

REASSETERS OF CANDIDATES

Rev. Thomas Marshall Gives Address at W. C. T. U. Convention.

Political Nominees Were Asked to Stand by Prohibition—This Morning's Session.

Rev. Thomas Marshall, general secretary for the New Brunswick Temperance Alliance, addressed the W. C. T. U. in provincial convention in the Central Baptist church this morning. He read letters from candidates for the Dominion election, in which many stated their intention of standing back of the temperance movement, replying to letters sent to them by his department. Mrs. H. P. Newcombe gave a devotional address at the noon hour.

REPORTS READ.

Reports from the county presidents were read by Mrs. C. Edgar Cooke of Gloucester, provincial corresponding secretary, who also read the report of Mrs. E. Wilson of Cambridge, New Brunswick, superintendent of the lumbermen and man's department. She also read the report of the Dominion convention in Toronto. Other encouraging reports were heard from Mrs. J. D. Seely, superintendent of travelers; Mrs. A. C. M. Lawson of Queens-town, superintendent of flowers, fruit and relief work; Mrs. H. H. Coleman of Moncton, superintendent of text books and publications; Mrs. E. E. Bruce, president, was in the chair.

TEMPERANCE OUTLOOK.

Rev. Mr. Marshall spoke optimistically of the temperance outlook in New Brunswick. He expressed appreciation of the aid given the alliance by the W. C. T. U. He said that with forces of avarice and appetite opposed to temperance, the work accomplished had been marvelous. He urged the old-fashioned methods of promoting temperance, including the return of pledge signing. He said the W. C. T. U. could develop the temperance spirit by its social influence. The Temperance Alliance had sent out letters to all the Dominion candidates coming out in the election and nearly all had replied with expressions of determination to uphold the prohibitory law. These letters were read to the convention. Rev. Mr. Marshall went into the position of the law enforcement in New Brunswick in some detail and called for questions from the women.

Mrs. Cooke said in reporting from the Dominion convention that there were now 18,108 members affiliated with the W. C. T. U. and 500,000 school children who had never seen a bar-room. Mrs. Newcombe spoke on the subject, "Ye Are the Light of the World." The election officers will take place today. There will be an evening session.

YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

In the brief afternoon session of the convention, Mrs. Ingraham, Mrs. J. E. Seccord, Mrs. T. McKinley and Mrs. H. H. Coleman took part in the opening. Rev. Thomas Marshall, secretary of the New Brunswick Temperance Alliance, who was to address the convention later, extended a greeting and Rev. H. A. Goodwin, in a few words, expressed his pleasure in being affiliated with the W. C. T. U.

Mrs. O. C. Mutch, superintendent of parlor meetings, reported on that department's work, saying that she believed it was an important phase of the W. C. T. U. endeavor which was being overlooked. Mrs. Edgar Cook gave the report of Willard Hall, which had been prepared by Mrs. A. G. Adams, superintendent of the department. Soap-wrappers received had totalled \$1,266 and for these the sum of \$45.63 had been given by the soap company and the money had gone to the Travelers' Aid fund.

DRIVE ABOUT CITY.

Mrs. Cook, corresponding secretary, read a paper on "Prayer," which had been prepared by the Hartland W. C. T. U. and the president requested a letter of thanks should be sent to the Hartland Union for the excellent presentation of the subject.

The remainder of the afternoon was spent in a very pleasurable automobile drive around the city and in West and East Saint John. The New Brunswick Protestant Orphan's Home, the 12th and 13th Reversing Falls, vocational school and Rockwood Park were each viewed during the drive. The delegates expressed their gratitude to the Saint John Union for their hospitality and the drive had been arranged and to the chauffeurs who had proved such excellent guides.

PUBLIC MEETING.

In the evening a public meeting was held in the auditorium of the church and Rev. James Dunlop, pastor of the church, led the devotion. The 91st Psalm was repeated in unison by the gathering and prayer was offered by Rev. A. D. McLeod and Rev. William Lawson. Mrs. Cook read an interesting paper on "Leadership," which had been prepared by Mrs. Card, of Dorchester. Miss Emma Conrad sang a pleasing solo and the choir of the church led in the singing of the hymns. Miss Beryl Blanch was at the organ.

Mrs. H. P. Newcombe, in a brilliant address entitled "The Reserves," spoke in strong advocacy of the cause of temperance and the enforcement of the prohibitory law. She declared that the best thinking men of the world favored prohibition. Mrs. Newcombe urged the W. C. T. U. members to continue their campaign of education along temperance lines and through the homes, the Sunday schools and the day schools and the churches to instill temperance ideals. By this means she believed they would be enabled to build up a generation of citizens who would fully favor temperance.

