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HON. DR. SMITH HAS RESIGNED

Minister of Lands and Mines Leaves Foster Government

No Difference as to Matters of Public Policy But Dispute Over Details of Game Pres- erve.

Hon. E. A. Smith, minister of lands and mines, has resigned his portfolio. The resignation was submitted to His Honor the Lieutenant Governor and has been accepted.

The announcement was made today by Premier Foster. In speaking of the matter to The Times Hon. Dr. Smith's successor would be made public in a short time. The Premier said the resignation was not the result of any difference of opinion as to the stampage or any matter of public policy but arose because of a division of opinion in connection with the details of the proposed game preserve.

Hon. Dr. Smith has been in the government from the first and has been a prominent figure in provincial affairs ever since he won the famous Westmorland by-election. There is as yet no word as to the identity of his successor, but it is understood the choice will not be long delayed.

Hon. Mr. Foster had nothing to say as to a general election, but there is renewed talk of an early appeal to the people as a result of recent government conferences at which the subject is said to have been discussed.

RAIN POSTPONES OPENING OF THE ST. STEPHEN FAIR

(Special to The Times.)

St. Stephen, N. B., Sept. 14—A steady rain which started on Sunday and is still coming down has caused the St. Stephen exhibition management to postpone the opening of what promises to be the best exhibition ever held here until Wednesday. It will continue the rest of the week. A large crowd of people are already in town waiting for the weather man to do his bit.

At the exhibition grounds every department is well filled with greater variety and better exhibits than ever shown here. The cattle and live stock exhibit is unusually large and will attract a lot of attention. The midway this year has been enlarged to furnish room for the many shows and wheels of fortune. All that is needed now is the sun. The races will be carried forward one day and will be continued until Saturday.

SERIOUS RIOTING IN PETROGRAD AGAINST SOVIETS

London, Sept. 14—Serious anti-Bolshevik rioting is taking place in Petrograd, so it is declared in reports received in Berlin, says a despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co. Six of the Bolshevik commissioners, it is asserted, have been drowned in the Neva, while the others have been compelled to seek places of refuge.

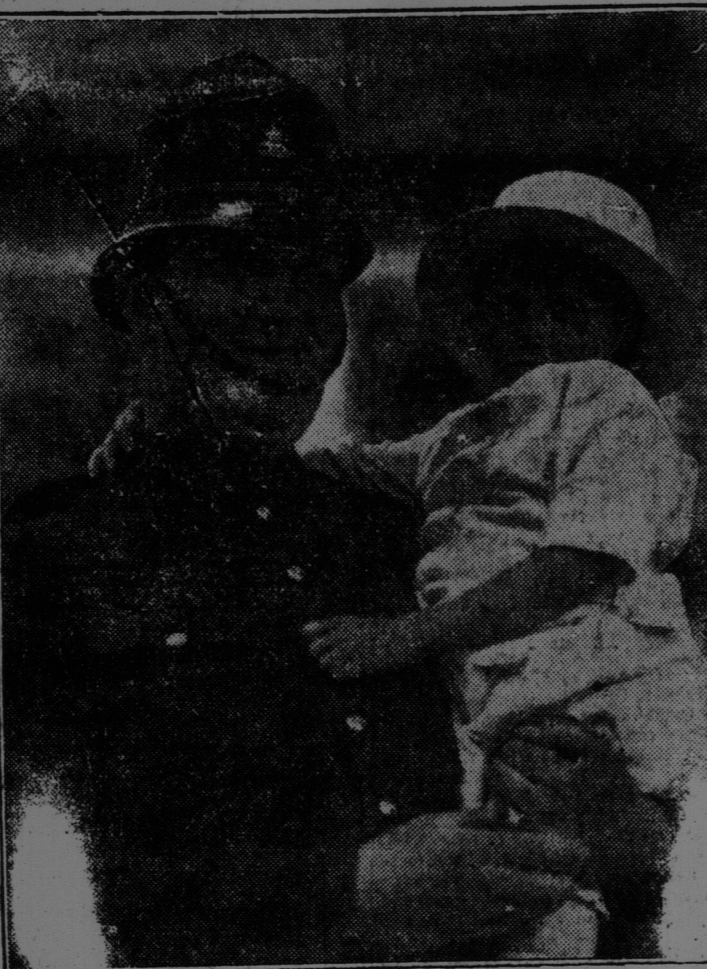
Paris, Sept. 14—Riotous mobs in Petrograd when news of the several military defeats reached there, according to a report which the French foreign ministry has received through Copenhagen. The rioting, the report declares, assumed the proportions of a counter-revolution, and many of the commissioners were killed.

