

SEDITION PROVEN, BUT MERCY ASKED

Jury Finds Editor Bainbridge Guilty and Judgment is Stayed.

Peace Bainbridge, editor of The Canadian Forward, appeared in the assize court before Mr. Justice Hodgins yesterday, charged with having published seditious libel, and the jury, after a lengthy deliberation of the case, brought in a verdict of guilty of the charge preferred, but added a strong recommendation for mercy. R. T. Harding, counsel for the accused, immediately entered an appeal for arrest of execution, on the ground that the indictment was not specifically stated. His appeal was allowed until this morning. The accused was allowed bail.

Mr. Harding, at the opening of proceedings, asked the assize judge to be lenient, as the charge preferred against Bainbridge differed from that laid in the indictment. He stated that the seditious words alleged to have been published were not mentioned in the indictment, and that the name of the person against whom seditious libel was alleged to have been made.

Mr. Justice Hodgins overruled the objections, stating that there was only one person, the King, against whom a seditious statement could be made.

Pamphlets, identified by Detective Maurer as those he had found at Mr. Bainbridge's office, 363 Spadina avenue, and submitted as evidence, bore such titles as "The Price We Pay," "Social Revolution," "The Evil of Conscription," "World Peace Foundation," "The Call," and "Canada Forward." His lordship found, however, that no evidence had been submitted to prove that Bainbridge had anything to do with the publication of any of the pamphlets except "Canada Forward" and "The Price We Pay."

The case was allowed to proceed on the charges preferred against the two pamphlets.

Asked by Mr. Harding whether he had submitted the pamphlet to the censor before publishing, his lordship interrupted before Bainbridge could reply, stating that neither the censor nor any other person had the right to censor the publication of a seditious libel.

ROYCE PROPERTY MAY BE USED FOR HOSPITAL

Objections Made by Ward Seven Rate-payers to High Park Site.

The new hospital for returned men for which a site of 25 acres in High Park overlooking Grenadier Pond was voted by the council to the department of militia until one year after the war may not be located there after all.

Residents of Ward Seven are strongly opposed to the site being in High Park and many more members than those who spoke against the proposal at the meeting of the council last Tuesday are in sympathy with the complaining residents of the western ward.

Yesterday the matter came up before the board of control and Ald. Ryding and Gibbons asked that the board reconsider the matter. Ald. Ryding suggested that there were more centrally located properties, the Royce one, for instance. This property is located at Lansdowne and St. Clair avenue, and has an area of 33 acres.

Controller Cameron said he had been informed that there would be no difficulty in getting this property. A warm discussion ensued between the mayor and the controller, the mayor stating that the deal was closed as far as he was concerned and that he would "not wobble all over."

Controller Shaw moved that the militia department be asked to consider the Royce property as an alternative to the High Park site. Gen. Legie was telephoned and stated that Col. Ryerson would inspect the site and report to the board of control today.

SUPPORTS PROPOSAL

Ald. MacGregor in Favor of Royce Property for Hospital.

"I am quite in sympathy with the proposal," said Ald. Donald MacGregor, a supporter of the proposal to have the big military hospital for returned men located on the Royce property instead of in High Park.

"I am strongly in favor of the Earlscourt location for several reasons. It is more central and has far better car service from all parts of the city than the High Park location.

"If there is one section of this city that has made a greater sacrifice in this war than any other, it is Earlscourt, by having the new hospital located there it would not only be a fitting tribute to the district, but many of the men who will occupy the buildings have their homes in that section, and will in consequence be close to their families.

"The site is a good one and I am very much in favor of it."

HARRY LAUDER COMING

Harry Lauder told an Edinburgh audience at the King's a good story against himself recently. The last time he was in Glasgow an old friend came into his dressing room and repeated a conversation to Harry he had just overheard on a Springburn car. One woman remarked to another: "What are ye gainin' after a'?" "I'm gainin' whaur' everybody in Glasgow is gainin' this week—the Pavilion to hear Harry Lauder. Are ye no gainin'?"