A cordial vote of thanks was extended to Mrs. Newcombe.

CARDS ENJOYED

Miss Gladys McNutt was hostess at her home, Millidge avenue last evening for six tables of cards. Prizes were won by Mrs. M. Akerley, first; Mrs. Hayes of Halifax, consolation; R. G. Carson, first; R. F. Brittain, consolation. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. A. M. Adams, Mrs. J. J. Reid and Miss Thelma McNutt.

THREE OF A KIND



No wonder school teachers think they are underpaid. Just think of trying to call these triplets by their right names every day of the school year. They are, from left to right, Casimer, Harry and Stanley Kowalski of Milwaukee.

J. Fred Hatfield Wins Contest As City's Most Popular Postman

Complete returns in the most popular postman contest at the Protestant Orphan's fair show that J. Fred Hatfield is the winner of the \$50 suit of tailor made clothes offered by Oak Hall. It was announced this morning

by W. M. Campbell, general chairman of the Protestant Orphan's Home fair committee.

The four leaders were: J. Fred Hatfield, 4,150; George T. Ring, 3,960; J. K. McDonald, 3,620; Charles Brown, 3,640.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davidson of New-castle, who came to the city for the Davidson-Stephenson wedding yesterday, are guests of Mrs. Harrison Kin-near, sister of Mrs. Davidson, and expect to leave for home this evening. Miss Amy Peterson of Rusagorah, York county, who is here attending the sessions of the W. C. T. U. convention, is the guest of Mrs. Hope Thomson, Princess street.

Miss St. Francis of Montreal is at the Admiral Beatty. She expects to leave for home in a few days.

BANK CLEARINGS.

Saint John bank clearings this week were \$2,265,574; last week, \$2,709,630; in 1923, \$3,235,768. Moncton clearings this week were \$895,124.

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NOTICES OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS, 50 CENTS.

BIRTHS

STEEVES—On Oct. 14, at Perry's Point, Kings county, to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Steeves (nee Helen Robinson) a daughter, Florence Isabel. HOPEY—At 49 Stanley street, Oct. 13, 1925, to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hope, a daughter—Laura Irene.

MARRIAGES

HENDERSON-COLEMAN—At 10 Camden street, Wednesday, Oct. 14, by Rev. G. B. MacDonald, the marriage of Gordon P. Henderson, of Saint John, to Laura A. Coleman of Hatfield's Point. STACK-McDUFF—On Oct. 15, 1925, at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, by Rev. R. B. MacGillivray, Estella J. McDuff to Wm. J. Stack, both of Saint John.

DEATHS

ARMSTRONG—On Oct. 15, 1925, at the residence of her son, William D. Armstrong, 166 King street, West St. John, Olivia, widow of Joseph Armstrong, leaving six sons. CHRISTOPHER—At the General Public Hospital, of Hickey road, aged 21 years, leaving her parents, one brother and four sisters to mourn. Funeral from the residence of her son, Roy Rutledge, at 230 p. m., Oct. 16, 1925, to the residence, 112 Orange street, on Oct. 14, 1925, Elia Benson Smith Macaulay, beloved wife of James Macaulay, leaving her husband, six sons, four daughters, one brother and one sister to mourn. Funeral on Friday, Oct. 16, at 2:30 p. m. from his late residence, Prospect street, Fairville, Oct. 15, 1925, after a brief illness, Leonard Trafton, leaving his wife, three sisters and one brother to mourn.

Funeral notice later. HOPEY—At her parents' residence, Oct. 14, 1925, Laura Irene, infant daughter of Gladys and Leonard Hopey. MACAULAY—At her residence, 112 Orange street, on Oct. 14, 1925, Elia Benson Smith Macaulay, beloved wife of James Macaulay, leaving her husband, six sons, four daughters, one brother and one sister to mourn. Funeral on Friday from her late residence. Service at 2:30.

IN MEMORIAM

PARLEE—In loving remembrance of Victor M. Parlee, who departed this life Oct. 15, 1915. WIFE AND CHILDREN.

CARD OF THANKS

I, Albert Peacock and family wish to thank their friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy in their recent bereavement.

The family of the late Mrs. Sarah Maxson wish to thank their many friends for sympathy shown them in their recent bereavement, also for flowers sent by friends and the Longshoremen's Association.