At the foreign office it was said credit was given the Copenhagen dispatch, except for one portion of it which declared the Soviet fleet had mutinied and fired on Kronstadt.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

Montreal, Sept. 14—The local stock exchange was very quiet during the first hour this morning and prices for the most part remained unchanged around their yesterday closing levels. With the exception of Brompton, which was fully active around seventy-five, the paper stocks were very inactive. A few shares of Spanish preferred sold at 125. The remainder of the stocks were very dull and nothing worth mentioning took place. Brazilian 100 1/2, Brompton 75, Brewster 65, Detroit, 100, Textile 180, Steamships common, 70 1/2, Steel of Canada 60 3/4, Spanish preferred 120, Dominion Steel preferred 71 1/2.

"LOST" KIDDIE FINDS FRIEND IN POLICEMAN



Its face tear-stained and crying loudly for its mamma, this chubby little girl was picked up at the Toronto exhibition by this fatherly looking policeman, pacified with an ice cream cone and returned to her mother.

As Hiram Sees It

"I heard two boys a talkin' on the corner today," said Mr. Hiram Hornbeam to the Times reporter. "One of 'em said he was in a store Saturday night when all the lights went out, an' he got away with a box o' chocolates an' some o' 'em. He seemed to think he'd done somethin' real smart. I says to him—'Little boy, don't you know that's stealin'?' Well, sir, he jus' looked at me as if he felt sorry for me an' two of 'em grimes at me. I says to 'em—'I s'pose the was a hull lot of stealin' done when them lights went out all over town.'"

"Judging from what is done when the lights are on," said the reporter, "I dare say 'em boys are right." "Ain't it a pity," said Hiram. "D'you know—in spite of all the chances the boys has, they lost somethin' we did hev—ain't that the home trainin'. If he was any one thing my old mother'd tell me was to be honest. He'd hev had the name o' bein' light-fingered or ontruthful was looked down on—ain't that warred never to grow up that way. The ten commandments was drilled into us, an' even if it didn't stop us from takin' a good apple from some old mudd's orchard now an' agin on a dark night we felt all-fired mean about it next day—an' was scared to death somebody'd find it out. Now, you take these at you. He thinks it's smart to take what ain't theirs. If they grow up without gittin' their notions changed they won't git half the good out of life. They lose more than the people they steal from. Mister—you tell everybody fer me that we got to hev more moral trainin' with the spoon o' grief—yes, sir."

A. N. S. PITCHER TO THE RED SOX

Hal Brownell Joins the Training Squad—Late Sport News.

Amherst, N. S., Sept. 14—Hal Brownell, a baseball pitcher of local fame, has been signed on with the training squad of the Boston Red Sox. Scott Paul Krichell, a former Sox catcher, learned of Brownell through the fourteen inning Halifax-Amherst game in August and came down for him on Saturday.

New York, Sept. 14—Brooklyn Nationals, by double victory yesterday over Chicago increased their lead in the pennant race to five full games over Cincinnati and the New York Giants. The latter and the Reds are tied for second place. All three leaders in American League won their games yesterday so there is no change.

Philadelphia, Sept. 14—Sensational bowling by Captain Fowler and Major Cartwright, of the Incognita team of British cricketers enabled the visitors to defeat the all-Philadelphia eleven yesterday by the score of 585 to 448. The visitors when they had scored 259 runs for nine wickets and retired the Philadelphians in their second innings for 135 runs. The last six wickets fell in less than an hour.

CLOSE CALL FOR GOVERNMENT; THE ELECTIONS NEAR

London, Sept. 14—(By Canadian Associated Press.)—The Times Melbourne correspondent says that Australian ministers are seriously alarmed about their position and the result may be to expedite the appointment in London of the high commissioner and of a representative to Washington. The government narrowly escaped defeat in the House, its representatives being saved only by two votes on a sudden combination of the proposals for soldiers' homes in Queensland.

The Daily Mail's Sydney correspondent says the action of the anti-Labor delegation in London, which was responsible for the failure to raise the London loan, has precipitated a general election. Premier Theodore opened the campaign, the issue being "a maintenance of self-governing rights or detention of Queensland's domestic policy by London capitalists."

