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WILL OBJECT TO GRANT

Western Members Not Enthused Toward the Veterans.

OTTAWA, Feb. 5. — (Special.) — In spite of the premier's kind words, there will be opposition to any land grant to the Fenian Raid veterans, from western members, who say that the lands held for speculation hinder the west.

One prominent M.P. from west of Manitoba said with vigor: "If the government attempts anything of the sort there will be trouble. I would not be surprised to see Oliver and all the Liberals from the prairie provinces resign if this thing is carried out. It is monstrous, and cannot go thru. We will not stand for our lands being given away in this fashion."

It may be added that the premier's announcement was speedily followed by a slump of $300 in the value of the scrip of South African veterans; in one case a deal was nearly completed, but when the broker heard of the proposed new issue he cut his price that sum and the deal was off.

Sir Wilfrid addressed the deputation as "My comrades."

Sir Frederick Borden, himself a veteran of '70, asserted that it was unfair to say that there had been no recognition of the veterans, because every one in the room bore proof of the recognition of their services by Queen Victoria in the medal which was bestowed upon them.

ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY

Rufus Hudson Elected President at Last Night's Meeting.

At the annual meeting of St. George's Society last night Rufus S. Hudson was elected president and was presented with the officer's jewel, while the society recorded their thanks to the retiring president, J. M. Gandier, for his services during the past year, and will later receive from the society the past president's jewel.

The reports were quite satisfactory, showing a balance of $640. The following officers were elected: President, Rufus S. Hudson; vice-presidents, J. C. Bayliss, H. H. Mason, D. M. Harman; treasurer, Samuel Trees; secretary, J. W. Gamble Boyd; committee, T. W. Barber, H. R. Frank Land, M. Rawlinson, H. C. Tomlin, J. F. Scott, J. Nicholson and R. F. Stupart; stewards, J. M. Gandier, Geo. Armstrong, W. H. Tippet, George Musson, G. F. Harman and R. F. Stupart; auditors, H. Ford and W. B. Tindall; marshal, Capt. P. H. Drayton; standard bearers, W. J. Harvey and W. E. Boddington; chaplains, Revs. D. T. Owen and J. C. Hincks.

King Solomon's Chapter.

The annual at home of King Solomon's Royal Arch Chapter, A. F. & A. M., was held last night at the Temple Building, when about 150 members were present. Among those present were: Right Excellent Companion Dr. Foster, superintendent of Toronto District, and First Principal A. H. Longheed. The music was furnished by Bodley's orchestra and solos were rendered by William Turner and William E. Moore.

For Theft of Ton of Coal.

Frank Wilson, 149 Elizabeth-street, a driver for Robert McBride, coal dealer, delivered a ton of coal, collected the money, but failed to turn it in and spent it. He was arrested last night by Detective McKinney on a warrant charging him with theft.

FACTS YOU SHOULD KNOW

Owing to the very great success that has attended our efforts to meet the requirements of the public by serving on our third floor a popular "Business Luncheon," it has become necessary owing to the ever-increasing business to make arrangements for our overflow.

We therefore take pleasure in announcing that commencing Monday, Feb. 8th, we will serve a special 35c luncheon in our Famous Table d'Hotel Room every business day from 1.30 to 2.30 p.m. Good elevator service. Come along and bring your lady friends. The service will be consistent with "St. CHARLES" quality. Our orchestra under the leadership of Francis Gratton will render a select musical program. Reservations made by phoning the "St. Charles of Course." 67

THE WEATHER

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Toronto, Feb. 5.—(8 p.m.)—A disturbance of very decided energy is centred to-night in Michigan and will pass across Southern Ontario to Quebec and the Maritime Provinces. The weather is comparatively mild from the great lakes to the Atlantic, but is becoming much colder in the western provinces.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 38 below—30 below; Victoria, 36—42; Vancouver, 33—40; Kamloops, 40—42; Calgary, 4—22; Medicine Hat, 12—36; Battleford, 2—8; Moose Jaw, 9—18; Winnipeg, 2 below—18; Port Arthur, 20—26; Parry Sound, 12—42; London, 37—46; Toronto, 36—45; Ottawa, 18—34; Montreal, 14—24; Quebec, 10—20; St. John, 20—34; Halifax, 4—32.

