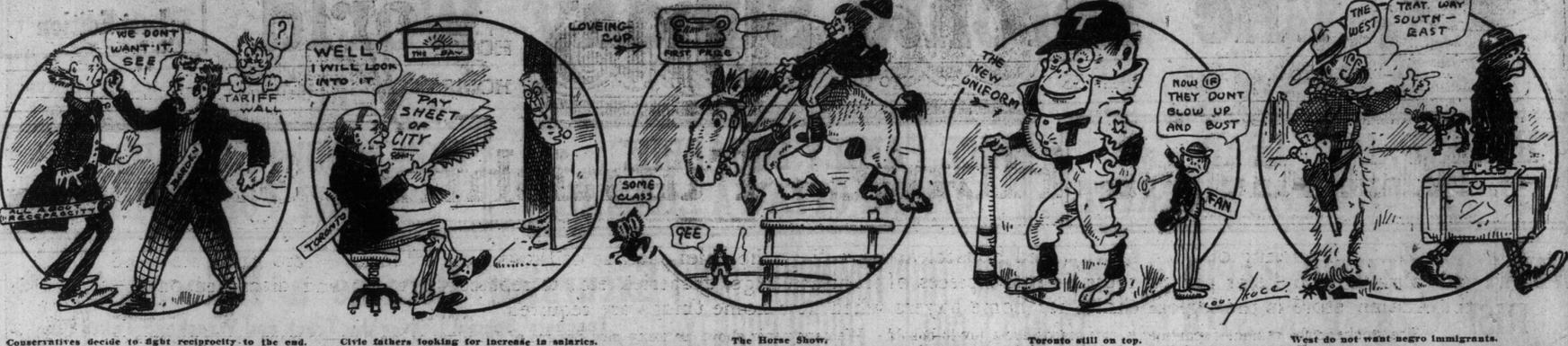


Events of the Week in Cartoon

By Lou Skuce



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HARD TUSSLE FOR PACT IN THE SENATE

With "Stand-Pat" Republicans Opposing Reciprocity in the Senate, as They Did in the House, Enough Adverse Votes May Kill It.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—(Special).—Strong intimations were given to-day that congress might adjourn before it has been in session many weeks.

Prefering not to be quoted, a member of the house said to The Sunday World correspondent: "If the senate were to vote down the reciprocity agreement, congress would adjourn at once. The Democrats of the house would argue that the defeat by Republican votes of the reciprocity agreement, with the Republican president favoring it, proved that it would be useless to hope to get the senate to pass it."

"The other proposition," they would argue, "would not have behind them the propelling force of the executive department. If the reciprocity agreement be defeated, I fully expect to see the adjournment follow almost immediately."

Other members, considering this statement, which was repeated to them by The Sunday World correspondent, regarded it as probably telling the real situation. As to the senate, it is recognized that the adoption of the reciprocity agreement has not by any means been assured. The probability is that it will go thru. Most of the Democrats will support it, and the general opinion has been all along that enough Republicans would vote for it to insure its enactment.

However, this does not go beyond fairly positive opinions, for it is realized that the remainder of the session is loaded with every conceivable sort of possibility. The hostility of the middle western Progressive Republicans to this particular form of reciprocity continues, thus subtracting from the Republican majority vote a substantial portion.

With stand-pat Republicans opposing it in the senate, as they did in the house, there are many chances that enough adverse votes will be mustered to kill it.

CIVIL SERVICE VACANCIES.

OTTAWA, April 29.—The civil service commission is calling for applications for the position of French translator in the privy council office, initial salary \$1600, and assistant on the hydrograph survey, initial salary \$900. There will be competitive examination of candidates.

A CORRECTION.

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Forger Committed Suicide.

SWIFT CURRENT, Sask., April 29.—C. G. Sadlemeyer, homesteader at Purrader, when arrested by mounted police for forgery, slipped into his bed-room and blew out his brains in presence of his 17-year-old wife.

Might Spoil the Match.

Suitors—I would like to see the photo of the lady with the \$500,000 dowry. Matrimonial Agents—We don't see photos with the large dowries.—The Gende Blaetter.

