

RESULTS OF SPLIT IN LABOR'S RANKS

And the Causes That Led to the Cleavage.

A REGRETTABLE OCCURRENCE

Amendments to the Constitution of Labor Congress May Disrupt Other Bodies.

Toronto, Sept. 24.—Quite a flutter of excitement has been caused in labor circles all over the Dominion, says the Globe, by the recent action of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada at its annual meeting at Berlin.

The congress was composed of delegates from "trades councils, central labor unions, trades unions, federal unions and district and local assemblies of the Knights of Labor in the Dominion of Canada."

Many of these organizations have, for reasons which appeared vital to them, firmly resisted the persistent efforts which have been made in recent years to persuade them to throw in their lot with the American Federation of Labor, which, up till recently, was purely a legislative body, similar to the Canadian Congress.

The American Federation of Labor, as well as the International organizations, has its headquarters and is controlled in the United States.

These national or Canadian bodies have up to the present been recognized as genuine labor organizations, and admitted to the Trades and Labor Congress, which body in turn represents all the various classes of organizations have worked harmoniously for the common good.

SOME CAUSES OF FRICTION. Recently the American Federation of Labor has displayed great activity in the Dominion, especially in the Eastern Provinces, and there has been more or less friction in consequence.

SPLIT IN MONTREAL. In Montreal an unfortunate split in the labor ranks has occurred, which has resulted in two rival trades councils being established, one composed of organizations connected with the international bodies, the other having, for its membership representatives from the Knights of Labor and purely Canadian unions, which refuse to affiliate with the international or American Federation of Labor.

HOW CHILDREN ARE TORTURED. By the Dreadful Itching, Burning, Stinging Sensation of Eczema. A Cure by Dr. Chase's Ointment.

Especially during the hot summer months children are tortured by itching skin disease, chafing, sunburn, and a score of ailments that are relieved and cured by Dr. Chase's Ointment.

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adopted by the majority, composed of representatives of international organizations, in an endeavor apparently to crush out the Canadian organizations as such or to force them to identify themselves with the international organizations.

HOW CHANGES WILL OPERATE.

The looked-for co-operation from Nova Scotia, which has heretofore practically held aloof from the Trades and Labor Congress at all events, delayed by this action.

Many of the advocates of the change contend that the clause of the constitution excluding these bodies from the Trades and Labor Congress will be almost every day and everywhere where the exclusion of organizations which

THE HARVEST IN THE WEST

Wheat Yield Ranges From 25 to 45 Bushels Per Acre.

Effect of Rain on Threshing—Shipping the Grain.

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 25.—"All quiet and busy" was the report along the Canadian Northern Railway yesterday.

The Edmonton district will market about four million bushels of grain, valued at over \$1,000,000.

MR. McKELLAR'S REPORT. Hugh McKellar, of the department of agriculture, who has returned from an inspection tour in the West, states that he found that the rains of last week had appreciable effect on the threshing only so far as Morden, but on the Pembina Mountains and on the other side there was not much damage done.

NEARLY \$100,000 SHORT. Toronto, Sept. 25.—Toronto members of the Ontario Sugar Company have learned with pleasure that the first sugar beets on their farm, near Berlin, Ont., were lifted yesterday, and the harvesting of the crops will soon become general.

MISSING TELLER CLEANED UP ALL THE BANK'S CASH. New York, Sept. 25.—When James M. Edge, the missing note teller of the First National Bank of Paterson, N.J., disappeared on Aug. 5, his shortage was near to \$100,000, according to the officials of the bank, instead of \$2,000, as was announced when it became known first that Edge was gone.

RIPE STRAWBERRIES. Muskegon, Mich., Sept. 24.—Carl Greening, a farmer living near here, yesterday brought in thirteen punts of ripe strawberries, which were of exceptional size and flavor.

NO TAX ON TRAVELERS. Winnipeg, Sept. 25.—The statement having been spread broadcast over Canada that the city of Winnipeg intended to levy a license tax on commercial travelers, the Winnipeg directors of the Commercial Travelers' Association have notified the head office at Toronto that no such tax is contemplated, and that the rumor arose from a recent bylaw dealing with peddlers.

DIGGERS TO BE TRIED. Toronto, Sept. 25.—The grand jury at the criminal assizes have brought true bills against Louis D. Bailey and Harvey Rummen, two former employees of the Toronto Street Railway Company, charging them with the theft of money and tickets from the company.