Probabilities.

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Rain at first, followed by northwest gales, snowflurries; becoming colder.

Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence—Sleet or rain, followed by northwest gales and colder again by night.

Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf—High winds, with snow or sleet.

Maritime—Southerly winds, increasing to gales, followed by sleet or rain.

Superior—Northerly winds and becoming much colder.

Western Provinces—Northerly winds, light snowfalls and becoming colder.

Cold Wave in U. S.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—"Cold wave coming," flashed the weather bureau today in an official warning. The present period of mild weather, according to the bureau, will be followed by a cold wave, that will appear in the northwest Sunday or Monday, advance over the central valleys and lake region Monday and Tuesday and reach the Middle Atlantic and New England States about the middle of next week.

THE BAROMETER.

Time.	Ther.	Bar.	Wind.
8 a.m.	41	29.15	48 W.
Noon	43	.....	.....
2 p.m.	44	29.08	15 S.W.
4 p.m.	45	.....	.....
8 p.m.	42	28.93	Calm.

Mean of day, 40; difference from average, 20 above.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.

Feb. 5	At	From
Lancastrian	Boston	London
Dominion	Philadelphia	Liverpool
Ontarian	Portland	Glasgow
Sicilian	Glasgow	Boston
Empress Brit'n	Liverpool	St. John
Ri D'Italia	Genoa	New York
Gr. Waldersee	New York	Hamburg
Empress Irel'd	St. John	Liverpool

TO-DAY IN TORONTO.

Feb. 6.

University lecture—Prof. Brodie, on "Some Problems in Biology," 3.

Masonic Past Masters' Association—Temple, 8.

Centre and South Toronto Conservatives—Victoria Hall, 8.

Canadian Institute—A. Elvins, on "Astronomical Phenomena," illustrated. Public invited, 8.

Progressive Thought Club, Room 30, Forum Building—Finlay Spencer, on "The Causes of Crime," at 8.

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DEATHS.

DUGGAN—On Friday, Feb. 5th, 1909, Annie Duggan, widow of the late Judge Duggan.

Funeral (private) from her son's residence, 586 Huron-street, on Monday, Feb. 8th, at 2 p.m., to St. James' Cemetery.

MAYNE—Suddenly, Feb. 4th, W. H. Mayne, aged 49 years.

Funeral Saturday, 2.30 p.m., from the residence of E. Maybee, 146 Crawford-street, to Prospect Cemetery.

SMITH—At the residence of her parents, 243 Ossington-avenue, on Feb. 5, Margaret Maud, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Smith.

Funeral Monday, Feb. 8, at 1.45 p.m.

TAYLOR—At the residence of his son-in-law (Mr. J. Wright Brown), New York, on Friday, the 5th February, 1909, Wm. Darling Taylor, in his 64th year.

Funeral from his late residence, 76 Elm-avenue, Toronto, on Monday, the 8th, at 2.30 p.m. Interment in Mount Pleasant Cemetery. 61

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BROTHER SHOOTS BROTHER.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—A number of women employes of the Bent Glass Novelty Co., Walker-street, were thrown into a panic to-day when Vincent Gambaro, a foreman, was probably fatally shot by his brother, Giuseppe, a designer, after he had refused a peremptory demand for $400. A third brother, Frank, succeeded in overpowering the would-be murderer.

Parkdale Presbyterian Social.

A social service was held last evening in connection with the thirtieth anniversary of Parkdale Presbyterian Church, which, as its first pastor, Rev. Dr. Abraham, recalled, was inaugurated on Feb. 7, 1879, with a congregation of 13.

