LATEST NEWS OF WESTERN ONTARIO

ST. MARYS BOARD TO BUY APPARATUS

Recommendations Were Made for Electrical Appliance and Repairs Were Passed.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

St. Marys, Jan. 6.—The water, light and heat commission held a busy session last evening. The secretary presented a statement from the bank showing that there is $547 in the bank. Warrants were issued for current accounts amounting to $159 13. The treasurer, Miss Long, was given a grant of $35.

The superintendent reported that the generator at the powerhouse is in poor shape, and that it requires rewinding and recommends that it be repaired here if possible. The matter was left with the superintendent to look after. He also reported on the Birt-Gould motor that Mr. Gould informed him that it cost $99. Upon resolution of Mayor Sanderson, the board agreed to take back the motor at invoice price. Chairman Weir dissented, but the motion carried.

The superintendent recommended that the board get an instrument to measure current such as is used by large power users. He also wanted a voltmeter to test the lights. It would cost $25. The request was granted.

Mayor Sanderson said as this would be Commissioner Reesor's last meeting as a member of the board, he (Mayor Sanderson) wished to express the board's high appreciation of Commissioner Reesor's services to the board for the past two years. Chairman Weir seconded the resolution, and said that while he had perhaps many differences with Mr. Reesor, he held no personal enmity. Commissioner Reesor replied thanking the members of the board for the appreciation of his services during his membership of the board.

WILLIAM A. FERGUSSON DIES AT TILLSONBURG

Was Teacher for Many Years But was Engaged in the Implement Business Lately.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Tillsonburg, Jan. 5.—After an illness extending over some time, William A. Fergusson, eldest son of Mr. W. S. Fergusson, died at his home here yesterday. He was in his forty-eighth year, and for some time was engaged in the teaching profession. Lately he had been engaged in the implement business in Tillsonburg. He was a prominent member of the local bowling club.

Besides his parents he is survived by two sisters and seven brothers. The funeral will be held on Saturday afternoon.

FIRE AT MOSSLEY

Alex McCallum's House Was Completely Destroyed.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Belmont, Jan. 5.—The frame house of Alex McCallum, of Mossley, was completely destroyed by fire last evening. The blaze was discovered about six o'clock and had made such headway that nothing could be done to stop it. The loss is estimated at $1,200 on which there is $500 insurance in the North and South Dorchester Insurance Company.

DIED SUDDENLY

M. Coppinger, Hanover Postmaster, Expired Unexpectedly.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Walkerton, Jan. 6.—M. Coppinger, postmaster of Hanover, died Thursday at an advanced age. For many years the office has been managed by his son. He was one of the earliest appointed postmasters in this part of Ontario. He died suddenly of heart failure. Hanover, Walkerton and Mildmay, three adjoining towns, have each lost their postmaster within six weeks' time.

BRUSSELS ACCIDENTS

Athol McDonald Was Kicked in the Face by a Horse.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Brussels, Jan. 6.—Athol McDonald was seriously injured here when he was kicked in the face by one of a team of horses driven by Mr. P. Anent. He had several of his teeth knocked out and a severe cut.

Miss Dorothy Holmes, daughter of Dr. Holmes, fell on an icy sidewalk and fractured her left arm.

BELMONT MEETING

Camp Lochinvar Sons of Scotland Installed Officers Recently Elected.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Belmont, Jan. 5.—At the regular meeting of the Lochinvar Camp of the Sons of Scotland, the officers for the coming year were installed. Piper Gordon Nichol, of Wilton Grove assisted by George Gartly, William Harper and D. H. Walker rendered a musical programme that was greatly enjoyed.

Mr. E. Agur, superintendent for the Canadian Milk Products, Limited, Brownsville, was here recently prospecting for a location for a branch factory.

Mr. H. R. Henderson, of Toronto, has secured the principalship of the extension school here at a salary of $1,100.

DIED UNEXPECTEDLY

George Morgan, of Woodstock, Stricken With Paralysis.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Woodstock, Jan. 6.—The funeral of George Morgan was held from the family residence today to the Anglican Cemetery and was largely attended. Mr. Morgan was 65 years of age and was stricken with paralysis recently while cleaning snow off his walk and never rallied. He had been a resident of Woodstock for 35 years. Mr. Morgan leaves one son, William, and one daughter, Mary, both of home.

