

## SAY LABOR COUNCIL UNREPRESENTATIVE

Carpenters Ask for Inquiry,  
Which Intrusted to Execu-  
tive Committee.

Reflections upon the representative character of the Toronto District Labor Council were voiced at its meeting last evening in the Labor Temple, in a resolution forwarded by local 1328, United Brotherhood of Carpenters, asking that the executive committee accept only delegates whose credentials had been obtained since July 1 of this year. The carpenters' resolution claimed as its basis that delegates at present sat in the council who had transferred from the organization which they originally represented, or that they had not renewed their credentials in a period of, in some cases, over ten years.

"The executive committee recommends that this resolution be not concurred in, owing to its complications," stated Secretary Mance, in reading the communication.

The resolution contains definite charges, and I think that they should be investigated by a special committee," declared Delegate Todd, later withdrawing his motion in favor of one moved by Delegate Joseph Gibbons, suggesting that the matter be referred to the executive committee, with instructions to obtain the evidence upon which the charges were based.

"The executive was challenged by this resolution, and it should not have recommended our non-concurrence," declared Delegate Arthur O'Leary, adding: "They should have cleared this matter up themselves."

Delegate James Ralph charged that he had asked the executive committee to investigate the status of the Retail Clerks' delegates, but that no action had been taken.

"Their international per capita was unpaid, but they camouflaged it by paying the small local tax," he stated. The motion was carried by the executive committee was passed.

**Safety League Discussed.**  
The record of the Safety League received alternate commendation and condemnation in discussion which centered about the executive's recommendation that \$10 be donated to the association to assist the defraying of the expenses of "safety week." The recommendation was finally carried.

Minor business transacted by the council included the acceptance of Principal W. L. Grant's offer to draw the members two weeks hence on the benefits to be derived from the Workers' Educational Association, and the voting of \$100 to the campaign fund of James Higgins, Labor-Soldier candidate for the riding of Northeast Toronto.

## DOUBT IF HIGGINS CAN CONTEST SEAT

Labor Supporters Fear D. B.  
Hanna's Order Applies  
to Him.

The denial to government officials of the right to hold office was strongly condemned at the meeting last evening in the Labor Temple of the Toronto District Labor Council. The council regarded the matter as exceedingly pertinent to the present labor situation, in view of the growing tendency to nationalization of industries and of the success for which labor hoped in the election as member for Northeast Toronto of its candidate, James Higgins, an employee of the Canadian National Railways, and consequently liable to disqualification.

The meeting was disposed to view as ineffectual the criticism voiced in a resolution of the Independent Labor party of D. B. Hanna, president of the government railways, and who recently is declared to have ordered the employees of his department to refrain from political action. The feeling was rather that the fundamental blame lay with the authorities preventing a civil service employee from holding office.

Following considerable discussion, the resolution of the Independent Labor party was endorsed and Secretary Mance instructed to obtain legal opinion regarding the extent to which government employees are politically restricted.

## WRONG NUMBER FOR AMBROSE SMALL

Detective Has Wild Goose Chase  
to Find Missing Millionaire.

Detective Mitchell, who has just returned from a trip into Illinois and Wisconsin, which he made following the receipt by Mrs. Ambrose Small of a letter from a Mrs. Hayes, Watzeka, that she was in touch with mail who could give information respecting Mr. Small's whereabouts, stated to The World yesterday that the trip proved a goose chase. He said that Mrs. Hayes had received word from C. E. M. Churchill, a convict in the state penitentiary, that the latter was a relative, and could give information of value. Later she had learned that he was not, and she relied upon "That man," said the detective, "is not quite right in his mind."

## ACCUSED OF THEFT.

Fred Parthing, Leslie street, was arrested last night by Detectives Johns and Tutts on a charge of theft, proffered by border Charles Cowan and Tom Erick, 22 McGill street, and Joe Schilfmann, 438 West Dundas street, was arrested on a charge of receiving.

It appears that two suits and an overcoat were stolen from the complainants. Detectives were immediately set on a chase, and finally landed at a clothing store near Cass-Howell street, where a man was supposed to have come in trying to sell at a bargain. Someone was asked if he could identify the man, and said he could. At that precise moment a man came in with an overcoat over his arm. The arrest followed.

## MANUAL TRAINING TO BE SUPERVISED

School Board Appoint T. W.  
Chester at \$2,700  
Salary.

Last night's meeting of the board of education was not entirely devoid of interest, and after some discussion the recommendation that T. W. Chester be appointed as supervisor of manual training in the public schools at a salary of \$2,700 per annum, was carried by a vote of seven to five. Rev. Mr. Powell wanted the post to be advertised, so that the best man could be selected, but the recommendation carried. In the course of his remarks, Mr. Powell appealed to the chairman, Dr. Noble, as "my good man," and requested a fair hearing. But, whether the chairman thought he was a good man or not was left undecided.

The request of the Y. M. C. A. for the use of the gymnasiums at Oakwood and Humberstone Collegiate Institutes, was granted. Being pointed out that the organization would supply the necessary heat during their occupation.

It was agreed that no children be admitted to the schools except those whose parents were public school supporters, and this was agreed to subject to former agreements which the board had entered into.

A resolution that the boundaries defining the limits of Kent School district for the Devon Street School be referred back to the committee of management, as was also a resolution that all non-resident pupils be removed from the Devon Street School, was soon as possible, so that the resident pupils now in the portable building may be accommodated in the school, and that the annual training room be removed from the basement, if the adjustment of the attendance will permit.

The board decided that a bust of the late Trustee C. B. Brown be placed in a position in the building to be decided upon by the architect.

