

CATTLE MEN URGE PREMIER TO ACT NOW

Suggest That Conference Be Called Immediately To Discuss Situation.

FACING HEAVY LOSSES

Credit Extensions Are Needed To Prevent Sacrifice of Stock.

CALGARY, Aug. 9.—To bring the crisis in the livestock industry of Canada immediately to the attention of the prime minister, was the decision of the special committee of the board of trade which met today and which adopted the following resolution to be forwarded to Premier Meighen.

"That, while through a combination of causes the market for Western Canadian unshorn cattle has been greatly injured and is in danger of destruction.

"That the raising of cattle forms the very foundation of the agricultural prosperity of this country.

Serious Decrease.

"That though the decrease has already taken place in the market price of livestock, a decrease of more than \$10 a head has taken place in the average value of Western Canadian cattle.

"That financial pressure is causing many farmers to sacrifice their cattle and sheep at prices considerably below the cost of production, thus destroying their own assets and helping demoralize still further an already demoralized market.

"That the present condition is affecting not only the agricultural but the transportation, financial and manufacturing interests of the Dominion, and threatens to injure greatly the purchasing power and the future prosperity of a large portion of the population.

Must Act Quickly.

"That the situation calls for the prompt apprehension of such remedies as may be found advisable to the end that immediate relief be secured.

"Therefore, this committee respectfully requests that the prime minister of Canada will call a conference representing the transportation (rail and ocean), farmers, stockmen, manufacturers and other interests concerned, to be held at an early date, to consider conditions of the livestock market from all angles and remedies for the same and especially to consider some means of credit extension to farmers and stockmen, so that they may not be compelled to throw their breeding and unfinished stock on the market at sacrifice prices."

MASKED BANDITS HELD UP TRAIN

Looted Freight Car and Then Made Off in Auto.

BUFFALO, Aug. 9.—Masked men held up and robbed a freight train on the main line of the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburgh Railroad at Chablon, Erie County, early this morning, and made off with merchandise said to be worth several thousand dollars. The bandits, in a touring car, followed the train along the highway paralleling the tracks for several miles until the train stopped at Chablon for orders. After the hold-up a truck came down the highway and ran alongside the touring car.

LABOR MAN MAY BE CANDIDATE

Claims Agreement Was Made With U. F. O. Two Years Ago.

WOODSTOCK, Aug. 9.—John Scott, the former nominee of the I. L. F., declared today that if the agreement made with the U. F. O. in North Oxford two years ago was adhered to by the Farmers' party, he would be a candidate at the provincial election in North Oxford. The agreement which the Labor party claims they made was that the U. F. O. would support the Labor party in the local house in return for Labor support for a Farmer candidate in the federal election. This agreement, Mr. Scott claims, the U. F. O. and Labor leaders in Toronto are trying to clear up before the U. F. O. takes definite action in North Oxford. Mr. Scott has a letter today from the leaders asking for particulars of the agreement.

Why Does She Look So Old?

This question has been asked many a woman under thirty, who has married and taken upon herself the cares of a house and young children.

When a woman is suffering from female weakness, bearing down pains, head and back ache and nervous irritation, it is well impossible to attend to her duties and retain the charm and freshness of youth. Must she then struggle on toward the inevitable nervous breakdown or premature old age?

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has saved many women from such a fate. Thousands of grateful letters from such women testify to the merits of this wonderful root and herb medicine for female ills.

Smoke

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"DIRTY LINEN" CAUSES SPLIT AT I. T. U. MEET

Alleged Charging of Laundry Bill Starts Fireworks Over Expenses.