CANDIDATES NAMED IN 27 CONSTITUENCIES

Balloting to Take Place Two Weeks From Today

\$200 DEPOSITED

Amount Will Be Forfeited If Aspirants Fail to Stand For Election

Canadian Press. OTTAWA, Oct. 15.—Official nomination of candidates took place in 27 out of 241 federal constituencies between 12 and 2 o'clock today, and the Dominion general election now assumes a more definite form. In three constituencies of Quebec, seven of Ontario, four of Manitoba, five of British Columbia, four of Saskatchewan, three of Alberta, and the Yukon, candidates declared themselves officially in the contest, depositing the legal amount of \$200 with the respective returning officers.

While the official nomination of a candidate does not necessarily mean that he is in the contest until the close of the polls, withdrawal involves forfeiture of the deposit.

It is not expected that there will be many additions or withdrawals in the list of candidates officially nominated. The candidates named in party conventions were as follows:—

ONTARIO

Algoma East: Liberal, J. Carruthers; Conservative, G. B. Nicholson. Algoma West: Liberal, P. J. McCaulay; Conservative, T. E. Simpson. Fort William: Liberal, D. W. Carver; Conservative, Hon. Dr. R. J. Manion; Independent, D. R. Byers.

Kenora-Rainy River: Liberal, Peter Heenan; Conservative, Col. H. A. Macch; Farmer-Labor, Roderick McLean. Port Arthur-Thunder Bay: Liberal, I. L. Matthews; Conservative, W. F. Langworthy; Labor, A. E. Smith; Independent, John J. Carrick.

Temiskaming North: Liberal, Charles Gallagher; Conservative, J. R. O'Neill; Independent, Jos. Braddette.

MANITOBA

Nelson—Joseph Myers, Conservative; T. W. Bird, Progressive. Provencher—Edmond Comeault, Liberal; A. E. Beaudin, Conservative; Selkirk—Dr. R. H. Gibb, Liberal; Col. H. M. Hannesson, Conservative; L. P. Bancroft, Progressive.

Springfield—Dr. G. D. R. Bissett, Conservative; Thos. Hay, Liberal; John Holland, Progressive.

SASKATCHEWAN

Maple Creek—George Spencer, Liberal; J. B. Swanton, Conservative; N. McTaggart, Progressive. Melfort—Malcolm McLean, Liberal; B. Keown, Conservative; J. Greaves, Progressive.

North Battleford—C. R. McIntosh, Liberal; Dr. L. A. C. Panton, Conservative; C. J. Davies, Progressive. Regina—Charles MacDonald, Liberal; John G. Diefenbaker, Conservative; Andrew Knox, Progressive.

ALBERTA

Athabasca—Hon. G. W. Cross, Liberal; C. H. Gaudreau, Conservative; J. Kellner, Progressive. Calgary—P. C. Milnes, Liberal; John Heron, Conservative; G. C. Coote, Progressive.

Peace River—A. A. Rae, Liberal; J. A. Goss, Conservative; D. M. Kennedy, Progressive.

RUTH PREPARES FOR N. B. AND MAINE TRIP

Baseball Players' Party Will Leave Boston Sunday Evening For Tobique.

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—Babe Ruth, home run king, is on his farm at Sudbury, Mass., today, making final preparations for his hunting trip to Maine and New Brunswick. Accompanied by Mrs. Ruth, and Benny Bengough, Yankee catcher, he left by train yesterday for Boston, from where he went to his farm to await the arrival in Boston, Sunday, of the other members of the hunting party.

Bob Shawkey, Yankee pitcher, today told of plans for the trip. He will leave New York Sunday morning with Eddie Collins, manager of the White Sox; Joe Bush, St. Louis pitcher; Muddy Ruel, catcher for the Senators, and Charles Barnes, electrical contractor of Philadelphia. They will join Ruth and Bengough in Boston, leaving there Sunday evening for Port Fairfield, Maine.

The party then will go by motor about 100 miles and then by canoe about 45 miles to the Tobique River country, where they will pitch camp.

Saint John Bank Manager Weds

The marriage of Miss Alice Russell Johnstone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Johnstone, of Loggieville, to William Arnold McLaggan, son of Mrs. John McLaggan and the late Mr. McLaggan, of Blackville, and manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Paradise Row, of this city, was solemnized today at the home of the bride's parents by Rev. Mr. Rosborough. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a charming costume of brown cut velvet with hat to match, the gown and hat shading to sapphire blue. She carried Ophelia roses. Mr. and Mrs. McLaggan left for New York and Boston and on their return will reside at 233 Duke street. The bride is a cousin of J. E. Petrie of this city.

