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HOMESTEAD L. & S. SOCIETY

Appears to Have Been Wrecked By Bad Management.

One Director Who Will Think Himself Lucky if He Gets Ten Cents on the Dollar Out of It—A Belief in Some Quarters That the Late Col. Studdart, Secretary of the Concern, Suicided by Poison—Hamilton Business Men Expect a Boom—General News from the Ambitious City.

Hamilton, May 16.—(From The World's Staff Correspondent.)—There has come a crash in the affairs of the Hamilton Homestead and Loan Society. With the death of the secretary, I. A. Studdart, a couple of weeks ago, came rumors of trouble. Investigation followed and the directors, who seem to have been as much in the dark as the shareholders, were astonished at the disclosures made. A special meeting was held Friday night and an immediate calling of the shareholders ordered. From all that can be learned at present the indications are that everyone who has money in the society as straight investment stands to lose practically everything. It may not turn out so badly as this. One director, who loses over $5000 himself, said last night that he would consider himself lucky if the society paid him 10 cents on the dollar. He took a gloomy view. Another director said, from what he could understand of the affairs, he believed 25 cents on the dollar might be realized. In either case it is a calamity pure and simple, for the people who will have to lose money are people in circumstances where money means much and can ill be lost.

The Birth of the Society

There is but one way to intelligently tell the story of the affair, and that is to go back fifteen years, to the time when there came to Hamilton a fine-looking, military-appearing man named Studdart—Col. Ion A. Studdart. His death is so recent and the history of his life so recently written that it hardly needs repeating. Born in South Africa of Irish parentage, brought up in England, active in the United States later at the time of the rebellion, a farmer in Dakota and finally a settler in Hamilton. His coming to Hamilton was the result of his acquaintance with E. MacLoghlin, and shortly after his arrival here an effort was made by his friends to secure for him a position. With a large business and financial experience himself, he set to work to evolve a loan society scheme. Those were the days when money was dear and times good. They were days when good loan societies were doing a flourishing business and, as the scheme evolved by Col Studdart was one of the most conservative in principle of the whole lot, it was taken kindly to. Moneyed men of the city came to his assistance and a society was formed, having as its name the Hamilton Homestead, Loan and Savings Society. Col. Studdart was appointed permanent secretary and thus started the concern that promises to wind up in disaster to so many people.

Saturday Night's Meeting.

Some 275 shareholders of the Homestead Loan & Savings Society were at the Court House on Saturday night to hear the directors' statement. The majority were workingmen and 25 were women.

President O'Reilly announced that the special audit had brought to light that the lists last certified to by the accountant differed considerably from those of the late Col. Studdart. Instead of being in the flourishing condition represented by the latter the society was not able to meet its obligations. Matured shares had been paid from new stock being taken up. The assets presented by the late secretary some few weeks ago were stated to be $126,276, consisting of first mortgages on real estate. The real figure was hardly $57,000. Some $33,000 of stock matured in 1896, and most of it was left in the society by confiding shareholders to earn dividends. Some $73,000 is paid in on stock, while other liabilities of unwithdrawn matured stock amount to from $7000 to $10,000.

A representative of the People's Loan & Savings Co. of London, Eng., has offered to take over the mortgage securities of the society at their value, but the meeting decided to appoint Mr. G. S. Scott receiver and go into the courts. The meeting was conducted in the kindliest of spirit, and the directorate was fully absolved from blame.

President O'Reilly told The World today that it was not true, as circulated, that the society had taken dues from a poor woman, knowing the society to be insolvent. Her husband's insurance had been paid by the directors some months ago, and she had come in to refund it.

THE CITY WILL BOOM.

Prominent Citizens Have Confidence That There is Prosperity in Store.

Hamilton, May 16.—(From The World's Staff Correspondent.)—The press of the Province has had a good deal to say of late of the growth of Montreal, Toronto and Quebec, but very little about Hamilton. To ascertain what Hamiltonians think of their city, The World sent eight representative men the following query: "Do you see any signs of the city's more rapid growth in the near future?"

The Mayor's View.