"I am not," rejoined the woman with emphasis. "I heard him twenty years ago in the Britannia for tip-pence, and he was at his best then."

"But," says the writer in The Glasgow Herald, "the lady was wrong. Lauder of twenty years ago was miles behind Lauder of today; Lauder of five years ago was not the Lauder you will hear now."

Lauder will appear at the Royal Alexandra Theatre for three nights and three matinees, beginning Thursday afternoon, Nov. 29, this being his farewell tour of America.

English and French Money for Soldiers

Torontonians desiring to obtain English or French paper money for the purpose of sending remittances to the men overseas can secure the same at the office of Messrs. A. C. Webster & Co., 53 Yonge street, between Colborne and Wellington streets.

TO INVEST INSURANCE

The controller assented to a suggestion of the finance commission that by which war widows, instead of drawing their husbands' insurance at the rate of \$30 a month, will be allowed to purchase Victory Loan bonds with the whole of it.

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CONTROLLER CHECKING UP THE RESTAURANTS

Asking Them to Fill Out Cards Showing Saving Made in Flour and Bacon.

The food controller has issued cards to many of the leading restaurants and hotels throughout Canada, asking that they be filled in showing the saving in white flour, beef and bacon since the regulation went into force, Sept. 15. A saving on bacon of 41 per cent, over the same month last year was shown by October.

The steward of the King Edward Hotel here told The World that in that hotel a saving of nearly 50 per cent, on bacon and 35 per cent, on beef and white flour was noticed. He said they did not cut the crust off any of their breads now, nor did they trim the toast either at their regular meals or at afternoon tea, although this was ordered by the food controller. He said an order was in for oleomargarine as soon as it was able to be procured. They were not intending to use it on the tables, but in the pastry kitchen.

NEW ROUTE TO WESTERN CANADA PROVING POPULAR

Runs Through Famous Clay Belt of New Ontario and the Cobalt Mining District.

On your next trip to Western Canada, why not travel over the new route, the wonderful land opened up in Northern Ontario by the Transcontinental Railway and gain a glimpse of Timagami and the Cobalt silver mining region?

You may use the famous trains on your journey without any extra expense for railway fare as compared with any other route. The International Limited will carry you to Toronto, where "The National" starts on its westbound flight. "The National" uses the rails of the Grand Trunk to North Bay, the Ontario and Northern Ontario (Provincial Government line), to Cochrane, and the Canadian Government Railway to Winnipeg, where it links up with the Grand Trunk Pacific for all important points in Western Canada. A pleasant daylight run to Toronto, an evening in the Queen City, and "The National" is ready to carry you westward. The departure of "The National" from Toronto is at 9:00 p.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays. North Bay is reached next morning and there open up for your admiration all the lakeland beauties of the territory served by the T. & N. O. line. These are followed by a wonderfully interesting trip through the sparsely populated territory of New Ontario, giving the traveler an opportunity of inspecting this fertile region, including the famous clay belt, where tens of thousands of settlers will make their homes in the future. The area of New Ontario is 320,000 square miles, fully four times the size of Old Ontario, and in addition to great expanses of good farming land, it has wonderful resources in lumber, minerals, water power, fish and game.

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BIG SALE OF BONDS

Archibald Drain sold \$25,000 worth of Victory bonds to the Tip Top Tailors of Toronto.

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SUGAR IS WASTED IN MAKING LIQUOR

Is Contention of Dominion Alliance, and Food Controller's Power is Asked.

WOULD SEIZE LIQUOR

Manufacture of Alcohol Responsible for Abnormal Price of Sugar.

The Dominion Alliance has taken up the question of suppressing the use of sugar and sugar products for the manufacture of alcohol. Mr. J. Boileau, acting secretary of the Ontario branch of the alliance, and Mr. J. H. Roberts, secretary of the Quebec branch, have petitioned Hon. W. J. Hanna, the food controller, for an order absolutely prohibiting the use of sugar for the purpose named, and branches of the alliance throughout the country are joining in the petition.

