LONDON, ONTARIO, TUESDAY, JULY 24, 1923.

# POSTPONES REVISION OF CITY HALL SALARIES

## **COUNCIL AWAITS REPORT** OF CITY RESEARCH BODY

Ald. William A. Wilson Is Ruled Out of Order by the Mayor.

SNAPPY DISCUSSION

Salary of Commissioner Bennett Is Subject of Crossfire at Last Night's Meeting.

There will be no revision of city hall salaries until after Dr. Horace Brittain, head of the citizens' re-search bureau, and his staff, have completed their survey of the several municipal departments. This was the unexpected decision in the city council last night after a brief but spirited contest.
Ald. William Wilson started the

ball rolling, moving in amendment to Mayor Wenige that Assessment Comnissioner Bennett's salary be elevated to \$3,000 and not \$2,600.

Ald. Albert Judd moved that the

salary question remain on the shelf until after the survey. Ald. Watt seconded this proposal.

Ald. Wilson refused to withdraw his motion as suggested. "When I make a statement I mean it," he as-

"When will this survey be through?" Ald. Greer asked.
"About a month," replied the

mayor.
"Too long," chanted Ald. Wilson. "Why do you now favor this to go back if you have not changed your mind about your salary recommen-dations?" Ald. Greer challenged the mayor. "Commissioner Bennett should be cared for at once. I move that the research bureau be asked to bring in a recommendation as to what should be paid all civic employees. In the meanwhile this survey has noth-ing to do with Bennett."

Ald. Frank McKay felt that there was no good reason for "stalling" the question further.
"I think that Mr. Bennett can rest assured that this council will recog

his services," promised Ald. Douglass. "Yes, but Mayor Wenige doesn't propose to recognize them," declared Ald. Greer point blank and the mayor

protested otherwise.
"We set his salary at \$3,000 the other night. Where has that resolution gone to?" asked Ald. Colbert

### Wilson Challenges Statement. "It was never put through," coun-

tered Mayor Wenige. "Hold on, there, you are not speaking the truth," exclaimed Ald. Wilson. "I was chairman that night and it did go through and Drake was one Mayor Wenige ruled Ald. Wilson out of order at this juncture for not

addressing the chair.

"You'll be out of order," retorted "You'll be out of order," retorted Ald. Wilson. "We've only got you with us for a little while now. We'll with us for a little while now. We'll with you in about five months."

Ald. Greer stated that the \$3,000 proposal had carried, but Ald. Burdick differed, relating that a deadlock had developed.
"You all had reports of that meeting and none objected," pointed out

"They're objecting now," Ald. Judd

cautioned. "And we have a perfect right to do so at a council meeting." Ald. Drake then stated that he had withdrawn his \$3,000 motion at the last session, "as the mayor was not a good state that night." issue passed, five councillors voting

e negative. Ald. Wilson, Col-McKay, Greer and Shaw. Another question not scheduled for consideration cropped up suddenly at the united instigation of Ald. Drake and the two Labor members from ward three—the long debated ques-tion about civic holidays. And this question was placed up on the shelf with the salary proposals. Discuss Holidays.

Ald. Colbert moved and Ald. Drake seconded that all city employees with a year's standing to their credit should be entitled to two weeks' holidays each year with pay.

Ald. Colbert challenged the mayor in his opening remarks.

"You promised to deal with civic holidays in your inaugural address," he asserted. "There has been a great deal of dissatisfaction and bad feel-ing among the employees. You have always preached efficiency and co-operation, and yet I find that you are recommending that the same practice of other years be followed. If you want efficiency, how on earth are you going to get it by handing out discrimination and persecution to some. It is unjust and it is time that it was stopped in this city hall. We've had

too much of it."

Aid. Judd submitted that there
were not so many "under-privileged."

Ald. McKay felt that if necessary the several department heads could take on extra help for the season, as is now being done in the fire department, consistent with for-

### CHARLES A. DUPUY DIES, WAS FRENCH PREMIER

Gained Fame by His Courage When Anarchist Threw Bomb at Him.

Associated Press Despatch Perpignan, France, July 24-Charles Alexandre Dupuy, former premier, is dead. He was president of the chamber of deputies when the Anarchist Vaillant threw a bomb at him, and his courageous bearing and historic words, "Gentlemen, the sitting con-tinues," gained him great fame.

M. Dupuy was born in 1851. He was premier in 1894, and was with resident Carnot when the latter as stabbed to death at Lyons. He came a candidate for the presicy, but was defeated. His cabi-remained in office. It was under hat Captain Dreyfus was arrested

### Hot Shots At Council Session

"This is awful."
"You're all out of order." "I object."

five months."
"I don't care whether I read this report or not."

