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WILL HON. S. FISHER RESIGN?

A By-election Speech Gives Rise to Some Hot Words in the House of Commons.

Ottawa, Ontario, 22nd March, 1899.—The Government is asking for the removal of Senator John Sutherland from the Upper Chamber, on the ground that he has been absent from duty for two consecutive sessions. A motion was made in the Senate to-night to declare the seat vacant. It was referred to the Committee on Privileges.

CATHOLICS NOT SATISFIED.
Senator Bernier, representing the Catholic minority in Manitoba, declared in the Senate to-day that the school question is not settled to the satisfaction of the minority. He added, the minority will continue to stand up for its rights and continue to agitate till it gets them.

The address was passed in the Senate to-night.

The recent by-election in Bagot was discussed in the House to-night.

WANTS TOLERATION.
Mr. Lemieux, of Gaspé, debating the address, made an appeal for toleration and declared that Sir W. Laurier had removed all unhappy racial and religious differences.

HIS WORD QUESTIONED.

Mr. Moore, of Stanstead, said this was a remarkable statement to come from a man, who in the Bagot election had denounced Sir Charles Tupper as English and Protestant, and called upon the electors to support the candidate of Sir Wilfrid Laurier because he was a Catholic and French.

Mr. Lemieux denied that he had made such a statement.

Mr. Moore insisted that he had heard the remark.

On being told by Mr. Speaker that he must accept the denial, Mr. Moore said I accept it, but I intend, that my hon. friend's recollection is very imperfect.

HAS HE RESIGNED.
It is rumored to-night that Mr. Fisher will resign the Department of Agriculture, because of the Government's attitude on prohibition.

Mr. Fisher has not been in the House since the announcement was made, and though he feels uncomfortable, the Liberals say he will not resign.

WHAT LONG SAID.

The Secretary replied that he would confer with the President on the subject. It would be a question, he said, simply as to whether or not the occasion would justify the Admiral in leaving his duties at Manila.

A LEGISLATURE DISSOLVED.

BECAUSE IT WOULD NOT PASS A BILL TO INCREASE THE TARIFF.

Kingston, Jamaica, March 22.—The discussion by the Legislative Assembly of the measure for an increase in the tariff, rendered necessary by the Colony's financial crisis, was indefinitely adjourned last Wednesday, in consequence of the hostile action of the elected members of the Assembly, who, under the advice of the Secretary of State for the Colonies, would increase the official element in the new Assembly to force the tariff bill through. The present constitution of Jamaica has been in force for fifty years, but this is the first time the Government has availed itself of the power conferred on it to dissolve the Legislature and add to the nominated members of the Assembly.

A HEAVY EXPLOSION

Of Smokeless Powder Causes the Death of Three Men.

Penn's Grove, N. J., March 22.—Over 3000 pounds of smokeless powder exploded to-day at the Dupont Powder Works at Carney Point, near here, opposite Wilmington, Del. instantly killing three workmen and injuring a number of others slightly. The dead are: Isaac Layton, aged 50 years, married; William Ford, aged 40, married; and John Magill, aged 30, single.

The cause of the accident has not been determined, but it originated in the drying houses about one o'clock, where Layton was at work. The shock from the explosion shook the country for miles around, and in this town heavy panes of glass were broken in many houses.

IN SECLUDED SPOT

The Remains of the Late Baron Herschell Finds a Resting Place.

London, March 22.—The remains of Baron Herschell, who died at Washington on March 1, over which funeral services were held yesterday in Westminster Abbey, were interred to-day in a vault in a secluded country churchyard at Tinseltown, Dorsetshire. The interment ceremony, which was of the simplest character, took place in the presence of the family of the deceased, representatives of the Queen, the Prince of Wales, the Duke of York and the Duke of Devonshire, as well as a large attendance of local residents, including Mr. Thomas Hardy, the novelist.

SHE BROKE THE RECORD.

BY A TWO MONTHS' VOYAGE FROM NEWCASTLE TO NEW YORK.

New York, March 22.—The slowest trip made by a steamship from New castle, England, to this port, is that of the Wilson Line freighter Salerno which arrived yesterday. She left Newcastle on January 18th and was tossed by the tempest for two months, and with her bunkers nearly empty was forced to put into the Azores on February 21st for coal. She was unable to coal up until March 5th when she resumed her voyage. Time 62 days.

OCEAN ARRIVALS.

