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MORE CHANGES IN THE CABINET FORESHADOWED

BRITISH UNIONISTS MAD OVER LORDS VETO BILL

Accused Mr. Asquith of Taking Advantage of King George's Inexperience to Get Promises to Create Liberal Peers--House Endorses Asquith's Action by Immense Majority

(Canadian Press Despatch)
London, Aug. 8.—The Unionists in the British House got another defeat yesterday when a vote of censure of the Government for having obtained from the King a pledge to create, if necessary, a sufficient number of peers to pass the veto bill, was rejected by the House of Commons by a majority of 119.

Brought in King's name
The motion was introduced by Mr. A. J. Balfour, the leader of the Opposition. He said the gravest of Opposition's charges against the Government was that Premier Asquith had taken advantage of the King's inexperience to bring about an abuse of the royal prerogative by securing guarantees from his Majesty before the last general election.

Asquith's Answer
Mr. Asquith easily disposed of this charge by showing that the

BASEBALL SCORES

Northwestern League
Spokane 5, Vancouver 2.
Tacoma 8, Victoria 2.
Seattle 6, Portland 2.

National League
Chicago 8, New York 6.
Pittsburg 2, Philadelphia 1.
St. Louis 4, Brooklyn 3.
Cincinnati 8, Boston 2.

American League
Philadelphia 2, 3; Chicago 1, 2.
Detroit 7, New York 6.
Cleveland 8, Boston 3.
Washington 1, 6; St. Louis 0, 13.

RAILWAY COMMISSION

Program of Tour Through Western Canada Inclusive

Toronto, Aug. 7.—The Board of Railway Commissioners is making a tour of Western Canada this month during which it will hold sessions at almost every important point between Port Arthur and the Pacific Coast. The first sitting will be on the tenth inst. at Port Arthur and after sitting at Fort Francis, the Commissioners will go direct to Vancouver, where a number of cases of discriminations against the C. P. R. will be heard. Other points will be visited on the return journey.

The Commissioners are due in Prince Rupert on the 19th inst.

SIR ALAN AYLESWORTH TO RETIRE FROM PARLIAMENT

Minister of Justice Makes Announcement to His Constituents--Stayed Owing to Strong Wish of Sir Wilfrid Laurier--Great Jurist Has Served Nation for Six Years

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Ottawa, Aug. 8.—Sir Alan Aylesworth after six years of public service to Canada, first as Postmaster General and for the past five years as Minister of Justice, is retiring from the Government and has definitely notified the North York Liberal Association that he will not again be a candidate.

Sir Alan intimated to the Prime Minister two years ago that he desired to resign his portfolio, principally on the ground that his deafness was a constant embarrassment to him in Parliament and at the Cabinet council meetings. He was dissuaded however by Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his colleagues and continued in office. Recently, however, he decided definitely to resign and this afternoon notified the Liberal executive of North York to that effect.

Sir Alan stated that Mr. T. C. Robinette, K. C., of North York will probably be the candidate in that constituency. Sir Wilfrid Laurier has not yet accepted Sir Alan's resignation and the latter will probably hold office until his successor is sworn in.

Hugh Guthrie, representative for South Wellington in the Commons since 1900 is mentioned as his probable successor.

HANDSOME NEW BANK PREMISES

Union Bank will Occupy Quarters on Third Avenue and Sixth Street. Open October 1st.

The local branch of the Union Bank of Canada is to have handsome new quarters at the corner Third avenue and Fifth street. The portion of the Christiansen and Grandt building has been leased for this purpose and the plans for the new office have been completed by Mr. W. L. Barker. Everything is now in shape for starting the contract.

In the new office will be a concrete safety vault. All the interior work will be both useful and artistic. Quarters for the resident clerks will be provided and every modern convenience will be installed. The plans call for an attractive and substantial exterior. It is hoped to have the place ready for occupancy by October 1st of this year.

SUSPECT DEEP CAMMORRA PLOT

Vancouver Shooting Case Grows More Mysterious. Wounded Man Silent. Italians All Alarmed.

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Vancouver, Aug. 8.—Despite the diligent efforts of police and detectives, no trace has been discovered of the unknown Italian who shot Romeo Rosco and wounded Antonio Monteto on Sunday night. The latter is slowly recovering at the hospital but absolutely refuses to talk or give any information as to the identity of the murderer. Based on the fear shown by other local Italians, the belief is growing that a Camorra plot is at the bottom of this shooting.

