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PEACE AGREEMENT NOW IN SIGHT

Huerta Agrees to Hand Over Command. Commissioners at Niagara Have Agreed on Practically all Points as to Settlement. End of the War in Near Future is Now Looked for.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., May 28.—It is believed, that an agreement has been practically reached that the executive power at Mexico City shall be transferred from Huerta to a Provisional President and four Cabinet Ministers, to put into operation a programme adopted here for new elections. The Constitutionalist would be represented in the men chosen. The withdrawal of American troops is expected as soon as the new government is installed.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—As against the prediction of signing of an agreement at Niagara Falls over the Mexican situation within a week comes the report that the Hamburg steamer "Hansa" has delivered ammunition for the Federals at Puerto, Mexico.

CONDENSED ADS TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

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FOR SALE—150 BUSHELS BANNER oats. G. Amos Road, North Milton. 2685-5-29M31.
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STRAYED FROM MY PREMISES, May 23rd, red and white cow, dehorned, small hole in one ear. Reward for any information regarding name. Ronald McInnis, Southport. 2681-5-29M31pd.

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ADVANCE NOTICE OF THE AUCTION of the beautiful residence and furniture of the late Thomas Handrahan will take place on Wednesday, the 10th June next, sale of furniture comprising piano, varior, sitting room, dining-room, hall, bedroom and kitchen furniture, commencing at 11 o'clock, forenoon, and the sale of the residence at 12 o'clock the same day. Full particulars later. R. Bealrose, Auctioneer. 2645-5-27Mf.

the things deemed necessary to the pacification of Mexico. The mediators and the opposing delegates were decidedly optimistic. An early agreement is now looked for.

The situation was summed up in the following announcement by Justice Lamar on the authority of the mediators: "We have begun to discuss the actual terms and details of a plan of pacification. On a number of them we find ourselves, in substantial agreement. Others are still under discussion, and as to them there has been no disagreement. It would, of course, be improper to us to specify the particular points we have discussed or those upon which we have agreed, or those we have considered further."

From the mediators themselves it was learned later in the day that some of the vital points had been reached in today's developments. These are understood to include the manner in which the present regime in Mexico City would give way to a new provisional government.

HUERTA MAY ABDICATE.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—Official dispatches sent from Mexico City and received from a diplomatic source here yesterday, say the "withdrawal" of Huerta is possible, and add that it is being delayed by the necessity of arrangements to permit the dictator to abdicate with dignity.

(Canadian Press.) MEXICO CITY, May 27.—Reports reaching here today though private sources declare that Huerta has specifically committed himself to turn over the Government to a commission composed of prominent members of the various factions in the republic, such as has been suggested at the Niagara Falls Conference. He also expressed his willingness to relinquish his power to any person the commission may select. This decision will be communicated to the Peace Mediators and probably direct to the Washington Government.

MISS GORMAN'S SUCCESSFUL RECITAL

One of the most successful and enjoyable entertainments given in Charlottetown for some time took place in the Prince Edward Theatre last evening, when the talented elocutionist and society entertainer, Miss Bertha M. Gorman, gave a dramatic and dance recital in which her pupils and some leading amateurs took part. The theatre was crowded and everyone thoroughly enjoyed the long and varied programme, encores being given and responded to in almost every instance. Miss Gorman is an exceptionally gifted elocutionist, and, moreover, is able to impart to her pupils the art of dramatic recitations did so with an ease, freedom and grace which would have done credit to many professionals.

Perhaps what the audience most enjoyed were the "dances" danced by the young people. These were of a high order, and, as will be seen from the detailed programme, of a description rarely seen in Charlottetown. The youthful performers were charming in themselves and gave most artistic interpretations to the dances, their every movement being expressive of rhythm and music. Great credit is due to Miss Gorman and her assistants for the high standard attained by her pupils, and the parents and friends must have felt proud of the exhibition and the pleasure which the little ones gave to so large and critical an audience.

THE PROGRAMME.