"If you are going to Port Stan-ley before the first train in the morning you will have to hurry." I think that we had better dis and this traffic committee.

street in Canada."

"I vote no. if I have to be car-

"I'm sick of this. I'm going."
"A grasshopper would be good
on this job tonight."

poles blue, but not red."
"This new government will give us anything." "A little louder there I can't hear in this babble."

"I think that Ald. Wilson owes the chair an apology." "I object to your ruling, Mr.

we'll kill it there."
"I'll do as I like in this council."

Small Number of Minor Cases Demanded Attention From Bench.

Magistrate Graydon, who returned receiving attention.

The case of the Crown vs. Alex. Elijah, an Indian from the Muncey minion veterinary director-general in reserve, was held over for settlement by the Indian agent at Muncey, pend-til 1912. During a part of this period by the Indian agent at Muncey, pending the return of that official from his he was Dominion live stock con holidays. The prisoner was released sioner as well as veterinary directoron bail.

The Burridge separation case was

The Burridge separation case was laid over for another week, and the court ordered Burridge to make up his arrears of the temporary provision of \$10 now week to the liternational Institute of Agriridge, which has lapsed since July ternational Conference on Tubercu-

## DEMAND IMMEDIATE RECALL

Associated Press Despatch. Manila, July 24.—Immediate recall f Governor Leonard Wood was demanded in a resolution unanimously adopted at a joint meeting of both ers of Canada on Sept. 17, 1918. houses of the legislature here last Dr. Rutherford married Edith night. The resolution was addressed to President Harding.

Boultbee, daughter of Washington Boultbee, Ancaster, Ont., in 1887.

"Just a moment, I'm speaking."
"I'm going to talk if there are 25 aldermen on the floor."

"You won't be with us long. We'll settle with you in about

"Let me speak now, please. I have the floor."
"This sounds funny. Have we ever done this before?"
"Give the I. W. W. a chance with

the chamber of commerce."
"There is no use sitting here fighting all night."

"Why I never heard of such an absurdity."
"It's 11 p.m. I've no place else

to go. Let's stay all night."

"If you keep it up the town will look like a gypsy village."

"How did I vote there?"

"Wellington street is the worst

"Gentlemen, I must call order."
"I won't apologize to the mayor. "I demand that Ald. Wilson leave."

ried out on a stretcher, as stated by Ald. Watt."

"The prize grasshopper will be there when we call for salaries." "I'll vote to paint the telephone

"I'll stay on my feet as long as his rumpus continues."
"You've got to play fair here.
You can't choke that down our

"I still demand to know why I'm out of order."
"Back to the board of works and

"Ald. Douglass is only killing "If you don't put that motion I'll leave the room," etc., etc., etc., until 12:30 this morning.

### CONTINUES TO AMERICA taken ill recently while in British Columbia, died at his home here at 7 o'clock this morning. Toronto, July 24.-John Gunton Expected To Leave South-Rutherford, C.M.G., V.S., Ottawa, a member of the board of railway comampton This Week.

Dominion Commission Passes

in 66th Year After a

Brief Illness.

BORN IN SCOTLAND

Renowned Throughout Canada

For Work in His Program

of Veterinary Surgeon.

Ottawa, July 24 .- Dr. J. G. Ruth-

rford, a member of the board of

railway commissioners, who was

missioners for Canada, was born in Peebleshire, Scotland, Dec. 25, 1857. He was a son of Rev. Robert Ruth-

Educated in Glasgow. Dr. Rutherford's education began

in Glasgow, where he attended high hool before coming to Canada. He graduated from the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, and the Ontario Veterinary College, at the latter of which he was winner of the gold medal in 1879. In his younger days he practiced as a veterinary surgeon in Canada, the United States and Mexico. For some time he resided at Portage la Prairie, Man., where he engaged in the practice of his pro-fession and in horse breeding.

Appointed veterinary inspector for Manitoba in 1884, Dr. Rutherford continued to act in this capacity for the today from his vacation, was greeted Manitoba government until 1892. Then by a short list of delinquents in this he became a member of the Manitoba morning's police court, three intoxicated citizens and one assault case was elected to the House of Commons at Ottawa for MacDonald Man

Dr. Rutherford was appointed Dogeneral

on of \$10 per week to Mrs. Bur- culture at Rome; delegate to the In-16.

Arthur Leff answered a charge of assault, and pleaded not guilty to having struck Benjamin Grace, and causing him bodily harm. He was fined \$10 and costs.