March 22.—
SS Saale, at Alexandria from New York.
SS St. Paul, at Southampton from New York.
SS Alesia, at Hamburg from Portland.
SS Ancharia, at New York from Glasgow.
SS Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, at Bremen from New York.
SS Catalonia, at Queenstown from Boston.
SS St. John City, at London from St. John, N. B. via Halifax.
SS Memnon, at Bristol from Portland.

ALLAN LINE.

The SS Numidian, from Liverpool for Portland, arrived at Halifax at noon yesterday.

The SS Scandinavian, from Boston for Glasgow, arrived at last evening.

QUEBEC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

The ss Trinidad sailed from New York for Bermuda at 10 a. m. yesterday.

STILL DRIFTING.

Meat Cove, C. B., March 22.—Reports from Entry Island, one of the Magdalen, say that the Gaspesia is bearing southeast from there, this morning, 12 miles off, drifting east. The Gaspesia is now over two months in the ice.

Social Gossip.

Hon. Mr. Dechene returned to this city yesterday from the county of Viset.

Mrs. L. R. Masson has arrived in the city or a visit of a few days to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burroughs.

Mr. Hulme, of the Montreal Bank, has left on a trip to New York, where he will spend his holidays.

Mr. Victor Chateaubert has returned from New York.

Miss Lily Schwartz gave a charming birthday party on Tuesday for her niece, Miss Olga Schwartz.

Miss Lily Douglas, of this city, and Miss Geraldine Stairs, of Halifax, are on a visit to Mrs. Robert Bell, 136 McLaren street, Ottawa.

Mrs. J. F. Wilson gave a dinner on Tuesday for Mrs. George Marks, of Port Arthur.

Mrs. A. H. Cook gave a very pleasant supper on Tuesday evening at the concert of the Ladies' Musical Club.

We regret to learn of the death of Mr. Theophile LaRue, ex-Federal employee, of Three Rivers. He was an uncle of Madame E. T. Paquet, of this city.

Mr. DeCamp, representing Withall, Tatum & Co., of New York, and Mrs. DeCamp, are in town and staying at the Chateau.

The marriage is announced of a retired merchant of this city to a young lady from Lake Beauport.

Mr. Ernest Swift and Miss Swift leave to-day, via C. P. R. for Boston, where they intend residing for a year. They will stop off at Montreal for a few days.

THE GERMANS DON'T LIKE CHAMBERS.

And Want Him Removed from Office.

THEY HAVE PETITIONED BERLIN

To That Effect—The British Consul in Samoa is also a Thorn in Their Sides.

Berlin, March 22.—A petition was received at the Foreign Office here to-day, signed by all the Germans in Samoa, protesting vehemently against retention of Chief Justice Chambers, and a further maintenance of the Berlin treaty, which is characterized as no longer bearable. The petitioners detail a number of alleged contraventions of the treaty by Mr. Chambers, especially towards Herr Grevenmühl, the chief of police. The petition and the official report will be sent to the United States Ambassador, Mr. Andrew White, in support of the Germans' case.

THE PRESS HOWLS.

The Lokal Anzeiger, publishes in a letter from its Samoan correspondent Herr Von Wolfersdorff, dated Feb. 21. After recounting the critical situation, the writer declares that if the German Government will not help the Germans of Africa against the alleged injustice and outrages of Mr. Chambers, the Germans will rise armed and obtain the desired redress.

The correspondent then describes the indignation of the Germans when the instructions of the Foreign Office arrived, ordering the recognition of Mr. Chambers.

MAXSE A BAD MAN.

The Tageblatt demands the removal of Mr. E. B. S. Maxse, the British Consul, at Apia, claiming he is the prime cause of all the trouble.

A REAL TRIUMPH.

For a fine twelve to go to Faguy, Lepinay & Frere.

FIRE IN TORONTO.

A \$50,000 Conflagration There Last Night.

Toronto, March 23.—About ten o'clock to-night a fire broke out in a large four story building, corner of Adelaide and York streets, occupied on the ground floor and in the basement by Douglas Bros., Roofers and Metal Workers, and in the upper part by Elliott & Brooks, paper box manufacturers. The building was gutted and the stock destroyed. Several adjoining buildings were threatened, but the big snow on the roofs saved them. The building was valued at about \$85,000, and is insured in the Gore Mutual Insurance Co. The stocks were worth about \$35,000, and were partially insured.

THEY ADOPT THEIR USUAL TACTICS.

