

HYDRO STREET LIGHT IN HAMILTON NOW

Sir Adam Beck Turns "Juice" on White Way

TO BE MORE COSTLY

Sir Adam Said the Debt Bringing Hydro to Completion Would be Paid in 15 Years—Wants Rising Generation to Pay Some.

(Special Despatch to The Globe.) Hamilton, July 1.—An important event in the history of the city took place to-day when Sir Adam Beck turned on the Hydro-electric street lights. The Cataract Company has had this contract for fifteen years. Under the new system the cost of lighting the streets has been increased to \$88,000, but it is claimed that the city will be much better lighted. The 600 arc lamps have been replaced by 7,000 nitrogen lamps, about three to a block. The inaugural ceremony was carried out without a hitch, although the linemen employed by the city are on strike. The verdict of the public to-night was very favorable to the new system.

Pay Debt in Fifteen Years.

Sir Adam, at the banquet to-night, and in the course of his address, congratulated Hamilton for being the first city on the continent of America to adopt the Hydro-electric system of lighting. A vast amount of work had been thrust upon the Commission in carrying out this great scheme. He hoped the time was not far distant when all cities in the Province would be similarly lighted. He referred at length to the saving the people of the Province enjoyed in the adoption of this system, and anticipated that the whole debt incurred in bringing it to completion would be wiped out in fifteen years. He said he was personally in favor of making the future generation up to the next twenty-five or thirty years pay its just proportion of the benefits they were receiving, rather than shoulder the whole cost upon the present generation.

Hydro Radicals Wanted.

Col. Hon. J. S. Hendrie replied to the toast of the Province of Ontario, and Allan Stuhlmeier also spoke. Mr. Black and Controller McCarthy of Toronto, replied on behalf of the other municipalities who had taken up the hydro system. Mr. McCarthy hoped to see the day when a proper highway between Toronto and Hamilton would be established, also radial lines between the two cities. Mayor Allan replied to the toast of the city, along with ex-Mayor Geo. H. Leas. T. J. Stewart, M.P., replied to the toast of the local hydro board.

Report of Assignment Denied.

The local management of the T. C. Watkins Company deny the report of assignment of the company, which was published in the Claffin Company. A store was opened as usual on Monday and will not be closed at all until the company is cleared without change of the officials. They refused to make any further statement.

Notes.

Stephen North died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Harrison, Station 16 Beach to-day, in his eighty-second year. The remains will be forwarded to Peterboro'.

FARMER SHOT DEAD BY ANGRY CHINAMAN

GEO. BIDLER, VICTIM OF BROM-HEAD, SASK., TRAGEDY—BIDLER WAS WARNED.

(Canadian Press Despatch.)

Estevan, Sask., July 1.—Geo. Bidler, a farmer, was shot and killed last evening at Bromhead by Lee Han, a Chinese restaurant proprietor. The Chinaman was arrested, and appeared on preliminary trial before Magistrate Speer, who committed him for trial. Bidler had been drinking during the day, and late in the afternoon proceeded to the Chinaman's, where he threatened to clear out the place. Lee Han told him to stand off, and backed toward the rear door to get out of the way of Bidler, who continued to advance, and as the Chinaman could not get out of his way, after warning Bidler he would shoot, he fired the shot, killing Bidler instantly. Threats were made to lynch the Chinaman, and the police, to avoid trouble, hurried the other Chinamen out of town to Estevan.

LEAVE MEXICO CITY.

Fifty British Residents Go to Vera Cruz To-day.

(Canadian Press Despatch.)

Mexico City, July 1.—Fifty British residents, including thirty women and children, will leave the capital tomorrow for Vera Cruz. From that port they will proceed to Jamaica.

YOUNG CANADA PLAYED ON NATIONAL BIRTHDAY

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off when H. Gies, Berlin, went over the embankment. He received a couple of bad bruises, and Mr. Kirk, Waterloo, was badly cut about the face, and a hand named Lapp injured by shock. C. Schafer went over the embankment at the end of the three-mile race and injured J. Wilson and his son. In the bicycle race, Babcock had his shoulder dislocated, and George Wright, Toronto, received a bad cut on the head.

Raised Flag at New Park.