The programme reads as follows: Part I. Instrumental—Prof. Watkins. "The Littlest Rebel" (Edward Peale)—Miss Bertha M. Gorman. Solo—Mr. Allan B. Cosh. Reading—"Mr. Brown Got His Hair Cut."—Miss Eleanor Lowe. "Highland Fling"—Miss Evelyn Crockett and Master Eric McDonald. Solo—Miss Lucy Blanchard. "Marguerite Dance" (Faust)—Miss Eleanor Lowe. Instrumental—Prof. Watkins. Solo—Mr. Arthur Bruce. "Starlight" Genee Dance—Misses Evelyn Crockett, Eleanor Lowe, Doris Gill, Mary Johnston and Ethel Me-

P. E. I. WELL REMEMBERED IN THE YEAR'S ESTIMATES

Appropriation of \$20,000 for Confederation Jubilee Celebration at Charlottetown. Total Vote for Province over \$99,000. Public Buildings in Charlottetown and Summerside Provided for. Generous Appropriations for Breakwaters, Wharves and Harbors all Over the Province.

(From Our Own Reporter.) OTTAWA, May 8.—The supplementary estimates which were laid on the table of the House today by Hon. W. T. White, contained a vote of \$20,000 for the Jubilee Anniversary of the Charlottetown Confederation Convention of 1864. The estimates contain \$3,000 for the improvements to the Charlottetown public building and \$9,500 for improvements to the Summerside building.

Other Prince Edward Island votes are as follows: Alberton—Repairs to wharf, \$5,000. Day Fortune—Breakwater repairs, \$2,000. Bay View—Repairs to wharf, \$1,250. Charlottetown Harbor—Further amount required, \$18,000. Clifton—Repairs to wharf, \$1,250. Cooper's Shore (Fort Hill)—Extension of wharf, \$2,500. Cove head—Extension of Shear dam, \$5,000.

Graham's Pond—Reconstruction of breakwaters, \$1,500. Rocky Point—Further amount required, \$25,000. Rustico Harbor—Beach protection, \$2,500. Tignish Harbour—Wharf, \$1,300. Victoria—Crupaud—Repairs and improvements to wharf, \$1,400. The total estimates are, \$17,438, 912. Of this amount \$9,666,137, is chargeable to revenue and \$7,772,715 to capital account.

FATAL LIGHTNING STORM IN N.S.

(Special to The Guardian.) YARMOUTH, N. S., May 28.—This town was visited today by an electric storm, rather severe but of short duration.

In Shag Harbor it was most severe and a sad fatality is reported. Morton Smith in company with another man named Smith were at their moorings preparing to go fishing when the storm broke out. The former man was struck by lightning and instantly killed, while his companion was injured severely. The deceased was 20 years of age and leaves a widow and three children, also his father and mother.

TRURO, May 28.—David Pearson, living in a house on his farm at Harmony, a short distance from Truro, was killed during the heavy storm. Lightning struck Pearson as he entered the door. The house was damaged considerably.

MURDERER IS ELECTROCUTED

TRENTON, N. J., May 27.—Rafaelo Longo, was executed in the state prison last night for murder. He never saw the death chair for he insisted on "hiring" himself before leaving his cell.

DEATH OF A BISHOP

PORTLAND, ORE., May 27.—Bishop Caddling of Oregon, Episcopal, is dead of pneumonia.

Reading—"As the Moon Rose"—Miss Lily Seaman. Part II. Instrumental—Prof. Watkins. "The Marchioness and Dick Swiveler"—(Old Curiosity Shop)—Chas. Dickens—Miss Gorman. Humorous Dance—Misses Crockett, Lowe and Messervy. Reading—Miss Hilda Jenkins. Solo—Mr. Bruce. "Who's Afraid"—Miss Gorman. Solo—Miss Blanchard. "Ostende"—(Society Dance)—Misses Lowe, Crockett, Gill and Johnston. Solo—Mr. Cosh. Reading—Miss Gorman. God Save The King.