Working an Abandoned Mine.

"Ever hear the story of the eggs that had been kept in cold storage for 10 years?" "No." "Decade"—Chicago Tribune.

Nothing Wrong.

"Why do you mutter to yourself continually, old man? Hadn't you better see a doctor?" "It's all right, I'm not dippy. I'm learning a part in my lodge."—Washington Herald.

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Early Closing Law For Montreal Bars

Montreal, April 29.—To-day will be the last Saturday upon which the bars of the city may keep open until midnight. Monday, May 1, they will open to the new regime, under which all bars, whether hotel, restaurant or just plain saloons, will have to close at 11 o'clock on ordinary nights and at 7 o'clock on Saturday evenings.

According to present understanding, all licensed liquor sellers are to observe the law, with the exception of one. It is arranged that some one of them is to break the law and sell drinks out of doors, in order to make a test of the new act before the courts.

The defence of this is to be borne by the Licensed Victuallers' Association, and it will be fought as far as necessary, even to the privy council, in order to determine absolutely the validity of the new law.

So far as this is concerned, it is stated by representatives of the provincial government that they are not disturbed over the opposition and that they are prepared to fight the matter out as far as may be necessary.

GERMANY'S SAVINGS AND HOW THEY ARE INVESTED.

When the German Reichstag, a few weeks ago, discussed the introduction of American securities into that country, there was general surprise at the amount of savings which was shown to be invested in foreign paper.

But the secretary of the interior, Dr. Dehnbach, stated that the German people are saving every year about 1,000,000,000, and that necessarily a large part of this amount must go abroad to find profitable investment.

These savings go into other avenues besides the mere purchase of securities. In 1905 German investments in foreign countries outside of bonds and stocks amounted to about \$225,000,000, in which the United States and Canada were represented by 2,750,000,000 of marks (\$854,000,000).

The holdings of foreign securities were estimated at more than 16,000,000,000 of marks, or about \$5,000,000,000. The real aggregate of all investments, however, is higher still than these figures express, as not all German participation in foreign financial enterprises in foreign countries could be taken into account.

Scarcely anywhere in the world is a large issue brought out by the German capitalists being invited to participate. Only a short time ago a large Hungarian loan was placed in Germany and over-subscribed for several times. A Turkish bond issue of a large amount was willingly taken, and just when the "emigration of German capital" was being discussed in connection with the proposed listing of St. Paul shares on the Berlin exchange, papers reminded the banks that they had to be in readiness for the Chilean loan to be expected.

The large German banks have been repeatedly blamed for their assisting this emigration of capital, and the present agitation, ostensibly directed against listing of some American papers, is really aimed at not keeping available funds at home.

UNCONVENTIONALITIES.

"Yes, I'll go to the theatre with you, Mr. Gouvis; that will be pleasant to have to stay here and spend the evening talking."

"That's a good claim, Rivers; who gave it to you?"

"Thank you Binks, for telling me the name of your tailor. I'll try some other one."

"Maud, I love you, but to save my life I can't tell you any reason why."

"The mistus says she isn't at home to-day, Mrs. Kawler, to anybody except her friends."

"If ever we've met before, sir, your memory is a thundering slight better than mine."

"I could pay this bill to-day just as well as not, young man, but I'm not going to do it. I want to make a small bet on the election."

"Yes, I'll marry you, Mr. Smiggle, you're positively my choice."

"Sir, we return this contribution to you because you sent a stamp with it. Otherwise we should have thrown it in the waste-basket."

"The thing I'll tell about your conversation, Mr. Picketel, is that you don't talk much."—Chicago Tribune.

Tenacity. The convivial bonnet, as he sat down, explained that if anybody present noticed an odor of clover it was due to his having been trying to relay a tobacchist's "breath" the factitious boarder, a saucy, diaphanous, extroverted and pickles."—Chicago Tribune.

PRINTERS' CLUB AGAIN REFUSED A LICENSE

Rehearing Before the License Commissioners Proved of Little Value, as First Order Issued Stands—Will Disallow Liquor Canvassers.

