

AS IN OLDER DAYS



To endow a permanent cot in the L. O. D. E. Preventorium for Children, the Lady Ross Chapter, Daughters of the Empire, Toronto, organized "Vanity Fair," consisting of a bazaar, bridge and dance, the participants wearing the costumes of olden days. A feature of the affair was a 150-year-old coach, an heirloom of the Gooderham family, which was driven through the streets of Toronto.

DEVELOPMENT AT NIAGARA FALLS

Ontario Hydro-electric Power Commission Carrying on Wonderful Power Operations

(Canadian Municipal Journal.) Operating the largest shovels in the world and reversing the flow of a river, the Hydro Electric Power Commission of Ontario is carrying on an enormous engineering project at Niagara Falls, practically without the use of steam. There are many startling phases to this work, which is the largest engineering feat attempted in the Dominion of Canada, and the biggest engineering job at present being carried on in the North American continent. In order to get water to the new power house which will be erected just above Queenston, the Commission will utilize four and a quarter miles of the Welland River, causing this sluggish stream to flow backward and take water from the Niagara River instead of emptying into it above the Falls. Connecting with the Welland River is a power canal, stretching from Queenston and encircling the city of Niagara Falls, Ont., which will be eight and a quarter miles long when completed. The original survey for the Niagara

development was made in 1914, and the construction work began in May, 1917. The commission expects to have the new plant in working order in 1922. War conditions handicapped the engineers, but this year's operations were begun on a gigantic scale. A trip over the right of way will impress the observer with the vast scope of the undertaking which, in its completed state, will cost approximately \$27,000,000. Two miles above the brink of Niagara Falls a steam dredge, the largest ever built at the channel of the Welland River bottom and a portion of Hog Island which guards the entrance to this historic creek. The lone dredge and its attendant tugs are the only pieces of equipment engaged on the entire Niagara development which are not owned by the Hydro Electric Power Commission. They, with six or seven switch engines are the only apparatus in use on the development which require steam in their operation. Even the drills employed on the rock deposits of the canal right of way are operated by air, electrically compressed. A mile or two inland a huge clamshell swing from an aerial cableway, drops into the river and then emerges, bringing with it generous bites from the river bottom, which are deposited on the river bank at the foot of the lower from where the operator directs the earth and clay along the north bank of the river reveals the effectiveness of the clamshell in this particular portion of the development. A short ride from Niagara Falls over the right of way, brings one to the canal proper, where the activities of huge electric shovels, electric trains and gangs of men present a striking picture. The weary householder passing the furnace, shored by shovels, from the ton or two of coal, his winter's supply, will marvel at the economy of the shovels which pick up from eight to ten tons of material, lift it seventy feet into the air and deposit it into waiting cars, all within the short space of forty seconds. Trains, hauled by electric locomotives, convey the mud and clay to the dump at St. David's. The boulders and rock from the canal are borne away to the stone crusher on the cliff above Queenston, and converted into material for roadways, railroad road-bed and riprap which will line the shores of the canal. The stone crusher, which has a capacity of 4,000 cubic yards, is well worth a visit. The rocks from the excavations are cast into a trough opening into gigantic steel jaw which grind and munch, breaking the largest pieces into smaller bits that are carried away on a belt conveyor. A series of crushers reduce the rocks to a form where they may be utilized for building purposes and stored for future use. Fifty-five miles of railway, all electrified, and tapping five trunk lines, are required in the construction work on the development. On this railway the commission has in operation more electric locomotives than any railway system in Canada. At present 2,000 men are employed on the big job. These men are housed and fed by the commission. A surgeon, an ambulance and a hospital maintained by the commission are at the disposal of the employes in case of accident. The adoption of the newest safety devices has minimized the danger of accident on the development, and the commission has devoted a great deal of time to safety first propaganda in order to safeguard the men in its employ. About 2,000 acres, or 50 per cent of the lands, acquired by the commission for its right of way, have been converted into farms, and the produce from the farms is sold to the employes of the commission. The commission maintains its own telephone system on the development and it has connections throughout the province. Garages, machine shops and office buildings line the right of way.

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By establishing its power house at Queenston the Hydro Electric Power Commission is enabled to take advantage of the full drop of both Niagara Falls and the largest electric units in the world, affording 100 per cent more electric power from the same amount of water. The largest electric units in the world, 55,000 horsepower generators, will be installed in the powerhouse, to produce the electric energy for distribution throughout the Province of Ontario. This great work is a striking example of the big vision and initiative of Sir Adam Beck, under whose direction the commission carries on its functions. This work is one which gives the people of Ontario just cause for pride in achievement.