QUEBEC, Aug. 9.—Dirty linen split up the delegates to the International Typographical Union in annual convention at the drill hall at this afternoon's session. The cleavage was started when recommendations of President John McPartland, seeking to effect certain economies in salaries and traveling expenses of executive officers, were introduced. One of the speakers objected to the fact that, as he claimed to have been told, an officer charged up his laundry to his expense account. Immediately a debate began as to whether the officers were allowed sufficient salaries and expenses or not, the convention dividing upon party lines—that is, President McPartland and other anti-administrators, the progressive, against the administrationists, led by John W. Hays, the secretary-treasurer, who described the salary he got from the union as "measly," and W. J. Barrett, the first vice-president, whose salary was affected by the proposed economy. The debate on the salary question, which was left undecided, was preceded by a wild discussion on the suggestion that men should be allowed to hold positions in the union while they tried out other jobs. During this the house was in an uproar several times.

Tense Situation.

A tense situation developed after it had been moved that the motion and a recommendation by the committee on laws in connection with the men getting the union to try other employment and retaining their cards be referred back to the committee. W. G. Murphy, Buffalo, pointed out that poor progress was being made. This, he said, was the fourth report to be referred back. The committee on laws had been sitting in Quebec for a week before the convention opened. If it went on like this the business might as well be done by the convention, or they will be here all summer.

Uproar Begins.

An uproar arose through an official commencing to speak after a motion had been placed, and a label of talk ensued. Finally a debate began on the merits of the recommendation. There was money was forthcoming that in various localities a man was permitted to retire from the union temporarily and yet hold his card for a limited period. P. J. Corcoran, New York, asked if it were not a principle of the union that no man should hold two jobs. Mr. Hays said this was so, and that the executive committee had not given any ruling to the contrary, as it had always felt it should support the men who stuck to the union. Finally the convention rejected the original motion and the recommendation of the committee on laws.

SAYS BOOTLEGGERS ALMOST "NO MORE"

WINDSOR, Aug. 9.—Bootleggers—the big fellows—are almost "no more" in Windsor and along the waterfront, Chief of Police Daniel Thompson stated today.

"There isn't the slightest doubt about it. Bootlegging here has fallen off to a very great extent in the last six months," the chief said, "and present reports coming in from my force of men show that the big bootleggers, the old timers, are not so active. They are practically out of business."

KITCHENER CHOSEN FOR NEXT MEETING

I. O. O. F. Grand Encampment Elects Officers For Coming Year.

[Special To The Advertiser.]

TILLSONBURG, Aug. 9.—The I. O. O. F. Grand Encampment closed tonight after a most successful session. A hearty vote of thanks was tendered to A. S. Rennie, chairman, and his committee for the capable manner in which they handled the large delegation and the excellent system they provided for making pleasant the visit of the guests.

Mr. Rennie, in reply, censured some of the Grand Encampment officers very strongly for failing to fulfill their promise of producing the Canton drill on Monday and more particularly because they did not let the local committee know in time to provide some other entertainment for the crowds who came expressly to see the famous drill.

The New Officers.

The newly elected Grand Encampment officers are: Grand patriarch, Walter Cross of Hamilton; grand senior warden, H. Dakin, Galt; grand high priest, N. Clements, Windsor; grand junior warden, N. Elliott; grand scribe, J. A. McDonald, Toronto; grand treasurer, E. Garbutt. The Grand Encampment will meet next year in Kitchener.

VETERANS OFFER TO HELP SOLVE PROBLEM

OTTAWA, Aug. 9.—President David Loughnan of the Ottawa command G. W. V. A. has today addressed a request to Mayor Frank Plant to call a public meeting in the city hall as soon as possible for a discussion of the unemployment situation.

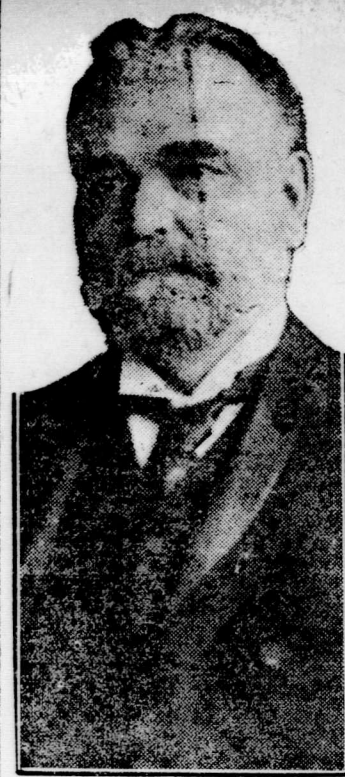
President Loughnan's action follows on a resolution passed at last night's meeting of the Ottawa Great War Veterans' association at which attention was called to recent utterances made by responsible citizens of Ottawa that next winter was likely to prove a very hard one in the city.