Mayor Colquhoun replied: "There is very good reason to believe that when electric power is transmitted to Hamilton it will be the manufacturing centre of the Province, and, with it running our manufactories and the radial roads and lighting our streets, we shall see the population of this city more than doubled in the next 20 years. It will mean big factories, running all the way from Niagara Falls to Hamilton, and this city will get the benefit of all those industries. Our schools are unrivalled, and it only needs a loop line between the two incline railways on the mountain to make it the most attractive residential site in Ontario."

Mr. Bristol Thinks So, Too.

Mr. George Bristol of Lucas, Steele & Bristol: "I have been thinking over your question as to the city's growth, and I say most distinctly and emphatically, yes. Some of my reasons are: 1. The advent of the C.P.R. and the Michigan Central. Besides providing much additional labor, these roads must bring large increases to the wholesale and manufacturing interests of the city, which are now on a solid basis, and the leaders in groceries, hardware and drygoods in Canada. 2. The tremendous influence the radial roads already built, and those to be built, will have in making the whole Niagara Peninsula tributary to the city. Hamilton must not be afraid of throwing out a sprat to catch a whale, and the city should bonus every road that comes before it with a business-like proposition. 3. Our perfect school system and School of Pedagogy, cheap rents, comparatively low taxation and healthy real estate. I think these will attract large numbers of retired farmers and storekeepers to settle down in this city as a home."

Rev. Dr. Burns is Sanguine.

Rev. Dr. Burns said: "I look for very marked increase in population in the near future, owing to the radial roads removing people of the surrounding villages here to live. Our educational system is a strong magnet and the university proposed will help the city still more."

Will be a Birmingham.

W. A. Robinson, President of the Board of Trade: "If our merchants will thoroughly study the trade relations with outlying districts, Hamilton will be the Birmingham of Canada."

Signs of Immediate Growth.

Alderman J. Dixon: "I see several signs of the immediate growth of the city. Unlike Toronto, we have not lost ground in our factories, but steadily increased the number. If you look at the statistics of other cities you will see that when they reach 50,000 the growth goes up rapidly. The electric power from Decew's Falls and Niagara will bring factories and, with them, the population."

Other Expressions.

Ald. McAndrew thought the city had reached the boom stage and was on the eve of big things.

Assessment Commissioner Hall: "Hamilton has never had to fight against reaction and is in a very healthy state. Presi-

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CAN THEY PROROGUE JUNE 10?

The Probabilities Are That They Cannot.

A LOT OF WORK TO BE DONE

And Some Very Important Measures Are on the Slate.

Some of the Difficulties Looming Up Before the Government at Ottawa—Superannuation Bill and Criminal Code Amendment—Intercolonial Extension Into Montreal To Be Thrashed Out and a Crow's Nest Policy To Be Evolved—Then There is the Troublesome Prohibition Plebiscite—Mr. Cameron's Ridiculous Waste of Time—General News from the Capital.

Ottawa, May 16.—(Special.)—The possibility of prorogation on June 10 fades into improbability as the sessional program is reviewed. There are now on the order paper the civil service superannuation bill, the franchise bill and a weighty bill in amendment to the criminal code. Then there is the Government's policy of extending the Intercolonial to Montreal, involving an outlay of half a million or so, to be voted through; there is a Crow's Nest Pass policy to be defined for the Government will surely not take the chances of shelving a question upon which the west is so vitally interested. And if this were not enough to banish all hope of a June adjournment, there is the plebiscite bill to be passed.

This latter is formidable enough to afford of itself the material for a fortnight's debate. The very suggestion of a plebiscite is unsatisfactory to the prohibition people. Their demand, encouraged by the Liberals in Opposition, was for a prohibitory law, the contention being that public sentiment was ripe for such a sumptuary enactment. The plebiscite is, therefore, a denial of the prohibition contention, and is certainly unsatisfactory to those who hold the opposing view. Under such circumstances the bill is certain to provoke a vigorous and protracted discussion.