COLDSTREAM MEETING.

The Coldstream Farmers' Club are reorganizing, and the first meeting will be held in the Town Hall at Coldstream on Tuesday evening, January 9, at eight o'clock. All farmers are invited to be present.

BRUSSELS HORSE FAIR LARGELY ATTENDED

Many Buyers Were Present and Business Was Brisk Throughout.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Brussels, Jan. 5.—The horse fair held here yesterday was most successful. There was a very large attendance, and among those present were many buyers. A quantity of horses changed hands at good figures.

A. C. Barker will start a large poultry ranch next spring, and will utilize the land he recently bought from Mr. Ransford for that purpose.

Owing to the decease of Mr. J. A. Hunter, the Brussels Marble and Granite Works will be sold by Mrs. Hunter.

Brussels and Lucknow open the season in league hockey next Monday evening on the rink here. They are members of the Northern League.

DISTRICT DAIRYMEN TO MEET IN INGERSOLL

Subjects of Great Importance To Be Discussed by Practical Speakers.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ingersoll, Jan. 6.—Mr. Frank Herns, of London, secretary of the Dairymen's Association of Western Ontario, was here yesterday making arrangements for the annual convention, which will be held in the town hall on Wednesday and Thursday of next week. Three sessions will be held each day, and subjects of vital importance to the dairying industry will be discussed by experts. The evening sessions will be interesting to the general public, and a large attendance of citizens is expected each night. There will be a splendid musical programme at each of the evening sessions.

On Wednesday evening Mayor Coleridge will give the address of welcome. Other speakers will be President Batcheller, of the board of trade; Dr. J. A. Amyot, Geo. A. Putnam and Donald Sutherland, M.P. Thursday evening addresses will be given by T. R. Mayberry, M.L.A., Dr. G. C. Creelman, of the Ontario Agricultural College; J. C. Hegler, K.C, and E. G. Henderson. The first dairymen's association was formed in Ingersoll 45 years ago.

Court Oxford, Canadian Order of Foresters, will hold an open installation of the newly-elected officers in the I. O. O. F. hall next Tuesday evening. The high secretary, A. P. Vansomeren, and superintendent of organization, W. G. Strong, will be the installing officers. There will be a good musical programme, and the members are looking forward to a most enjoyable social evening.

The name of Miss Ker was included in the list of Methodist missionaries whose safe arrival at Chungking, China, was announced in Thursday's press dispatches. Miss Ker is a sister of Mrs. R. T. Agar, of Ingersoll.

HAY IN DEMAND

Hundreds of Tons Being Shipped From Dungannon District.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Dungannon, Jan. 6. — A very large business in hay is being done all through this district at the present time. Buyers from all over the district are scouring the country and paying good prices. Hundreds of tons of hay are being shipped via Lucknow and McGaw.

Donald McKenzie is visiting his brother and other relatives here.

Mrs. N. F. Wayard has returned after visiting with relatives in Seaforth.

Mr. J. M. Roberts is ill at his home here.

Mr. Fred Ross, of Amberley, is the new principal in the public school.

Miss Sager, of Galt, is again in charge of the junior department.

BERLIN SURPLUS

Council Has Ten Thousand Dollars to Start Year With.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Berlin, Jan. 6. — Berlin's council commences this year with a surplus of $10,000. The money will be largely applied to keeping down the tax rate.

Town Treasurer Huber has been notified by the light commission authorities that $7,100 will be paid out of the profits of the light and power plant for 1911 and handed over to the town treasury. The amount is equivalent to one mill of assessment. The rate for 1911 was 22 mills, and a reduction of 2 mills for the current year is predicted, notwithstanding increased expenditures for the new school.

WALKERTON.

Walkerton, Jan. 5.—Dr. Vester Zinn, of the Toronto Dental College, was a visitor here recently.

Miss Edna Smith left yesterday to take a position as teacher in Grand Valley.

Mr. Ernie Burnell, of Owen Sound, was a recent visitor here.

Mr. George Steel, of Treherne, Man., is visiting his grandparents on the South Line, in Brant Township.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Manning, of Saskatoon, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. McKechnie.

Mrs. L. Goetz, Marjorie and Nora O'Conor, and Mr. George Goetz attended the ball in Southampton.