Co-operation of the local G. W. V. A. is promised by President Loughnan in any practical measures taken and an offer is made to send representatives to the meeting who would be in a position to outline the situation as it affects ex-service men and their dependents.

GALT FAMILY IS DOUBLY BEREAVED

GALT, Aug. 9.—Within 24 hours the deaths occurred of a brother and sister of the family of the late John Scott of this city. John Scott, jun., died at Vancouver, while his sister, Mrs. W. J. Scott, of Chicago, while here on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. M. P. Lowry, was suddenly taken ill and passed away.

Mrs. George Laird, who lives with her son, J. H. Laird, on Concession street, today celebrated her 94th birthday. She is still hale and hearty. She has been a resident of Galt since 1852, coming here direct from Scotland.



LIEUT. GOV. PUGSLEY OF NEW BRUNSWICK, who met with an accident resulting in an injury to his knee-cap, and compelling the cancellation of all engagements.

DRURY MAY NOT BE ABLE TO GO ON FISHING TRIP

Premier Had Intended Visiting Chatham and Glencoe Shortly.

CHATHAM, Aug. 9.—R. L. Brackin, K. C., M.P.P. for West Kent received word today that it is doubtful if Premier Drury will be able to carry out his plans for a fishing holiday in Kent owing to ever-increasing duties upon his time. It was the intention of the premier to address a meeting in Glencoe and then spend a day or two with Mr. Brackin at his cottage at Erie Beach.

Are Still Missing.

A pilot of an American air squadron has been flying over Lake St. Clair since Sunday last looking for two missing canoeists from Detroit. During his flight late yesterday afternoon he ran short of fuel and had to make a hurried landing at Stoney Point. The pilot told residents at that place that, up to that time, the search had been fruitless.

C. Glock, manager of the local plant of the International Harvester Company, has returned from Chicago, after attending an important conference with head officials of the company relative to the manufacture of motor trucks at the Chatham plant.

Mr. Glock stated to The Advertiser today that as soon as certain alterations to buildings and machinery had been completed, the manufacture of the trucks would commence.

C. F. Sise, first vice-president and general manager of the Bell Telephone Company, and K. J. Dunstan, second vice-president of the company, were in the city today on a visit of inspection at the local branch office and exchange.

May Start Soon.

The construction of a swimming pool and bathhouse in the city, the project of which has been fostered by the chamber of commerce, may commence shortly it was stated here today. A rough estimate on the cost of construction is now being prepared and if the site selected can be obtained the work may be done this fall.

Build Trucks.

Announcement is made at Hamilton, Ont., by the International Harvester Company of Canada, Limited, that their Chatham works is being equipped to take over the manufacture of international motor trucks. The first size to go into immediate production will be their model "S" speed truck.

These well-known trucks have been made in the States and shipped to the Dominion, but the volume of business has grown so rapidly that the proportions that were business judgment dictated some centrally located Canadian city. Chatham, Ont., was selected, because it is the home of the large wagon and sleigh factory of the Harvester Company, where McCormick, Deering and Chatham wagons and sleighs have been built for many years; therefore, it was felt by the officers of the company that Chatham presented the ideal location for this addition to the Canadian product.

ASK RESIGNATION OF REFEREE HENDERSON

Strongly-Worded Resolution Is Passed by Sarnia Council.

[Special To The Advertiser.]