Leonard Trafton Of Customs Dead

After an illness of a little over a week, Leonard Trafton of the Appraiser's room at the Customs House, died this morning at his home in Prospect street. Mr. Trafton lost a sister, Miss Susie Trafton, a short time ago and news of her death caused a shock, which brought on his illness, which developed into pneumonia. He was an active member of the Fairville Baptist church and of Willis Lodge, L. O. L., in Fairville. He had been in the Customs for 15 years and had many friends.

Besides his wife, he leaves one brother, Fred, of Edmundston, and three sisters, Mrs. R. Seward, of Pasadena, Cal.; Mrs. N. C. Belding, of Chance Harbor, and Miss Maud Trafton, a nurse at the Old Ladies' Home. Miss Trafton cared for her brother during his illness. The funeral will be held on Saturday afternoon and interment will take place in Cedar Hill.

PLANS TO REMODEL WHOLE COUNTRY

Firstone to Spend \$100,000,000 on Rubber Scheme in West Africa.

Canadian Press. NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—In order to make the United States independent of foreign rubber producers, Harvey S. Firstone, prominent tire and rubber manufacturer, is preparing to spend \$100,000,000 in remodeling a whole country.

The newly-organized Firstone Plantations Company, Mr. Firstone announces, has obtained concessions for 1,000,000 acres of rubber plantations in Liberia, West Africa. Development plans call for the building of harbors, roads, towns, hospitals, and possibly the organization of steamship lines.

A 2,000-acre British rubber plantation already been purchased to serve mainly as a nursery for the larger plantations to be located on the most suitable land. A harbor will be built at Monrovia, capital of the negro republic.

\$100,000 FOR LAVAL

Hon. Geo. E. Amyot Endows Chair of Chemistry in New School.

Canadian Press. QUEBEC, Oct. 15.—Hon. George E. Amyot, president of the Dominion Asset Company, and a native of Laval, the city of the Province of Quebec, has donated \$100,000 to Laval University, for the endowment of a chair of chemistry in the recently established chemistry school. It will be called the Amyot chair.

AGED PAIR MISSING

German and Wife, on Way to Homeland From Manitoba, Sought in U. S.

Canadian Press. NEWARK, N. J., Oct. 15.—John Grosse and his wife, aged couple of Gretna, Manitoba, who were to have passed through this city yesterday, on their way for a visit to their native land, Germany, are missing. The police have been asked to organize a search for the Manitobians last heard of yesterday in Philadelphia, when they were supposed to have left for Newark.

Funerals

Mrs. Ethel Kimball. The funeral of Mrs. Ethel Kimball, widow of the late Mr. Kimball, was held this afternoon from the residence of her sister, Mrs. Linda Peatman, Glenwood. The body was brought here by train and interment took place in Fernhill.

Rev. H. A. Cody, rector of St. James church, an intimate friend, conducted service in Glenwood and at the grave. Many lovely flowers were sent by the members of her family and close friends.

Mrs. Roy A. Carter. The funeral of Mrs. Roy A. Carter was held this afternoon from the residence of her mother, Mrs. Annie G. Johnston, 105 Hill street. Interment took place in Cedar Hill. Rev. H. A. Goodwin, pastor of Portland United Church, conducted service. Many lovely floral tributes were presented.

BIG GOLD CARGO

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—Bearing gold valued at more than two million and a half dollars, the Homerick has arrived here from England, the first since the British return to the gold standard.

CHURCH SALE APPROVED

TORONTO, Ont., Oct. 15.—The sale of Bloor Street Baptist church property, located on the southeast corner of Bloor and Bay streets, for \$250,000, was ratified by a meeting of the congregation last night.

SUSSAN HONORED

Canadian Press. PARIS, Oct. 15.—Major W. F. Sus-san, Ottawa, Ont., in command of the Sherbrooke cavalry, 8th regiment of Canadian Cavalry, in the Moroccan war, has been awarded a colonial cross and received laudable mention in despatches for the valiant services of the Canadian elite in fighting the Rifians.

NOT SO SOFT.

In a country village there was a half-witted fellow to whom people used to offer two coins to select from—a nickel and a dime. The poor fellow invariably chose the bigger coin to the unfailing glee of all beholders.

