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## PEACE NEGOTIATIONS ENDED BALKAN ALLIES WILL PROCEED WITH SIEGE OF ADRIANOPOLE

Believing That Young Turks Are Bent on Resuming War Allies Notify Rechad Pasha of Intention to Press Hostilities to a Speedy Conclusion.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—(Can. Press).—The peace negotiations, which reached a deadlock over the cession of Adrianople on January 6, were finally broken today by a note which the plenipotentiaries of the allied Balkan nations presented to Rechad Pasha, head of the Turkish delegation.

Notwithstanding this rupture, there are optimists in the diplomatic world who hope that a resumption of the war may yet be averted, either through fresh proposals that Turkey is reported to be including in the note which she will deliver to the powers tomorrow, or through the fall of Adrianople before activities can be begun again at the Tchatalja lines.

A majority of the Balkan delegates refuse to admit the likelihood of either contingency, believing that the life of the Young Turk government depends on the resumption of the war, even should the allies be willing to postpone the conflict. They are of the opinion that the present failure of diplomacy is, at the least, only an interlude, however, for they will leave four representatives in London to undertake the settlement anew.

Blam's Pow. r.

Rechad Pasha, after receiving the note, said:

"The consequences may be of the gravest nature. The responsibility lies not alone with the allies, but with the powers, who encouraged the Balkan states and have shown no fairness towards Turkey, altho before the war they had solemnly proclaimed the principle of the unchangeability of the status quo."

The plan of the allies so far as the plenipotentiaries are informed is to concentrate their forces on Adrianople immediately after the expiration of the prescribed four days, if the offer of that fortress does not occur in the meantime. They believe that a few days' bombardment by the big siege batteries which now surround Adrianople will bring about the capitulation of the place.

The Balkan representatives declare that all the reports that Rumania would aid Bulgaria against Turkey are unfounded and they add that if Rumania should take advantage of the opportunity to gain her territorial claims by force while the Bulgarian army is engaged with Turkey, Bulgaria would let her occupy the territory she demands. But as soon as the Bulgarian army disposed of the Turks, the Bulgars would turn their attention to the Rumanians and attempt to make them pay dearly for this racial disloyalty, which the Bulgarians consider would be treason.

## HON. JAS. YOUNG PASSES AWAY AT GALT

Veteran Parliamentarian's Life Ends With Completion of His Work, "Public Life and Public Men in Canada"—Was Provincial Treasurer in Mowat's Cabinet.

GALT, Jan. 29.—(Special).—At "Thornhill," the picturesque family residence, Hon. James Young passed peacefully away early this afternoon. Death came not unexpectedly, as he had been in ill-health for some months, gradually growing weaker. On May 24 last he celebrated his 77th birthday. Full of years and honors as a forceful parliamentarian, publicist, gifted man of letters and kindly cultured gentleman, his passing is deeply regretted in the community in which he was born and lived all his life. The County of Waterloo and the sister County of Brant, whose able and devoted parliamentary representative he was for long years, mourn him sincerely and deeply. He will be remembered gratefully as one of the makers of Canada.

James Young died veritably in harness. He has just witnessed the fruition of one of the great literary labors of his life, the completion of his book, "Public Life and Public Men in Canada," which he has just finished writing. It is a work of great value to the history of the Dominion.

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## MOVE FOR IMPERIAL FEDERATION MUST COME FROM THE DOMINIONS

LONDON, Jan. 29.—(C.A.P.).—Sir Edward Coates presided at tonight's Canadian Club dinner. The guests included Lord Emmett, Colonial Under-Secretary Shirley Bann, Sir W. Bull, Sir W. Carlike, George Cave, Sir W. Corry, Hon. W. S. Fielding, Sir R. Forester, Ald. Hanson, Earl of Kerry, Donald MacMaster, Earl Morley, Sir G. W. Rose, Sir T. Skinner, Viscount Valentia, Sir F. Williams Taylor and Earl Winterston.

Lord Emmett opened his speech with a reference to the great assistance the Canadian preference had been to our trade. Proceeding to speak of investment of money in Canada, he suggested that as a great deal of British capital had already gone for Canadian railways, British financiers might also turn their attention to Canadian industries as American business men already had done.

Lord Emmett went on to speak of the "feeling of great emotion" experienced in England at Canada's naval gift. It was not for us to suggest the manner of the gift, but only to say it would be most thankfully received by the grateful people of this country.

## MAY BAR OUT QUEBEC PULP "REVENUE ONLY" TARIFF POLICY

President Taft Considering Complaints That Free Entry Pact Has Been Violated.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—(Can. Press).—As the result of complaints against the recent order of the Quebec Provincial Government, purporting to remove all restrictions on export tax from the timber of certain crownlands of that province, President Taft personally will decide whether wood pulp and paper made from the timber affected will be entitled to free entry into the United States.

According to representations to this effect, Quebec's action amounts to a discrimination against American holders of crown lands, and to grant the free entry privilege, it is declared, would simply defeat the real intent of the wood pulp and paper clause of the Canadian reciprocity agreement. The state and treasury departments have investigated the situation, and will make a joint report to the president.