SARNIA, Aug. 9.—The council at a special meeting tonight passed a strongly-worded resolution in connection with the recent hearing unjust and unfair, and demanding the resignation of Referee Henderson.

It was decided to license all restaurants and all places selling ice cream. The fees will be as follows: Restaurants, \$12; ice cream parlors \$10, and stores and other places handling ice cream as a side line \$2.

All places will be required to take out licenses, and it was decided also that no "spooning booths" will be allowed.

It was decided not to ask the provincial housing commission for another \$25,000.

Thomas Grace was awarded the contract for the new building which will house the heating system at the hospital, and J. Filsinger was awarded the contract for the heating.

The tenders were \$15,920 and \$5,200.

REMAINS ARE UNIDENTIFIED.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Aug. 9.—A woman's body, believed to be that of the woman who went over the American Falls on last Thursday night in view of a large crowd of sight-seers, was recovered from the lower river near the upper steel arch bridge abutments on the Canadian side early today. The body is now at a morgue at Niagara Falls, Ont. No identification has been made.

RAILWAYMEN MAY REFUSE RECENT AWARD

Grand Chief Stone Believes They Will Take a Firm Stand.

TORONTO, Aug. 9.—An indication that railwaymen generally are disposed to take a firm stand against proposed wage reductions was given out today at the convention in Massey Hall of the Brotherhood of Railway Carmen during the address by Grand Chief Warren Stone of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. Mr. Stone stated, amidst applause from the assembly, that his organization was determined, according to the signs which he had observed, to refuse the recent award which the United States Labor Board had given, and which provided for a 10 cents per hour decrease in wages.

Apartment from the address by Mr. Stone the session was given over almost entirely to the consideration of the reports of the organization's officials. In the aggregate these reports showed that a thoroughly successful year had been completed, the cash balance being in excess of \$3,000,000, some ten per cent of which was invested in Canadian Victory bonds.

Tomorrow's session of the convention will be open to the public in order that those interested may hear Edward Plumb discuss the plan of railway ownership of which he is the originator, and which bears his name.

Next Session of Exchange Investigation Will Be in Toronto.

OTTAWA, Aug. 9.—The Ottawa sittings of the Clarkson commission, investigating the sterling exchange frauds, ended this evening when the commission adjourned until August 22. The next sitting will be held in Toronto. Subsequent sittings, it is expected, will be held in Vancouver, Winnipeg, Toronto, Hamilton and possibly Halifax. There are transactions on the books, which, it is expected, involve persons in all these cities and the commission will probably visit the different cities before the hearings are completed. In the meantime examination of the books of the exchange branch will be continued and it was stated tonight by John M. Godfrey, K.C., representing the Government, that these had been found to be full of inaccuracies and discrepancies, which would probably take another two weeks to straighten out.

During the afternoon Col. J. M. Regan, chief of the pay office overseas, during the war, stated that it had been a recognized acceptance that an officer could put through an amount for exchange not exceeding four-fifths of his pay and allowances. Many had done this, it was intimated, and there were also cases where officers and men had transferred their English currency into Canadian and then again bought English currency for manipulation. Several names of persons were handed to the commission in connection with this sort of manipulation and hope was expressed that the Government would be able to secure refunds of the amounts wrongly obtained by this means.

OFFERED SITE FOR NEW ASPHALT PLANT

WINDSOR, Aug. 9.—After more than four months of casting about for a site suitable on which to build a municipal asphalt plant, the board of works committee of the city council has been offered land by Essex Terminal at a nominal rental. The property which is on Howard avenue, near level crossing of C. P. R., will be leased to the city for ten years. The committee had made three previous attempts to locate the plant, but opposition developed each time from residents of districts, who contended that plant would become a nuisance.

FEAR LAD WAS FATALLY HURT

Matthew Surdal Hit by Auto While Crossing the Street.

[Special To The Advertiser.]