According to the promise of the leader of the Senate, the bill should be introduced this week. The general impression is that having toyed with the question while in Opposition, Mr. Laurier will now approach the subject with a marked impression of the responsibility of power. His own words to the deputation the other day were that prohibition involved direct taxation. He made no bones about it, and it is quite on the cards that, with the aid of that astute opportunist, Sir Oliver Mowat, who rather burned his fingers with the prohibition plebiscite in Ontario, Mr. Laurier will frame a ballot paper that will not alone ask the voter to decide whether prohibition is right and proper, but whether he is prepared to go down in his dip once a year for two dollars or so wherewith to recoup the Federal treasury for the loss of the whiskey consumers' present contribution to the revenue. The chances are that such will be the nature of the bill, with the further chances that a minority of the electorate will vote to subscribe the deficiency. In other words, the prospect of direct taxation is expected to defeat prohibition, and thus relieve Mr. Laurier from responsibility incurred when in his "moment of weakness" he promised a plebiscite on prohibition.

As a factor in the prolongation of the session this promised plebiscite bill looms up very large indeed. And while maybap the measure is not intended to be pressed to a finality this session, its very introduction looks as if Mr. Laurier were prepared to pack off to the Jubilee festivities, leaving his trusty lieutenants to keep house during the dog-days, with a Parliament few of his chosen retinue of military M.P.'s to keep them company.

Criminal Code Amendments

The bill to amend the Criminal Code, which Sir Oliver Mowat introduced in the Senate the other day, occupies 16 printed pages—quite a formidable document. Some of the proposed amendments are pretty wide in their scope. For instance, in addition to the raising of the age of consent, etc., already treated of, it is proposed to include a section of the Postoffice Act so as to prohibit the distribution of "scurrilous" as well as seditious and immoral publications. Then, again, the exhibition of kinetoscope pictures of the big prize fight are prohibited, and severe penalties are provided for disregard of strict marriage laws of the country. The procedure of magistrates' courts is also altered in some important particulars.

Mr. Cameron's Unseemly Break

There is a tremendous lot of kicking among the Liberals over the action of Mr. M. C. Cameron in precipitating a useless discussion in the House on Friday and wasting a whole day, so far as public business is concerned. A prominent member of the Ministerial party, speaking to your correspondent to-night, said the trouble about his political friends was that they did not realize that they were no longer in Opposition. In the old days it was pretty much a go-as-you-please, but old stagers like Mr. Cameron seemed to forget how that circumstances had changed. It is not at all unlikely that a caucus of the party will be called at a very early date in order that an understanding may be reached for the enforcement of discipline among the back benches. Had the House got into supply by 4 o'clock on Friday the impression is that more than half the main estimates would have been passed at that one sitting. As it was, Mr. Cameron, by his absurd, not

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CANADA AND CANADIANS

Are All the Talk in London Nowadays.

A GREAT ADVERTISEMENT

Was Mr. Fielding's Tariff Bill Brought Down on April 22.

The World's Special Correspondent in London Talks With Sir Howard Vincent, Who Says the Belgian and German Treaties Will Be Denounced—Sir Charles Tupper's Trump Card, He Says, Was Over-Trumped by Mr. Laurier—Preferential Treatment for the Colonies Discussed.

(From Our Special Correspondent.)

London, May 8.—"Canada and the Canadians" briefly expresses what has been on everyone's lips here for the past fortnight. It is not too much to say that the Dominion has been more talked of, in club, market and street, since the fateful 22nd of April than at any other time in her history. As a genuine advertising medium, tariff changes of the new stamp are worth a hundred emigration agents. At this time, when many here in England are predicting the early downfall of Britain's commercial supremacy, and, when the Continental press seems eager to hurry her once more into the position of splendid isolation, the news of Canada's preferential tariff came as a welcome message and was everywhere received with satisfaction and delight. For the moment the troubles in the East were overshadowed by the word from the far West, and the feeling of enthusiasm for Canada's action has not yet subsided. No one present this afternoon at Albert Hall will ever forget the scene, when, at the mere mention of Canada, 12,000 of England's best and noblest sons rose as one man, and made the vast building resound again and again with wild cheering.

Talk With Sir Howard Vincent.