PERMANENT MUSCULAR STRENGTH. There is this to be borne in mind in these days, when so many young men are giving so much attention to physical development in gymnastic and athletic exercises, that there cannot be permanent muscular strength where there is not blood strength.

Hood's Sarsaparilla gives blood strength, promotes digestion, and assimilation, and builds up the whole system.

have hitherto been recognized as members. WILL DISRUPT TORONTO COUNCIL. In Toronto the Longshoremen's Union may be taken as an illustration. Owing to local conditions this union contends it cannot with advantage affiliate with the International Longshoremen's Union or with the Freight Handlers' organization in the West.

A NATIONAL CONGRESS.

The representatives of organizations excluded by the amended constitution because they insisted upon remaining purely Canadian organizations met at Berlin and organized "The National Trades and Labor Congress of Canada" with a constitution practically the same as that of the "Trades and Labor Congress of Canada," before its recent amendment.

As this new congress proposes issuing charters to trade organizations as well as trades unions, there unfortunately appears to be a probability, unless wiser counsels prevail, that in Toronto and other places there will shortly be two councils. The labor movement must necessarily be considerably injured by such division, and the friends of labor everywhere hope that this may be avoided.

THE "DREAM OF PARADISE"

Little Girl Voiced It Just Before Death Came.

May Have Had Presentiment That the End Was Near.

Detroit, Sept. 24.—Alonso Jamieson, of 508 Michigan avenue, was astonished last Sunday to hear the following words sung by the childish voice of Mary Ann Jamieson, his 14-year-old daughter, as she lay almost at the point of death in her little bedroom:

"Once in the evening twilight I dreamed a happy dream; Methought I was in heaven above and saw its crystal gleam; And calm amid the glory there stood a singer fair, Who through the stillness of the night sent forth this song of prayer."

The voice was sweet, and soft, and the father listened, half-afraid at the sick girl's unwonted action, while the little one sang the chorus of the song and repeated the second stanza.

Little Mary Ann Jamieson was a child with a host of friends in the west side. She was a juvenile elocutionist of promise and talent and spoke at many entertainments. She was a pupil of Charles Benson's, and when the child's death was announced her teacher burst into tears. The child also possessed a sweet voice, and her father had arranged a splendid future for her.

THE FUNERAL OF THE CHILD WAS HELD Tuesday afternoon, and Rev. David I. Sutherland, of the Calvary Presbyterian Church, conducted the services. At the grave, Mrs. Benson sang over the grave of the child the song she had repeated before her death, and the strains of the "Dream of Paradise" formed a fitting anthem for the sad occasion of the funeral.

WAS A HIGH ROLLER. Carnegie's Crooked Clerk Kept Up a Lavish Establishment. London, Sept. 25.—L. H. Grieg, a bookkeeper in the London offices of the Carnegie Steel Company, who was reported on Friday last on the charge of forging checks, amounting to \$2,500, was again remanded yesterday after a brief hearing.

"RAGGING" MUST STOP. Roberts Pronounces Practice a Disgrace to the Army. London, Sept. 25.—As an outcome of the recent Gregson incident, Earl Roberts, commander-in-chief of forces, has notified all commanding officers of the necessity of suppressing with a strong hand any such practices as "ragging," which he declares to be a disgrace to the army and most pernicious and prejudicial to the whole spirit of discipline.

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HAS EXCITED RESENTMENT

Boer Manifesto Created a Bad Impression.

LEYS AND REITZ ARE BLAMED

A German Subject Convicted of Treachery Sentenced to Ten Years Imprisonment.

London, Sept. 25.—The tone and contents of the Boer generals' manifesto, issued in the form of an appeal to the civilized world for contributions to assist destitute Boers and help in the education of Boer children, excite the resentment of the whole British press, and the document tends to alienate the sympathy hitherto felt for the Boer people in many quarters.

CONVICTED OF TREACHERY. A dispatch from Cape Town says that Ernest Henshel, a German subject, has been convicted of treachery and sentenced by a military court at Pretoria to ten years' imprisonment at hard labor. Last March, after having taken the oath of neutrality, Henshel started for Germany, carrying with him a number of Kafir curiosities, among which were found, when the curiosities were examined at the frontier, certain documents addressed by Commandant Beyer to former President Kruger and Dr. Leyds, the Boer representative in Europe.