Prof. A. L. Geggie, pastor, was in the chair, and the moderator of Toronto Presbytery, Rev. James Murray, was introduced and made a characteristic address. Rev. Dr. Mackay referred to the first service in the present handsome edifice, when the collection taken was $2780—by a curious coincident, the very amount given by the church last year for relief work. Not its financial position, but the private life of its members, Dr. Mackay said, was the best indication of the success of Parkdale Presbyterian Church.

A musical program was contributed by Miss Ruby Shapley, solo; Ernest Hazeldine, song; Ernest Johnson, violin solo; Miss Shannon, Messrs. Hazeldine and Demmary and the choir.

Commemorative services will be held on Sunday, when the preachers will be Rev. John MacNeill, Rev. Dr. Rankin and Rev. Prof. Kilpatrick.

Tourist Sleeping Cars to the West.

For a thoroughly comfortable trip to Winnipeg, any point in the Northwest or the coast, reserve a berth in a Canadian Pacific tourist sleeper. They leave Toronto daily at 10.15 p.m. Cost of roomy berth is but $4.00 to Winnipeg, $5.00 to Moose Jaw, $6.00 to Calgary, $8.50 to Vancouver. They are fine vestibuled cars, well lighted, heated and ventilated, fully equipped with bedding and furnished with every traveling convenience. 67

Arrested for Perjury.

Upon warrant of the attorney-general, Fred C. Noice of Toronto was arrested yesterday charged with perjury in a civic investigation at Port Arthur. He was taken by Detective Guthrie. The alleged perjury consists of a statement that he saw a cheque for $500 to be divided between George Hodden, T. A. McCauley and another.

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WITHDRAWS RESIGNATION

Provost Macklem Will Continue to Direct Affairs at Trinity.

T. C. Street Macklem, Provost of Trinity College, has addressed a letter to the members of the corporation of Trinity College withdrawing his resignation of a month ago on account of "so strong a protest from many whose opinion I am bound to respect," and a pressure he is unwilling, if not indeed unable, to withstand.

"The unanimous voice of the corporation of Trinity College, the personal views urged by many other friends and supporters of the college; the representations made to me by bishops and other leaders in church, government and university circles; the confidence in my administration, with a desire for its continuance, which has been expressed with one consent by the staff and students of the college—these and other considerations, pointing all in the direction of a prolongation of existing relations, constitute an appeal too strong for me to resist," says the provost.

"Accordingly I have decided to withdraw my resignation, and to cast myself again upon the kindness and cooperation of those good friends, within the college and without, to whose support and friendship I must atribute, under God, the success of the years that are past, as well as the bright hopes I entertain for the future."

The letter concludes with particular reference to the confidence and friendship of the students and staff of the college. It is unfortunate, he comments, that to the leaders is commonly attributed praise which belongs largely to others. Certainly it has been so in this case.

ON DANGEROUS GROUND

California Postpones Further Action Until Mid-Week.

SACRAMENTO, Calif., Feb. 5.—Speaker Philip A. Stanton took the floor to-day and secured, by a strong personal appeal, unanimous consent of the assembly to postpone further action on the Japanese school segregation until next Wednesday.

He declared he had information which he could not reveal, that proved the assembly was treading upon dangerous ground in passing the anti-Japanese bill yesterday.

GERMAN SOCIETY OF TORONTO

J. Henry Peters Elected President at Last Night's Meeting.

The annual meeting of the society was held last night in the assembly hall of Gerhard Heintzman Company, Limited, Yonge-street. The election of officers for 1909 was held, and the following elected: President, J. Henry Peters; first vice-president, Otto Palm; second vice-president, A. C. Wegener; protol secretary, A. Weyerstall; corresponding secretary, F. Liebig; treasurer, Charles Schaedel.

Gerhard Heintzman, who has held the office of president ten years, was elected honorary president.