Despite the fact that a number of members and others appeared to tell the license commissioners at their special meeting Saturday afternoon that the club had been conducted in a quiet and proper manner, the board decided that they would not again renew the license. Chief License Inspector Johnson was dead against the renewal and carried his point. For the club it was urged that the conduct of an earlier steward had been lax, but that he had been removed and a reliable man put in his place.

Demoralized. Rev. John Cockburn and Rev. Dr. John Nell expressed the opinion that beer was not a necessary thing to the success of the Printers' Club, and that its foundation was not any too well rooted, if that were the case. The license was opposed on general principles. Rev. Dr. Nell declared that outside of the doctors, the ministers of the city, knelt before him, and that the evils of drink, and for 27 years ministerial work, not a month had passed when he had not made the application for the reopening of her hotel, closed some years.

At Saturday's meeting, Chairman De la Roche presided, and the other members present were: Messrs. George Forrester of Victoria Square, and William Thompson.

The complete list of licenses granted is as follows: Markham Village—Edward Sanderson of the Tremont House, and Robt. Andrews, Franklin House.

York Township—David B. Birch, York Mills Hotel; Harry Hyde, Todmorden Hotel, Todmorden; and J. W. Graham, O'Sullivan's Corner.

Scarboro Township—Chas. Crow, Half-Way House, and James Kennedy, Woburn House, while in the case of William Kelley of the Summer House, on the Kingston rd., three months extension of the license was granted to allow Mr. Kelley to put the place in proper repair.

The Maxwell and Appleby cases will be dealt with probably next Saturday. The Roseville Golf Club and the Toronto Hunt Club licenses were renewed.

Not the Same.

Miss Woodby—So Mr. Smart said he considered me very witty, eh?

Miss Knox—No exactly. He said he had to laugh every time he saw you.

To Exterminator Files.

All garbage dumps and refuse piles, which are breeding places for flies, will be considered by the medical health officer as a public nuisance and treated with chloride of lime. Dr. Hastings made this announcement yesterday.

Mayor Disappointed With Leslie's Work

Pontoon Too Light, and He Advises That City Engineer Secure Additional Plant.

Mayor Geary Saturday morning expressed his disappointment over the fact that Mr. Leslie has not been able to raise the loose length of pipe of the intake pipe from the break-out, providing there is no truth in the report that the intake itself has slipped out perfectly clear. Mr. Leslie has been using pontoons to lift the pipe and yesterday morning one of them broke.

The mayor announced his intention of having City Engineer Rust get some additional plant from some wrecking firm, and the temporary intake has been got on as fast as the work could be done.

Two Months' Work Yet. The mayor also said: "I feel that at the best we have two or three months' work before us straightening out the intake pipe. It is a very serious matter, and we must be prepared to provide some additional means of water supply as a temporary precaution while we are carrying out whatever recommendation the board of experts may make. I think perhaps we should run an extra pipe out into the lake so as to be safe from more trouble next winter."

Announcement is Officially Made

Canada Gazette Publishes Appointment of Duke of Connaught as Governor-General.

OTTAWA, April 29.—The Canada Gazette to-day contains the official announcement from The London Gazette of the appointment of Field Marshal His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught and Strathearn to be governor-general and commander-in-chief in Canada.

Draft of Anglo-Saxon Peace Treaty. LONDON, April 29.—Harold Spender, a well informed political correspondent of "The Morning Leader," says he understands that some days ago a draft of Anglo-American treaty proposals, already agreed upon, was transmitted to the British government by James Bryce, ambassador at Washington.

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LITTLE BOBBIE'S PA.

Ma is all the time belonging to new clubs. She joined a other new club last nite. It was called the DOANT YOU REMEMBER Club. The ladies which belong to this club all came up to the house, & they inhaled me. They wanted to inhale me & pa too, but pa sed nix. Bobbie is too young he sed, & I am too old, to join them new fangled clubs with my wife is all the time starting.

