

TURGEON SAYS N. B. AGAINST MEIGHEN PARTY

Taunts Government With Attempting to Hold Power in Violation of Pledge.

ROWELL IN DEFENCE OF NATIONS' LEAGUE

Claims United States Will be Forced to Join the Council Soon.

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Continuing the debate on the address, Hon. N. W. Rowell this afternoon addressed the House of Commons on the work of the League of Nations assembly. Previously the House appointed its select standing committee, and Mr. Duff (Lansburg) had a question to ask the Government. He wanted to know if it was correct that the Government steamed Canadian Mariner and the Canadian Explorer had been registered at the port of Montreal instead of at Halifax.

The Speaker ruled that the question might properly be placed on the order paper.

Hon. N. W. Rowell observed that the primary purpose of the league was to preserve peace by preventing war and providing some other means for the settlement of international disputes. It was designed to provide means of arbitration of differences between nations. It had other minor objects.

McMaster Asking Questions
A. R. McMaster (Brome) interjected a question as to the political nature of the voting in the assembly. He inquired as to the support of the policy of the Government in power in its country.

Mr. Rowell replied that while the chairman of the delegation represents his Government and consequently his Government's views, there was nothing to prevent other members of the delegation from voting as they saw fit.

Closing Mr. Rowell declared that the League had proved itself a success. Its form might change, but the ideals behind it would prevail. Humanity was on the march to the uplands of a better social order and a better day. There would be tears to shed, but the heights would be scaled before the bugles would sound the retreat. Canada was in the very front of that advance.

No Praise for Premier
Fernand Rivest (St. James, Montreal) said he had no intention of joining in the chorus of praise to the new prime minister. Mr. Meighen's name, he thought, was associated with some of the most nefarious measures ever put through the Dominion Parliament, measures from which the Canadian people were still suffering.

Mr. Rivest charged the prime minister with usurping power and occupying an indefensible position. At this there were shouts of "Oh, Oh," from the Government benches, and the Opposition cheered.

Mr. Meighen, continued Mr. Rivest, had been chosen, not by the people, not even by a national convention of the Conservative party, but by a group of parliamentarians who constituted the crumbling remnants of the majority of 1917.

Wants to Forget
The prime minister had made a speaking tour and held a meeting in Sherbrooke, which was a "barren-like circus." His message was that falsehood, slander, vote manipulations, and telegrams were to be buried, that nothing should survive but his great love for the Province of Quebec. But the comedy of Sherbrooke was followed by a series of mishaps.

By-Election Results
Since the Government took office in 1917 there had been sixteen by-elections. The Government had won five, the Progressive six and the Liberals five. That meant that less than one-third of the by-elections had been won by the Government. It was a noticeable fact, also, that the Government's victories were in constituencies, which it had chosen to open as safe seats. In constituencies which were open in the ordinary course, the Government had had not won a seat. The result in West Peterboro was a most positive demand from the people for an election. In answer to this demand the prime minister suggested a re-election. But the verdict in West Peterboro was not re-organized, it was clean cut.

Quebec Not Biting
The prime minister now wants to impose compulsory Government on an unwilling people, declared Mr. Rivest. He also said that Mr. Meighen had for some time been angling for a cabinet minister in Quebec, but the people of Quebec were not in a biting mood. The majority of the Government had dwindled from about twenty until it was now twenty-five or twenty-six. It must be remembered also that fourteen of the Government members were elected by the overseas soldiers, which was allotted in bunches to the constituencies needing it. Of these, fourteen seats were taken from the Government and given to the Opposition. It would mean that the Government was in a minority.

The people of Quebec, declared Mr. Rivest, were anxious for an election. They were tired of being isolated. "I mean," the speaker corrected himself, "that Quebec feels itself allied with the rest of Canada against an isolated Government."

Attacks King's War Record
Dr. J. W. Edwards (Frontenac), addressed Hon. Mr. King on his war record, declaring that no amount of participation, or bombastic speeches would hide that record. There were thousands of Liberals from one end of Canada to the other. Dr. Edwards said, "The man who was in Mr. King's cabinet, and who would stand as a

Louse Catching Is New York's Game

Another Ship from Italy Brings Shipment of Undeloused Newcomers.