A motion to appoint Thomas Benough as director of vocational guidance and opportunity work, to be paid at the rate of \$400 per annum, was referred to the management board. The chairman said that Mr. Benough's idea was to get manufacturers and others interested in the schoolboys. There would be contact between man and child, and this would give the boy a better understanding of the world. Mr. Benough also emphasized that the parents, as well as the manufacturers, must cooperate, and he also stated that the board of trade and kindred bodies would give all the aid which lay in their power.

## TORONTO POLICE ARE RESENTFUL

Complain That Raney's  
Liquor Squad is Seriously  
Depleting Force.

Much dissatisfaction finds vent among the ranks of the police at the order of Hon. W. E. Raney, attorney-general, to form a liquor squad from the Toronto force. The dissatisfaction would appear to be very general. Inspector Bond stated that this act on the part of the attorney-general had seriously embarrassed the force in Toronto, and that this was especially the case in the case where he took charge of the work of the force. Thefts and outrages of all kinds were perpetrated now with greater impunity since it was known that the general force had lost men it could ill afford to spare. He stated that any number of liquor captures and convictions in the city had been secured before this liquor squad had been appointed from the ranks of the Toronto police.

Frontmen in the force elsewhere expressed like opinions. Detective headquarters pointing out that the selection of the squad from Toronto trained men had handicapped the force more than anything in years. They stated that they had no intention of reflecting upon the judgment of the attorney-general, but the fact remained that some of the best men in the Toronto police force were being requisitioned upon a matter which was purely provincial in intent. Toronto being fully able to take care of the situation, so far as the city limits were concerned.

## NEW LIQUOR SQUAD'S FIRST ARREST

Expect New Force to Dig Out  
Big Game.

Plainclothesmen Scott, Ward and Greenly last night at 11 o'clock made their first arrest as members of the new liquor squad organized under the direction of former Crown Attorney Corley, and at the instance of the attorney-general. They went to the home of Harriesh Dichereiozski, 3 Morrison street, and arrested him on the charge of selling liquor. From all accounts, the nature of the arrest was notable only in that it was the first made by the squad. However, it is a noteworthy fact that the squad is scenting very big game, and that a real live (if not dead) bull moose of the liquor traffic may soon be in the toils. The officials of Station No. 1, while not believing in the principle of taking away these men to form a provincial liquor squad, are not meagre in their praise of their work.

## CUT THIS OUT OLD ENGLISH RECIPE FOR CATARRH, CATARRH, DEAFNESS AND HEAD NOISES.

If you know of some one who is troubled with Catarrh, Deafness, head noises or ordinary catarrh cut out this formula and hand it to them and you may have the means of saving some poor sufferer perhaps from total deafness. In England scientists for a long time past have recognized that catarrh is a constitutional disease and necessarily requires constitutional treatment.

Spray inhalers and nose douches are liable to irritate the delicate air passages and force the disease into the middle ear, which frequently means total deafness, or else the disease may be driven down the air passages towards the lungs which is equally as dangerous. The following formula which is used extensively in the damp English climate is a constitutional treatment and should prove especially efficacious to sufferers here who live under more or less favorable climate conditions. Secure from your druggist 1 ounce of Parment (Double strength). Take this home and add to it 1-4 pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar; stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day. This will often bring quick relief from distressing head noises. Clogged nostrils should open, breathing become easy and hearing improve as the inflammation in the eustachian tubes is reduced. Parment used in this way acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system and has a tonic action that helps to obtain the desired results. The preparation is easy to make, costs little and is pleasant to take. Every person who has catarrh or head noises or is hard of hearing should give this treatment a trial.

# An Open Letter On the Navy League Campaign To the Citizens of Toronto

From Hon. H. J. Cody, Chairman Toronto Campaign Committee

As Chairman of the Toronto Campaign Committee I venture to address my fellow-citizens on the claims of the Navy League to their support.

Every great cause has been launched by enthusiastic individuals, and has to be maintained by private support until Governments find they can assume responsibility therefor. The Navy League is supported by grants from public bodies and by individual subscribers.

Its aims are philanthropic and educational and of vital importance to the national welfare and development.

Many organizations, including the British and Foreign Sailors' Society, which seek the well-being of the sailors are united in the appeal and will participate in the funds now being raised by the Navy League.

The League is asking from Toronto the sum of \$200,000 to provide Toronto's share of the National Navy League budget.

The money will be expended on these objects:

1. The provision of a capital fund for the relief of the dependents of Canadian sailors in the Merchant Service who lost their lives on duty during the war. No Governmental pension is provided for them. When this endowment fund is raised the future of these dependents will be secured and no further appeals on this score will be necessary.

2. The maintenance of Sailors' Institutes, Homes and Welfare Societies in Canadian seaboard and inland ports.

3. The continuance of the training of 2,000 Canadian lads in Naval Brigades. Only through this means can trained Canadian seamen be provided for Canada's growing Merchant Marine. In the Empire-to-day the training of boys for the Merchant Marine is carried on entirely by voluntary effort. Seventy-three of these lads have completed their training and have passed into the Canadian Merchant Service, and fifty more have gone to join the crews of the ships presented by the Imperial authorities to the Dominion as part of the Royal Canadian Navy.

4. The conducting of an educational campaign throughout Canada by means of lectures and literature for the purpose of developing the sea-consciousness of our people and of fostering the growth of a Canadian Mercantile Marine by which Canadian products may be carried from Canadian ports, economically, along direct trade routes, in Canadian ships, officered and manned by Canadian Sailors.

The Navy League is the only organization in Canada wholly devoted to the furtherance of these important objects. It seeks to represent Canadian public opinion on matters pertaining to the Sailor and the Sea. Its work can be carried on only by generous public support. Will not the citizens of Toronto, as in the past, by liberal contributions pay their nominal interest on the personal debt we all owe to the men of the sea?

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