Liberals Pack a Prohibition Meeting

AND GET A SNAP VOTE THEREBY

The Gallant Major Sutherland, Liberal Whip, characterized the Caucus as a Farce.

Special to the Chronicle.

Ottawa, March 22.—The Liberals packed the Prohibition caucus this morning and succeeded in shelving the question. By a vote of 27 to 11 a declaration on the question was presented, and a committee appointed to consider action.

A PUBLIC FARCE.

Major Sutherland, the Liberal whip, characterized the proceedings of the caucus as a public farce, as the members present were actuated by political motives rather than a desire to promote prohibition. When called to order for addressing the caucus, Mr. Sutherland said he was as much a Prohibitionist as twenty others who had voted on the motion.

A LONDON TRAGEDY.

VERDICT OF WILFUL MURDER AGAINST A MAN AND WOMAN.

London, March 22.—The verdict upon the remains of the woman found apparently strangled to death, on March 6, in a house on the Tottenham Court Road, London, resulted to-day in a verdict of wilful murder against the man known as Briseisnick and his female companion, supposed to be his wife, whose arrest in Berlin was announced on Monday last. Briseisnick, whose real name is said to be Fritz Metz, and Frau Briseisnick, are now understood to have brought about the death of the victim by an illegal operation. The victim has been identified as Sophia Richard, a Swiss chambermaid.

YANKEES ARE TOO GREEDY.

AND ARE NOT SATISFIED WITH REASONABLE PROFITS ON THEIR WORK.

Glasgow, March 22.—A statement by Charles Cramp, of Philadelphia, a member of a well known ship building firm, now here, to the effect that on account of lower wages ships were built here 30 per cent. cheaper than in the United States, has aroused a vigorous denial. It is stated, in opposition to Mr. Cramp's views, that American workmen accomplish twice as much as Clyde workmen in the same time, and three cargoes of American steel just received here show that building material is cheaper in the United States. The increased cost of shipbuilding in the United States, the Scotchmen maintain, is due to the inordinate profits expected by American builders, who wish to become millionaires in a few years. The profit to Clyde builders is set down as from 3 to 10 per cent.

COUNTY OF LEVIS.

Mr. L. J. Demers, of St. Romuald, Elected by Acclamation.

Levis, Que., March 22.—The nomination of Mr. L. J. Demers, clerk of St. Romuald, was declared elected by acclamation. He is a Liberal. The vacancy was caused by the death of Dr. Guay, who was also a Liberal.

OUR LARGE SALE OF MATINEES.

To-morrow we will offer a very fine assortment of print matinees. Faguy, Lepinay & Frere.

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY.

A New York Tammany Alderman Wants it Honored.

New York, March 22.—At a meeting of the Board of Aldermen yesterday, Alderman Harrington (Tammany) introduced a resolution calling on the Commissioner of Public Buildings to hoist the national, city and State flags on all public buildings on the 24th May, in honor of Queen Victoria's birthday. Alderman Kenefick moved that the resolution lie on the table. His motion was adopted without debate.

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THE HEALTH COMMITTEE.

LAST NIGHT DISCUSSED VACCINATION, TUBERCULOSIS AND OTHER MATTERS.

The members of the City Council attended in large numbers the meeting of the Health and Road Committees last evening, when a large amount of work was transacted.

The Health Committee was presided over by Alderman Lavoie and the Road Committee by Alderman Roy. Those present were:—His Worship Mayor Parent and Aldermen Norris, Turcot, Duchaine, Gilchen, U. Caron, Falardeau, Houdou, Polak, Boulanger, Madden, Rancour, Drouin, Tangway, Dinan, Belanger, Vincent, Lavery, Dussault, P. J. Cote, J. B. Cote and Brolet.

ANNUAL REPORT.

At the Health Committee meeting the annual report for 1898 was laid on the table. During the year five meetings were held and 1,510 letters written, 233 houses were placarded for diphtheria and 332 houses disinfecting; 97 persons were admitted to the Civil Hospital, 533 cases of contagious diseases reported to the Board of Health and 76 deaths out of the number 36,000 had been vaccinated in Montreal, and out of the number 36,000 had been vaccinated in Quebec to prevent small-pox, which is frequently at our doors, from making its appearance in our midst. He considered that the sum of \$2,500 for the vaccination of the poor was not too much.

