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iberals Protest All Conservatives-elect, While Their Opponents Attack 24, Including Three Ministers.

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MONTREAL, Dec. 6.—(Special.)—
The outcome of yesterday's contestations in the Province of Quebec is
that thirty-five seats have been pe-

tioned against.
All of the cleven Conservative memers elected on the 26th of October contested, while the Conservatives contested, while the Conservatives entered petitions against Rimous-Temiscouata, Montmagny, Lotbin-Port Neuf, Quebec County, Que-Centre, Montmorency and Bellesse in the Quebec district, and me, Staustead and Drummond and trome, Stanstead and Drummond and trithabaska, in the eastern townships, rith Huntlengdon, Chateauguay, St. Jary's, St. Lawrence, St. James, lochelaga, Maskinonge, Joliette, Montains, Berthier, Two Mountains and arnols, in the Montreal district. The Liberals contest: Mr. Monk, Jacques Cartier; Mr. Doherty, St. Anns; Mr. Ames, St. Antoine; Mr. Perley, Argenteuil; Col. Worthington, Sherbrooke; Mr. Price, Quebec West; Mr. Forget, Charlevoix; Mr. Blondin, mplain; Paquet, L'Islet; Nantel, ebonne; Dr. Lortie, Soulanges, squalification and annulling of the tion is asked in every case on both s of the house, but the Conservative gone one better. By countricities of the work of the countricities Messrs, Brodeur, Fisher and eux, as well as Hon, Mr. Tascherinister of public works in the

when the works in the webse Government.

Two petitions were entered against the Conservative lender, F. D. Monk, or Jacques Cartier.

The contestations on the part of the Liberals are said by the opposition are to be the work of Hon. L. P. Brown, who is so they over determined. ir, who is, so they aver, determined rid the house of commons of every ee to Sir Wilfrid Laurier. On the other hand the spirited defence put up by the Conservatives is the fruition of several weeks work on the part of a committee of members in this city, source of the vast campaign fund at the disposition of the Liberal party in is province. They declare that even If all the eleven lose their seats, the truth must come out, as they are con-

vinced that at least \$80,000 was spent in Quebec Province alone or over \$12,000 per constituency. Other developments of an exceed-ingly sensational character are due in e few days. For instance, Conserva-tives claim to have positive proof that it took \$40,000 to defeat young Lorenzo Robitaille in Quebec County, while \$25,000 were expended in the vain effort to beat Dr. Paquet in L'Islet. William Price is also of the belief that ey spent at least \$30,000 against him In Quebec West, while it required \$18,-000 to pull Mr. Lapointe thru in the Liberal stronghold of Kamouraska East on Saturday.

Then they put a fund of \$20,000 at Leadow pulled a the disposition of Mr. Pouliot in Charlevels in the vain attempt to down Redolphe Forget in his county.

TWO EACH IN N. B.

ST. JOHN, N. B., Dec. 6.—(Special.)— Protests have been filed in four New Brunswick constituencies, as follows: Against Hon. Dr. Pugsley (Lib.), John City and county; Dr. Daniel (Con.), in St. John City; O. S. Crocket (Con.), in York County, and Dr. Mc-Allster (Lib.), in Kings-Albert.
All protests were filed within five minutes of closing time.

Daniel and Crocket were the only two Conservatives elected in New Bruns-wick. NONE IN NOVA SCOTIA. HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 6 .- (Special.)

There will be no election protests in this province. ONE IN P. E. I.

HALIFAX, N.S., Dec. 6.—(Special.)-On Saturday last a petition from the office of A. McDonald of the law firm of Matheson & McDonald, wherein Louis T. Tanton of Charlottetown is the petitiooner, was filed in the sume court here against the election and return of L. E. Prowse, Liberal candidate elected at the late Domin-ion election in Prince Edward Island.

OTTAWA, Dec. 6.—The protest and took the poison in mistake for a powder to cure her malady. No inquest will be held.

The Conservative party executive by the conservative by the conservative party executive by the conservative party executive by the conservative by the conservative party executive by the conservative by the conserva The Conservative party executive had decided against the proceeding and it. is thought to have been done by the

Exchange of Diamonds. WINNIPEG, Dec. 6.—Three men en-tered Porte and Markel's jewelry store will convene for the beginning of the and asked to see some expensive diamonds. While the clerk's attention was attracted elsewhere for a moment, one of the men exchanged a phony diamond for one valued at \$800. Mr. Markel was suspicious at the stories attended to see the second session of the sixtieth congress.