New York, Feb. 18.—With three cases of typhus reported today to have been carried upstate by immigrants arriving at this port, health authorities redoubled their efforts to check entry of lice-infested foreigners. Several more immigrants arriving here after entering the country at Boston were detained when their trains glided into New York from the Massachusetts capital.

IRISH TURNED TRACKS TO RUN INTO DEEP LAKE

Dastardly Act Discovered in Time to Prevent Terrible Drowning.

Police Find Arms in Old Asylum Authorities Think Recent Lawlessness in the Island Has Reached Climax.

Dublin, Feb. 18.—It is officially announced that the tracks of a railway line in County Donegal on Wednesday were diverted from their permanent way to run into a lake between Casbelinger and Gweedore. The outrage was discovered, however, before midnight occurred.

Today's official review says the report of outrages in the last week affords grounds for satisfaction.

The greatly reduced number of casualties to Crown forces, it adds, leads to the opinion that the recent lawless activity has reached the maximum, and the arrests and seizures being made daily should result in a notable improvement in the situation shortly.

A large quantity of arms and munitions was discovered by the military and police last night at the asylum of St. John of God, near Stillorgan, County Dublin. Two arrests were made.

Calamity if he was ever prime minister. Referring to the tariff, Dr. Edwards contended it was clearly an issue of the war. He would not, however, make any drastic changes in it at this session, but would wait until he saw what the nation to the south was going to do now that it had a new party in power.

What's Wrong With Meighen?
Dr. Edwards criticized Mr. King's amendment, calling for the resignation of the Government because it did not specify any particular delinquency the Government had committed. It paid the Government the unconscious compliment of admitting that there was no particular dereliction of duty to accuse this Government of. The amendment, like the speeches which the Opposition had made in by-elections, practically admitted that they could find nothing in the Government's administration to condemn, but they wanted the Government to step down and out so that they might step into its shoes.

Power Very Bitter.
Senator Power maintained that the present government was in power solely by the war-time elections act. "The most unfair and objectionable measure ever adopted by an English-speaking country," he had no doubt the government would hang on to office as a bear robbed of its cubs was milder than Conservatives on every department. From 1911 to 1921 there had been exhibited the greatest government incapacity since Confederation. Senator Power complained of the cost of meals on the Intercolonial, which groups fruit costing five cents had sold for twenty-five cents for half, and where fish costing ten cents a pound sold for fifty cents for a quarter of a pound.

Inactive in Office.
The government, he said, was inactive in office and active in attaining it. He was opposed to old age pensions and unemployment insurance, and concluded by congratulating the Canadian delegation to the Geneva conference for their efforts to eliminate class ten from the covenant of the League of Nations.

When the Senate met Senator McDonald, who was appointed to the Upper House on Thursday, was introduced by Sir James Loughheed, and Senator Polier took his seat.

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Crowds Pay Last Tribute To Veteran

William Watling, Who Saw Service Overseas, Buried at Newcastle Yesterday.

Chatham, Feb. 18.—The funeral of the late Bernal Watling, whose death occurred at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Watling on Wednesday, was held this afternoon, the remains being taken to Newcastle for burial. Services were conducted at the house of the Rev. Dr. Wylie of St. Andrew's church, the choir rendering appropriate hymns. An exceptionally long line of citizens followed the casket from Chatham to Newcastle, a distance of six miles, where the cortege was met by the Newcastle Cornet Band, about seventy-five members of the G.W.V.A., and a large number of citizens who escorted the remains to Newcastle cemetery.

He was a returned soldier having enlisted early in the war. After serving with the wireless garrison at Newcastle he went overseas with the first draft from the 12th Field Battery and saw service in England and France. He was a member of the Newcastle Cornet Band since he took up his residence in that town six years ago.

The late Mr. Watling was only twenty-six years of age when he was married by his wife and one daughter, his parents, two brothers and one sister, Harold and Harrison and Miss Ella all of Chatham. Among the many floral tributes that were sent to the casket were two especially beautiful designs from the Newcastle G.W.V.A. and Cornet Band.