The proof of the Western Canada Live Stock Union; president of the Western Canada Live Stock Union; president of the Horse Receiver, Association of Man Horse Breeders' Association of Man-GOVERNOR L. WOOD veterinary officer to the Northwest Field Force in the Riel Rebellio

Became Member in 1918. Dr. Rutherford became a member of the board of railway commission

# Here are the four thorns in Mayor Wenige's side. His worship calls them. From left to right they are: them obstructionists and alleges that they are consistently working to Judd, ward one; Ald. John May, ward two. Ald. colleagues. But these four and their Douglass, ward one, is classed by the mayor as an occasional, not yet having reached the status of his four chief magistrate on an even keel. Denies Any Secret Treaty Between Japs and British

MAYOR CALLS THEM REGULAR "OBSTRUCTIONISTS."

Count Uchida Shows Opposition Leaders Fortifying of Singapore Matter Outside of Washington Agreement, But Thinks Action Unjustifiable.

By E. R. EGGER. Special Cable to The London Advertiser and Chicago Daily News. Copyright. Tokio, July 24. - Count Uchida, Japanese foreign, minister, interviewed today by leaders of the op-position from the House of Peers, declared that Japan has no secret understanding with England regarding the announced plans for the fortifications of Singapore, which the British claim is justified in order to protect British interests in the Orient.

RUSH OF IMMIGRANTS

the first of August.

third class.

The Tyrrhenia sailed with 1,100

class, Many of the latter are oc-

cupying first class cabins because of

date has been postponed from Wed-

nesday to Thursday, in order that the vessel may reach New York on

booked for 2,600, of whom 1.300 are

Scotland is sending out many emi

grants. Twelve thousand went to the

United States and Canada this month.

Three reasons were given for the un-

usual British emigration to America

1-Continued British unemploy-

2-The bumper wheat crop of North

3-Tales of high wages for har-

Atlantic City, N. J. July 24.-Little

progress toward a settlement was re-

ported by the miners and operators

MINERS AND OPERATORS

Reservations have been

vercrowding. The Majestic's sailing

According to Count Uchida, Singa-pore is outside the limits of Far Eastern territory, covered by the Washington agreements, and Japan cannot interfere. The fortification plans, he said, were a matter of British internal affairs policy. He held, however, that the project

# TAKE LEGAL ADVICE

Twelve Thousand Britishers Report From Attorney-General's Department Does Not Satisfy Mayor.

Special Cable to The Advertiser. Mayor Wenige maintains that he London, July 24 .- The rush of immigrants to the United States continues. Twelve thousand are expected to sail from Southampton alone this week in order to take advantage quota which will open nothing in it." he states. "It's an answer all right, but there is nothing to it. It is not very clear to me. He slightly the new world gateway on

just refers me to a certain section of the Lord's Day act."

"What are you going to do about it?" his worship was asked.

"I am going to seek the advice of a trance." third class passengers, 400 second "And then we'll know more about it directly."

## HEAD OF CHICAGO FIRM MISSING, FUNDS SHORT

Wife of Frederick Siebold, Jr. Claims He Is With "Little Country Girl."

Special to The Advertiser. Chicago, July 24.-Frederick Siebold Jun., acting president of the Gariden Building Company, is miss-MAKE LITTLE PROGRESS alleged irregularities in the firm's books, it was revealed today by G. Bernard Anderson, the company's atterney

as the joint scale sub-committee met here again today to thresh out differences.

While there was pessimism in some quarters concerning the eventual outcome of the conference. Many of the delegates said they believed the parley had not yet reached the questions of importance.

Each side apparently believes that

Anthony Giordano and Wife Fight in Dimly Lighted Room.

WEDDED 40 YEARS

Daughters Try in Vain To Force Entrance To Stop

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, July 24.—Fighting with stiletto, axe and revolver by the light of a flickering wick in a glass of olive oil in a tiny room of an East Side tenement, Anthony Giordano, 63 years old, and his wife Theresa, 61 years old, today inflicted fatal wounds on each other. Both were dead when the selectors will note carcian, from now on." cautioned the mayor. Contributed more to the allies defeat than the strength of the Turkish arguments. Although Turkev was defeated in the world war, and was charged with more crimes against no means alone. We have been carrying out our program, but we have encountered obstruction at every turn from these aldermen, who are not good losers."

But the mayor insists that events

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The loss of Arabia. Palestine and Syria is unimportant, because these found by the police.