Mrs. W. S. Clending and Miss Clending, of Toronto, spent the holidays with Mr. T. Dixon and Miss Mary Clending.

Mrs. R. S. Ford, Joe and Miss Doris, of Vancouver, visited recently with Mrs. D. W. McConnell.

Mr. Wm. Schnurr, of Cleveland, is spending a week with his parents here.

Mr. Armand Whitehead, delegate from the local branch of the Y. M. C. A., attended the conference in Orillia.

Mr. A. E. Sherrington has left for Florida, where he will spend the winter.

Frank McNamara, of Victoria, B. C., J. McNamara, K. C., and W. Burke, of North Bay, and Mr. George Kilmer, K. C., of Toronto, attended the funeral of Mr. M. McNamara.

RAILWAY BLAMED FOR GODERICH MAN'S DEATH

Strong Verdict Is Returned at Paris In Connection With Recent Accident.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Paris, Jan. 6.—The jury which, under Coroner Fissette, investigated the death of F. Staliker, of Goderich, last evening returned the following verdict:

"That F. Staliker came to his death at Paris Station on Jan. 2 by being struck by the second section of G. T. R. train No. 15, going west. That in the opinion of this jury, the non-employment of a competent operator, and the lack of knowledge of the station attendants as to the running of both regular and special trains, is a source of great danger to the travelling public, and we recommend the town authorities to appeal to the railway commission to ask the Grand Trunk to provide a safe means of crossing the tracks, or have all passenger trains come to a full stop at this junction."

BRUSSELS MILL TO EXTEND ITS PLANT

Notwithstanding That Bylaw Was Defeated Messrs. Pryne Will Go Ahead with Improvements.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Brussels, Jan. 6.—Notwithstanding that the bylaw submitted to the ratepayers recently did not carry, Messrs. Pryne, of the local milling company, will go ahead with big extensions to their plant. A business partner, Mr. Joseph Davidson, of Arcola, Man., has been taken into the firm, and new machinery will be installed at once, and a big export trade in flour commenced as soon as possible.

WAS DISCHARGED

Photographer Held at Stratford May, However, Have To Face Other Charges.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Stratford, Jan. 5. — On a charge of the theft of a suitcase, A. A. Anderson, the travelling photographer, of Toronto, who disappeared simultaneously with Mrs. Racho, of Nelson street, on Oct. 9, last, and who was arrested in Galt by Chief Gorman on Wednesday morning, with Mrs. Racho, appeared before James Dickson, justice of the peace, this morning, and was discharged, as the evidence was insufficient to secure a conviction on the charge.

There is a possibility that other charges will be laid against Anderson. Mrs. Racho has returned to her home, as there is no charge against her.

LEFT HIS REVOLVER

John McLean Made a Daring Escape From Lucan Jail.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Lucan, Jan. 6.—John McLean, aged 24, whose home town is not known, made a daring escape from the council chamber Thursday evening. As the cells were very cold McLean was taken to the council chamber when he was arrested on a charge of being disorderly on Main street. When left alone McLean took a stick of stove wood and pried apart the iron bars of a window, clambered out on a roof, and dropped to the ground. When arrested McLean had a revolver and a belt filled with cartridges in his possession, also a book of union coupons and an overcoat. He left everything behind.

BRUSSELS DEATH

Mrs. J. H. Swallow Lived in McKillop for Forty Years.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Brussels, Jan. 6.—The funeral of Mrs. J. H. Swallow was held from the family residence in McKillop to Brussels Cemetery and was largely attended. Mrs. Swallow was in her 78th year. She had resided in McKillop for 40 years. Her husband died nine years ago.

HELD FOR THEFT

Melvin Wicklum Alleged To Have Collected Money at Berlin.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Berlin, Jan. 6.—Melvin Wicklum is under arrest here for the alleged theft of $8 from the Bell Telephone Company, for which he was recently messenger. At the time of his arrest Wicklum had $420 on his person, which, the police believe, belongs to the company. He had been suspended from the company's employ for three days pending an investigation for what appeared to be a trifling irregularity, and up to the time of his arrest he was found till collecting money.

