

HAMILTON HAPPENINGS

LABOR PARTY LIKELY TO DROP FIGHT IN WEST

But It All Depends on Whether Dr. Russell Runs—Studholme Looks a Winner.

HAMILTON, Nov. 22.—(Special.)—While the question of political candidates in the two Hamilton constituencies is not conclusively settled yet, it is more than probable that there will be a three-cornered fight in either riding. The local executive committee of the reform party have done all that seems possible to carry out their instructions from Toronto to put up a candidate in both the constituencies.

Russell Hits Tight. The Liberals have invited Dr. Russell to stick in the west, and if he does not change his mind, he and Col. Hendrie will fight it out for that seat, and the labor party will restrictively devote their efforts to the east.

A good meeting of Ward 1 workers was held at the labor headquarters at 24 King-street, East, on Tuesday night, in the interests of Allan Studholme, M.L.A., and Controller Cooper, the Conservative nominee.

The workers present reported that the sentiment in favor of Studholme in their respective districts was steadily growing, and all appeared confident that the labor member will make a better showing in the election than in any previous one.

H. G. Roberts, the labor party whip in the British House of Commons, will address the electors of Hamilton some time during the campaign, but the date has not been fixed yet. A meeting of the labor party will be held this week, when it will be decided whether or not a labor man will contest the South Wentworth riding.

Arrangements were made to-night for mass meetings, and Kennedy's hall will be utilized for one next Wednesday night.

The store on East King-street, which S. D. Bigger, a member of the Toronto executive refused to allow the labor party to use for campaign headquarters, has been rented to the Conservatives for the same purpose, and the labor men resent the discrimination shown against them.

At Banquet to the Duke. The list of 200 guests who will be invited to attend the duke's banquet to be tendered the Duke of Connaught on his visit here on Dec. 1, has been completed by the reception committee, and includes representatives of the city and county, the board of education, religious denominations, Canadian Club, and fraternal societies, commercial organizations, military units, and the newspapers.

Invitations to the evening will be issued at the duke's office, and people desiring them are required to apply in person. Evening dress is prescribed, but this may be modified by the men wearing black frock coats.

Revenue From Liquor. The city share of the liquor license revenue for the year ending March 31, 1912, was received by the city treasurer this morning from the license department, in the form of a cheque for \$12,475. This is for the half year, and is derived from 59 tavern licenses, two of which were for only three months, one

beer and wine license, 15 shops and 37 bartenders. The license cut off early in the year will reduce the city's revenue from that source about \$400 a year.

Germany Hotel, John and Main-streets, central, first-class table and rooming accommodation.

ILLEGAL TO TEACH GERMAN?

Berlin Educationists Are Alarmed by Hon. Mr. Foy's Pronouncement.

BERLIN, Nov. 22.—(Special.)—There is considerable anxiety in the Berlin German School Association circles regarding statements made by members of the Whitney government of late respecting the bilingual school question. While it is maintained by some that the discussion deals with the teaching of French in public schools in various parts of the province, there are others who are of the opinion that the teaching of German in the Berlin schools must also be contrary to the law governing the educational system of Ontario.

German is taught in the public schools here commencing in the second readers class, and so on to the high school entrance examination.

PRINCIPAL REDUCED IN RANK.

BERLIN, Nov. 22.—(Special.)—There is a report in educational circles the city, brought on by the action of the board of education in appointing W. H. Williams as principal of collegiate and technical institute, of absence was granted D. Forsyth, the former principal, eighteen months ago. It is thought that Williams has returned to Berlin to-day to find only a subordinate position awaiting him on the collegiate staff.

Mr. Williams has been acting principal since the death of Mr. Forsyth, who is a capable officer, it is regarded as poor grace and bad politics to remove Mr. Forsyth as chief of the staff.

The socialist candidate is putting up a strenuous fight this campaign and his supporters claim there is a slight for him. A well attended meeting was held to-night in Bricklayers' Hall, at which H. Martin, the candidate, was the chief speaker.

WANT DIRECT ROUTE

C. N. R. Appeals From Order to Build into Sturgeon Falls.

The Canadian Northern Railway has made application to the minister of railways at Ottawa to have the decision of Hon. G. F. Gauthier, ordering the C.N.R. to run into Sturgeon Falls rescinded. The railway want to build their line on the map route filed with the department last year, claiming that it is the most direct route to Port Arthur.