Neighbors declared, police said. that the couple frequently quarreled has received no communication from strangely for some time. Police as-Attorney-General W. F. Nickle with relation to Sunday bathing. But he serted he probably had attacked his men are now retarding the relation to Sunday bathing. But he has received word from Deputy Attorney-General Bayley.

And the mayor is not at all satisfied with the contents. "There is fied with the contents."

There is series in progress, and I do not think they progress, and I do not think they bulsed with the stilletto. Both bodies the sympathy and support of the greater number of the people. The majority of people like and demand in several places.
With 40 years of married life behind them, the aged couple fought

Two daughters, sleeping in an adjoining room, heard the death battle and helplessly tried to force an en-About 3 a.m. the sisters were awakened by screams. They listened,

frightened Soon the noise of battle Crying to their parents, the girls tried the knob of the bedroom door, but could not turn it. The daughters ran toward their brother's nome across the street. Dressing hyrriedly, the son ran over to his parents' flat. The tenement house by this time had been aroused and Italians were firing pistols from upper windows. This attracted the police, who smashed down the door. On the bed, with her head where the pillows had been, lay the woman. The fingers of her right hand clutched a revolver. A stiletto rested in a pool of blood under the bed. The body of the husband lay about five feet from the bed, the throat cut

### Police reserves were called to quiet the neighborhood. REPORTS FEWER JOBLESS PERSONS IN THE DOMINION

from ear to ear.

Canadian Press Despatch. Ottawa, July 24.—Employment Canada as at the beginning of July s reported by the Dominion Bureau f Statistics as continuing to improve, increased activity being noted in all the provinces. Reports from any member who shall so resist, may ,765 firms, with an aggregate payroll Each side apparently believes that the other will make concessions.

Three daughters were born to them. He was a member of the Ranchmen's Club, Calgary, Alta: Rideau Club, Ottawa, and the Hunt ami Golf Club, Ottawa, and the Hunt ami Golf Club, Ottawa.

Struction work being done by the company will go on.

Mrs. Siebold said her husband has not been home since July 4, when she returned from California. She blames that woman." When you find her, you will find him," she said, Mrs. Vancouver increased, while in Toronto and Hamilton curtailment was indicated.

Siebold said she would join the hunt for her spouse. of 815,128 persons, showed an in-crease of some 2 per cent in the em-

# HE ALLEGES TO BE **OBSTRUCTIONISTS**

Four Aldermen on Regular List | Constantinople Batteries Boom As Always Opposed to His Worship.

SAYS WILSON OUT

Reiterates That Ward One Veteran Must Apologize Before He Will Be Recognized.

Mayor Wenige today formally named those members of the city council who, in his opinion, are "obstructionists" and are "retarding the progress of the city."

Regularly there are four of them, and occasionally there are five, he

His worship names Ald. William A. Wilson, ward two; Ald. Albert Judd, ward two, chairman of the finance committee; Ald. John Greer, ward one, and Ald. John T. May. ward one. Ald. Douglass is classed as an occasional as an occasional.

as an occasional.

The mayor advises the general public that from now on they need not reckon with Ald. Wilson. "He is no longer one of us," he points out. "At least until such time as he apologizes, and even then I don't know definitely whether I shall accept his apology. It all depends upon the circumstances."

Expects Progress.

"If the electors will note carefully from now on." cautioned the mayor. "They will see that our progress will be much more satisfactory. Now I

But the mayor insists that events Syria is unimportant, because these will proceed much better, now that "Ward Two is only represented by two members." And his worship broadly hints that other members of and that Giordano had been acting the council will follow Ald. Wilson to the bench if the occasion demands. "To me it would appear that these

> or tries unfair measures but they applaud the opponent who is a good from taxation, and thus adopt a finoser and player.
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> "These men, who opposed the city dition were stabilized "These men, who opposed the city althous were stabilized. Should allow hall project from its inception, should the country a rapid financial reable by the will of the majority of covery.
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> Unfortunately the nation, as well the council, who represent a majority of the people. After their defeat early

in the year they should be good losers, and in the city's interest hook up with the move and exert every honest effort in this endeavor." The Mayor's Ground.