In the House of Commons Sir Howard Vincent has given notice of a resolution of thanks and acknowledgment to the Dominion Government, and the published schedules having arrived, I to-day interviewed that gentleman at his handsome town residence, No. 1 Grosvenor-square. Col. C. E. H. Vincent, who is well known in Canada, is the worthy descendant of a noble family. "which," says Burke, "has been established for ages in Northamptonshire." His career has been one of remarkable activity in many fields, and as barrister, soldier, member of Parliament, Deputy Lieutenant for London, war correspondent, and the author of valuable works on military and economic questions, he may justly be taken as a representative Englishman of action. But it is as an Imperialist, the founder of the United Empire Trade League, that Sir Howard Vincent is especially interesting to Canadians at this moment, and, representing as he does a most important manufacturing constituency, and, having an intimate personal knowledge of the colonies, he is well qualified to speak on the new tariff.

Treaties Will be Denounced.

In answer to the question as to whether any protest from Germany or Belgium would be effective, he said emphatically: "Having regard to the unanimous approval with which the action of Canada has been met, there is no doubt whatever but that we shall move successfully for the denunciation of these treaties if Germany and Belgium protest. In February of last year I addressed a letter to the Government on behalf of the United Empire Trade League, praying anew for the elimination of the obnoxious clauses from the German and Belgian treaties. The reply of the Prime Minister was, that he fully recognized the inconvenient character of these stipulations—stipulations which would never again be agreed to by this country—but he was not prepared to terminate these otherwise valuable treaties, until a definite scheme had been produced, offering such probabilities of increased trade within the Empire as would fully compensate for the risk involved in the denunciation of these treaties. That situation has now come about, the indefinite has become definite and that which was possible has now become certain by the action of Canada. The way in which the new tariff has been received by the entire English press and people makes denunciation a certainty if these treaties block the road."

English Sentiment Aroused.

"English sentiment has then been aroused by the action of the Canadian Government?"

"Yes. An instance of the popularity which Canada has just achieved is found in the fact that over one hundred members of Parliament have accepted invitations to meet Mr. Laurier at the luncheon of the United Empire Trade League, which is to inaugurate the Jubilee festivities on June 11 next. At the meeting of the Primrose League this afternoon the audience, 12,000 strong, rose en masse at the mention of Canada by the Duke of Marlborough. Nor is this mere party feeling. At the same moment, Mr. Roche, the Irish Nationalist member for East Kerry, was asking in the House whether Her Majesty's Government is considering the advisability of denouncing the German and Belgian treaties."

Imperial Sentiment Too Strong.

"Dont you think the Government likely to take the position of the Marquis of Ripon in his reply to the petition of the Ottawa conference in 1894?"

"No. I do not. An Imperial sentiment has sprung up all over the country, which no Government can now afford to disregard. The movement has been recent and general, and is partly owing to the efforts of the League, but its most important cause was the attitude taken by Canada and other colonies in December, 1895, in what seemed England's hour of trouble. The sentiment then aroused, I say, has become a living factor in our politics, wherever Imperial questions are involved ,and it is gratifying to know it is so."

Sir Charles Over-Trumped.

"What do you think of the attitude of the leaders of the Canadian Opposition? Is not Sir Charles Tupper a member of the League?"

"I do not wish to express any opinion on questions as between Canadian parties, but I must state that Sir Charles Tupper has been the staunchest champion of the League's cause, and has done invaluable work on its behalf, but," continued the gallant Knight, with a smile, "I think his trumps have been overtrumped by Mr. Laurier."

An Important Step.

"Do you regard the new tariff as a step of importance towards an Imperial Customs Union?"

"Most certainly. I know whereof I speak when I say that the Governments of Australia will probably hasten to emulate the example of Canada. Mr. Lowles, M.P., special commissioner to Australia of the United Empire Trade League, was received there last year with the greatest enthusiasm, and the Australian Natives' Association took a leading part at all his mass meetings throughout the country. Mr. Rhodes has expressed himself so often on the subject that South Africa will no doubt follow suit as soon as matters are more settled there."

The Quid Pro Quo.

"What are the prospects of England according preferential treatment to colonial produce?"

"Well, I must admit they are not exactly brilliant, although, mind you, the great working classes are in favor of such a policy."