FARMER'S INSTITUTE TO MEET AT ST. MARYS

Splendid Programme of Practical Addresses To Be Given By Able Speakers.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

St. Marys, Jan. 6.—The South Perth Farmers' Institute meeting will be held on Tuesday next at 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. in the town hall. D. James, of Thornhill, Ont., will speak upon "Destruction of Weeds," "Growing and Curing Alfalfa," "Corn Ensilage," "Home Dairying," "The Feeding of Farm Animals." R. L. Moorehouse, of Cairo, will speak upon "The Breeding and Feeding of Beef Cattle," "Sheep Raising," "The Control of Soil Moisture," "Drainage," and "The Business End of Farming."

A ladies' session will be held the same afternoon at 2:30 p.m. in the council chamber, at which Mrs. D. MacTavish, of Port Elgin, will discuss "Training Our Future Housekeepers," "The Responsibility of Parents," "Measures for the Preservation of Health," "Some Economies We Should Practice," and other subjects.

Miss Ethel Judd has returned to Hamilton after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Judd.

The blizzard yesterday and last night had a bad effect on business, as practically none of the farming community ventured into town. For the first time this season the snowplows were out yesterday, and were kept busy all day.

The inauguration of the new town council will take place next Monday.

MAPLETON MEETING

Members of Women's Institute Heard Report of Mrs. D. O. White.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Mapleton, Jan. 5.—The monthly meeting of the Women's Institute was held yesterday at the residence of Mrs. Jacob Cline. The president, Miss Mary King, presided. Mrs. D. O. White gave "The Addres of Welcome" which she gave at Toronto. A large number of New Year's resolutions and suggestions were given by the members.

An excellent luncheon was served by the hostess to the sixty members present.

The next meeting will be held at the residence of Mrs. James Brown in February.

Miss Mildred McCaulley is very ill with appendicitis.

Mrs. James Moore and daughter, Miss Kathleen Moore, have returned after spending the past two weeks with Mr. A. Widner, of Toledo.

Mrs. Azel Finch is ill with erysipelas and la grippe.

Rev. D. R. McColl has returned after spending the vacation at his home at Yale City, Mich.

Miss Lulu Finch has been ill with tonsilitis but is recovering nicely.

Mr. George Thompson, of the Medical School, London, has returned after spending the holidays at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Ostrosser have returned after spending the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Ostrosser, of Tillsonburg.

TILLSONBURG.

Tillsonburg, Jan. 5. — Mr. Pengelly, of Woodstock, was a Tillsonburg visitor recently.

Mr. A. E. Carle, of Gull Lake, Alta., is the guest of his brother, Mr. Geo. Carle.

Miss L. Duffy, of Norwich, was a guest of Mrs. W. G. Pow yesterday.

Leo Russell has returned from a visit with relatives in Mount Clemens, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Crandall, and Mr. and Mrs. Norton, of Howell, Mich., have returned after spending a few days as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Rice, at the Highlands.

Miss Flossie Chambers, St. Thomas, was the guest of Miss Ila Shapley, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Ostrosser have returned to their home in Mapleton, after spending a few days here.

Mr. M. Laidlaw, of Aylmer, spent a few days here recently on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walsh, of Straffordville, was the guest of his brother, Councillor G. N. Walsh, for a few days.

Mr. A. R. Manson has taken a position in the C. P. R. office here.

Messrs. A. W. and L. W. Pierce, of Aylmer, were Tillsonburg vistors recently.

PLACE THE POWER WITH CONGREGATION

An Application to Parliament to Amend Union of Methodist Churches.

Ottawa, Jan. 5. — An application will be made to Parliament for an act amending the act respecting the Union of Certain Methodist Churches in Canada. The proposed legislation will authorize the trustees of any congregation to administer any property, real or personal, given for endowment purposes for the special use of the church.

The bill will also authorize any annual conference of the church to appoint a city mission or church extension board or association, with power to administer property. Also to name a board or trust to administer property conveyed to such board. Power will also be given under the bill to dispose of property not required.

Pulpit Appointments.

Following are the Huron College preaching appointments for Sunday, Jan. 7: Mr. J. A. Shirley, Sutorville; K. Alexander, St. Marys; E. Jacques, Aged People's Home; C. Langford, Dutton; T. N. Harding, Granton; F. V. Vair, Parkhill; A. A. Trumper, St. David's; H. C. Light, St. Mark's; F. C. Ryott, Burford; R. E. Charles, Dover; H. B. Metcalf, Milverton; C. Abbott, Dungannon; W. H. Boyd, Chelsea Green; R. Lee, Thamesville; F. Lewin, Florence; W. R. Haines, Inwood.