One of the objects of the society is the amelioration of the condition of poor Germans and the aiding of deserving Germans, irrespective of nationality or creed.

A discussion was held for the establishment of a German school, where the elementary subjects are to be taught in the German tongue, and a strong committee was named to take this work in hand. The committee consists of, besides the acting officials, the following: Ernie Nerlich, Hermann Nerlich, Rev. Dr. Rederroth, G. G. Wolfram, H. Edelbuettel, W. Mormann, H. Wiegand, S. Oppenheimer, H. Guenther, Otto Higel, I. Dickmann, A. Lovack, W. H. Seyler, E. Neuendorf.

OLD MAIL CARRIER DEAD.

OTTAWA, Feb. 5.—(Special).—Joseph B. Gillespie, one of the oldest of the government mail clerks, collapsed on the street to-day, and died of heart disease in a few minutes.

Thirty years ago he brought the first direct mail from Port Arthur to Ottawa.

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WHITBY'S GALA NIGHT

Annual At Home of Ontario Ladies' College Charming Social Event.

WHITBY, Feb. 5.—(Special.)—Ontario Ladies' College was the scene of a delightful event to-night when more than six hundred guests were in attendance, including over 300 who came down on the special train from Toronto for the annual conversazione. The picturesque old Trafalgar Castle was aglow with lights thruout for the occasion and gay bunting, college streamers, artistic decorations, all lent a charm to the gathering of visitors, teachers and students.

The visitors included many students from the university and other educational institutions were also well represented.

The guests were received by Rev. Dr. J. J. Hare, principal, and Miss Burkholder, lady principal; Mrs. W. J. Greenwood, representative of staff, and Miss Rose Brethaup, 1909 representative of students. Among the guests from Toronto were: Revs. Kenneth J. Breaton, S. H. Soper, G. A. Mitchell, T. E. Bartley, J. J. and Mrs. Raditte, Mr. Applegath, R. C. Hamilton, J. W. and Mrs. Steward, D. E. Aikenhead, Judge McCrimmon and Judge McIntyre of Whitby, Charles D. Gordon, manager local branch of the Dominion Bank, and Dr. C. F. McGillivray.

LOCAL OPTION AT PT. ARTHUR.

PORT ARTHUR, Feb. 5.—(Special.)—The temperance people of the twin cities are organizing for a local option campaign with the vote to be taken at the next municipal elections.

Port Arthur is now preparing its case with which to go before the Dominion Railway Commission in the matter of a Grand Trunk Pacific entrance.

The Board of Trade has passed a resolution opposing the Ontario and Michigan Power Company's bill at Ottawa, on the ground that it would blanket all water-powers in the district.

Some good ice races were held on the bay this afternoon. J. Whalen's "Miss Clara" won the free-for-all $500 purse.

Nasmith's Buy Property.

The Nasmith Company has purchased a block of land 84 feet by 100 feet to the south of 152 Bay-street. The assessed value of the land alone is $55,000, and the owners, George Taylor and Walker H. Smith, have erected on it two large two-storey stores costing about $80,000. The price paid is said to be about $200,000.

SHRUBB FAILS

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in 27.54. Shrubb was two and one-half laps ahead at this time.

It was noted here that while Shrubb had gained two laps in the first three miles he had only added an additional half lap in the next two miles.

Spurts Caught Crowd.

Shrubb's plan, it appeared, was to run a fast mile or two, during which he made decided gains, and then he would steady down to a trot, apparently to reserve his wind and strength. His sprints always created an uproar in the crowd, the spectators cheering him frantically.

The Englishman gained another two and one-half laps in the second five miles, and was five laps, or half a mile, ahead when the ten miles were finished. The time for the ten miles was 57.32 2-5. Longboat's time in his race with Dorando was 58.57 1-5, nearly a minute and a half behind Shrubb's time to-night.

Six Laps Ahead at the 12 Mile.

