into a permanent, concrete highway the same as is proposed regarding the Toronto-Hamilton road in order to give work to the unemployed during the winter. A deputation will also ask the Oshawa Board of Trade to join in the movement.

ERIN TOWNSHIP FARMER CONDEMNED TO PAY FINE

Special to The Toronto World. GUELPH, Sept. 18.—Samuel Davidson of Erin Township was tried before Judge Haynes for having in May last received from one Mrs. Roberts of Toronto, certain goods, with the intent of assisting her to defraud creditors. The case occupied nearly two days of the court and finished today. The judge found him guilty and sentenced him to pay a fine of \$85.

GERMAN COUNT WOUNDED.

PARIS, Sept. 18.—Among the wounded prisoners in the hospital at Saint Mandrier is the Count of Honthal and Bergen, a lieutenant in the Saxon cavalry of the Imperial Guards, and a son of the Saxon minister of foreign affairs, who was made a prisoner at Pont a Mousson.

THE WOMEN WORKERS

Interest in the group of apartment houses which have been taken over by the local council was shown last evening when a very fair representation of business women met in the Margaret Eaton studio in an invitation of the council for an informal conference. The president, Mrs. Huestis gave a glowing account of the apartments, their completeness or the houses would undoubtedly appeal to many hundreds, were they but aware of the opportunities offered. Plans for a large living-room, kitchen, basement, bathroom, balcony, electric fixtures, hot water all the year around, blinds and lawn, all from \$450 a month to \$12.00.

The location on Bain avenue was described as most desirable, the view being delightful. A member of the council, who will have supervision, will reside on the premises and every attention will be given to the comfort of the tenants. It is the intention to have a home-party in the near future to which business girls and women will be invited where they may make arrangements and have a "try-out" generally. Mrs. Irvine may be seen at the Ryrie Building from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. and will be glad to give further particulars.

Nurses Elect Officers.

The officers of the graduate nurses elected for the ensuing year are: President, Miss Tilley; Bradford first vice-president, Mrs. Morton, Collingwood; recording secretary, Miss Pringle, Toronto; corresponding secretary, Miss Cooper, Toronto; treasurer, Miss Stewart, Toronto. Directors elected were: Mrs. Mathewson, Mrs. Struthers, Miss Ewing, Miss Newell, Miss Robson, Mrs. Clutterbuck, Miss McNeil, Mrs. Dawson, Miss O'Connor, Miss Jamieson, Mrs. McConnell, Miss Minnie, Miss Allin, Miss Boyd, Miss Rowan and Mrs. Nell. Conveners of chapters, Miss Dyke, Toronto; Miss Dyman, Hamilton; Miss M. Dyke, Peterboro.

Will Hold Supper.

At the first executive of the Political Equality League, held at the home of the president, Mrs. Hector Prenter, it was decided that the first meeting would take the form of a supper to be held at the Brown Betty Tea Room, September 29 at 8:30 p.m. Professor A. T. De Lury, vice-president of the Polity Club, has consented to give an address.

For the purpose of supplementing the 150 kit-bags already sent out, the ladies' committee of the U.E.L. met at the rooms of the Woman's Art Club yesterday afternoon, when a supply of articles and towards the additional 50 which it is the intention of the women to contribute.

Every kit-bag is worth from \$5 to \$7, and the material and workmanship are all of the best. Col. Byerson dropped in and looked over the stock in hand, and promised in the near future to let the members something of his late experiences in Valcartier.

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COUBOURG BATTERY RETURNS.

Special to The Toronto World. KINGSTON, Sept. 18.—The Coubourg battery which arrived Tuesday from Vancouver has been ordered to return for Coubourg on Saturday. The battery has been quartered in Toronto barracks.

GIRL GUIDES' FETE.

At the Girl Guides' fete today at Cassi Loma the following will take part in the musicale, which was arranged by Mrs. Ambrose Small: Mrs. Donald Macgregor, Miss Kathleen Wallis, Mrs. William Donald Barrow and Mrs. Edward Paulds. "The Call of the Empire," dedicated to Sir Henry Pellatt, will be sung by the composer, the Rev. Charles le Vasconte Brine.

POOR RELIEF CAMPAIGN.

The women's auxiliaries of eleven North Toronto churches will start a campaign on Monday for the relief of the poor of the district by making suitable winter clothing for those in distress. The work will be under the supervision of the Toronto and York Patriotic Fund.

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Canadian Order of Foresters

The position of the Canadian Order of Foresters with reference to those of its members who already have or who may hereafter enter the active service of Great Britain, or of any of Britain's allies, in the present war, is as follows:—

- 1. The Insurance and Sick and Funeral Benefits of all members admitted to the Order prior to August 1, 1914, will be good and valid, notwithstanding that they serve in the armies or navies of Great Britain or of any of Britain's allies in the present war. 2. The Insurance and Sick and Funeral Benefit premiums or assessments of those members admitted prior to August 1, 1914, serving as aforesaid, will, during the war, or for one year, should the war last longer, be paid out of the General Fund of High Court. 3. This provision for the payment of premiums or assessments is not by way of loan, and will not be a charge on the policy. It is a gift or bonus to those who take up arms in defence of the Empire in the present crisis. 4. If the war should last longer than one year, we hope to be able to renew this bonus. 5. We have extended these provisions to those who may serve in the armies or navies of Britain's allies, for the reason that many of our members are French Reservists, and some are Reservists of Belgium and Russia, and we feel that all are fighting in defence of the British Empire. 6. Notice should be given by or on behalf of members affected to the officers of the Subordinate Courts in which they hold membership.

J. A. STEWART, High Chief Ranger