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Former Bank Manager Will Look Over the Books.

SAYS THE DIRECTORS KNEW

Defunct Ontario Bank's Chief Testifies Before Referee Kappelle Regarding Stock Dealings—Declares That He Was Told to Buy and Sell, Although He Protested to Directors of the Bank.

Toronto, June 22.—Once more the books of the defunct Ontario Bank will come under the scrutiny of Charles McGill, who though serving a penitentiary term, is now in Toronto, to give evidence before Referee Kappelle.

From eleven o'clock yesterday morning, until a quarter after four, with two hours off for lunch, he was under examination, trying to recall dates and circumstances when, he swears, he was directed by men "higher up" to carry out certain financial transactions in connection with the business of the bank. He was submitted to a severe memory test, but he was unable always to furnish definite information, declaring that if he could only get another look at the books, he'd substantiate his statements.

He will be given two hours to look over the books before resuming his evidence to-day.

The enquiry is being conducted before Referee George Kappelle, McGill appearing to urge his defence to being officially liable for 1,713 shares of Ontario Bank stock.

"There were no shares in my name at the time of the failure," he explained. "Shares were transferred to the Officers' Trust Fund. Acting under the instructions of the directors I gave instructions to brokers to purchase stock for the bank."

Continuing, he said, these orders were not in writing. All through, he stuck to the contention that he had at all times acted according to the instructions of the directors and particularly the president, G. R. R. Cockburn. If he were only given time to go through the books and refresh his memory, he would be able to connect somebody with each transaction. Frequently he averred that President Cockburn knew as much or more about the buying and selling of the bank's stocks as himself and that if the late Mr. Smith and the late Donald McKay had been examined when he had so advised, they could have and would have confirmed him in his every statement.

"I do not like to generalize, but after all I have been through, it is impossible for me to cite specific cases unless I can get access to the books."

"Did you ever give any information to Mr. Cockburn as to the holdings by the bank of its own shares?" asked Mr. James Bicknell, K.C., who appeared for the liquidators.

"Yes."

"What was the last time before the failure that you did that?"

"I cannot say. He saw the books every day and was aware who were buying and how much stock the bank had to take care of. He knew everything that I bought anything."

"Did you ever give Mr. Cockburn a statement showing what funds of the bank were invested in its own shares?"

"Yes, and at this time Mr. Cockburn told me not to sell any more shares until he had sold his."

September 1, 1906, was the meeting when he was instructed not to buy any more stock; yet, at the request and with the consent of the directors, 1,000 shares had been transferred between that date and Oct. 9. At that meeting, witness claims, he officially revealed to them, though they all previously knew, the exact balance in the balance book. Then the directors had gone through it item by item. Just before the bank's collapse, he was instructed to purchase more stock and only did so after very stiff protest.

A Murderer Released.

Montreal, June 22.—Ten years ago Elzear Mann murdered his mother-in-law during a drunken quarrel and was sentenced to be hanged, but his sentence was changed to life imprisonment.

It appears that Mann's conduct has been of the very best, and yesterday his lawyer, T. Pagnuelo, received word from Ottawa to the effect that Mann would be liberated on ticket-of-leave.

Strike Ties Up Fishing Fleet.

Vancouver, B.C., June 22.—The whole fleet of the New England Fish Co., operating out of Vancouver to the northern halibut banks seems liable to be tied up as a result of a strike among the fishermen over union principles. Eighteen months ago the Pacific Halibut Fishermen's Union was formed, and the men who man the New England steamers are said to all belong to it.

Rich In Gold.

Port Arthur, June 22.—Patrick Hickory is in from Sturgeon Lake gold fields with some samples which assay a thousand dollars to the ton. The Climax silver mine in Silver Mountain district is to be opened up again. It was one of the best mines in the early days of mining in the district.

Prescriptions for Liquor.

Cobalt, June 22.—Dr. Routhier, a French-Canadian, charged with falsifying prescriptions so that alcoholic liquors could be obtained by customers, and J. Kealey, a druggist, who filled the prescriptions, were brought before Magistrate Atkinson and remanded for a week.

Heat Fatal In New York.

New York, June 22.—Yesterday's temperature hovered about 90 in the shade. The death of one man was reported and many cases of heat prostrations were treated at the hospitals.

IS NOW IN CABINET.

Hon. Mackenzie King Is Elected by Acclamation.

Berlin, Ont., June 22.—Hon. W. L. M. King was yesterday elected by acclamation to represent North Waterloo. The vacancy was caused by his elevation to Cabinet rank in the Laurier Government.

Alan Huber, who threatened that he would oppose him, failed to raise the cash for the necessary deposit, and was not nominated.

"It is with deep appreciation of the honor which has been conferred and of the added responsibilities which it brings, that I thank the electors of this riding," said Hon. Mr. King, in addressing the meeting. "It is sometimes said that there is too much party and too little politics, according to the true meaning of that word. I am prepared to subscribe to the truth of that statement. I believe in principle before party, and patriotism before prejudice, and I rejoice to feel that I shall be able through the remainder of my life to point to the riding of North Waterloo as having on this occasion demonstrated its adherence to this larger view. But I am chivalrous enough, I hope, to appreciate a generous act, especially when it comes from an opponent, and I wish, therefore, to thank also my friends of the Conservative party."

Regarding the claim that a labor man, who had received his apprenticeship at a trade or had come to Parliament direct from the workshop, the mine or the factory, was alone competent to fill the position of Minister of Labor, Mr. King said:

"What is wanted to-day is a closer relationship between our universities and our workshops, a better understanding by educated men of the problems and conditions which confront the thousands who labor. I hope to live to see the day when a workingman will hold the portfolio which I have now the honor of holding, and when more workingmen will find a place in Parliament."

She Smoked a Pipe for 12 Years.

Butler, Penn., June 22.—Mrs. Mary Monjar Vandyke, the oldest woman in Butler and Benango Counties, died Sunday near Chiltonville, 102 years old.

For the last seventy-five years Mrs. Van Dyke had smoked a pipe on an average of three hours a day.

Won't Affect Textile Stock.

Montreal, June 22.—The death of President David Yuille of the Dominion Textile Co. will not affect the common stock of that company, as the 4,000 shares held by the deceased were included in the amount about to be sold to London interests, consequently it will not be thrown on the market.

Mr. Yuille is said to have been worth something over a million dollars.

A Check From Stratheona.

Ottawa, June 22.—H. N. Bates, chairman of the Ottawa Improvement Commission, has returned from London with a check for \$2,500 from Lord Stratheona. A fountain will be constructed in Stratheona Park.

Only Jap Templar Dead.

Rochester, June 22.—Seitaro Takada, the only Japanese Templar in the world, is dead here, aged 53 years. He became a Mason here in 1901. He was also a 32nd degree Scottish Rite Mason.

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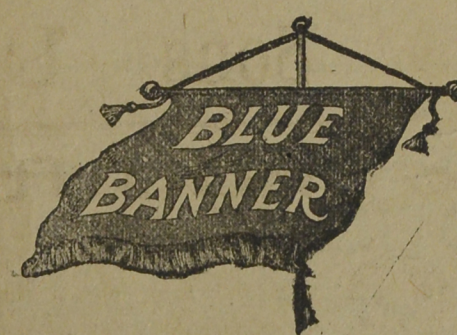
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Dominion per lb.	12c	Catawba per lb.	18c
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