ETHIOPIAN MOVEMENTS. The Cape Town correspondent of the Times says the Archbishop of Cape Town, speaking in a notice on the sons of chiefs, emphasized the distinction which, he said, existed between a loyal body called Ethiopian Order of the American Church and the so-called Ethiopian movement engineered from America by educated negroes, which is regarded here with grave alarm by all persons who are acquainted with native Africans.

NEW ZEALAND LOAN. A Wellington dispatch says the acting treasurer of New Zealand refuses to inform Parliament how his Government is raising the new loan. The treasurer has simply said New Zealand could afford to snap its fingers at the London money market.

QUEENSLAND MAY SECEDE. Hon. Robert Philip, prime minister of Queensland, has said in answer to the question of secession from the Commonwealth of Australia will be a vital one at the next federal elections in Queensland, that he does not believe that 20 per cent of the electors will support such inclusion. He expressed the support of New South Wales and Western Australia, but said he was satisfied with the present conditions.

MISS HUGHES OUT OF DANGER. Lindsay, Sept. 24.—Lieut.-Col. Sam Hughes, M. P., left this morning for London, after a serious illness, to resume his duties with the Canadian Northern Construction Company. The colonel has been detained in the east a couple of weeks by a serious illness of Miss Hughes, who is now out of danger, and was yesterday brought home to town from the summer cottage at Fenelon Falls.

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The Ring of Ranges—"Duck's Happy Thought"

Buying a Range



There are three essential things to consider when buying a Range—Quality, Consumption of Fuel, and the Price. The price is the least important. A good range will last many years, and when it saves in fuel it pays for its self, while a cheap range is constantly adding to its price in extra consumption of fuel.

THE QUIRK MURDER. Spiritualists Claim to Present the Circumstances of the Case. Toronto, Sept. 25.—An extraordinary case from Brantford came up yesterday morning at Goswold Hall.

HONEST ADVICE. Based on His Own Personal Experience He Recommends Dodd's Kidney Pills. Wolfestown, Que., Sept. 22.—(Special)—Mr. R. Boulanger, Secretary and Treasurer of the town, says: "I think it is prudent for every family to keep and use Dodd's Kidney Pills."

THE CHANGES IN LAKE LEVELS. Washington, D. C., Sept. 25.—In execution of the purpose of Congress, as set out in the last river and harbor act, Acting Secretary Ade has invited the Canadian Government, through the British embassy here, to name commissioners, who will cooperate with similar commissioners appointed by the Government of the United States to constitute what is to be known as the lake commission.

OUR BRANDS. King Edward, 1000s. Headlight, 500s. Eagle, 100s and 200s. Victoria. Little Comet. Don't be induced to experiment with other and inferior brands. USE EDDY'S. HULL, CANADA. DONALD McLEAN, Agent, 436 Richmond Street, London.

REID'S HARDWARE. 118 DUNDAS STREET. Carpet Sweepers. Wringers. Curtain Stretchers. Mangles. Stepladders. Meat Cutters. BICYCLE LAMPS and SUNDRIES. AT LOWEST CASH PRICES.

A MEAN GRATE FIRE MAKES A MAN "HOT." Sometimes it's the fault of the grate, more times it's the fault of the coal. If your grate is out of order, we can't help you; but we will sell you something new in coal from the famous Blue Grass State called "Kentucky Cannel" provided you pay a little more for it, that will please you. Kentucky Cannel is as far ahead of other Cannel as hard wood is ahead of soft.

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Buying a Range advertisement with image of a range stove and text describing its benefits.

The London City and Midland Bank Limited advertisement listing capital and reserves.

Absolute Satisfaction BEE STARCH advertisement with image of a bee and text describing its uses.

OUR BRANDS advertisement for King Edward, Headlight, Eagle, Victoria, and Little Comet matches.

REID'S HARDWARE advertisement listing various tools and equipment.

A MEAN GRATE FIRE MAKES A MAN "HOT." advertisement for Blue Grass State coal.

SKIN DISEASES advertisement for Swayne's Ointment.

IT PAYS TO THE BEST advertisement for The Canada Business College.

SKIN DISEASES advertisement for Swayne's Ointment.

Be Sure advertisement for Tillson's Rolled Oats, including text about its benefits and contact information for T. A. Rowat & Co.