

## SIR GEO. FOSTER VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE LEAGUE

Hon. C. J. Doherty Complains  
of Translation of One of  
His Speeches.

### EXPLORER NANSEN TELLS OF PRISONERS

Terrible Position of War Prisoners  
in Russia is Pictured  
in Vivid Language.

Geneva, Nov. 18.—It was announced by the League of Nations today that Sir George Foster, Canadian Minister of Trade and Commerce, was elected a vice-president of the League of Nations at the first ballot, it was announced by President Hymans this afternoon.

#### Victims of Translation

It developed today that Hon. C. J. Doherty, Canadian Minister of Justice, one of the most active of the delegates to the assembly, had become a victim of one of the high speed translations made during the assembly's proceedings which sometimes become misinterpretations. The translator made him say that Canada would obtain from voting on the message of sympathy offered in the assembly for the Russian Revolution. Mr. Doherty, in even better French than the translator's at once corrected the mistake, but the correction got lost in the confusion of the first session and the incorrect version of the delegate's remarks became widespread.

#### Explorer and Prisoners

Dr. Fridtjof Nansen, of Norway took the floor to report to the assembly the work done in connection with the prisoners of war. He prefaced his remarks with an expression of full accord with and great admiration for the speech delivered yesterday by Lord Robert Cecil and he hoped the committee would take up their work in the spirit which animated Lord Robert's remarks. The explorer gave in English a vivid picture of the situation of the war prisoners in Russia, their privations and sufferings, with out the aid of the International Red Cross, he said, little could have been done toward the repatriation of the prisoners. He said also that he would not be doing his full duty if he did not render thanks to the German government for co-operation in the task. The Bolshevik government likewise, he said, did what it could to help.

#### Case of the Russians

About 180,000 prisoners had been repatriated during the summer, Dr. Nansen announced. About half of these were Russians, returned from France and Germany and half the subjects of Central European states returned from Russia. Dr. Nansen appealed to the League to profit by the lessons he had learned in contact with the incalculable sufferings of the war prisoners, and prevent a recurrence of the great tragedy that had been enacted.

## COURT OF APPEAL RESUMES SESSION

Judgments Will be Delivered  
Today in Number of  
Cases.

Fredericton, Nov. 18.—In the Court of Appeal this morning's argument was heard in the crown case reserved of the King vs. Vanbushkirk et al, a Mon-

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ton case, involving the theft of an automobile. Attorney-General Byrne argued for the crown and Peter J. Hughes, of this city, for the defendants. In today's argument the Attorney-General contended that even if it were admitted that the defendant was on the part of the judge to so direct the jury, yet no substantial injustice was done the defendant because the evidence itself was convincing. Court considers.

Sir Douglas Hazen, chief justice, and Mr. Justice Grimmer, were the only members of the Court of Appeal sitting today, Mr. Justice White being ill.

Tomorrow judgments will be delivered at 11 a.m. in a number of cases.

## Re-Opening of The Seamen's Institute

Hon. C. C. Ballantyne Sends  
Appreciation of Work of  
St. John Branch.

Hon. C. C. Ballantyne, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, who was invited to address the opening meeting for the season of 1920-21 of the Seamen's Institute, on Monday evening next, has written to the president of the New Brunswick Division of the Navy League that he finds himself unable to accept.

"I appreciate, however, most fully," he says, "the splendid work your branch is doing and note with pleasure that the Navy League is affiliated with the Seamen's Institute and the good work that you are doing in the latter organization also. Please accept for yourself and convey to your

members my best wishes for the continued success of both the Navy League and the Seamen's Institute."

A varied and excellent programme has been prepared for opening night. In addition to the programme of entertainment the superintendent of the

Institute, Mr. Brindle, is arranging for a public inspection of the improvements that have been made to the institute since last season. These improvements include the construction of galleries on the northern side of the amusement hall, which will increase the seating

capacity very considerably; an emergency exit on the eastern side of the main floor to be used in case of fire; enlargement of the dormitories; renovation of all the rooms; improved lavatories; extension of the heating system, and the repainting

and re-decoration of the entire interior of the institute.

These improvements and additions will greatly add to the efficiency and attractiveness of the institute. Patrons of the institute will be glad to know that the young women's organization, which have been so helpful in the past, will continue their co-operative efforts this winter.

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