Tuesday will be given up by both houses to the reading of the president's message. The general report is the stories attended to see the second session of the sixtieth congress.

# The Greatest Struggle in Canada is On

The greatest struggle known to Canada, between the people and those who would be their masters, is now on in this city and in this prov-

It is between the people of Toronto and William Mackenzie and associates, and turns on whether the people are to be free or whether they are to be bound to William Mackenzie and his electric traction monopoly for ever.

The question of free government, as far as Ontario is concerned, is also involved: whether Mr. Mackenzie is to be master here, as he is in Manitoba and in Winnipeg, or whether Sir James Whitney is to rule.

Mr. Mackenzie draws, we believe, an income of over \$400,000 a year from Winnipeg in the matter of light, power and street car traction on a comparatively trifling actual investment; he largely owns the railways of the province-at least, those that were bought with the province's credit; and he holds that city and province in his hand. He controls the government and largely the legislature. The members of the Manitoba government are rich men, millionaires; and jointly with Mr. Mackenzie they own some of the newspapers that influence public opinion in that province. The most active and powerful force in provincial politics and in municipal politics in Manitoba and Winnipeg to-day is the Mackenzie organization. Winnipeg is badly sewed up to it in its street railway, in its gas, its electric franchises.

The struggle is now here-between the Whitney government and the Mackenzie organization for supremacy in Ontario-whether the government of this province is to be an annex of a traction and electric outfit or an affair of the people, and whether Toronto is to wear a yoke or be

William Mackenzie has set out to circumvent the principle of public ownership as applied to Toronto's street railway, and to destroy or render imbecile the Whitney-Beck power policy for all the province. It is the most gigantic and best organized effort ever put forth in Canada to sew up for ever the people of a great city and a great province.

Mr. Mackenzie and his associates dictate the policy of The Star newspaper; they have the support of The Globe, and they have a hand in the direction of The News. But all these papers seek to disown the connection while performing the service. The Globe is directed by Hon. Robert Jaffray, a director and a chief factor of the Toronto Electric Light Company. Mr. Mackenzie has already absorbed the Electrical Development Company and he is about "to save" the Toronto Electric Light Company; he now controls the Toronto Railway and the radial railways out of Toronto; having acquired the first two and already controlling the street railway and the radials, he is anxious to consolidate all four in a holding company which he controls, and The Globe and associate newspapers are doing their best to get what Mr. Mackenzie next wants—a rearrangement of the city street car franchise and an overlapping of it with certain radial railway rights that he now has in recently annexed portions of the city so as to get the city in a sew-up. Senator Jaffray is willing to help with the street car franchise move for "the saving" of the Toronto Electric. He and The Globe did their best to have the public defeat the public power policy last municipal elections. They want the city to sit in on "a new deal."

All these forces and certain lawyers and friends of Mr. Mackenzie are busy to-day trying, by way of fiat and by writs of injunction, to head off the Beck power policy.

They are all busy putting blocks in the way of the annexation of the suburbs to Toronto until they can get more of these overlapping street

It is a fight for freedom or it is a surrender to a yoke.

# of several weeks work on the part of a committee of members in this city, who are determined to find out the SISTER WITH RIFLE GETS BAD SCORCHING

Removed to Another

Building.

MONTREAL, Dec. 6. - (Special.) -

Lost Relative in Michigan.

MARINE CITY, Mich., Dec. 6.-(Spe-

Thru a Toronto acquaintance who men-

Mrs. Conley, accompanied by her son, will spend the holidays at Toronto.

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Accidental Shooting of Little Ber- One Hundred and Fifty Lunatics made their usual rush. nedette Ceale at Sandwich

WALKERVILLE, Dec. 6.-Childish curiosity of the part of Albert Cecile's About \$20,000 damage was caused by a five-year-old son, Isadore, resulted in fire which broke out at noon on Saturthe accidental killing of three-year- day in a new annex which is being old Bernedette Cecile at Sandwich built at the insane asylum at Verdun.

East on Saturday.

The fire was very threatening and necessitated the removal of 150 lunatics from the chronic wards in the main the ushers, some soldiers and attendfloor, shot thru the brain.