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WARD.—Mrs. Catherine Ward, Melrose, Mass., died Friday February 18th, leaving five daughters and two sons.

WALLACE.—At Rockwell, on Saturday, February 12th, Luther Wallace, aged 79 years.

PARKER.—Suddenly at his home at Tyremouth Creek, on February 17th, George Sanctor Parker, aged 79 years.

Notice of funeral hereafter. GARRIE.—In this city, February 17th, William John Carr, son of the late James and Catherine Carr, in the 66th year of his age, leaving a wife, three brothers and two sisters.

Funeral Saturday from the residence of his brother, Henry Carr, 74 Forest street. Service at 3:30 o'clock.

RETURNS THANKS.
F. L. Giedart wishes to thank his many friends, for the kindness and sympathy shown him in his recent bereavement, and also for the thoughtful and loving tributes of the Women's Institute.

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Lamy And Staff Skate Dead Heat

Lake Placid, Feb. 18.—Evert McGowan, of St. Paul, held a five point lead at the end of the first day's skating for the American professional of speed skating championship today. McGowan had a total of sixty points and Ed Lamy of Saranac Lake and Arthur Staff of Chicago, each had fifty-five.

Summaries.
440 Yards Dash—Dodd beat between Ed Lamy, Saranac Lake and Arthur Staff, Chicago; 3rd, Ben O'Sicker, Philadelphia. Time 37 1/4 seconds.

One Mile—Won by Evert McGowan, St. Paul; 2nd, Arthur Staff, Chicago; 3rd, Ed Lamy, Saranac Lake. Time, 2 minutes and 56 3/4 seconds.

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DETAIN VERMIN CROWD

New York, Feb. 18.—Eleven vermin infested immigrants and a man suffering from a disease other than typhus who arrived here today after having been admitted to this country at Boston, were ordered to a hospital by city health authorities for detesting and treatment. Six women, three children and a man were taken from a train at the Pennsylvania station. The other two were picked up at the Grand Central Station.

INSANE FROM GRIEVANCES

New York, Feb. 18.—Physicians at the Poughkeepsie Hospital, tonight expressed belief that Orla Ferguson, 20 year old Russian girl charged with throwing her two nephews out of a second story window and then jumping herself was suffering from a form of insanity brought on by her experience in escaping from the Bolsheviks.

WANTS LAND FROM BRITAIN.

Washington, Feb. 18.—A resolution requesting the president to ascertain whether Great Britain was willing to consider the cession by it to the United States of all or any part of its possessions in the West Indies, was introduced today by Senator Reed, Democrat, Missouri. Trinidad and Barbuda were especially named in the proposal which was not discussed but allowed to go over for further consideration.

OTTAWA SMALLPOX CASE

Ottawa, Feb. 18.—The smallpox situation was changed but little since yesterday. Three new cases were reported, while five cases were released, making a decrease of two in the total.

Shall Germany or France Pay the War Bill?

If Germany doesn't pay, France must. In effect, this is the reply of a large section of the press of the United States to those economists who insist that the war bill presented to Germany by the Allies—226,000,000,000 gold marks payable in forty-two years, plus a 12 per cent. export tax—is more than that nation can pay. "The astonishing fact is that it does not seem to have occurred to these British and American pleaders for Germany that if she does not pay for the devastation she methodically wrought, her victims must," exclaims the Philadelphia North American, which points out that "when it is argued that the sum demanded in reparations should be reduced, this means precisely that sufferers from her aggression shall be penalized to the extent of the remission."

On the other hand, some editors are convinced that the Allies are demanding more than Germany can pay. "France wants Germany's blood, and it deserves Germany's blood, but it must get it by transfusion, not by murder," remarks the Louisville Courier-Journal. "Germany can never pay the 226,000,000,000 gold marks indemnity," exclaims the Seattle Times, and the New York Evening World characterizes the reparations program as "amazing and impossible."

The leading article in THE LITERARY DIGEST this week, February 19th, covers this subject very comprehensively, and shows public opinion of every shade as reflected in the newspaper press.

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