Delegations were on hand from Sturgeon Falls and other points to express their views on the matter, but the minister reserved his judgment.

HOPE TO DO BETTER

Bell Telephone Makes Promises to Board of Trade Deputation.

A deputation of the board of trade yesterday waited on K. J. Dunstan, manager of the Bell Telephone, and laid before him a number of complaints regarding inefficient telephone service. Mr. Dunstan explained that he had experienced numerous difficulties in the past owing to the large increase in the number of phones used, and the difficulty in securing efficient help. He hoped, however, that a more satisfactory service would be available in the future.

WOMEN AS AVIATORS.

Some day there will arise a vigorous revolt against aviation—a revolt that will dwarf the agitation recently prosecuted against Sunday flying on Long Island. This day will be marked by the shocking death of some woman aviator. So far the development of the aeroplane has been watched for its scientific interest. Men might not yet have definitely settled in the category of sports. That being the case the scores of fatalities among the pioneers of atmospheric conquest have been set down to science and discovery. The men, as they have fallen, have passed with a few words of regret in the name of progress.

To the present the women that have entered the lists have been singularly fortunate, but it is true that there are those that take their toll of men will not forever overlook the women who court the same fate. And it cannot be denied that women are striving to add to the sum of scientific knowledge of human flight. They are testing their prowess for personal glory, for the sake of sport or for the money the public is willing to pay to see them risk their lives. Sooner or later the public will see one of these women start on a deadly height assist in gathering up the sorry remnants and then proceed to reproach herself or the family for permitting the pitiful waste of a life. The women that wish to fly promiscuously will insist with indignation on the right to do as they please with their lives. Even so the automobile speed fiend contends of the right to pave his life on the race track for the sake of a new record; the pugilist insists that it is only his face and the other fellow's that got hurt in the prize-ring; the man that professes to have had enough of the world declares his right to quit it at will.

It is not a question purely of woman's rights, altho her present freedom to emulate her brethren in the air may incidentally be cited as evidence of another almost unlimited range of privilege. As a matter of public policy no woman should be permitted to risk her life in the air. It is doubtful enough whether she should be allowed to imperil herself and others by running an automobile.

If there is any virtue in prevention as contrasted with removal, the aeroplanes and the public generally should discourage, if they do not actually prohibit, the flight of women. Perhaps their flight is as steady as those of men; it may be that their sense of responsibility is as keen as those of men. But the best trained and the most conscientious headed men come to disaster one after another in their aerial excursions. The men can learn all that science and warfare care to know about flying. And women can better wait until safety aloft is assured—if it ever can be.

Said No Such Thing. Dr. J. A. Macdonald stated yesterday that the press despatch from Chicago quoting him to the effect that Canadians were now repentant for having voted against reciprocity were absolutely incorrect for he made no such statement.

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Next Tuesday afternoon Miss Dookray will hold reception at her home, 155 Rusheime-road.

The regular monthly meeting of the Westminster Chapter, L.O.E.B., was held on Monday, Nov. 20, in Argyle Hall. The meeting being an open one, a large number were present. It was decided by the members that the chapter hold a "valent tea" on Dec. 7, the funds to go towards furnishing a ward for the children's department of the Weston Free Hospital for Consumptives. Mrs. Dickson, lady superintendent of the hospital, gave a very interesting talk on their work. A special did paper on "Why French-Canadians should be loyal to Great Britain" written and read by Mrs. E. A. Stewart. Two vocal solos were given by Miss Kingshore after which tea was served.

Receptions. Lady Melvin Jones, Friday, and not again this year.

Mrs. T. Crawford Brown, in her new house, Easiltree, St. George-street, to-day and Friday.

Mrs. C. Milton Horswell (nee McCulloch), post-nuptial, this afternoon and evening, 729 Bathurst-st.

Mrs. J. J. Trill (nee Crichton), post-nuptial, this afternoon, at 132 Geoffrey-st.

Mrs. Wallace Waller (nee Mermer) post-nuptial, to-day, at 113 Water-st., High Park.

Mrs. H. G. Buckland and Miss Doris Buckland on Thursday, Nov. 23, and not again until after the New Year.

Mrs. Charles Good, 287 Russell Hill Drive, on the last Thursday in November and not again until the first Thursday in February.