NUMA R. TOURTELLOT of Hammondon, N. J., having reached the age of seventy years, was retired December 1 under the pension regulations of the Pennsylvania Railroad, with a record of fifty-eight years and nine months of active service on the railroad, the longest continuous service ever rendered by a Pennsylvania Railroad employe.

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RUSSIA CHARGED WITH INSPIRING RADICALS IN U.S.

Lusk Committee's Report to Legislature Ready; Russian Workers, Communists and I. W. W. Seek Overthrow of Government by Force, it is Said

(New York Evening Post.) Radical agitation in this country, with its resultant social unrest, is not due to economic conditions, but to an organized, artificially stimulated movement under the inspiration of the Russian Soviet government. This opinion will be submitted to the New York legislature in an exhaustive report by the joint legislative committee which has been investigating radical activities here since its organization last May, it was learned today. Three big groups of the radical element have been supplying the forces for wholesale dissemination of Bolshevik propaganda throughout the depth and breadth of the land, the report will assert, the anarchists group, including the Union of Russian Workers and other organizations; the Syndicalist group, the main body of which are the Industrial Workers of the World, and the Communist party, including the Communist party of America and the Communist Labor party. In each of these groups the overthrow of government by illegal means, including violence, is the weapon urged upon the masses, the report will state. New York city is one of the big headquarters for the organized movement, the report will point out, with Chicago, Cleveland, Detroit and virtually every

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Industrial centre from the Atlantic to the Pacific harboring a headquarters for the radical campaign. In the six months of the committee's active investigation—it took the month of May to plan its methods of procedure and get well under way—it has ferreted out practically every nook and cranny in Greater New York where radicalism extending to all sections of the country had its nest, the report will state. Hundreds of arrests have been made on information furnished by the committee. Scores of indictments for criminal anarchy have been turned on data prepared and made available by it. The first conviction for criminal anarchy in the United States is awaited for New York on information furnished by it, on which Carl Pivov and Gust Alonen, publishers of a Finnish radical newspaper here, are serving sentences of from four to eight years in Sing Sing. (The so-called Chicago anarchists, arrested in the Haymarket riots here 92 years ago, were convicted of murder and not anarchy.)

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Upwards of 700 men have been employed by the legislative committee in its investigation of the radical movement. That number of special agents, state constabulary and New York policemen were used in the execution of search warrants, procured against seventy-one Communist headquarters here on Nov. 8. A hundred men were used in the search of the Rand School of Social Science, headquarters of the left wing of the Socialist party and I. W. W. headquarters on June 21. Execution of search warrants against the Union of Russian Workers on Aug. 14 employed nearly as many.

The nineteen persons indicted here yesterday charged with criminal anarchy were arrested on information procured by the committee. Sixteen arrests in Cortland, N. Y., were made on similar information similarly procured. Indictments of Jay Lovestone and Hyman Bieiwies, Communists, in The Bronx recently, and three others in New York county, on criminal anarchy charges were returned on evidence collected by the legislative committee. Two men are held now in Brooklyn on similar information similarly procured. In virtually all instances counsel for the committee prepared the cases in detail. These facts will be pointed to by the committee in its report to the legislature as indicative of a need for aggressive action in dealing with the radical movement. The thoroughness of its work will be pointed out before starting to search for new evidence, the committee amassed a complete library of radical literature—books, periodicals, newspapers, leaflets and handbills. Then it established a bureau of translation to study the foreign language press. Radical meetings were covered and stenographic notes taken. Wherever evidence seemed to indicate seditious activity, search warrants were procured and executed. The first was asked for and executed June 12 when the Soviet Bureau of Ludwig C. A. K. Martens, self-styled ambassador of the Russian Soviet government here, was entered and books and papers seized for examination.

It will be pointed out in the committee's report that every search warrant which has been legally tested has been sustained by the courts. Special inquiry was directed at the foreign language and radical press in New York. Of forty-six such newspapers it was found that only two were self-supporting, the committee report will declare. Many of the indictments for criminal anarchy have been returned on evidence found in the columns of some of these publications. In its recommendations to the legislature the committee will approach the subject of corrective measures for the radical menace in two ways. First, it will recommend representative legislation, not trying to limit free speech, but pointing out that free speech is abused when overthrow of the government by violence and illegal methods is advocated. Second, along constructive lines, it will recommend increasing the present educational facilities for adult aliens, better training of teachers and so forth

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