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MAJORITY VOTED CAMPAIGN FUND RECORD

Liberal Worker Whose Name Figured in Election a Witness in Marine Enquiry at St. John.

ST. JOHN, N. B., Nov. 25.—(Special.)—Evidence in the marine enquiry developed sensational features this afternoon. The first sensation was the discovery of a contractor who had not loaned Mr. Harding, marine agent, any money.

Later, when George McAvity, already well known in connection with the Mayes stand, he revealed the existence of a huge Liberal fund during the last federal campaign. He also admitted that he had been in the habit of loaning large sums to Mr. Harding, and the latter at present owed him \$1500. His evidence also showed that Harding got a \$500 slice of the campaign funds.

John A. McAvity also told of loaning a large amount to Harding.

B. R. MacAulay, on the opening of the session, resumed his evidence regarding the Christmas present he gave Mr. Harding, consisting of goods purchased in May, but did not bring out new evidence. Judge Casse's said flatly that he did not believe that the latter said he would have loaned money even if Harding was not marine agent.

A young lady bookkeeper in MacAulay's iron works office gave testimony that she was instructed not to allow Harding's name to appear on the company's books, when loans were made.

Did Work on Kelly's House. P. J. Mooney declared he had no personal dealings with Mr. Harding and had lent him no money. He had, however, loaned \$100 to Joseph Kelly, inspector of lights, and had done mason work amounting to \$15 on his house without billing him for it.

HUNDRED PERISH WITHIN SIGHT OF SHORE

British Steamer Sardinia Burns Off Malta—Commander Dies at Post and Crew Displays Great Courage.

VALETTA, Malta, Nov. 25.—A terrible disaster, in which more than a hundred persons lost their lives, occurred at the entrance to this port this morning within sight of the whole population of the city, who were powerless to give aid.

DORANDO WINS BY A THIRD LAP

Italian Runner Ahead Most of Journey in Madison Square Garden—Time 2:44.20 2-5.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Dorando Pietri of Italy defeated John J. Hayes of this city in the renewal of the Marathon race at Madison Square Garden to-night.

Ten thousand persons watched the contest and while partisan feeling ran high nothing more than good-natured rivalry was the outcome. The last few miles of the race were exciting. In the 24th mile Hayes made another of the jumps to the front that he had been springing at intervals during the race.

QUEEN'S HOTEL MANAGER TO LEASE ROSSIN HOUSE

S. H. Thompson Negotiating for Transfer at \$18,000 a Year.

Negotiations are on for the transfer of the lease of the Rossin House from Nelson Bros., the present proprietors, to S. H. Thompson, manager of the Queen's Hotel.

CHOICE 'WORK OR REVOLUTION'

Thousands of London's Unemployed March Thru Fashionable West End Flaunting Banner.

LONDON, Nov. 25.—Thousands of the unemployed of London, carrying a large banner bearing the words, "Work or revolution, the government must decide," marched thru the fashionable districts of the city this afternoon.

Dope Stored in Prison

Officer of Instruction at Kingston Under Suspension Pending Investigation.

KINGSTON, Nov. 25.—(Special.)—As a result of the finding of a quantity of opium, tobacco, money and two watches in his store room, the officer of instruction at the penitentiary is under suspension.

QUARANTINE RAISED

Buffalo Stock Market to Be Reopened on Monday.

HOW TO SPEND \$1,000,000

World Contest in Beginning to Excite Interest.

King Premier After Laurier

Quebec Government Paper Declares Boom is on for North Waterloo Member.

AN AWFUL MESS

MAN WITH BROOM: Now, I wonder if there are many more rooms like this?



An error caused the wrong caption to be published with yesterday's cartoon. It should have read as follows: AN AWFUL BLUFF: Uncle Sam—I've caught you robbing my house, have I? Party With Sack: S-s-s-sh! I'm Santa Claus.

POLL CLERK GOT PLUGGER BAND

Tomlinson and Annot Guilty of Impersonation at Dexter, White Jury Clears Bishop.

PORT ARTHUR, Nov. 25.—(Special.)—Tomlinson accused of impersonating the federal election, was found guilty this afternoon, and a second jury is hearing the evidence against Bishop, who is charged with the same offence.

SHERIFFS SHOOT DOWN STRIKERS

Six Men Wounded by Deputies Following Demonstration Before Factory at Keasbey, N.J.

PERTH AMBOY, N. J., Nov. 25.—Following a pitched battle between 700 strikers and 12 deputy sheriffs today at the factory of the National Fire-Proofing Co. at Keasbey, near Perth, in which six of the strikers were shot down, Governor Fort, in response to a call for troops, dispatched four companies of the State National Guard at Trenton to the scene and to-night the streets are patrolled by 25 soldiers.

Labor Conditions Are Improved

Manufacturing More Active, but Characterized by Caution.

England Slaughters Shiploads of Cattle

Authorities Kill All American Beef, Tho No Disease is Found.

ARTHUR BUTCHER SUICIDES

Furniture Dealer Inhales Gas in Second-Hand Store.

GOWGANDA WILL PROVE SECOND COBALT

World Commissioner Who Has Had Adventurous Trip Into New Silver Country Writes of His Experience.

One of the most adventurous assignments ever covered by a Toronto newspaper reporter is that in which The World's special commissioner to Gowganda Lake is now engaged.

Already hundreds of prospectors have forced their way into the remote country, intent on fortune making. Hundreds more will begin to trok thither before spring. For this is the unbiased opinion of The World's man on the spot.

Take this tip—Gowganda is the second Cobalt for which people have been searching four years. The samples I have seen and which caused the stupede have not been equalled since the discovery of Cobalt.

Gowganda lies entirely in unsurveyed territory west of Midle Township, and the location of mining claims is set off from the lakes and other landmarks of the region. Hundreds of claims have been entered.

The road to Gowganda Lake leaves the T. and N. O. Railway at Karton, about 25 miles north of Cobalt. From Kerton to Elk City and Smyth on the Montreal River is 22 miles. From Elk City to Gowganda is 25 miles. A total in all of 47 miles of road which will be built as rapidly as the government can push the work along.

The present urgent needs of the district are: (1) Transportation facilities. (2) Telegraph communication. (3) A regular mail service.

LABOR CONDITIONS ARE IMPROVED

Manufacturing More Active, but Characterized by Caution.

OTTAWA, Nov. 25.—(Special.)—There was further improvement in industrial and labor conditions during October, according to the November issue of The Labor Gazette. Generally speaking, the outlook is for steady improvement of trade and general industry.

Manufacturing, though more active than in September, was characterized by caution. Lumbering remained dull, coal mining less active than in September. In cities the general labor market was well supplied. There was marked activity in railway construction.

There were only four labor disputes during the month, a decrease of 18 as compared with October, 1907. Three were settled. The number of employes affected was 3212, and the loss of working days 37,880. During the month industrial accidents occurred to 241 work people, 79 of which were fatal.

ARTHUR BUTCHER SUICIDES. Furniture Dealer Inhales Gas in Second-Hand Store.

ARTHUR H. Butcher yesterday determined to die. He filled five mattresses on a table at the back of his second-hand furniture store at 128 East Queen-street. This was his death.

MONTREAL, Nov. 25.—(Special.)—Le Soleil of Quebec publishes a despatch saying that a boom is on to make W. L. King leader of the Liberal party in Sir Wilfrid Laurier's retirement a few years hence.

AGENT IN FRANCE. Le Soleil also says that some western papers state that Sir Wilfrid has himself designated Mr. King as his successor.

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