Mrs. James Stevenson, 42 Foxcar-road, not again until after the New Year.

Mrs. and Miss Job, on Friday afternoon, at 17 Borden-street, and not again until the New Year.

NEW THEORY AS TO THE NOISE OF THUNDER.

It has usually been thought that the noise of thunder is caused by the closing up of the vacuum created by the passage of the lightning, the air rushing in from all sides with a clap; but the intensity of the noise is rather disproportionate, and it is now supposed that thunder is due to the intense heating of gases, especially the gas of water vapor, along the line of electric discharge, and the consequent conversion of suspended moisture into steam at enormous pressure.

In this way, says Harper's Weekly, the crackle with which a peal of thunder sometimes begins might be regarded as the sound of steam explosion on a small scale caused by discharges before the main flash. The rumble would be the overlapping steam explosion, and the final clap, which sounds loudest, would be the steam explosion nearest to the auditor.

In the case of rumbling thunder the lightning is passing from cloud to cloud. When the flash passes from the earth to the clouds the clap is loudest at the beginning. Trowbridge gave substance to these suppositions by causing electric flashes to pass from point to point thru terminals clothed in wet cotton tulle, and he succeeded in magnifying the crack of the electric spark to a terrifying extent.

A goat lives on an average ten years and gives a quart of milk a day.

An electric sign in Baltimore consists of a huge bolt weighing fifteen tons, but so delicately balanced that it is rotated by a three-horse-power motor. The inscription on the bolt is in letters two feet high and five broad.

CARPENTERS WILL BE FORGIVEN BY A.F. OF L.

Expelled Last Year, They Will Probably Come Back—For Compulsory Education.

ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 22.—When the convention of the American Federation of Labor meets to-morrow morning it will be with the expectation of passing on the reports of two of its most important committees, that on the adjustment of industrial disputes and that on the president's report. The adjustment committee has in hand the long-waged controversy between the carpenters and the electrical workers, which resulted last year in the expulsion of the former from the building trades department. It is expected that the committee will recommend the reinstatement of the carpenters if they will agree to abide by the decision of the department in future disputes.

All the recommendations made by President Gompers in his annual report have been considered by the committee to which the resignation of Chairman Wilson declared to-day that the committee would make some recommendations of vital importance to the federation.

Rocheater Next Year. The convention will adjourn on Saturday. President Gompers and the other officers probably will be re-elected easily, as the Socialists have not developed sufficient strength to make serious opposition. It is regarded as practically certain that the 1912 convention will be held at Rocheater, N. Y., since Richmond, Va., is waging a strong fight for the meeting.

The following resolutions were adopted to-day: Favoring the construction of all government vessels in government shipyards. Embodying the strike on the Harrison River. Changing Memorial Day from the second to the fourth Sunday in May. Advocating compulsory education, free school books in public schools, free night schools. Petitioning the department of education to recommend to the government a larger school apparatus; an eight-hour day and other labor legislation.

Joy Among Jail Guards. KINGSTON, Nov. 22.—(Special.)—Guards at the penitentiary are rejoicing over the fact that they have a promise from the minister of justice, that W. F. Nickle, M.P., to whom they appealed, that they will get a salary increase, and at the same time, have two grievances removed.

The barber shop closed under a storm of protest will be reopened and in future a tailor will be allowed to put pockets in trousers and coats.

Britain's latest super-Dreadnought cruiser, the Princess Royal, will have a cost of \$10,000,000 by the time she is fully completed.

One hundred square yards of leaf-surface would suffice to keep the air pure for one man, but the leaves of a tree of moderate size presents a surface of many hundred square yards.

DETECTIVES NOT PUT OUT

Extra Room in City Hall Will Be Arranged. The detective department will not be compelled to move out of the city hall. Yesterday the board of control ordered the city treasurer to place \$1500 for fitting up an extra room over the archway entrance to the city hall from Appleton-street.

Constantly Spence thought that the police department ought to be in a separate building.

DUTY ON HOMING PIGEONS.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—Homing pigeons brought into the United States from Canada to be released for the purpose of flying back to the Dominion are officially known in this country as "poultry," and unless imported under bond, are liable to a duty of five cents per pound. The treasury department so decided to-day. The point was raised by the Forest City Homing Club of London, Ont., which has sent birds across the international border at various times and duty paid in each instance.

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