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WHAT WILL HAPPEN TO THE SENATE

Our despatches today state that the amendment of Senator Ross, the Liberal leader, to the effect that the Senate would not feel justified in giving assent to the Naval Bill until it has been submitted to the people, will undoubtedly carry. If it does, what will Mr. Borden do? No more serious problem will present itself in all probability during his term or terms of office than the solution of this recurring difficulty. And the Senate is composed of politicians who are likely to see the Bill through political glasses, and so invite attention from the government.

The Premier would have a variety of remedies open. He could make the position of Senator hereditary, which would be a permanent solution of a kind, for as it has happened in Great Britain, so would it be here, that the tendency of men holding hereditary positions would be toward a Conservative frame of mind.

As an alternative, the First Minister might declare for an elected Senate, similar to that in the United States, though probably elected directly by the people, rather than by the Provincial Legislatures.

At present the House of Commons is the more important body, because it is directly the choice of the majority of the electors, but if it should happen that the Senate were also made directly responsible to the people, it would almost certainly come to pass that the Senate would be the more important, and positions therein the most desirable. The House of Commons would be relegated to the second place, holding much the same relation to the Senate as does the House of Representatives in Washington.



THE TRIPLE TRAGEDY AT STRATFORD, ONT.

Knox Church and the steeple which was demolished, and which killed the fire chief, police chief and a policeman in its fall, after it had been struck by lightning. The picture in the oval is an actual photograph showing the lightning playing around the steeple in a former storm. The steeple stood aloft and was much exposed. It had frequently been predicted that lightning would strike it some day, but nobody dreamed it would be with such fatal results. The lightning set fire to it and it toppled over on the fire fighters.

OCEAN FALLS CO.'S AFFAIRS STILL BONE OF CONTENTION

APPLICATION MADE BY CHICAGO CREDITORS FOR LEAVE TO APPEAL WHICH IS REFERRED TO SAME JUDGE WHO GAVE DECISION.

Victoria, May 23—Application was made by Mr. S. A. Arnold on behalf of the Crane Company, creditors of the Ocean Falls Co., Limited, in supreme court chambers this morning before Mr. Justice Gregory for leave to appeal. The matter was referred to Mr. Justice Murphy, against whose decision it is intended to take action. The application was opposed by Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, on behalf of the debenture holders and Mr. D. Armour for the Ocean Falls Company, Limited.

Mr. Justice Murphy on May 8 dismissed an application by the Crane Company, which has its headquarters in Chicago, under the winding-up act, to close the affairs of the Ocean Falls Company.

Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, in opposing the application that Mr. Justice Gregory grant the appeal said that the Crane Company and the other United States, concerns having claims against the Ocean Falls Company were but small creditors, and it was practically an effort to blackmail. To this Mr. Arnold took strong objection, and a wordy dispute ensued, in which Mr. Arnold declared that the boat was on the other foot.

As the case was very much involved and had appeared before Mr. Justice Murphy, who had full knowledge of the facts, his lordship referred the matter to him.

BIG PARTY OF LAND SEEKERS GONE TO THE BABINE COUNTRY

SPOKANE INVESTORS WHO WILL START THE TIDE OF U. S. IMMIGRATION TO FLOW THROUGH THIS PORT

The B. C. Land & Colonization Co., of Spokane, owners of over a hundred thousand acres of land in the Babine district, and mostly along the lake shore, sent in the first colonization party this week. They arrived here on Wednesday night and after getting their supplies and outfits in shape they started out the Babine trail Thursday afternoon for the new land. There are 12 in the party and of this number several will remain on the land and get busy this spring clearing. Other parties will also be brought in shortly.

Lauchlin McLean, head of the company, states that this first party is more of an advance guard. They have had reports on the district which were very favorable, but they are now going in to see for themselves. He said that if the country was as good as he believed it to be, his company would send in many of the best farmers in the Western States. These men who are with him all have plenty of money and they are looking for a new country to get into.

J. B. Sargeant, the senior member of the party is one of the most enthusiastic. He is an old farmer himself and he has seen new countries grow. He has faith in the northern part of British Columbia. He has four sons all in the business and they are all looking for a new country to get into.

The party consisted of the following gentlemen: Lauchlin McLean, Robt. A. Hopkins, J. B. Sargeant, Geo. A. Griffith, Benj. F. Bresnahan, John Becker, F. Little, John Roberts, Geo. Poeppling, J. B. Cole, John Harris and Jesse Coulter. The last three named will remain in New Hazelton for some time.—Omineca Herald.