One day a stranger asked him, "Don't you really know the difference in value between a dime and a nickel?" "Sure I do," he replied; "but if I ever wake took the dime they would never try me no more!"

HYMAN GARSON GETS BULLET IN SHOULDER

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of the fast-moving vehicle the real seriousness of the attempted holdup and its result had not dawned upon him.

PARTY RETURNS. The Monahan bus from St. Stephen then picked up the delayed passengers and brought them back to the city, where some of them were seen at the Hotel Dunlop, King Square. They included Fred Thompson of Black's Harbor, a Salvation Army officer whose name could not be learned and another passenger who declined to give his name. They claim to have seen the attempted holdup.

ADDITIONAL HOLDUPS. After the shooting episode, the story was, the three men with the gun held up two cars proceeding from the city towards Lepreau. In both cases the passengers were made to get out of the cars and they were seen to be walking on the roadside before re-entering their automobiles and proceeding on their journey. It was not known at 2 o'clock this afternoon what the alleged bandits said to these people of the other cars, or if they secured any loot from them.

BANDITS ESCAPED. The people interviewed at the Hotel Dunlop, who claim to have witnessed the whole series of depredations, say that as far as they know no attempt was made by those molested to apprehend the culprits. They certainly did not do so and felt that the men evidently being armed and ready to shoot, made this a risky business. They simply returned to the city and notified the authorities. Detectives Power and Biddiscombe rushed to the scene.

INJURED IN FALL. Samuel Brookins, 49 Moore street, fell, striking his head on the curbing yesterday while crossing Mill street. The ambulance was called and he was conveyed to his home. His injuries were not considered serious.

NEW COMMISSION MEETS

The first meeting of the newly formed New Brunswick Electric Power Commission will be held in this city tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. The Commission is composed of Hon. E. A. Reilly, K. C., chairman; A. D. Ganong, St. Stephen; J. D. Palmer, Fredericton; F. J. Robidoux, Shediac and E. A. Schofield, Saint John. Mr. Ganong arrived in the city at noon today.

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Cleared. Thursday, Oct. 15. Coastwise—Stmrs. Grace Hankinson, 59, Powell, for Weymouth; Bear River, 70, Woodworth, for Digby; Empress, 619, MacDonald, for Digby.

Sailed. Wednesday, Oct. 15. Stmr. Manchester Commerce, 3002, Stmr. for Philadelphia. The Stmr. is now discharging coal from Cardiff.

MARINE NOTES. The steamer Longward, called last night for Montreal after discharging a cargo of coal here. She will load grain for the continent.

The potato wharf and is awaiting favorable weather to load potatoes for Havana.

The Krofod is anchored in the stream awaiting opportunity to load potatoes for Havana.

The Manchester Commerce called yesterday afternoon for Manchester via Philadelphia.

The Hullien is now discharging coal from Cardiff.

The Manchester Merchant will sail from Manchester on Saturday for this port.

6,042 CASUALTIES.

PARIS, Oct. 15.—The French losses in Syria since France took over the mandate of the League of Nations have amounted to 6,042 men, killed or wounded, up to July 31 last. Premier Painleve made this announcement to the finance committee of the Chamber yesterday.

CASE WITHDRAWN.

The case of Fred Secord, who was arrested for using insulting and abusive language to his mother, was withdrawn in the police court this morning on the promise of the son to leave his mother's house and remain away. He promised to move elsewhere at once.

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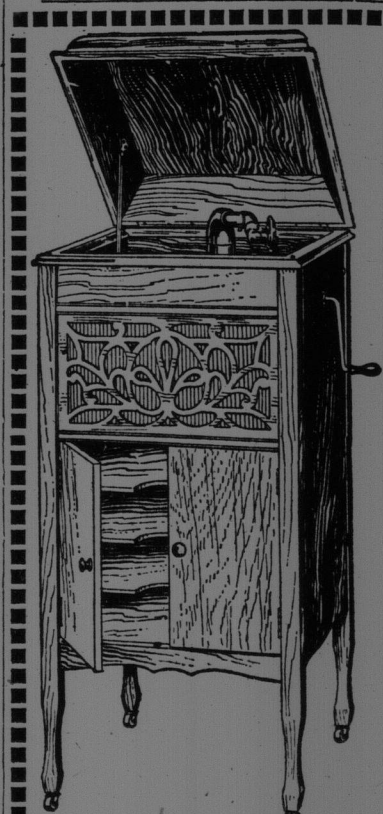
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