Harriston, July 1.—(Special.)—General Wolfe Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire raised a flag at their new park this afternoon. The park is situated in the centre of the town on the banks of the Mattand River, and has been transformed by the enterprise of the members of the Chapter from an unsightly to a beautiful spot. The grounds are maintained by the ladies, and the formal opening took place with a patriotic ceremony in the presence of a large gathering. The flag-raising was the gift of Captain Robert Holton, who after the unfurling of the flag responded to the call of the Regiment with a patriotic speech. Advantage was taken of the occasion to present two prizes offered by the Daughters for the best essays on "The Taking of Quebec by General Wolfe." Mrs. H. R. McCullough made the presentation to the successful competitors, Mary Lavery and Jessie Brisbin, of the junior fourth form of the public school, and Edith Walker and Agnes McCullough, of the senior third form.

Scottish Picnic at Erie.

Chatham, July 1.—(Special.)—Dominion Day passed very quietly here. The Scottish picnic at Erie Beach was not the success it was a year ago owing to inclement weather, as it has been showery and cold all day. The sports were pulled off as usual despite the small attendance. The 24th Regiment spent the day at Tilbury participating in the First of July celebration there.

Toronto Athletes at Oshawa.

Oshawa, July 1.—(Special.)—The athletic meet put on by St. Gregory's Athletic Club at Alexandra Park was one of the best in the history of the town. About \$1,000 was offered in prizes.

A green horse race, foot races, motorcycle jumps and a baseball tournament made an interesting program. The horse race was won by a horse owned by Mr. Grigg of Oshawa. Goulding of Toronto gave a field of eight starters handicaps ranging from 150 up to 600 yards in the five-mile walking race and overhauled them all before he reached the second mile, and beat Freeman, who stayed with him until 300 yards from the tape, by 100 yards. The five-mile running race saw Harry Treasler defeat S. Allen, ten-mile amateur champion of Ontario, in a sprint a few yards from the tape. In the motorcycle events, which were one of the biggest drawing cards, Roy Thompson, the amateur champion of Ontario, won all three races, three, five and ten miles, making the latter in thirteen minutes.

Races at Napanee.

Napanee, July 1.—The annual sports held at Napanee Driving Park to-day were attended by 4,000 people. Following is a summary of races: 2.50 class—Woo C. W. Cole; Jimmie Mack; T. Stewart; Billigan, J. Martin; Angus Mack; J. Vassar; Nellie Dillon; A. Loyt; Carrie Nation; J. Orr. Time: 2:29 3/4, 2:29 1/4, 2:39 1/4, 2:39 1/4, 2:40.

Free for all—Manuela, G. Powell; Montell; A. Hayes; Dott; A. Bowen; King Todd, A. Smith. Time: 2:18 1/2, 2:18 3/4, 2:18.

2.25 Class—Davenport, W. Parks; Princess B. F. Gilbert; Nancy Ann, L. Martin; Freda Posey, B. P. Boles; Jap, T. Stewart. Time: 2:34 1/4, 2:34 3/4, 2:34 1/2.

Named Race, half-mile heats—Laura Pointer, T. Slater; Merry Chimes, C. W. Cole; Little Mack, W. Metcalfe; Little Napanee, E. Kaylor; Foster's Baby, B. Foster; Little Mack, C. Bombaugh. Time: 1:11, 1:11 1/2, 1:16.

Baseball—Pleton vs. Trenton. Won by Trenton, 8 to 4.

The three-mile motorcycle race was won by W. Powless in 3:35.

Various Sports at Montreal.

Montreal, July 1.—Dominion Day was celebrated in Montreal much in the usual holiday style. The thousands of excursionists went away for the day on the various special outings, and thousands came into the city from many points. The militia marked the day to some extent, the Second Battery, Montreal Brigade, Canadian Artillery, paraded at 10 o'clock this morning and fired a Royal salute. During the day almost every variety of sport known in this city had a place in the holiday, including two games of baseball between Buffalo and the home team, each winning a game, and two lacrosse games, Montreal versus Shamrocks and Nationals versus Quebec.

Maple Day menus were specially prepared for all the railway diners, supplied by the Government of Quebec, and ten thousand bouquets, descriptive of Quebec's maple products, and samples of maple sugar were distributed in the cars to-day.

ARCHDUKE'S ASSASSIN GLORIES IN GUILT

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gendarmes guarding the palace. The students then formed and marched to the Emperor's palace in Linz, which they attempted to invade. This was prevented by a strong detachment of guards with fixed bayonets.