The only operative clause of the reciprocity act admits free of duty all wood cut from lands where exportation is unrestricted, and wood pulp and paper made from such timber. Its primary purpose, it is declared, was to obtain from Canada the removal of all restrictions upon the exportation of timber into the United States for manufacture into pulp and paper here.

Complaints to this government declare that Quebec has removed restrictions only on the timbered lands where the reciprocity act has no practical assurance that the timber will not be exported, but only the wood pulp and paper made from it in Canada. It also is alleged that the province has refused to remove restrictions from other crown lands in the same province controlled by Americans.

Until the question is settled by the president, Secretary MacVane has issued a temporary order for the collection of duty.

## NATURALIZATION LAWS WILL BE ALIKE THRUOUT EMPIRE SAYS MINISTER OF JUSTICE

Booth Memorial Fund

At 6 o'clock this evening the Toronto end of the Booth Memorial Fund will be closed. The Salvation Army officials and prominent business men who are in charge of the campaign to raise \$100,000 hope that the amount will have been secured by this evening. No subscription is too small, and any amount will be thankfully received at the headquarters, 191 Yonge street.

Anomaly of British Subject in One Dominion Being Without Standing in Another to Be Removed by Concurrent Legislation—Hon. Mr. Perley Case in Point.

OTTAWA, Jan. 29.—(Special).—That by concurrent legislation between the United Kingdom and the self-governing nations of the empire a British subject anywhere may before long become a British subject everywhere was the gist of an important announcement made in the House of Commons this afternoon by Hon. C. J. Doherty, minister of justice. His statement was elicited by the debate which arose upon a resolution by E. M. MacDonald of Pictou, N.S., calling for the production of all recent correspondence between the Dominion Government and the home government on the subject of imperial naturalization.

Mr. MacDonald pointed out that the authority conferred upon the Dominion Parliament by section 91 of the British North America Act, extended only to the naturalization of aliens in Canada in a restricted sense. The settler from the United States, for example, naturalized in Canada, became a British subject and so remained as long as he was in Canadian territory. If he returned to the United States or went to England or to any other place inside or outside the empire but not within the territorial limits of Canada he ceased to be a British subject.

The case of Hon. Mr. Perley, who, he said, was slated for appointment as Canada's representative in the imperial defence committee. Mr. Perley was born in the United States but came to Canada at an early age, was naturalized here, had resided here continuously for many years and occupied a prominent place in the business activities and the public life of Canada. Yet, Mr. MacDonald asserted, this prominent Canadian and a British subject in Canada would become an American citizen if he went to the United States.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier: "Or to England."

Mr. MacDonald reviewed the discussions which have taken place at the last three imperial conferences and complained of the slow progress made in arriving at any solution of the problem.

Will Remove Disability.

Hon. C. J. Doherty insisted on the other hand that considerable progress had been made. He read to the house the bill which had been introduced in the British Parliament and which

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## FERRIS REPORT GAVE WRONG FIGURES

Engineer Who Secured Alleged Facts Multiplied This Year's Prices by Last Year's Loads in Order to Get Revenue—"A Queer Way of Doing Business."

At last the cat is out of the bag. Hon. Adam Beck has made a discovery which clears up the mystery, if there was one, in connection with the report of the Ferris committee of New York State, who grossly misrepresented the Ontario Hydro-Electric system. That engineer who presented the alleged facts to the committee was a representative of big private interests in the state and the principal error in the report was due to his multiplying the 1912 prices by the 1913

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## COUNCIL STANDS BY HARRIS RETAINS ENGINEER FELLOWES

By Seventeen to Five, City Council Decides to Adopt Report of Works Commissioner, Favoring Retention of Waterworks Engineer in Civic Employment—Chairman McBride Has Uneasy Tim.

By a vote of seventeen to five the city council decided yesterday not to dismiss Engineer Fellowes from the service of the city, chiefly on account of information he possesses which is of unlimited value to the city. Commissioner Harris, in his recommendation, has accepted responsibility for his future behavior. Many members of council severely criticized Controller Foster for endeavoring to make the engineer a scapegoat for the work performed by others. Discussion on this subject lasted nearly four hours.