Mayor Parent remarked that he did not see the necessity of securing people with smallpox just now, and if such a disease was at our doors the necessary precautions would be immediately taken. Besides, it was all very well talking about vaccinating the poor, but he knew for a fact that the rich people were more neglectful on that point than the poor people.

Dr. Turcotte replied that perhaps that might be the case, but it was no reason to give, as the children of people who could afford it would be vaccinated at any time, but poor children could not.

In answer to Ald. Norris, Dr. Turcotte had to admit that all his children were not vaccinated.

Ald. Bouchette suggested that a portion of the money asked for should be devoted to the protection of public health, which is continually menaced by the coal and dust from factory chimneys. This was a most important matter that should be immediately attended to.

His Honor the Mayor suggested that a sub-committee, composed of Aldermen who belong to the medical profession, be appointed to report on these questions.

Ald. Norris remarked that he had been informed on good authority that when an east wind blew, it continually carried the coal dust from the chimney of a factory in St. Roch into the city, which was a source of profound humiliation for this country.

SENATE REFORM.

On the question of Senate reform Hon. Mr. Chapais explained the proposition in its true light. Because this body of men had prevented the carrying out of such gigantic schemes as the Drummmond and Yukon bills, the promoters of these schemes, the Tories and the Sifters and their organs, Le Soleil and La Patrie, cried out that the Senate must go, or at least be reduced to such a state as to be of no avail in checking iniquitous legislation. The Senate had been constituted as at present, giving Quebec and Ontario equal representation, so that the rights of this Province should be the better respected. He had on the very day consulted one of the framers of Confederation, the companion of Hon. Sir George Cartier and Sir Etienne Tache, and Hon. Mr. Langevin had told him positively that if such a proposal had been made at the time of Confederation the representatives of this Province would have broken off all negotiations. Now we see a representative of the very division which the meeting was being held to come forward and try to make away with the safeguard which the framers of Confederation had studied thoroughly and considered most advisable to the interests of the Province of Quebec. Such conduct in a public man was heartless and a betrayal of the Province.

MARCHAND'S TURN.

The speaker then, in a few words, passed in review the Marchand Government, which, he said, like their masters at Ottawa, had broken all the promises they ever made. They had shown their subservience to the Government at Ottawa by bringing in, on the eve of prorogation, their Senate reform resolutions, Mr. Marchand had been coerced by Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. Tarte, who had come down in all their glory, in one of those private cars which, while in the ranks of the Opposition, the Liberals had found so scandalous, and ordered Hon. Mr. Marchand to speak his little piece on Senate reform, and the Premier of this Province had to obey his masters.

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THE LIBERALS' BADLY SCORED IN ST. ROCH'S.

Hon. Mr. Chapais Drags Sir Wilfrid Laurier

OVER A RED HOT COKE FIRE.

The Government's Record Since 1896 Fully Exposed—Mr. Marchand Gets a Dressing.

The Conservative Club of Quebec East met last evening in their hall, on St. Valier street, under the Chairmanship of Vice-President Berube. The President, Mr. Felix Gourdeau, was unable to attend, as he was leaving for Montreal late in the evening.

MR. CHAPAI'S ADDRESS.

About a hundred citizens of St. Roch's were present, and Hon. T. Chapais, the speaker of the evening, was received with great enthusiasm. The ex-Minister expressed his pleasure at seeing the movement inaugurated in this division which had always been regarded as a Liberal stronghold. The Conservatives of St. Roch's set an example that was worthy of imitation by all the electoral divisions of the Province.

RECORD EXPOSED.

The speaker then went on to expose the record of the Laurier Government since 1896. They had secured power through misrepresentation and continued to deceive the people. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, though some of his supporters regarded him as a great man, seemed to have adapted the device of the leader of these men; I must follow them." He was led by the Tories and the Sifters and the other lovers of Drummmond and Yukon jobs, with whom he had surrounded himself after coming to power.

A DAY'S RESPITE.

Referring to the present Federal session, Mr. Chapais said the sight presented by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who had begged a day's respite to prepare some kind of an answer to the formidable arraignment of the Government made by Sir Charles Tupper was unique. Never in the history of Canada had a leader of any Government failed to answer on the spot the attacks of the Opposition leader, but on this occasion Sir Wilfrid found his position so weak that he had to beg for time to prepare a weak defence.

THE CONFERENCE.