The Pioneer, the official organ of the alliance, in its current issue takes strong ground on the question. Commending the government for its recent order-in-council prohibiting the use of any foodstuffs for the manufacture of potable liquors, the official organ of the alliance goes further and urges that the use of foodstuffs for the manufacture of alcohol for any purpose whatever should be stopped at the time being. The Pioneer points out that, according to the reports of the inland revenue department close upon 17,000,000 gallons of distilled liquors are held in bond in Canada, sufficient for all industrial purposes, including the making of war munitions, for at least 25 months to come, and that the government has the prerogative and the right to exercise its prerogative and seize the liquor for the country's industrial needs.

"While farmers are producing all their produce he wasted, there has developed a discussion over the amount of sugar wasted in the manufacture of alcohol," says the alliance. "In questionably its use in that connection has been responsible for a large measure for the abnormally high prices of that commodity and for its scarcity at the present time. It has been asserted that one of the great refineries of Canada has for some time been turning raw sugar into molasses, which in turn has been converted into alcohol, thereby realizing a profit that would be impossible were the material refined and placed upon the market as sugar. If this is true it is high time that the public was acquainted with the fact."

In support of the position taken by the alliance, Mr. Hanna says he has been informed that the Montreal Products Company, Limited, whose manager, Mr. T. S. Gillespie, recently wrote a letter to the newspapers regarding the use of sugar for the manufacture of alcohol, is itself an auxiliary company to the sugar refinery which is engaged in the business of refining raw sugar and molasses into alcohol. Ten years ago this refinery installed a distilling plant for the purpose of utilizing its by-products in the manufacture of alcohol. The Montreal Products Company, Limited, was organized to operate this branch of the refinery business, the output being sold to the wholesale liquor trade and others through the agency of Gillespie & Co., an old established wine and liquor house of Montreal. Since the installation of this distillery the market for distilled spirits has advanced to such a degree that the value of the molasses has become more profitable than the sugar and molasses entering into its production. As a consequence a very considerable amount of raw sugar which should have found its way to the tables of consumers in Canada has been turned into alcoholic spirits. It is in protest against this misuse and the loss of a much-needed commodity, which is repeatedly pointed out by The Toronto World, that the Dominion Alliance is now urging the government to take further action.

Supply Below Normal

That the supply of sugar for domestic use in Canada is below normal, and is daily becoming scarcer is apparent to all who are watching the trend of the market. In the United States, according to a statement by the International Sugar Commission issued in New York Tuesday, the shortage is being caused by the fact that the supply of raw sugar is being restricted to the smallest possible quantities, endeavoring to make as wide a distribution as possible. Retailers in New York and elsewhere are charging as high as 20 cents a pound for sugar and restricting quantities to very small amounts. An indication of the seriousness of the situation in the States is also to be found in the fact that yesterday the federal food administrator of New York ordered the seizure of 10,000 tons of sugar which had been purchased for the Russian Government and which was being held in storage awaiting available transportation. This is now being used to alleviate local conditions.

Situation is Serious.

While the situation is less acute in Canada, owing to the foresight of some of our refineries in laying in large supplies of raw sugar in anticipation of present conditions, it is sufficiently serious to render it obligatory upon the government, as well as upon the consumers, to do all within their power to prevent any waste or misuse of the raw material as well as of the finished product. Food Controller Hanna called attention to this situation in his address to the Ontario Women's Institute convention in Toronto on Wednesday, when he told of the withdrawal of 100,000 tons of sugar, allotted to Canada by the United States, and its use to help make good a loss of millions of pounds suffered by Great Britain in the sinking of ships bearing Java. Mr. Hanna deprecated the idea of any prospective violent inflation of sugar prices in Canada, but advised the convention to devote part of its time to devising ways and means for the conservation of the present supply of sugar.

Mr. Hanna's optimism as to the future of Canada's sugar supply, the controller decided to let the board of education struggle with the matter.