MORE BLUFF

"Me and Gott" Emperor to Hold Mighty Review

(Canadian Press Despatch)
London, Aug. 7.—It is announced that on September 5th at Kiel the Kaiser will review the greatest array of German war vessels ever assembled. The fleet will comprise 140 vessels of all classes and the number of men in the crews will approximate 25,000.

Books Well Kept

Stuart and Stewart, the local auditors, sent in a report to the city council last night stating that they had audited the City Hall books and found them correct. Credit was given by the auditors to the City Hall officials for keeping the books so excellently.

ALD. NEWTON ADMITS HE FARMED OUT INSURANCE

Admits that He Took Policy Renewals Away from Certain Ratepayers and Handed Them Over to Other Parties to Renew--Whole Matter to be Probed Into

Quietly Alderman Hilditch asked Acting Mayor Kirkpatrick at the council meeting last night why the gentleman who was a property owner had had his civic insurance taken away.

"It will afford me great pleasure to answer Alderman Hilditch," said Alderman Newton jumping to his feet. "I shall do so without attempt to browbeat, screen or rep my skirts clean. I take all responsibility. Alderman Kirkpatrick was not present at the meeting of the finance committee when the matter came up and that was done the result of a motion moved by myself. When ex-Alderman Pattullo and Alderman Naden were in the council last year I found they each took a big slice of the civic insurance and gobbled up everything

"EDRIE" OWNERS APPEAL

Case will Come up Before Appeal Court in November

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Victoria, Aug. 7.—The Chlopek Fish Company, owners of the gasoline schooner Edrie seized recently by the cruiser Rainbow and condemned by the Admiralty Court, have given notice of appeal. The case will be heard here at the sittings of the Court of Appeals in November. At present the schooner is lying at Sapperton.

HE WAS BARKING UP THE WRONG TREE

Ald. Newton Wanted to Know How the Council Came to Agree to Fill John Goodman's Lots--Subsided When Explanation Was Made

Almost three long, weary hours the city council sat last night without accomplishing very much business. Acting Mayor Kirkpatrick was kept busy trying to keep things moving peacefully in the face of the continual skirmishes between Aldermen Newton and Hilditch. Frequently it looked as if open war would result. Once Alderman Newton did fire a broadside of vitriolic verbosity into Alderman Hilditch's camp but the acting Mayor aided by his peace loving henchman Alderman Clayton rushed into the breach and the hot verbosity ended in smoke.

First Shot at Goodman

The first shot was fired by Alderman Newton who wanted to "talk about the city filling the lots owned by John Goodman."

"I want to ask why the city assisted in filling up his lots and what recompense the city is getting for the work."

THE POPE'S ILLNESS

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Rome, Aug. 8.—The condition of Pope Pius who yesterday suffered a slight relapse was reported satisfactory today. Dr. Pettachi, private physician to his Holiness stated that while he found a slight rise in the patient's temperature he considered the general condition of the patient to be improved.

ROBE OFF AGAIN

On Her Way to Halifax in Tow of Salvage Boats

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Halifax, Aug. 8.—The Niobe started on her way to Halifax this evening according to wireless report from Clarke's Harbor to Admiral Kingsmill. The flotilla of towing steamers headed by H. M. S. Cornwall is expected to reach Halifax tomorrow. The Cornwall which touched on a rock at Green Island bank Sunday afternoon is but slightly damaged.

The remarks were directed to the Acting Mayor. Alderman Newton continued to explain that the matter had been the subject of a good deal of comment and he had been asked.

It was all explained to Alderman owned by Mr. Goodman were formerly owned by Mr. Benson of the Atlantic Realty Company, who sold them to Mr. Goodman. Mr. Benson entered into an agreement with the city giving the city permission to allow the material from the crown of the road to fall on the lots. There were some other minor details connected with the agreement, but none of which

Newton in a moment—apparently to his surprise. The lots now Mr. Goodman had anything to do with.

Sniffed Out
Then Alderman Hilditch gave Alderman Newton a little rap about asking questions without taking the trouble to probe the matter previously. That did it. Alderman Newton's ire is ever mercurial. It literally jumped up to boiling point and he exclaimed in Ciceronian tones: "I object to Alderman Hilditch throwing out these sneers about aldermen taking the trouble to ask questions. I shall ask for any information I desire as long as I am in the council and I won't be sniffed out by Alderman Hilditch. If he only knew one quarter of what is being said about his department he would be grateful to have some ask questions instead of grunting and growling."