Coming to the International Conference, the speaker said that this meeting, which had been heralded by Le Soleil as the Quebec Conference, to be followed by a treaty which would be known in history as the Quebec treaty, had been the Washington Conference and ended in the Washington rupture. The Premier of Canada had gone begging to the Americans and been repulsed with scorn. His action had been a source of profound humiliation for this country.

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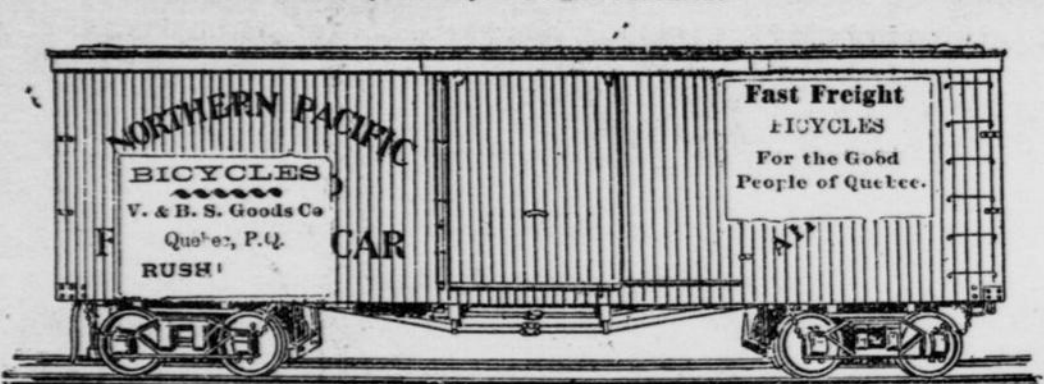
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STOCKS WEAKER IN MONTREAL.

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Montreal, March 22. - The tone of the stock market to-day showed no signs of recovery from the conditions which prevailed yesterday. The entire list was weaker, and the market evidenced some forced liquidation on the part of small traders, but not as much as would naturally be expected under the circumstances. A leading broker stated this morning that in his opinion the market was a sale, and there was a disposition on the part of room traders to accept that view. There was no change in the money market, and the same stringency as yesterday was generally blamed for the break in the market. Toronto rails were notably weaker to-day, and opened at 112, a half point below yesterday's closing. A few lots sold a quarter and a half higher, but the closing sale was at the opening figures. Trading in Canadian Pacific was light at 85, a half point below yesterday's closing. Selling down from 317 to 315, and new stock going at 314. Richelieu & Ontario, Royal Electric and Gas, which have been prominent features lately, were all in line with the rest of the market. Richelieu went down to 109, Electric to 18 1/2. No Gas was sold at lower quotations. Commercial Cable went down to 182, a decline of 2 1/2 points compared with yesterday's closing. Halifax tram went for 114 1/2. Mining shares were likewise affected; very few shares were thrown on the market. War Bonds sold at 83 1/2, Montreal and London at 77 cents. There are no sales of Payne, but a block of 10,000 shares of Republic brought \$3.41 London cable to day quoted \$3.41. C.P.R. 85 1/2, Hudson Bay 22 1/2.

CLOSING TRANSACTONS.

STOCKS.

Asked. Offered.

Canadian Pacific, 85 1/2, 85

Duluth SS & A. Co., 184 1/2, 184

Commercial Cable, 182, 182

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Montreal Street Ry. Co., 315 1/2, 315

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finally jumped to 169, eased off, but retained 6 1/2 points of its advance.

Brooklyn Transit dropped off sharply but recovered and left off fractionally above yesterday's figures. Manhattan was lifted over three points.

Third Avenue regained much of its loss of yesterday, and closed eight points higher on the day in connection with amendment of the Amsterdam Avenue bill. On talk of an extension of local Gas war, Consolidated Gas dropped seven points, half of which it regained. Continental Tobacco and American Tobacco declined 4 1/2 and 2 1/2 respectively, and left off at the lowest. American Steel and Wire was strong, and Federal Steel was sympathetically so.

The anthracite coalters, Jersey Central, the Readings and particularly, made material progress upward until realizing in the Readings caused an easing off from the best. The Readings showed a somewhat hardening tendency. The market closed strong.

The closing prices at the Stock Exchange were as follows:—

STOCKS.

Mch. Mch.

American Cotton Oil, 36, 36

American Tobacco, 210, 207 1/2

American Sugar, 107, 107

American Sugar Refined, 119, 118 1/2

American Spruce, 15, 15

American Lumber, 2, 2

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