Agram, Croatia, July 1.—Anti-Serbian demonstrations continued here to-day when a crowd gathered in front of the Town Hall and demanded that the Mayor return a Serbian decoration recently conferred on him.

Another crowd went to the house of the Speaker of the Croatian Diet, who is a Serb, and made a noisy demonstration against him. Several people were arrested, but later released.

Trieste, Austria, July 1.—The bodies of the murdered Archduke Franz Ferdinand and the Duchess of Sutherland, who were shot here this evening on board the Austrian battleship Viribus Unitis. The battleship anchored at 7 o'clock in the harbor, and the bodies will be taken ashore tomorrow morning for transfer to Vienna by special train.

TO PROTEST ELECTION.

North Renfrew Liberals Allege Irregularities in Dunlop's Election.

(Special Despatch to The Globe.)

Ottawa, July 1.—It is stated on reliable authority that a protest is to be entered against the return of Edward Dunlop, M.P.P.-elect for North Renfrew. Serious election irregularities are charged.

HENRI BOURASSA FLAYS THE CANADIAN TARIFF

Replies to Cable From Times' Toronto Correspondent

He Asks If This is the Group of Financiers Who Did Flag-waving in Reciprocity Fight That Are Keeping Flag Flying Now.

(Canadian Associated Cable.)

London, July 2.—Henri Bourassa has a lengthy letter in to-day's Times concerning the recent cable from the Times' Toronto correspondent which said: "The mass of active and aggressive Imperialists in Canada sympathize with Ulster. It is they who have kept the flag flying in North America."

"What category of Canadians are designated?" asks Bourassa. "Is it the group of financiers who waved the flag in hand so brilliantly and successfully in the war against reciprocity? No, you do not know how to keep the flag flying so long as it protects their financial and industrial concerns."

No Disinterested Service.

"The same class of men who fought in 1911 to maintain protection in the name of Imperialism and the flag led the attack for the introduction of protection in 1878. In both instances they won the day, because they had at their back the force of Canadian opinion, which rightly or wrongly, is determined to protect Canadian industry from competition from outside, from Britain as well as from the United States. Whether those active, aggressive Imperialists would strain their nerves and financial resources in an Imperial cause which does not affect their interests, I doubt very much, but if they did I am quite certain they would receive nothing like the support they had from the Canadian people in the past struggles, either for or against the flag." Mr. Bourassa proceeds to say that perhaps The Times correspondent was referring to the Orangemen whose effort in a national sphere is mainly concerned in keeping up racial religious feuds.

The Home Rule Camps.

"As against these two sections stands the vast Irish-Catholic element in Canada, as strongly favorable to home rule in Ireland as the other dual group is opposed to it. Between these two extremes the mass of Canadian people can be fairly divided in the proportion of two in favor of home rule against one opposed to it. "Canadians should be urged to help in some form the maintenance of military and naval forces of the Empire over which they have no constitutional control, but if the commanders are to have the right to decide when they are to obey the orders of the civil authorities what assurance has Canada, whose Government has the authority over the Imperial forces, that they would consent to her rescue in case the Imperial officers had decided that her cause was not one in which they were obliged to serve?"

CRASHED THROUGH BRIDGE.

St. Thomas Auto Hung by Rear Wheel (Special Despatch to The Globe.)

St. Thomas, July 1.—Dr. J. D. Curtis and his two children had a miraculous escape from serious injury this afternoon while crossing Wilson bridge on the way to Pinaford Park. Something went wrong with the steering gear of the auto. Swerving to one side, the machine crashed through the iron railing of the bridge. Luckily, however, the curbing held the rear wheels fast and prevented the car from toppling over into the ravine sixty feet below.

TORONTO WOMAN IN TROUBLE.

Found Unconscious in Detroit After Quarrel With Husband. (Special Despatch to The Globe.)

Detroit, Mich., July 1.—The young woman found unconscious on Baltimore avenue, Detroit, on Tuesday night is a resident of Toronto. A despatch from that city states she is the wife of Apple Tress, a young contractor. The couple lived in a furnished room at 21 Alexander street, Toronto, which showed few evidences of a happy home.

"Freshly knew nothing of his wife's whereabouts until he learned of her experience in Detroit. He says she left Toronto on Monday telling her husband and friends she was going to visit relatives. The couple quarrelled and when Tress returned home at midnight he found his wife locked in a room with the gas turned on. "The woman refused to tell the hospital authorities anything about herself. She departed for home this evening."

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