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Lord Hirschill, ex-chancellor of Great Britain and chairman of the joint commission which has been in session for several weeks past and which adjourned for a few weeks to meet in Washington early in November, has paid a visit to these Provinces. He has visited Halifax and St. John. Everything was done by the citizens of both these cities, to make the visit of the distinguished stranger a pleasant one. A public dinner was given in his honor, at which Lord Hirschill spoke. No information was given as to the results of the commission. Probably not much was expected at this stage. The gentleman was well received and made a good impression upon those whom he met. In St. John he was the guest of the city.

Ralph Waldo Emerson's son, Dr. Edward Emerson, himself a Congressman. Louisa Alcott was a girl in Concord, has written an article on "When Louisa Alcott was a Girl," which The Ladies' Home Journal is about to publish. Doctor Emerson gives a new view of the author of "Little Men" — as a mimic, and as the central figure of every dance and merrymaking in old Concord.

The twentieth century million dollar fund has passed the stage of fancy and become a matter of fact, says the 'Christian Guardian,' the organ of the Methodist Church. The fund is known as the 'Twentieth century million dollar thanksgiving fund,' and is to be divided among the educational institutions, missions, superannuation and supernumerary funds.

A stowaway on the steamship 'Empress of Japan' was arrested here yesterday, who was fleeing from Russian vengeance. He was Ivan Kraus, an officer of the Russian army, at Port Arthur. Kraus had maps and plans of the fortifications at Port Arthur made secretly. They were discovered, and he fled. He prefers a Canadian jail for a short time to the vengeance of 'The Little Father' at Port Arthur.

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News Summary.

Marion Brown, the one-legged tramp arrested in Washington Territory on the charge of shooting P. C. Toohy at London, in June last, has returned to London in charge of detectives.

Ottawa's total assessment this year is \$23,713,725, an increase of \$825,700 over the previous twelve months. The population has increased 1,659, the city now having a total population of 55,386.

The Rappel says that the hearing before the criminal section of the Court of Cassation upon the admissibility of Mme. Dreyfus' application for a revision of her husband's trial will be in public session.

Ex-Premier Turner of British Columbia passed through the city today en route to England. Mr. Turner predicts defeat for the new British Columbia Government when the House meets.

A letter has reached Vancouver from St. Michael's, saying that the balloonists sent out to search for Andree were there. They have given up their balloon trip and staked twenty-five claims.

The Turkish troops, with arms and baggage, started for Suda Bay this morning, where they will embark for turkey. The merchant ships in the harbor have on board many families of officers and officials who are returning to Constantinople.

The 'Matin' says that the health of the Premier, M. Brisson, is such that he wishes to retire from the Cabinet, and is considering with the President, the choice of his successor, which may possibly be M. Bourgeois, the present Minister of Education.

Mayor Stephens, of Halifax, headed a delegation to the government yesterday in connection with terminal facilities for the Intercolonial at that port. Mr. Halsey, M. P., Hants, is in Ottawa with another delegation about railway matters in Hants and Colchester.

Mr. George Wyndham, Conservative member of Parliament for Dover, has been appointed Under Secretary for War in succession to the Right Hon. William St. John Brodrick, recently appointed Under Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs in succession to Lord Curzon of Kedleston, the new Viceroy of India.

The remains of Harold Frederic, the newspaper correspondent and author, who died yesterday morning at Henley, will be cremated at Woking Cemetery. It has been learned that Mr. Krederic had been in the hands of Christian Scientists, and that a doctor was only summoned to attend him a few days ago.

Continued wet weather throughout the west has sadly darkened the prospects of Manitoba farmers. It is estimated that fully 60 per cent. of the wheat crop is still in stack or stook. The heavy rains have caused much of the grain to sprout, and the greater portion will not be in condition to thresh this year.

Mr. William R. Brooks, director of the Smith Observatory, recently discovered a new comet. Its position is right ascension 14 hours 33 minutes, declination north 60 degrees 26 minutes; motion southeasterly. The comet is large, round and bright. This is the twenty-first comet discovered by Mr. Brooks.

Donald B. McDonald, of Reno, aged 98 years, was united in matrimony yesterday to Mrs. Maggie Ann O'Regan, aged 84. The ancient bridegroom was married three times in Canada and was the father of fourteen children. The bride was married twice, once in Ireland, and once in New York, and is the mother of ten children. Mr. John R. McDonald officiated in tying the knot in the presence of the great grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren of both the bride and groom.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company are improving their elevator facilities at Port Arthur, by adding an extensive drying plant. Work has already been commenced upon the foundation for the boilers and the drying machinery will probably be here next week. When this is done they will have the most complete cleaning and drying house in America.

There are now nineteen of the Behring Sea fleet in port with a total of 12,325 skins. Seven are yet to come, and it is conceded that their catches will bring the total catch of the fleet to about 16,000 for twenty-six schooners, an average of about 615, which is about 100 per schooner over that of last year.

Charles B. Montague, who has just returned from the Klondike, was robbed of seventy pounds of gold dust, valued at \$17,500, on a train coming from Portland. Montague had a 1 his treasure in one valise, which he kept concealed in the section of the Pullman car occupied by his wife and himself. As the train approached Mount Shasta, Montague and his wife went to the platform to view the scenery. When the train arrived at the next station the valise was found to be missing and no clue to the thief has been found.



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