# SIGNALING RADIAL CAR BRANTFORD WOMAN KILLED

BRANTFORD, Dec. 6 .- (Special. Mrs. Flanders, 13 Oak-street, was fa-tally injured at the Cainsville crossing the Brantford & Hamilton Radial Railway this afternoon. She was endeavoring to stop one of the fast east-going cars when the front end struck her, inflicting severe injuries to the skull. The fatality is the second recent one in which the victim in each instance misjudged the clearance of the car. The motorman said he had seen the woman's signal and was stopping the

# WOMAN EATS RAT FOISON FOR HEADACHE POWDER

BRANTFORD, Dec. 6.—(Special.)— Annie Batcock, aged 34 years, employ-ed at A. E. Brown's house, Murraystreet, took a dose of rat poison this morning and expired before medical assistance arrived. The woman was subject to headaches

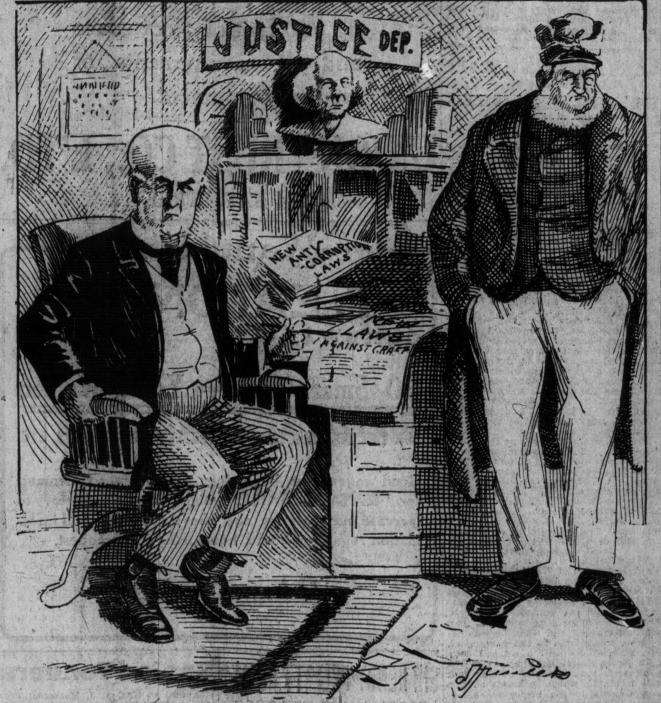
# CONGRESS OPENS TO-DAY. President's Message Tuesday Will Be Tame Affair.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.-To-morrow

ke was suspicious of the men's action that it will prove to be a conserva-and made the discovery that a worthless diamond had been put in the place and it is not believed that a great of one extracted, and the robbers were many recommendations for legislation held up at the point of a gun until the police arrived.

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WHAT HE WOULD PREFER



THE "COUNTRY": New laws may be all right, but what's the matter with you enforcing some of the

# DOLLOS OF BOIL

Queen's Men Storm Kingston Theatre and Warm Fight Follows Refusal of Man-

ager to Admit Them.

KINGSTON, Dec. 6.-(Special.)-Po-Mce and Queen's students clashed Saturday night, following the Alma Mater Society elections, when the students

They stormed the Grand Opera House, where "Uncle Tom's Cabin" ager Branigan refused them admittance one of the hottest rows that have taken place in Kingston for years resulted. At one time it looked as if soldiers from the barracks would have to be called to quell the disturbance. The students were out over 500

the table, where it had been laid by building 100 feet away to another build- ants lined up at the theatre door arman older brother, and pulled the trig- ing. The patients, however, gave no ed with clubs and assisted the police ger. His little sister dropped to the fire as a joke. There were fifty workin keeping out the crowd, but in the nelee the fine glass front and railings were destroyed. All the exits had to be locked to keep the students cut men in the building at the time, some of whom had to make a run for safety. be locked to keep the students out.

After 53 Years Orders were given that the Toronto Woman Hears of Long

with clubs.

The police succeeded in keeping hold bility that the next six months may be six of the main offenders until withcial.)—Mrs. W. H. Conley of Marine of six of the main offenders until with-City has left for Doronto to join her in a stone's throw of the police stasister, Mrs. Ira Phillips, of that city, ter. Students athered around the from whom she has been separated for officers and orders were given the latter to use revolvers and this alone The sisters lost all trace of each other more than half a century ago. had the effect of quieting the crowd.