Of course, sed Missus Jenkins, I wite have known the club. Men is so stubborn & mean, sed Missus Jenkins, that you sed hardly expect one of them to enter into anything pure & wholesome, such as a club of this nature. "If yure husband is anything like my husband, sed Missus Jenkins, I am not surprised that he doesn't want to join this DOANT YOU REMEMBER Club. There is rubly a lot in his past wich he wud a whole lot sooner forgit, sed Missus Jenkins.

That is the only thing you need to do to be a member of our order, sed Missus Jenkins. Doant shd have to kick in with any kaled sed pa. No, sed pa, you do not grasp me, & you better not try it. I am vary particular, sed pa, about the peepul wich grasp me, Hansomer wimmen than any of you has tried it, sed pa, & came to grow.

Then all of the ladies turned their backs on pa & me, & by that time ma had wote her poem called DOANT YOU REMEMBER. The other ladies all began to clap wch ma started to read her poem. I stayed in my seat, but he hid behind the door. This is the poem wich ma red & she rote it all herself, too:

Doant you remember the day in December? Wnen all other men I was scornin; Doant you remember the day in December, That butful, cold, winter morning? Ah, little I knew, dear husband of mine, You'd stay down the line, get packed with old wine, & have to cum home in a carriage.

Doant you remember, dear husband of mine, The night you was put out of Proctors? Found me & I love her so, I love her so, Your friends, and policemen & doctors. Ah, husband of mine, once my heartstrings did twine, But now I am sad, for you're acting so bad.

But now I am sad, for you're acting so bad, O sweetheart, why can't you remember? That is butful indeed, sed Missus Jenkins. I think it is a perfectly divine poem, sed all the other ladies. To think that our dear new member, sed all the other ladies, had felt so much sorrow entering into her sweet young life. I call it an outrage.

Now sed here, ladies, I sed to all ma's friends, I am jess a little boy, but I love my ma as much as I love my nix, & I was you all to know that my ma has always treated my ma fine. Look at him now, ladies, I sed. He is crying. Fake, pa, I whispered to him, fake a good cry & leave the rest to me.

Then all the ladies began to cry, too, & ma kissed pa & then pa sent out & bought sum steam for the ladies, & we was all happy. Wnen thay was all gone pa gave me half a dollar, & sed Bobbie, my boy, you are a wonder.

THE SERPENTINE MAZE ELOPED WITH NEGRO ACTRESS

A New and Popular Attraction—The First Time in Canada. Son of a Retired Montreal Insurance Broker Marries Colored Girl in New York.

If you should go to Parkdale Roller Rink next Thursday evening you will find it crowded to the doors, as on that night the biggest attraction in the history of this popular place of amusement will be introduced.

The Serpentine Maze is entirely new, it is different from anything ever before introduced at the rink. It has broken all records for attendance in rinks in the United States. What is so pleasing about this Serpentine Maze is that every skater at the rink takes part.

The management announces that the rink will be closed morning and afternoon in preparation for the evening; the doors will be opened at 7:30 sharp Thursday night.

Cooled by electricity is the term used when speaking of Parkdale Rink, in the warm weather; 15 big electric fans located around the rink keep the building nice and cool all the time. The rink is sometimes referred to as the coolest spot in town.

The floor was again resurfaced last week and many comments on the fine surface was made. There is very few skating floors anywhere, the skaters run so easily as here, the floor being treated by a special liquid preparation, which prevents slippery places, adds a feature to Parkdale Rink which has helped more than anything else to make this place so popular.

By special request a block party will be given next Tuesday night, May 2, and it will be run differently from any of the others; the block party will be for ladies and gentlemen in couples and two prizes given to the winners, which will be determined in a new way.

Many After Civic Job. There promises to be a scramble for the vacant position of plumbing inspector in the medical health department. W. H. Meadows, the newly appointed chief inspector, John Matthews, Ald. Rowland wants R. J. Leaman to get the berth, and the plumbers' union favor the appointment of James Richards. Mr. Meadows acted for a time as temporary inspector, but was later let out on account of the agitation raised by friends of the other candidates.

Little Willie Opines. "Pa," came little Willie's voice from the darkness of the nursery. "Pa" gave a bad imitation of a snore according to Harpers Weekly. He was tired and did not wish to be disturbed. "Pa," came