SAYS PROHIBITION IS HERE TO STAY

London, Sept. 14—(By Canadian Associated Press.)—The most arresting fact in the coal strike situation is the bold condemnation of the miners' demand for reduction in coal prices by Thomas Spencer, one of their own leaders. The miners argue that enormous profits were being made by the owners but official figures show that in the quarter ended last June only five areas showed any profit and the total was only eight million pounds sterling.

After touring all the provinces of the dominion, Louis Howard of the Yorkshire Post, said he was greatly impressed with conditions in Canada, which he attributed to the temperance law. In his opinion there will never be a return to old conditions, and he says liquor is fast going into disuse.

RED DELEGATES ARRIVE AT RIGA

Start Peace Negotiations in Few Days—Victories for Poles and General Wrangel.

Riga, Latvia, Sept. 14—(By the Associated Press.)—The Russian Bolshevik delegation, headed by M. Joffe, has arrived at Riga for the peace negotiations, which it is expected, will not begin before Sept. 16 or 17 because of the delay in the arrival of the Poles.

Warsaw, Sept. 14—In a line straightening movement east of the Bug river the Poles occupied a series of localities after the fighting at some places. North-east of Byest-Litovsk the Poles met with severe resistance, but finally captured Kobryn and took prisoners and armoured train.

In the south the Poles have pushed their lines farther in the direction of Kovel' Jct., occupying Zamsan and five other towns.

Sebastopol, Sept. 14—Troops commanded by Gen. Baron Wrangel on the Taurida front northwest of the Sea of Azov, have surprised and captured near Pologui, in the Oriakov region, the 124th Bolshevik brigade, including its staff and arms, and are marching on Lemberg, according to an Exchange Telegraph despatch from Berlin, dated Monday.

The Polish and Ukrainian troops, it is declared, have been driven back by the Russian cavalry.

ACCEPTS HEAVY RESPONSIBILITY

126 Pound Bridegroom Makes 462 Pound Lady His Life Partner.

Rye, N. Y., Sept. 14—Miss Esther Light of Purdy avenue, who weighs 462 pounds, became the bride recently of Daniel Holmes of Purchase, near here. The bridegroom weighs about 126 pounds, and is known throughout this section of West Chester as a leader of Methodist praying bands and as an exhorter. He works daily as a gardener at Ophir Farm, Mrs. Whitelaw Reid's estate at Purchase.

LEADER AGAINST DEMAND FOR COAL PRICE REDUCTION

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SOME STORIES OF ONTARIO ELECTION

Payment of Sums Testified to at Hearing on Ferguson Appeal.

Prescott, Ont., Sept. 14—(By Canadian Press.)—Almon Cook of Spencerville, a hotelkeeper, paid Mrs. Kathleen Reid, \$2 after she had told him she voted for G. Arthur Payne, U. F. O. defeated candidate in South Grenville though he was a supporter of Hon. G. Howard Ferguson who was defeated.

Ferguson was at the dinner of some thirty attending the convention at Spencerville, paid \$2 to Lewis Hatle, on election day 1918 but said this was liquidated a debt incurred three or four years before, and he also paid \$7 to a young man named Roche, who took him some 15 miles and asked some liberal voters to vote for Ferguson since there was no Liberal candidate in the field. These facts were brought out in a hearing here yesterday.

Hon. G. Howard Ferguson almost the only member of Sir William Hearst's cabinet re-elected in October 1919. The superior court of Ontario are hearing the appeal and counter charges.

BURIED TODAY

The funeral of Mrs. Henry Morris took place this morning from her parents' residence, 806 Union street, to the Cathedral, where Requiem Mass was celebrated by Rev. Harry Ramage. Interment was made in the Old Catholic cemetery.

WEATHER REPORT

Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stewart, Director of Meteorological Service.

Synopsis.—The general distribution of pressure has not changed much since yesterday. The disturbance near the Atlantic coast is almost stationary south of Nova Scotia and the barometer continues quite low in the west. Heavy rains with strong winds have occurred in the maritime provinces.

Clearing.

Maritime—Strong northeast winds, with occasional rain. Wednesday, gradually clearing.

Lower St. Lawrence, Gulf and North Shore—Heavy northeast winds, cool, clearing.

New England—Fair tonight and Wednesday; rising temperature Wednesday; fresh northeast winds.