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A WORD TO GUARDIAN READERS. The "Opportunity Offer" of this great campaign, should be of almost much interest to readers of The Guardian as it is to the candidates. It means that you can help your favorite now with a subscription and it will count more votes than at any other future time of the campaign. A yearly subscription paid before June 3, 8 p. m., will count nearly the same as five yearly subscriptions aid during the last period of the campaign.

ANNUAL MEETING P.E.I. HOSPITAL

The annual meeting of all contributors to the P. E. Island Hospital was held last night in the Y. M. C. A. Parlor.

The following Trustees were present—Messrs. Percy Pope (President), in the chair, A. W. Sterns, W. K. Rogers, F. R. Hertzog, and W. A. O. Morson, as well as a number of leading citizens. The Lady Superintendent of the Hospital and several other ladies were also present.

The report of the Trustees, the Treasurer's report, and the report of the Ladies' Aid were read and adopted.

TRUSTEES' REPORT.

In their thirty-first annual report, covering the last year, the Trustees stated that the receipts for the year on current account amounted to \$12,144.48 which, added to the balance of \$611.46 on hand at the beginning of the year, made a total of \$12,755.94. The amount received from paying patients was \$8,720.19, being \$1,305.62 excess of the previous year. There was also an increased amount from interest on investments and from gifts, while there was a decrease in subscriptions and church collections. The expenditure also showed an increase over previous years, amounting in all to \$11,412.70. The balance on hand at the close of the year was \$1,373.24.

The Endowment Fund had been increased by a legacy of \$1,000 from the estate of R. M. Johnson and balances of \$37.50 from the estate of Benjamin Rogers, and \$68.17 from the estate of Miss Barbara McLaurin. A very handsome legacy would accrue to the Hospital from the estate of the late F. Rotchford Starr, of Litchfield, Connecticut. The bequest included one-half interest in the testator's late residence in Litchfield and the balance principally in railroad stocks. The present was not a particularly advantageous time to dispose of railroad stocks, and the Trustees had instructed the Trust company to hold them for the present. It had been evident for some time

CHERTSY LIBERALS MAKE NOMINATION

(Canadian Press.) LONDON, (Special Cable).—May 28.—Donald McMaster M.P. who sailed Saturday for New York will reach Montreal next week. Chertsey Liberals have nominated Bertram Levison to oppose McMaster in the coming elections. McMaster had a majority of 3000 in the election in January 1910 and was unopposed in his general election in December the same year.

That more accommodation was required, so the Trustees last month decided to have an extension built at the eastern end of the Hospital to provide for a kitchen, pantries, etc., and an extension on the north side to provide for an operating room, laboratory, maternity ward, etc. The contract had been let for these and the work would be completed during the present summer.

Miss Ross, who, for nearly thirteen years had been the capable Lady Superintendent, had been granted six months' leave of absence on account of failing health. She had, since going away, resigned her position, and the Trustees had been fortunate in securing the services of Miss Winifred T. Graham as head of the institution.

It had been found very difficult to secure capable domestics, so, after some correspondence, the Hospital had brought out from Great Britain a housekeeper, also a cook and laundress, and had arranged to bring out three maids. It had also engaged the services of an experienced nurse from one of the large London hospitals to take charge of the operating room—Miss May Turner, who is expected to reach here by the last of June.

The Medical Staff had stated that an X-ray machine was a necessary equipment for the institution, so a fund had been started to procure the amount necessary to pay for one. The Trustees had already received \$300 from the Ladies' Aid and \$10 from the R. F. and L. E. Lodge No. 413, towards this fund, and as soon as possible would purchase one of

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C. N. R. AGREEMENT FINALLY ADOPTED

Three Liberal Amendments Voted Down and Bill Introduced by Premier. The Government's Majority 44. Premier in Exceptionally Able Speech Exposed Contradictory Policies of Liberals.

(From our own Reporter.) OTTAWA, May 27.—The C. N. R. Resolutions were reported out of the committee this evening but advanced no further at Sir Wilfrid's insistence on the next move being held off until tomorrow. As a consequence the House took up other Minor Bills tonight.

