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PEACE IN EUROPE

What may appeal more to the public, and especially to the Canadian public, than the striking and appropriate phrases which characterize the speech of Mr. Winston Churchill delivered in London on Friday night last, is the impression it conveys that there is not likely to be, at least for some time to come, a general conflict in Europe. If, as Mr. Churchill apparently believes, there is no cause for war between Russia and Austria, there can surely be none between any of the other nations. In fact, the whole burden of the deliverance of the British ministers during the past few weeks has been that a continuance of peace and an increase in the feeling of good

will be likely to characterize the relations of the great powers.—Vancouver Sun.

A DISAPPOINTING SPEECH

When in opposition, Mr. Borden was a strong advocate of clean election methods. To those who believed that his advocacy was sincere, the tone of his references to the rascally practices in Richieu and Macdonald was disappointing. What was expected was that he would admit the seriousness of the charges, and promise investigation. If the charges were found to be untrue, so much the better for his government. Instead of that, the House listened to the stale excuse of the politician, "Your another." — Toronto Star.

STEWART CITIZENS ELECTED
COMPETENT HEAD AND BOARD

PERCY GODENRATH ELECTED PRESIDENT OF THE STEWART CITIZENS' ASSOCIATION—STRONG EXECUTIVE IS CHOSEN.

Stewart, B. C., Dec. 5.—The annual election of officers of the Stewart Citizens' Association resulted in Percy F. Godenrath being unanimously chosen president for the coming year; Harry Smith, J. P., vice president; N. M. Jackson, secretary; Walter Broad, treasurer; and T. J. Vaughan-Rhys, John Bernatize and H. B. Birch on the executive.

The meeting was one of the largest gatherings of citizens held in months and a most optimistic spirit was manifested throughout. President Godenrath addressed the meeting at length, outlining the work the new executive had been called upon to undertake in the matter of securing grants for extension of the road and trail system of

the district, procuring medical assistance for the general hospital, improvement in the postal and telegraphic service, the lighting of the harbor and wharf approach to the dock and raising funds for the maintenance of the fire department.

T. J. Vaughan-Rhys heartily endorsed the selection of the new president, pointing out that Mr. Godenrath had kept himself free from politics and was therefore in a splendid position to conciliate the different parties and advance the best interests of Stewart and the district.

The new executive has invited William Manson, M. P. P., to visit Stewart previous to his going to Victoria to attend his seasonal duties in January.

DEAD MEN TELL NOTHING
AND SO MISTAKES OCCUR

John Smiths are Mixed When Dead—Alleged Wrong Paul Jones Was Honored

A confusion in identity has led to a curious mistake at Hull. Two men bearing the name of John Smith were in Seuloates workhouse and when one of them died a few days ago the body was sent to the wrong house. The occupants, thinking that the corpse was that of their relative, ordered a coffin and arrangements were made for the burial. The day after, however, by means of tattoo marks the mourners discovered that the body was not that of their relative, who was found, still alive.

This is somewhat similar to the story which has gained a large circulation of the body of Paul Jones, whom the United States government transferred from France to America, where a grand funeral was held.

Paul Jones, whom the American nation paid tribute to, was the Paul who founded the navy of the republic, but, according to the rumor, the Paul Jones whose actual bones they transplanted was the servant of an old Crimean war veteran, who after the close of the hostilities settled in France.

Here the officer died and was followed shortly by Paul Jones, his servant. To the memory of the servant in an obscure part of the cemetery was erected a rude headstone to the "Memory of Paul Jones." This led to the supposition that it was the father of the "starry" navy, and as a result his ashes were lifted and carried with all pomp and ceremony across the ocean to a land which he had never seen.

AND CHILDREN STARVE

Dog is Dressed as Human Being; Boots and Goggles.

A very small dog created a great stir in the streets of Paris a few days ago. A bijou pet dog was seen in the Champs Elysees with a lady. It was wearing India rubber boots laced high up the leg, ear protectors, goggles to shield his eyes from cold or mud and a raglan overcoat lined with thick flannel and provided with a pocket from which projected a tiny handkerchief with a monogram.

For Gouty Joints.

A good thickness of cotton wool wrapped round a gouty joint and covered with oil silk will often give relief. This should be put on at night and in the morning the wool will generally be found very wet and the joint much easier. This process should be repeated if once trying does not entirely banish the trouble.

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