"You rather mean the middle classes?"

"No, I mean the working classes; workingmen in all parts of the Kingdom are greatly taken up with the scheme of preferential trade with the Empire. I have ascertained this at hundreds of meetings of workingmen throughout the country, and the fact that for twelve years I have represented an absolutely working class constituency, and was returned unopposed at the last election, goes to prove what I say, as also the constant demand for speeches on the subject."

German Competition.

"Is the question of German competition a serious one?"

"Yes, indeed. The fact that German competition is enormously affecting our manufacturing interests is only too evident. Our imports of manufactured articles have increased to £100,000,000 in forty years, and now stand at ten times their amount in 1855. The Germans are also supplanting us abroad, owing to their cheap labor, bounties and lower freight charges from their ports to Australia and India. No! Canadians need not fear that our love for the German manufacturer will prevent us abrogating these treaties. If Germany protests I will at once move the adjournment of the House, with every probability of success, for the denunciation of treaties which prevent us taking advantage of Canada's generous proposal."

And as I took leave of this determined foe of the Little Englanders I needed no further assurance that this would be a worthy champion of Canada's rights in the complications which may soon arise.

CITY HALL TOPICS.

Is the Gas Co. Matter Ever to be Settled?—A New Condition.

Is the Gas Company case ever going to be settled? On Friday the Board of Control agreed to give a bond for $2000 and pay Mr. Johnston $1250 for his costs, if he appealed the case to the Privy Council. Mr. Johnston agreed to this, but since that conference Mayor Fleming has decided that a condition should be put in the agreement to the effect that Mr. Johnston must retain counsel satisfactory to the city. This does not appear to be an unwise provision, and Mr. Johnston will probably assent to it, but until he does a settlement cannot be arrived at.

City Hall Notes.

A building permit has been issued to James Fairhead for the erection of an icehouse on Esplanade-street east, to cost $1250.

A number of Jubilee oak trees will be planted in the parks on May 24.

At the meeting of the City Council to-day the formal bylaw expropriating the necessary land for the reconstruction of the Queen-street subway will be submitted.

The Court of Revision will meet at 2.30 to-day to confirm some local improvements. The sub-committee to select bands for the Jubilee demonstration will meet at the same hour.

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physically, and I feel like a new and free man. Previously, I had tried a good many different times to stop smoking, and to regain my health, but I was unable to accomplish the former, so that my attempt for the latter was each time a failure. I am pleased to recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla as a blood purifier." J. R. McFADDEN, Ex-Commander Ness Post, No. 81, G. A. R., Dept. of Kansas, Brownsville, Wash.

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Alleged Horse Stealing.

There is an alleged horse stealing deal to be investigated in the Police Court to-day. Charles Brouthers of Stratford lost a horse and rig and the Toronto detective force were notified of the loss. Brouthers came to Toronto and, as a result of his visit, Detective Davis made a very clever capture of Abraham Ross on Saturday night. When the detective accosted him Ross gave a card which said he was a performer in the "European Specialty Company," which was soon to appear on the boards in Toronto. Davis did not agree with him in this and the arrest followed. Brouthers claims to have identified the accused as a spectacle pedlar, who took the horse and rig, and has also identified as his property a horse and rig which Detective Davis recovered from a livery stable.

Don't Drink the Water.

Our drinking water is not quite what we could wish for these days—no doubt largely owing to the spring freshet. To avoid any ill effects which would be likely to arise from drinking this water it would be far better to drink the Golden Ale of the Eaton Bros. Brewing Company of Owen Sound, limited. 136

Bryan Coming Here.

William Jennings Bryan of Lincoln, Neb., who became famous as a Presidential candidate for free silver and made such a good run in the recent United States elections, will lecture on "Bimetallism" in Massey Hall on Tuesday evening, June 4. The lecture will be under the auspices of Toronto Lodge Knights of Pythias, an order of which Mr. Bryan is an enthusiastic member. This will be his first visit to Canada, and it is only after a correspondence lasting for six months and at a great expense that the famous orator of America has been persuaded to come here.

The Race Meeting.

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