Just what will develop after last night's outbreak is hard to determine. Mayor Wenige has adopted the atti tude that Ald. Wilson is no longer a member of the council until he apolo-

action upon section 20 of city bylaw up arms against Turkey. No. 5846 (the municipal procedure enactment), which reads: "No member of the city council shall speak disrespectfully of the reigning sovereign, or any member of the royal family, or of the governor-general, or any person administering the government of the Dominion of Canada or the government of this province; nor use offensive words against the council or any member thereof; nor speak beside the question in debate: for reflect upon any vote of the couneil, except for the purpose of mov-ing that such vote be rescinded; nor shall he resent the rules of the council or disobey the decision of the mayor or presiding officer on question be ordered by the mayor or other pre siding officer to leave his seat for that meeting, but in case of ample

Forth Tidings of Victory Over Allies

PUBLIC CELEBRATE

Armenians and Greeks Allege Betrayal by the Allied Agreement.

By CONSTANTINE BROWN, Special Cable to the London Advertiser and Chicago Daily News. Copyright.

Constantinople, July 24.-A salute of one hundred and one salvos fired this morning by the Turkish batteries in Constantinople, announced to the

Celebrated Event.

It was the first time since the armistice that the natives had heard reports of the Turkish guns, and the Mussulman populace in the best of their holiday clothes, is crowded in the streets celebrating the event. The apology. It all depends upon the circumstances."

But Ald. Wilson, in a public announcement this afternoon made it quite clear that an apology will never be forthcoming from him under any circumstance, and he defies Mayor Wenige to keep him out of his seat at future sessions. "If we had a decent mayor, I'd apologize when I was wrong," he stated decisively, "but not to this fellow."

Ald. Wilson added that "if no person else would enter, he would oppose Mayor Wenige for the chair at the next municipal election."

Expects Progress.

But Ald. Wilson, in a public announcement this afternoon made it quite clear that an apology will never before an adorned with flags. Authorities have commandeered the most of the carriages and motor care, and have placed them at the disposal of the population, which proceeded through the streets singing patriotic songs and shouting, "Long live Kemal Pasha."

The Turks are proud of their victory, especially because it was won, not on the battlefields, but at the

tory, especially because it was won, not on the battlefields, but at the diplomatic table where jealousy between the British and the French contributed more to the allies defeat than the strength of the Turkish

provinces proved at all times more troublesome than beneficial to the empire due to their continuous rebellions. The loss is however, amply compensated for by the fact that Turkey does not need to pay any war city's war debts, contracted in gold sterling in the same currencies. indemnity, but refuses to repay pre-

On the other hand the abolition of fair play. At a ball game they hoot the fellow who starts a rough house Turkish government to tax foreignancial policy which, if internal con-

> as the government, is still very "antiforeigner," and everything indicates that the promises given at Lausanne that the Christian minorities will en-joy the same rights and security as joy the same rights and security the Mussulmans, will be a dead let-

The Armenians and the Greeks are much incensed against the allies who are responsible for this situation.

A leading native Christian said day: We are being punished for blindly obeying and stupidly believing their promises when they took agents gave all assurances in the name of their governments that if we assisted them in winning the way against our oppressors we would be given a chance to enjoy complete freedom, and would be sheltered against future persecutions. Yet as soon as the allies did not need us we soon as the allies did not need us we were left to the mercy of the Turks.
"A few days ago the British and French almost went to war with Turkey in order to save a few hundred million francs for the creditors of this country, but they never dreamed of compelling the Turks to treat us humanely. The result of treat us humanely. The result of the betrayal is hundreds of thousands of homeless Armenians and Greeks exiled from Anatolia and Thrace wandering around the world in search of new homes, which nobody ently is willing to offer. Before the end of this year almost 100,000 more Christians will be compelled to leave the country, thanks to our disinterested support of the so-called allied struggle for the freedom of democ-

Certain Hitches Occur,

American and Turkish negotiations for the re-establishment of diplomatic and commercial relations are progressing at Lausanne, though certain hitches seem to have occurred in the last few days. The Turkish authorities are not willing to discuss the matter. It is understood from reliable sources that the United States Minister Joseph Grew has demanded freedom of action for American religious educational institutions, and Ismet Pasha, the Turkish representative at Lausanne, has insisted that the same provisions that ap-plied to the French and British should be applied to the Americans as well.

The Turks now are doubtful that
the American-Turkish treaty will be

signed at Lausanne, but

signed at a later date.

### SCHOOL AUDIT COMMITTEE MEETS TO PASS ACCOUNTS

confident that the American govern-

ment will accept the Turkish view-point and that the treaty will be

A special meeting of the audit committee of the board of education wa held this morning to check up and pass on several vouchers which have

pass on several vouchers which have been held by the secretary.

Owing to the absence of the chair-man of this committee, the regular meeting has been postponed from time to time, and this morning's meeting was held to deal with the outstanding vouchers and to clear up some details of routine business.

# THE GUMPS-PAGE SHADY REST