Toronto, Sept. 14—Temperatures:

	Lowest	Highest during 8 a.m. yesterday night.
Victoria	42	52
Kamloops	50	58
Calgary	34	39
Edmonton	40	49
Winnipeg	42	40
White River	54	54
Sault Ste. Marie	30	32
Toronto	57	76
Kingston	54	58
Montreal	56	64
Quebec	54	60
St. John, N. B.	62	64
Halifax	62	64
St. John's, Nfld.	52	52
Detroit	64	72
New York	60	74

Maine Is Swept By Republican Forces

In Record Vote Democrats Are Overwhelmed— Looked at as Indication of National Action on Presidency.

NEW NEGOTIATIONS ON IRISH QUESTION

Death of Cork Mayor Would End Them

So Says Dublin Correspondent of London Times— Reports as to Condition of Terrence MacSwiney Dif- fer.

London, Sept. 14—Negotiations for the settlement of the Irish question, which are described as the most promising as yet initiated, will be nullified if Terrence MacSwiney, lord mayor of Cork, dies in Brixton prison, where he is continuing his hunger strike, says the Dublin correspondent of the Times.

He declared that secret negotiations on the basis of full self-government within the empire have been going on during the last three weeks between the most prominent leaders of modern opinion and influential representations.

The moderates have at last been told, he adds, that nothing further can be done while MacSwiney is near death, and if the lord mayor dies the last hope of settlement on the proposed basis will disappear.

Appointment of an additional under-secretary for Ireland has been decided upon by the government on July 18, he adds, but he says it is his duty to deal with all problems which may arise in the six counties of Ulster, the Unionist stronghold in Ireland. Get Mails by Ruse.

Bantry, Ireland, Sept. 14—Sinn Fein captured government mail bags, containing a large white circle in a field and several "Irish" stamps, which were quickly picked up and taken towards Kerry.

Reports Vary.

London, Sept. 14—Conflicting reports concerning the condition of Terrence MacSwiney were issued this morning by the government on July 18, but the report to the home office from the prison physicians stated there was virtually no change and that he had passed a recent night as completely sane.

Self-Determination League stated that he had a very bad night and was appreciably weaker this morning but still conscious and able to mind active.

Special Cork Inquiry

Cork, Sept. 14—(By the Ass's Press) A special court of inquiry was held here yesterday to hear evidence in behalf of the hunger strikers now in Cork jail. Harold Barry, former high sheriff of Cork, and advised Premier Lloyd George that he could introduce evidence to prove the innocence of at least two men—Stan Hennessy and Joe Murphy. Evidence was given tending to contradict the government's accusation that Murphy had in his possession a live bomb when he was arrested.

FIRST VOTES IN BY-ELECTION ON NEXT THURSDAY

How the New Feature of "Ad- vanced Poll" Is Arranged.

A novel feature of the Dominion Elections Act enacted this year is the "advanced poll." One of these will be held at the Court House for the City of Saint John and one at Fairville for the county in connection with the contest Monday between the Hon. R. W. Wigmore and Dr. A. F. Emery for the seat in the dominion parliament for St. John.

The act provides that every railway employee, sailor, and commercial traveler being a duly qualified voter who has necessary absence from his residence in pursuance of his occupation or employment will be unable to vote on the regular polling day, may vote in advance provided he obtain the prescribed certificate from the revising officer or registrar of his district.

These advance polls will be held on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week between 7 and 10 p. m. Applications for such certificates must be made in person in the case of county voters to the registrar of the district in which the voter is registered, in the case of city voters to the revising officer, Judge Armstrong, who will attend for this purpose at the county court chambers, Pugsley building, each week day this week at 11.30 a. m.

NEW TURN IN NOTED MARRIAGE CASE

Tremblay and Bride Would Marry Again

He Applies for Her Birth Cer- tificate in Order to Seek Dispensation—Matter Which Is Before Privy Council.

Montreal, Sept. 14—(Canadian Press)—The Tremblay-Despatie marriage case which has been pending since 1912 and which is now awaiting the judgment of the privy council has taken on a new aspect. This was the case where the parties, being first cousins and Catholics, it was said they could not be legally married without a dispensation from the Church.

The legal issue raised is whether the civil courts of the Province of Quebec are bound to recognize as an impediment to the marriage what is acknowledged to be such by the religious authorities.