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Canadian Independent Telephone Association Elects Officers

The second day of the twelfth annual convention of the Canadian Independent Telephone Association was held yesterday in the council chamber of the city hall. George Hogarth spoke on the relationship of telephone lines and public highways. F. Dargatzis dealt with the Ontario Companies Act as it affected telephone line disturbances.

H. C. Don Carlos, operating engineer of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission, dealt with the prevention of inductive interference between telephone and power lines and answered a number of questions regarding line disturbances.

The special committee on other line charges reported that the extra expense should be met by a small fee for all such other line calls to accrue to the local company. Any order that would do away with other line charges would increase rental charges. The report was opposed in convention.

The officers elected follow: Hon. president, Col. T. R. Mackberry, Ingersoll; president, F. S. Scott, Brantford; vice-president, Milton A. Geo. Groh, Preston; E. W. Love, Mount Albert; C. W. Johns, Algonquin; F. G. Webster, Creemore; A. McLean, Paisley; George Tait, Brantford; W. H. Wadsworth, Brantford; Dr. W. Doan, Harrisville; H. S. Kenlock, Martintown; and Samuel Cuddable, Burnt River. Auditors, E. G. Hooyer and E. E. Wilson.

Toronto-Hamilton Highway Will Be Officially Opened Saturday

The Toronto-Hamilton Highway will be officially opened Saturday morning by Premier Heast. The tapping ceremony will take place at the Humber River (Toronto) terminus of the highway. As it was at the instance of the Ontario Motor League that the construction of this, Canada's finest high efficiency highway, was undertaken, the officials of the league are taking a prominent part in the opening. Following the ceremony a motorcade will drive over the completed highway to Hamilton, where a war-time dinner will be given. Motorists who desire to join the parade are urged to be at the Humber River terminus not later than 10 o'clock Saturday morning.

SUPERANNUATION PASSED UP

Board of Control to Let Board of Education Worry.

In a report to the board of control yesterday the finance commission said it was not clear why the board of education should bring the old superannuation scheme to the attention of the city, which was not a party to it.

The liability of the old fund, which was supposed to be the province's government's plan, is \$250,000, and the controllers decided to let the board of education struggle with the matter.

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HYDRO SURPLUS FOR BONDS

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These enquiries have come from the smaller municipalities and represent a large number, but in no case is the amount of surplus what might be considered large. The fact, however, shows a healthy condition of hydro affairs throughout the province.

ORDER IS RESCINDED.

Pending a conference between the board of control and the heads of the civic departments the order cutting off telephones in the homes of certain civic employees was rescinded.

CITY SHOULD KEEP STORE

That the city should enter the business of selling necessities is the gist of a report that the M. O. H. has submitted to the board of control.

The board of control recommended that next Wednesday be declared a half holiday in the city for the Victory Loan parade.

MRS. BENGOUGH DEAD

Mrs. J. W. Bengough, of this city, died very suddenly yesterday morning while visiting in New York City. She was accompanying her husband on a lecturing tour of the eastern states. No complaint had been heard from her of any indisposition before leaving Toronto.

Mrs. Bengough, who was formerly Mrs. E. R. Mawson, of Chicago, was married to Mr. Bengough seven years ago.

DR. G. N. THOMAS DEAD

Dr. G. N. Thomas, a graduate in medicine from Toronto University, died in the General Hospital at the age of 38. He was born in Watertown, but was one of the early settlers in the Cobalt district. He was one of those who relieved the sufferings of the injured during the last great fire in the northland.

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PORTABLES Accommodate

Balm Beach Public Accommodate

Balm Beach P.M. Miss Vee is principal of about 150. The school, which was so overcrowded that the entire school transferred to Wilton to make room for the school. Supt. B. H. education, has been portable school, which has brought to a ten-room school.

MEN DEFRAUD

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YORK AND FARMERS AND PEASANTS

Resolutions Passed to Federal Tribunal

Complaint Made of the Farm Deplete

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