It was five o'clock in the afternoon before the last of the 29 clauses of the resolutions had been passed and the schedules and covenants were taken up. Hon. Frank Oliver gave notice that he will move an amendment on the second reading of the Bill providing that the basis of freight rates on the C. N. R. from Western Canada shall be the same as in the east except in so far as the C. N. R. can establish a lower cost of operation in the west. Mr. Oliver said in this connection that the decision of the Railway Commission in the western freight rates inquiry was a keen disappointment to Western Canada, though the reductions made were welcomed it was felt that both sections of the country should be on the same basis.

Hon. Mr. Pugsley objected to the clause by which the C. N. R. is afforded running rights over Government Railways. He claimed that the C. N. R. might select those portions of the Government System over which he desired to run, which might prove a serious matter and proposed an amendment to the effect that the agreement with regard to running rights should be approved by the Government in Council as well as the Railway Commission.

Mr. Borden said that the suggestion increased him favorably and promised to take it up at a later stage. Mr. A. K. MacLean, Liberal member of Halifax, criticized the Pugsley Amendment stating that it would involve the Government in local disputes.

After the C. N. R. Resolutions were reported the Tariff Bill of Hon. W. T. White was taken up. Mr. A. K. MacLean and Mr. F. B. Carvell declared that the price of nails had gone up 25 cents a keg, by reason of the increased duty on wire rods.

Hon. W. T. White replied that there had been no change in the duty on nails and asked how Mr. Carvell would explain the decrease in the price of nails during the last year, of more than 25 cents a keg. Mr. W. S. Loggie said that the price had been previously raised by a combine among the nail makers and that the combination had gone to pieces somewhat.

(From Our Own Reporter.) OTTAWA, May 28.—After voting down three Liberal Amendments to the C. N. R. Agreement the House tonight finally passed the resolutions and the Bill founded upon them was introduced by the Premier. It will be

up for second reading tomorrow. The three amendments were proposed by Messrs. Duncan Ross, of West Middlesex; Hon. William Pugsley and Hon. Frank Oliver. The amendment of Mr. Ross, called for a Parliamentary enquiry before taking action. That of Mr. Pugsley proposed reducing the stock to thirty millions which would be held by the Government for five years with the option reserved of taking it over at any time; that of Mr. Oliver demanded an equalization of freight rates on the C. N. R., East and West, except in so far as the railway could establish a higher cost of operation in the West.

The Government's majority stood at 44 on the first two divisions and at forty on the third division. Mr. W. F. Nickle of Kingston voted with the Liberals on the first two divisions but was absent from the third. W. F. MacLean of South York voted with the Liberals on the third division. Mr. R. B. Bennett of Calgary was not present during the day at all.

The burden of the debate from the Government stand point had fallen entirely thus far upon Premier Borden and Hon. Arthur Meighen. Mr. Borden, in the course of the debate, made two exceptionally fine speeches in which he particularly emphasized the varied and contradictory nature of the Liberal policies put forward by different factions of the party opposite. Mr. Borden said he wondered how the Leader of the Opposition could keep up with the political gyrations of his followers. He reminded Sir Wilfrid that in 1904 he had scoffed at public ownership and had described it as a fad. The amendment of Mr. Pugsley he described as intended simply for use at the next election. Amid Conservative cheers Mr. Borden pointed out that when in office the Liberals had thought so much of Messrs. Mackenzie and Mann that they had knighted them, now they regarded them as men unworthy of public trust. He felt confident that the people of Canada would approve the action of the Government and did not fear their judgment.

The respect and admiration of the whole House for the ability of the Solicitor General, Hon. Arthur Meighen, has been growing all session, but the part he has played in the C. N. R. debate has gained for him a place that oldest Parliamentarians might envy. His knowledge of the intricacies of the question has amazed the House day by day while his legal abilities have been a tower of strength to his party. He was given tremendous ovations on every occasion when he voted today.

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