Maintaining his fast pace Shrubb increased his lead to six laps at the twelfth mile, but the Indian was not worried out of his long swinging stride until near the fifteenth mile, when he shook himself and picked up about fifty yards. Shrubb, however, continued to open up the distance between himself and the pursuing Indian and the fifteenth mile mark found the Englishman six and a half laps ahead. Shrubb's time for the fifteen miles was 1 hour 28 minutes 28 4-5 seconds.

Shrubb's running was a revelation to the spectators, who continually cheered the flying Englishman as he moved around the track with a machine-like motion that carried him steadily farther away from Longboat. The Indian sought futilely to cut down his adversary's lead, but Shrubb showed no traces of weariness and continued his fast pace undiminished. Unable to keep up Longboat dropped his sprint and fell back to his old pace, with the result that Shrubb secured an additional lap, making seven laps in all at the seventeenth mile.

During the running of the nineteenth and twentieth miles Shrubb put on a fine burst of speed and tho the Indian responded gamely he placed the eighth lap between himself and Longboat. The time for the twenty mile mark was 2 hours 1 minute and 25 4-5 seconds.

Shrub Stopped to Change Shoes.

The Englishman's cheering admirers were given a heart thrill when Shrubb in the twenty-first mile suddenly stopped to change his shoes. During his brief absence from the track Longboat gained one of his lost laps, but Shrubb coming on the course again started out at a lively clip, with the evident intention of regaining the lost lap.

Tom Flanagan, the Indian's old manager, brought Longboat's wife out on the track to encourage her husband.

Pandemonium broke loose in the Garden during the 22nd mile when Shrubb came down to a walk for a few yards. It was apparent that he was in some distress, but he was soon off again with a swinging stride, tho it could be seen that his pace had slowed perceptibly. Cheered on by his bride and the shouts of his friends Longboat increased his pace and soon began to rapidly cut down the lead of the now fast tiring Englishman.

The end of the 23rd mile found Longboat now only four laps behind Shrubb, who frequently broke his pace and walked, to rest himself. The Indian kept relentlessly on and in the first half of the 24th mile brought forth a hurricane of applause by regaining another lap on his rival.

Shrubb Colapses.

Shrubb was in evident distress, and it was only a game effort on his part that kept him struggling on. Longboat regained another lap at the end of the 24th mile, and was now setting the pace with Shrubb following him manfully. The thousands of spectators were now in a turmoil of turmoil of great excitement. They yelled and cheered as the Indian slowly moved up to abreast of the Englishman who was now but a scant lap ahead as the pair moved on in the second lap of the 25th mile. Longboat ran without any seeming distress, while Shrubb, unable to run any further, fell back into a walk.

Longboat quickly took the lead and the Englishman, unable to continue further, collapsed on the track, leaving the triumphant Longboat to finish the race alone a winner.

Previous to the Marathon the five-mile match race between Robert Hallen of New York and Mike Spring of Brooklyn, in which Spring was allowed a handicap of ten seconds was won by Hallen by 1 3-4 laps. Time 27.20 1-5.

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WINNIPEG, Feb. 5.—Cowley, in Southern Alberta, a small town on the Canadian Pacific Railroad, will be moved bodily next week to a new site two miles south of its present location. Regrading on the line made the moving of the town necessary. The railroad will pay the entire expense.

$3000 Suit Dismissed.

Justice Latchford yesterday dismissed the suit of William Riordan, a laborer, against the O'Keefe Brewing Company for $3000 damages, because he was run over by a delivery wagon. He said the wagon turned the corner so quickly he could not dodge. His head was badly battered. The defence was that Riordan had received $475 and had signed off. This he intentionally endeavored to repudiate.

Pianos to Rent.

Heintzman & Co., Limited., 115-117 West King-street, Toronto, make a feature of renting pianos at a small sum per month and what is paid in this way will, when desired, be allowed on the purchase of a piano. If interested see them. 136

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