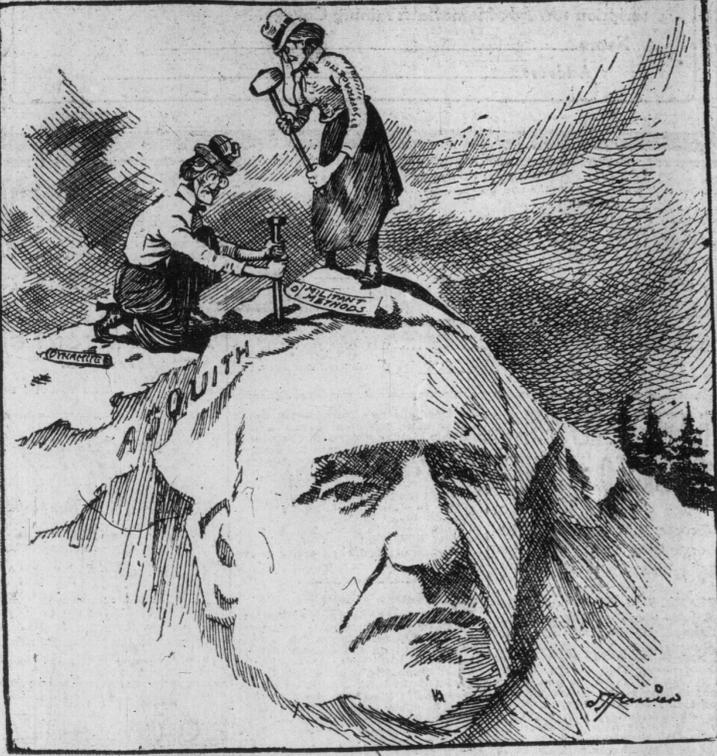
Chairman Sam McBride had an uneasy ten minutes when the question first came up. "All in favor of the board of controller's recommendation to dismiss Mr. C. L. Fellowes?" asked Ald. Sam McBride.

"I move that the vote be now taken," declared Ald. Dunn.

"That is a move to choke off the debate," declared Ald. Wanless, with some alarm.

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## "CONTROLLERS INDIVIDUALLY RESPONSIBLE" SAYS COUNCIL

Mayor Hocken Successful in Getting Council to Order Controllers to Be Responsible to Public For One or More Departments—Ald. Spence Wants Cabinet System Adopted—Ald. Wanless Wants Recall.

The city council yesterday decided to adopt the principle of specific responsibility for one or more departments by the controllers, but not to ask for special legislation, as the latter would make it an accomplished fact for all time. Many of the aldermen think that the step is too radical and agreed to compromise, declaring that it would be rescinded if found wholly unsatisfactory.

A notable feature in the interesting debate was the declaration by Ald. Wanless that the system of recall of controllers should be adopted. This also was favorably received, but not accepted.

Controller Foster made an emphatic protest against this change, saying that the present system satisfied him and therefore he saw no need for the change. Ald. Wickert was for referring things back.

Cabinet System.

Ald. Dave Spence made a plea for what he termed a cabinet system of government, which also means that each member of the board of control shall have some specific responsibility for a civic department.

He objected to the present system, which forces candidates to spend large sums and waste time getting elected. The alderman wants controllers elected for each ward.

"I would extend the period of office to four years," he declared. "It will stand for continuity of the city's business."

Church Protests.

Controller Church criticized the proposition. "It is no use going half way," said he.

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French Shareholders in the

Banque Internationale Reopen Battle in Courts, Seeking to Quash Recent Seizure of Funds, Alleged to Have Been Unjustifiable.

MONTREAL, Jan. 29.—(Can. Press).—Sir Rodolphe Forget, La Banque Internationale and the late French shareholders of the latter institution, jumped into the limelight of the local courts today on presentation of an avalanche of motions and petitions, on behalf of dissatisfied former stockholders of the bank.

The petitions have for their object the quashing of the recent seizure before judgment, taken out by Sir Rodolphe Forget against the French stockholders, in order to tie up certain funds at present in the hands of J. E. Martin, K.C., Canadian representative of these ex-shareholders. The motions all call for jurisdiction, altho would have Sir Rodolphe Forget torped to furnish proof of certain allegations made by a seizure before judgment.

There were 22 petitions and 23 motions presented on behalf of the French shareholders, Altho Desautour, K.C., acting for the petitioners in each case. Mr. Justice Beaudin, after taking cognizance of the burden of the petition and motion in each case, decided that argument should take place Feb. 6. Messrs. Perron, Taschereau, Rinfret, Genest, Bilette and Hilmont appeared in the interests of Sir Rodolphe Forget.

Embittered Parisians.

The following is the list of former Parisian shareholders figuring in the petitions and motions: F. G. Zuber, P. Morand, Lucien Laurotte, A. Lecharit, F. H. Gauthier, Dame Yeuve Carpentier, H. Beauvissage, George Morelle, Dr. J. J. Pule, Maxime Beauvissage, Ant. Thoreau, A. E. Herr, de Davandebourg, Emile Lache, G. Nicolai, Gallard, Frank & Co., Pierre Perodin, L. Simmler, Marsal Laurotte, J. H. Armand.

The difficulty between Sir Rodolphe Forget and the French shareholders, in so far as the present proceedings are to be regarded as an indication of what difficulty—dates back to last August, when several French shareholders, claiming they had been frozen out of the directors' meetings, applied to the courts for an injunction to have the directors restrained from holding such a meeting.

In support of his application for seizure before judgment, Sir Rodolphe Forget alleges that some 22 of the shareholders were indebted to him, in connection with certain services rendered them by him in his professional capacity as a stock broker and financial agent.

In the various motions for particulars, petitioners ask that Sir Rodolphe be forced to prove when and under what circumstances the various debts alleged as having been contracted toward him by the petitioners, were in reality contracted.

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