The paper that prints the facts—the Daily News.

Ritchie and Rivers Matched.

Seattle, May 21.—Willie Ritchie, lightweight champion of the world, and Joe Rivers, the Mexican have been matched to fight in San Francisco on the Fourth of July. Ritchie's manager announced here tonight.

Advertisement for Canadian Royal Reserve Whisky, Age 8 Years, featuring a bottle image and text: 'DEMAND ROYAL RESERVE WHISKY. AGE 8 YEARS. GUARANTEED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA. RECOMMENDED FOR THE INVALID THE HOME THE CONNOISSEUR THE PUBLIC who naturally want the best. AGE, PURITY AND MELLOWNESS UNSURPASSED.'

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Advertisement for Rogers Steamship Agency, featuring text: 'Rogers Steamship Agency Phone 116' and 'Georgetown Sawmill Co. Ltd. Lumber and Mouldings. A large stock of dry finishing lumber on hand. Boat lumber a specialty. Delivery made at short notice. Our prices are as low as any. Call on us before ordering. OFFICE: EMPRESS THEATRE BLDG. Cor. 6th St. and 2nd Ave.'

Advertisement for Smith & Mallett, featuring text: 'SMITH & MALLETT THIRD AVE. Plumbing, Heating, Steamfitting and Sheet Metal Work Office: 3rd Ave. Phone 174 2nd Ave. bet. 7th and 9th Sts'

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Advertisement for John E. Davey, featuring text: 'JOHN E. DAVEY TEACHER OF SINGING PUPIL OF W. E. FOXON, ESQ., A.R.A.M., I.O.N., E.M.P.'

Advertisement for Hayner Bros., featuring text: 'HAYNER BROS. UNDERTAKERS and EMBALMERS Funeral Directors 3rd Ave. near 6th St. Phone No. 96'

Advertisement for E. L. Fisher, featuring text: 'E. L. FISHER Funeral Director and Embalmer CHARGES REASONABLE 2nd St., cor. 2nd Ave. Phone 256 OPEN DAY AND NIGHT'

Large advertisement for Jabour Bros., Third Avenue, featuring text: 'DO NOT FORGET THE GREAT Stock Reducing Sale Now Going On At Jabour Bros., Third Avenue Wonderful Bargains in White Wear, Ladies' and Children's Dresses, Boys' Suits and Blouses and Men's Boots and Hats. This Sale Will Save Money For You JABOUR BROS. The House of Good Values'

Advertisement for Kaien Hardware Company, featuring text: 'KAIEN HARDWARE COMPANY THIRD ANENUE P.O. DRAWER 1524 PHONE No. 3 Builders' Supplies Plumbers' Supplies Paints Oils Varnishes Sheet and Plate Glass Plate Glass Mirrors Stoves, Ranges Tinware Graniteware MONARCH MALLEABLE The "Stay Satisfactory Range."

And It Was the Best Story Scoop Ever Wrote

Drawn for The Daily News by "Hop"

A four-panel cartoon strip. Panel 1: A man in a suit says, 'OH SCOOP—THE WHOLE TOWN OF RIVER BOTTOM IS FLOODED—JUST GOT A FLASH THAT 1000 LIVES ARE LOST—KNOCK ME OUT ABOUT A FOUR COLUMN STORY OF THE FLOOD—THROW IN A COUPLE GOOD RESCUES AND PLENTY OF THE AWFUL DETAILS.' Panel 2: A man at a typewriter says, 'GET A WIGGLE ON YOU—I'M HOLDING THE PRESSES NOW—PUT YOUR WHOLE HEART INTO THE STORY—A SOB IN EVERY LINE—AND WRITE MY BOY AS YOU NEVER WROTE BEFORE—IT'S ONCE IN A LIFE TIME THAT A STORY LIKE THIS IS GIVEN TO A DUB LIKE YOU.' Panel 3: A man at a typewriter says, 'DUB—HUH?—WHY I EAT THESE FLOOD STORIES—COPY BOY!' Panel 4: A man at a typewriter says, 'SCOOP—YOU'LL HAVE TO CUT THAT FOUR THOUSAND WORD STORY DOWN TO ABOUT A PARAGRAPH—THE CORRECTED DEATH LIST IS TWO COWS AND A PET CANARY!' The cartoon is signed '© 1913—INTL.—SYND.—DALL—MO.' at the bottom right.