A couple of officers were kicked in Thru a Toronto acquaintance who mentioned that she had met a woman who greatly resembled Mrs. Conley, correspondence was begun which showed that the Canadian lady was Mrs. Conthe face and badly used up. Several students also received severe hurts from coming into contact with policemen's batons.

The row occurred right in the husiness centre and business was practi-cally suspended. Many spectators were struck with eggs and stones, and several stores rear the opera house also were decorated with stale hen fruit. The students will be arraigned in police court to-day. Ball was asked and refused, and they were compalled to spend Sunday in the cells.

SHOT IN ST. LOUIS. Pope Flood of Deseronto Killed by Drunken Man.

an intoxicated man. Flood was formerly an operator employed in the Great Northwestern Telegraph Company's office here, and

Sir Montague Allan High Commissioner C. A. P. CABLE.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—The Mall says the successor to Lord Strathcona has not yet been appointed, but it is understood the post has been offered to Sir Montagu Allan, who is not, however, asked to decide immediately.

was being produced, and after Man- British Liberals May Forward Test Bill and Go to Country on Is-

sue.

LONDON, Dec. 6.-The Conservative politicians and press are raising a chorus of joy over the defeat of the government's Education Bill, and are prophesying the early termination of the deeds, not words."

tentions regarding the problem of woman to make it last till morning. We crawled under our blankets and lay till morning, the water collecting into great drops on the brush and falling phesying the early termination of the Liberal administration.

After an hour's fight the police drove of each other, together with the Liberthe students out of the theatre corridor, and the fight was renewed on the tary election, following several successtreet. The students armed themselves with stones, clubs, stole eggs from nearby stores and then went after the lost the country's confidence. On this ground the government's op

say that a general election will come early in the new year.

Some of the Liberals suggest that the government should frame a press bill, curbing the power of the lords.

Finall curster.

and that when that body throws it out the government should appeal to the country on that issue. The most important legislation this session having failed, the only note-worthy project left to consider is the Irish Land Furchase Bill, but the

chances of it passing are poor. The Liberals object to the scheme of the committee of the house of lords, directed towards reform in the house, because their party under the propose plan would be assured of only a small fraction of the members of the upper house. Colonial representation in the house of lords finds general favor, and suggestions are heard that if the colonies are given seats, India should not be left out.

Pope Flood of Deseronto Killed by Drunken Man.

DESERONTO, Dec. 6.—News was received here to-day of the murder of a Deseronto man named Pope Flood, who was shot and instantly killed on the street in St. Louis yesterday by the street city editor, replacing Mr. Cote.

was making preparations to return to Montreal, Que., where he had se-cured a situation with the same com-

# OUCCOLOCTTO

Chained to Seats and Plying It was my first introduction to the Whips Prevent Lloyd-George Addressing Big Meet-

LONDON, Dec. 6 .- The gulf between the suffragists and the suffragettes, and hopping industriously about it. of the female agitators, who believe in street riots and attacks on cabinet ministers as the quickest means of flashed about the trunk of a tree, attaining the suffrage for their sex, I was startled. was further widened Saturday afternoon by a fierce demonstration in-dulged in by the suffragettes at Al- John, the guide, saw it also. bert Hall against David Lloyd-George,

tentions regarding the problem of wodeeds, not words.'

most pretentious and most carefully prepared measures within a few days of each other, together with the Liberal defeat in the Middlesex parliamental defeat in

There then began a confused struggle between the men and the women, but finally the chains were cut and the suffragettes expelled. But the numbers of the disorderly seemed to increase rather than diminish. Some of the women were armed with whips. on this ground the government's oppringleaders should be arrested. Citizens went in and helped the police,
and free fights followed. There was
a regular shower of eggs and stones,
a regular sh tempt to eject them.

There were fierce tussles every few moments in different parts of the hall, and every time Mr. Lloyd-George made an attempt to speak his voice was drowned with mingled groans and

Finally the chancellor, who for a

get in a word, sat down, and the or-genist present tried to soothe the hys-are indeed the pioneers of a great nagenist present tried to soothe the hysterical sisterhood by playing, "Oh, Dear, What Can the Matter Be?" But it was of no use, and pandemonium reigned. The uproar was at its height the basis for industrial exploitation. when a dozen suffragettes who recently had been released from prison, divested themselves of their outside wraps and appeared in their jail garb.

hood like a red rag to a bull. Megaphones and bells were brought into use, and the noise became deafening.