WINDSOR, Aug. 9.—Struck by an automobile driven by Daniel Barry of 833 Howard avenue, Methew Surdal, aged six years, living at 1131 Langlois avenue, was probably fatally injured this afternoon. The boy, according to information obtained by police, was crossing Langlois avenue, near Ottawa street when Barry's car knocked him down. He is being attended at Hotel Dieu for a possible fracture of the skull and other injuries. Barry was taken to police headquarters, but was later released.

PAIR ARE REMANDED ON BIGAMY CHARGE

First Husband Turns Tables On Former Ingersoll Woman.

WOODSTOCK, Aug. 9.—Ethel Decoco, recently of Ingersoll, and Thos. Ganos appeared in court today charged with bigamy. It is claimed the husband's lawful wife is living in Hamilton. The wife visited the Ambitious City recently and had hubby No. 1 arrested on a charge of non-support. He told the authorities of the apparent infidelity of his wife and the arrest followed. Decoco was discharged. The defendants today were remanded for a week. Ganos secured bail.

ROCKWOOD YOUTH FATALLY CRUSHED

Lyle Miller Caught Between Threshing Engine and Separator.

GUELPH, Aug. 9.—Lyle Miller, aged 18, son of Robert Miller of Rockwood, met a horrible death as a result of an accident last night at Vinegar Hill near Rockwood. Father and son were returning home with an engine and threshing machine, and both were riding on the engine. When descending the hill the tongue of the separator which was attached to the engine, broke, letting the big machine crash forward against the engine. The elder man jumped in time, but the boy attempted to shut off the steam and was caught and pinned against the boiler.

MARINE NEWS

SARNIA, Aug. 9.—The vessel passengers at this port today were:

Up—Calcutta, 7; Yacham, 140; Farney, 3; Stackhouse, 520.

Down—Glenlivet, 10; Comeau, 11; Bradley, 1230; Walters, 1; Jacobs and consort, 120; Wilkinson, 220; Williams, 7; Kopp, 740; Renown, 11; Glenham, 1120; Midland King, 1140; Bowens, 1140; Sweden, 1150; Cetus Schneider, 1230; P. Reiss, 1230; Captain Wilson, 5; Tremble, 520; McIntosh, 6; Becker, 7; Hutchinson, 8.

MR. DEVLIN IS IMPROVING.

MONTREAL, Aug. 9.—E. B. Devlin, member of parliament for Wright, who was seriously ill yesterday, was reported to be better today.

A Last Chance

At the conclusion of our Kitchen Cabinet Sale we find we have still six cabinets to dispose of, and rather than put them into our regular stock we are continuing our sale for three more days at our special prices, low terms and free groceries.

This is absolutely the last chance you will have to purchase a Sellers at our low prices, as after Saturday the price of these cabinets will be increased \$20.00 per cabinet.

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1 Package Kellogg's (London) Cornflakes.

1 Tin Cowan's Cocoa.

1 Bag Purity Flour.

1 Bag Purity Oats.

1 Bar Pearl White Soap.

1 Tin Comfort Lye.

1 Package Handy Ammonia.

1 Jar Grapellade.

1 Tin Dominion Tomato Soup.

1 Coupon for The Story of Crisco, with Recipes.

1 Package Rinso.

1 Cake Ivory Soap.

1 Package Manning's Wonder Washing Tablets.

1 Tin Sweetheart Baking Powder.

1 Jar Sweetheart Peanut Butter.

1/2 Lb. Banquet Tea.

1 Neal's Wrapped Loaf.

1 Sunny Wash.

1 Klim.

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(3) Dustproof Base Top.

(4) Antproof Castors.

(5) Dovetail Construction.

(6) Glass Drawer Pulls.

(7) Steamproof Oil Hand Rubber Finish.

(8) All Oak Construction.

(9) Gravity Door Catches.

(10) Full Roll-Open Front.

(11) Roller Bearings for Extension Work-Table.

(12) Commodious Kitchen Linen Drawer.

(13) Upper Section White Enameled.

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(15) Porcelain Work-Table.

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