LIVE WIRE SLEW HIM

Laborer Reached Out for a Handful of Death

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Calgary, Aug. 8.—Mike Iwanski, an Austrian laborer working on a new elevator here, touched a live wire when walking along a hallway and was instantly killed.

CARELESS WITH GUN

Harry Sage Has Paid the Full Penalty

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Castor, Alberta, Aug. 8.—When putting his gun away after shooting Harry E. Sage, an employee of the C. P. R. stumbled, and discharged the weapon, the contents entering his forehead. He died soon after.

SORDID TRAGEDY

Gardner Killed Other Man's Wife after Drinking Bout

(Canadian Press Despatch)
San Francisco, Aug. 7.—The San Francisco, Aug. 7.—George Forsyth, aged 40, a gradner, shot and fatally wounded Mrs. Katherine Decker aged 33, at her home here today and then killed himself. The tragedy took place after a drinking bout lasting nearly all night. Forsyth had been trying a long time to get Mrs. Decker to elope with him but she refused.

NEARLY KILLED BY BIG ROCK

Stone Flung by Shot at Mile Forty-two Came Through the Messhouse Roof and Just Missing Wm. Stenhouse

When a blast went off yesterday in the neighborhood of Mile Forty-two a stone hurled from the cut flew as far as the mess house roof some distance away. It crashed through the roof and just missing the head of William Stenhouse who was in there at the time, struck him on the foot. The limb was rather severely crushed and bruised but no bones were smashed. Stenhouse came down steel in care of a comrade, and was attended to at the General Hospital by Dr. Eggert. He is detained there at present, but will soon be able to be about.

GERMANY SUSPICIOUS

If Britain were as Nervous there Would be no German Bands

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Bremen, Aug. 7.—An Englishman, said to be an officer in the British yeomanry, was arrested here today accused of spying on German fortifications on the north seacoast. Prisoner whose name has not been learned was subsequently admitted to bail.

HAD ANXIOUS TIME IN LAUNCH

Rev. Father Hartmann and Party on Trip Around Kaien Island were Delayed and Lost tide. Friends Alarmed.

Yesterday Rev. Father Hartmann and a party of friends set out on a trip around Kaien Island in the new launch belonging to A. Nachbar. The weather was magnificent for the trip, but the launch did not return at the time when it was expected. After waiting several hours for it, friends of the party grew exceedingly anxious, and began to make enquiries and to talk of sending out a search party from the Davis float. While preparations were being made, however, the belated launch returned long after midnight. A slight trouble with the engine had sufficed to cause delay which made the party lose the tide, and thus increased the time for the journey.

The council agreed last night to raise the salary of Mr. W. D. Vance, city accountant, from \$100 a month to \$125 a month to date from January 1, 1911., and also to raise Saritry Inspector Macfarlane's pay from \$80 to \$90 a month from January 1, 1911, to July 1, 1911. From July 1st he will get \$100 a month.

WHAT DO YOU THINK OF THIS FOR "NEWS"

Remarkable Despatch that Reached the Daily News Office today.—It is Worth Reading and Pondering Over.—What Does "Headquarters" Take Us For.

As a sample of the kind of campaign "news" that is being sent out over the wires the News prints the following despatch which came into its office this morning. It has all the earmarks of an "inspired" message sent out from "headquarters," and calculated to deceive the ignorant.

It has no news value. It tells no fact. It gives no authority. With the exception of the last paragraph which gives an item of news about Mr. Borden's campaign, the whole thing is palpably a collection of malicious rumors. It may all be true, but it looks like an anonymous lie.

Ottawa, Aug. 8.—Laurier is anxious to quit his office. He would have done this before but for the refusal of his party to go on

without him. It is said the plan is to try if possible to win the present election and then lose no time in turning over the mantle of office to Graham, giving him several years in which to settle into saddle.

If Laurier is defeated he will at once retire, for he already has told the House he will not again serve as leader of the Opposition.

Mr. Borden will open his campaign in Eastern townships on August 29th by an address at Farham.

P. R. Indoor Baseball League.

Quill Drivers vs. Royal Blue Ribbons at the Auditorium Tuesday evening, August 7th. Game called at 8.45 sharp. Admission 25 cents.