The stewards at length lost their sands of working men. tempers, and as they continued their work of throwing out the demonstrants, the clothes of many of the women were torn off their backs.

At the end of half an hour or more

the opposition became worn out, and Mr. Lloyd-George was able to continue his speech with only an occasional in-terruption. He assured his audience, which totaled fully 8000 people, that there was a majority in the cabinet, Suicides With Rifle.

LEDUC, Alb., Dec. 6.—After driving his wife and family to a school entertainment, Richard Duncan, 60 years of age, walked a maje up the road and shot himself with a rifle.

Incre was a majority in the cabinet, and the Liberal party was in favor of woman suffrage and that a suffrage clause would be included in the government's franchise bill, which, however, could not be introduced until the eye of the dissolution of particular than the cabinet, and the Liberal party was in favor of woman suffrage and that a suffrage clause would be included in the government's franchise bill, which, however, could not be introduced until the

Cobalt Has Rival in Gow Ganda, Where Phenomenal Discoveries Have Been Made-Hard Journey,

The World man has seen Gow Ganda and its wonderful discoveries of sil-

In the perspective of memory some of the rugged battles with primitive nature in the great northern wilderness have already softened, and the story of it all can be told unhindered by the fallen trees and slash of the forest, the cracking ice of the lakes and rivers, or the tossing and pitching of the frail cance on wind-swept Gow

One's thoughts revert to the first night spent under the skies about a mile east of Lake Wigwam, along the blazed trail to the new Eldorado of the northland. The camp fire had been lighted and was crackling and blazing warmly. Sparks were rising and spreading themselves hither and thither till they seemed to set like brilliants in the night-clad blackness of the trees which towered all about us, their tops swaying in the wind.

John Debeau, my French-Canadian guide and pack man, was busy felling trees with which to build a brush lean-to and from which brush was secured to form a sort of bed to sleep . The lean-to was built to face the fire, but back sufficiently far for safety. All the 'dead trees which might fall over the camp ground were chopped down to avoid this danger and then supper was prepared. I could drink the tea well enough, but my appetite had not yet been led up to more than an indifferent interest in boiled beans and fat pork. John ate ravenously. He had been there before. A bird about the size of a robin fluttered down from the limb of a tree to within a few feet of us. Spearing a vagrant bean that had fallen into the snow he fluttered off to devour it Canadian Jay, called sometimes Camp Robber or Whiskey Jack, but more familiarly "Jack" by the lone prospector. My guide talked to the bird in French as to a long-lost friend and the "Jack" returned his confidence by approaching nearer to the camp fire

I stood gazing into the flames and ruminating on the vagaries of a journalist's experiences. Something white I was startled.

Again I saw the white streak and "Weasel," said John, and I breathed

chancellor of the exchequer.

The chancellor was addressing a suffrage meeting under the auspices of the Woman's Liberal Association. He the Woman's Liberal Association the work. had hardly got beyond announcing that he was present with the object of into a deluge, More low announcing that he was present with the object of into a deluge. More logs were piled making known the government's intentions regarding the problem of wethru upon us. We were thoroly drench-

During that night my thoughts re-There then began a confused strug- World that the game was up.

I saw there rewarded me for the diffi-culties I had been compelled to sur-Hard Lot of Prospector.

Thru it all The World has gained & genuine appreciation of the prospec-tors, who, in hundreds, have struggled Finally the chancellor, who for a on, in season and out of season, with quarter of an hour had been trying to faith never faitering in the mining These hardy men deserve the best consideration of the country's govern-ments. Their pathway should be made These clothes were liberally stamped with broad arrows.

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This exhibition acted on the sister-

Every day prospectors may be hitting the Gow Ganda trail at Elk City with packs of supplies on their backs weighing ninety, a hundred or sometimes even one hundred and forty

This reminds me that on the east shore of Gow Ganda Lake, beside the trail, I saw a blazed tree on which was written:

'NO MORE 140 POUNDS FOR ME. I'M NO HOG." (Signed) McDonald.

My unknown friend McDonald had carried thru on his back 140 pounds

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