Tremblay has now applied to the curé of the Parish of St. Ours, Richelieu county, where his wife Malvine Despatie was born, for a copy of the certificate of her birth and has informed the priest that his purpose is to obtain a dispensation so that they may be married again.

Therefore whatever may be the decision of the privy council, it is likely to find Tremblay married legally beyond any question of canonical and civil law.

LORD BEAVERBROOK GUEST OF MAYOR AT UNION CLUB

Lord Beaverbrook and his party were the guests of Mayor E. A. Schofields at a civic reception and luncheon this afternoon at 1.30 o'clock at the Union Club. Among those present were, besides the mayor and guest of honor, E. Hubert Sinclair, W. D. Ross and Murray Williams, who accompanied Lord Beaverbrook to the city; Hon. Wm. Pugsley, the lieutenant-governor, Commissioners John B. Jones, J. M. Frink, T. H. Balfour and John Thornburn, Hon. H. H. McLean, M. P., Colonel Weldon McLean, M. P., Lieut.-Colonel Alexander McMillan, Dr. J. B. M. Baxter, K. C., the city solicitor, C. B. Lockhart, collector of customs; Dr. H. S. Bridges, superintendent of education; G. S. Mayer; Captain J. C. Kennedy, R. N.; Lieut.-Commander V. A. Allen; and Surgeon-Commander Richardson, of H. M. S. Comstander; R. B. Emerson, president of the board of trade; R. E. Armstrong, president of the Nova League; E. J. Terry, Dr. Murray MacLaren, C. B. Allan, H. B. Schofield, P. B. Ellis, H. V. MacKinnon, E. W. McCreedy, Senator J. W. Daniel, J. H. Stevenson, L. R. Ross, J. M. Woodman, Hon. Dr. W. F. Roberts, L. P. D. Tilley, M. P., Dr. J. R. Campbell, M. P., Capt. A. J. Mulcahy, F. I. Potts, M. P., P. P., and Dr. A. P. Barnhill. Both the premier and Hon. Mr. Wigmore sent regrets.

A dinner was tendered to Lord Beaverbrook at the Cliff club, last evening, by H. H. McLean, M. P., and Fred R. Taylor, K. C. The company consisted of a number of friends of Lord Beaverbrook, including Sir Douglas Hazen, Judge O. S. Crockett, Mayor Schofield, John E. Moore, George McAvity, P. E. Sayers, P. Heber Vroom, W. D. Ross, Lt.-Col. A. McMillan and Murray Williams.

WANT EARLY VOTE ON IMPORTATION

Meeting of Temperance Alliance Deals with Various Phases of Prohibition Matter.

Fredericton, Sept. 14—At a meeting of the executive of the N. B. Temperance Alliance held yesterday afternoon Donald Fraser presided. In view of a statement that some of the opponents of prohibition were bottling the results of the plebiscite vote, a committee was appointed to publish the result of this election in comparison with other elections. It was decided to urge the government to convene the legislature at the earliest possible date and pass as the first item of legislation prohibiting the import of liquor. It was decided that we heartily approve of the recommendations of the committee in having candidates for the district and true temperance principles in nomination for the legislature at the next provincial election and that we take such steps as are required to bring about this result. Further that in view of an election an effort be made to secure pledges from every candidate nominated.

JEWISH PASTOR GOING TO PALESTINE

The King vs. Cora Mabel Sharp and William H. Lingey of parte William H. Sharp—Cyrus F. Innes to support appeal from judgment of Barry J. Ward vs. McIntyre et al.—W. H. Harrison for defendants, to move to set aside verdict for plaintiff and to enter verdict for defendants for a new trial.

Garson, doing business, ete, as H. J. Garson & Co.—J. Harris doing business, ete, as Harris & Co.—K. A. Wilson for defendant, to move to set aside verdict for the plaintiff and enter verdict for the defendant for a new trial.

The King vs. The Royal Bank of Canada Trustee, ete.—J. F. Winslow for plaintiff, to support appeal from judgment of Judge Chandler to set aside judgment for plaintiff.

Turnbull vs. Saunders.—P. J. Hughes for defendant, to support appeal from judgment of the plaintiff and enter verdict for the defendant for a new trial.

Chancery Division.

The St. John & Quebec Railway Co. vs. Jones et al.—J. F. Winslow for plaintiff, to support appeal from the judgment of the chief justice to set aside or vary order.

In the last case on this docket the appeal is on behalf of A. R. Gould who lost his case in connection with his claim against the province.