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MR. BORDEN'S SOPHISTRY

On the very last day of last session of parliament, Mr. Borden made a strenuous effort to excuse his course with regard to the Imperial Naval Defence, and to delude the people of Canada into the belief that because the Canadian parliament had rejected his Imperial tribute proposition, the Imperial government had been compelled to build three new ships to take the place of those Canada had refused. This was a piece of sophistry in keeping with Mr. Borden's whole course since the Nationalists made him drop the Laurier naval programme, which had been approved by the Admiralty as well as by himself and the unanimous vote of parliament and attempted to put through some new scheme whose ultimate result would be the reduction of Canada to a state of Imperial vassalage so far as naval defence was concerned.

Fortunately, Mr. Borden was not able to "put it over" the Canadian people in this way. The hollowness of his argument was exposed in parliament and also in Great Britain, where the very people Mr. Borden would regard as his own best friends—the Imperial Navy League, have punctured his theories completely.

Mr. Borden said: "The tax bearers of the British Isles are called upon to pay for three Dreadnoughts WHICH ARE TO BE LAID DOWN IN PLACE OF THOSE THAT SHOULD HAVE BEEN FURNISHED BY CANADA UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE NAVAL AID BILL."

Mr. Borden proceeded—"It is quite out of the question for us at the moment to make any advance or approach to the Imperial authorities" and concluded "CANADA WILL TAKE OVER AND PAY FOR AND ACQUIRE THESE THREE SHIPS AND WILL PLACE THEM AT THE DISPOSAL OF HIS MAJESTY THE KING FOR THE COMMON DEFENCE OF THE GREAT EMPIRE OF WHICH CANADA FORMS A PART."

NO LIGHTNING NOW

It is semi-officially announced that there will be no Fall session of parliament this year, but that parliament will be summoned immediately after the New Year. The explanation is given that, "The Naval Bill and the recognition of the emergent conditions prevailing were responsible for the session being called last November."

The Naval Bill has not passed. If there ever was an emergency, it is just as emergent as ever, since Mr. Borden has done nothing to end it, nor has anyone else.

Meanwhile Mr. Borden is holidaying at St. Andrews, and doubtless on many a warm summer evening he sits by the beach and while the clouds are heavy he hears, "the booming of the distant thunder," and sees "the lightning flashing above the horizon." But now Mr. Borden has gained a little riper judgment. No longer does he declare, "We cannot and will not wait and deliberate until any impending storm shall have burst upon us in fury and disaster." Mr. Borden is a very much tamed man. He is only too glad to wait and deliberate on some method of avoiding the impending storm which will burst upon him in fury and disaster when the Canadian electors are given the chance to express their opinion at the polls regarding his government.

Right Honorable Winston Churchill First Lord of the Admiralty, in making his statement in the House of Commons Thursday on the shipbuilding estimates, in part said:

"There were two courses open to us: We could have laid down three extra ships in place of the three Canadian ships and we could do so still; but it is not at present clear that this step which would mean the addition of £8,500,000 to the naval estimates, is necessary, and certainly it ought not to be done unless it is necessary."

The people of Victoria, B. C., gave the battleship New Zealand a hearty welcome, and Hon. Mr. Hazen had a busy time exchanging telegrams with Premier Borden and Hon. Winston Churchill. When the people of Canada adopt the Laurier naval policy, which they will do at the first opportunity, some day the people of the Antipodes will have a chance to welcome a Canadian dreadnought.

Mr. W. H. Thorne of St. John who has for many years been the Tory boss of that section, has been appointed to the senate in succession to Hon. J. V. Ellis, deceased. The concern of which the new senator is the head has for several years had a good fat hardware account with the government.

The fact that the Minister of Railways practically abandoned the Chelmsford section of the Canada Eastern branch of the I. R. C., would seem to indicate that he is not worrying a great deal over the outcome of Commodore Stewart's pyrotechnical display.

It seems that Attorney General Grimmer still has the whip hand on judgeship No. 1. He has not proclaimed the act relating to the Supreme Court, passed last session and our advices are that he will not do so until he is good and ready.

The thousands of employees of the government railway system are threatening to strike against the Czar methods of Minister Cochrane and his chief officials.

Tory management of the People's Railway never was and never will be a howling success. It is about as paralyzing as first on a buckwheat field.

Much to the regret of Tory heelers who have been filling soft berths at the country's expense, two of the government dredges have pulled up stakes and left.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY

1588—The Spanish Armada dispersed.

1657—The first Sulpicians arrived in Canada.

1759—Crown Point abandoned by the French on the approach of the British.

1773—An earthquake and volcanic eruption destroyed the City of Guatemala.

1805—First general assembly of Indiana territory met at Vincennes.

1853—Rev. John Baptist Lamy appointed first Roman Catholic bishop of Santa Fe, N.M.

1854—The Danish government proclaimed a new monarchical constitution.

1856—Robert Alexander Schumann, composer, died near Bonn. Born at Zwickau, June 8, 1810.

BIRTHDAY CONGRATULATION

Thomas S. Martin, United States senator from Virginia, 66 years old today.

William C. Brown, president of the New York Central Railroad 60 years old today.

Prince Christopher, youngest brother of the new King of Greece, 25 years old today.

Rt. Rev. Thomas Sebastian Byrne, Roman Catholic bishop of Nashville, 72 years old today.

Arthur M. Beaupre, United States minister to Cuba, 60 years old today.

Joshua F. C. Talbot, representative in Congress of the Second Maryland District, 70 years old today.

Stephen M. Sparkman, representative in Congress of the First Florida district, 64 years old today.

Julian L'Estrange, a capable English actor, has been engaged by Harrison Grey Fiske for an important role in a foreign comedy which Mr. Fiske is planning to produce early in the coming season.



Find the Finder

If you found a purse your first impulse would be to look in the "Lost and Found" columns of our paper.
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C. B. OF R. E.

(Transcript.)

Mr. A. R. Mosher, grand president of the C. B. and R. E., will return this afternoon to his home in Halifax, after being here for over ten days in company with ten others, meeting the I.C.R. officials regarding increases of pay and other grievances which the clerks hold.

The final session of the conference was held today and from street reports it was not a satisfactory one. In the word of an onlooker, the principals on both sides "locked horns." The B. of R. E. is reported to be dissatisfied with the result of the interviews, and that developments may be expected within a very few days.

It is said that Mr. Gutelius' proposal was to give the clerks an increase of \$2.50 a month and the unskilled laborers an increase of ten cents per day, but neither of these propositions was acceptable to the B. of R. E.

FIGHT SCHEDULE FOR TONIGHT

Leach Cross vs Matty Baldwin, 20 rounds at Vernon, Cal.

Willie Beecher vs. Johnny Martin, 10 rounds at New York.

Eddie Murphy vs Gilbert Galtgnt, 10 rounds at Boston.

"Knockout" Mars vs Johnny Creeley, 10 rounds at Cincinnati.

One of the new plays of the coming season will be "Taken for Granted" by Mrs. Catherine Chisholm Cushing.

WILL U. S. ANNEX CANADA?

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Maurice Costello in vitagraph

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