THE GOVT. AXE BUSY IN NORTH SIMCOE

Postmasters Dismissed Without Cause To Make Places for Conservatives.

Toronto, Jan. 6.—The Toronto Globe says: Dismissals of postmasters in North Simcoe are being carried to no inconsiderable length by the postoffice department, in all probability with the approval and assistance of the member, Major J. A. Currie, M.P. On New Year's Day the offices of Nottawa, Duntroon, Midhurst and Stayner were taken from the officials who have occupied the postion of postmaster for some years, and given over to partisans and active workers in the Conservative ranks. In Nottawa Mr. E. Wiley, and in Duntroon, Mr. William Campbell, were summarily dismissed without charge, complaint or investigation. Both are old and highly-respected residents of the township of Nottawasaga, the latter being one of the pioneers. Neither has taken an active part in politics. In Stayner the Liberal appointee, now Mayor D. G. Bell, retired from politics immediately upon receiving the appointment, withdrawing from the Liberal executive, of which he was up to then a member. Mr. W. A. Sneath, of Midhurst, is another victim. He has held the office for some years, indeed his family have had the office for many years, rendering faithful service for a very small remuneration. Mr. Sneath is a prominent citizen, but has never since entering official life taken any part in politics.

CINCINNATI CAR JUMPS FROM BRIDGE

Four Passengers Fatally Injured Through a Trolley Line Accident.

[Canadian Press.]

Cincinnati, Jan. 5.—Four persons were fatally injured, while another was seriously hurt here tonight, when a South Bellevue street car jumped from the Central bridge which connects this city with Newport, Ky.

The car landed on Fremont street after turning a somersault in its drop of 50 feet to the pavement below.

The fatally injured are:

Harry Wessling, Newport, Ky., conductor of the car, skull fractured and internally injured.

Benton Schroll, secretary-treasurer of the Central Bridge Company, Newport, Ky., skull fractured, internal injuries and broken bones.

Edward Hapfel, Cincinnati, skull fractured and contusions of the body.

Harry Finnan, Covington, Ky., motorman of the car, skull fractured and both legs broken.

Samuel Hollow, Newport, Ky., the only other passenger, sustained scalp wounds and a contused body, but will recover.

The car left the tracks after crossing the Ohio River at a sharp curve in the bridge. It was making its first trip of the night from the barns in Newport, which accounts for the small number of passengers aboard.

CHINESE PRESIDENT SENDS NOTE TO POWERS

Tells How China Has Suffered and Promises Peace and Progress Under Republic.

Shanghai, Jan. 5.—Dr. Sun Yat Sen, provisional president of the Chinese Republic, which was declared at Nanking, issued today a manifesto to the foreign powers in which he explains the public aims and policies of the Republicans in China. In it he says that the present situation has been forced on China by Manchu misrule, which was incapable of remedy without a revolution.

"We now proclaim the resultant overthrow of despotic sway and the birth of a republic."

The manifesto is a lengthy document. It sets forth in detail the wrongs of the Chinese people and then eloquently promises strict adherence to all treaties, obligations and concessions undertaken by the Chinese Government.

It gives an assurance of the safety of the persons and property of foreigners in China. It provides for equal treatment of the Manchus and for the establishment of a stable Government.

It declares that it will abolish all restrictions on trade and that it will undertake the revision of all laws, and will insure religious toleration.

It then asks for the aid of foreign nations "for the consummation of the plans which they have so long been vainly working upon for the people of our country."

It concludes: "With this message of peace and goodwill the Republic of China cherishes the hope of its admission to the family of nations and its future co-operation in the great and noble task of building up the civilization of the world."

The manifesto is signed, "Sun Yat Sen, president."

HUBBARD MUST PAY

The First Wife of the Roycrofter Chief Demands Profits.

Buffalo, Jan. 5.—Elbert Hubbard must file an answer in 20 days to the suit of his first wife, Bertha Hubbard, for $12,000, which she demands as her share of the profits of Roycroft stock in East Aurora subsequent to the divorce she secured in August, 1902, Mr. Justice Woodward, in special term, overruled the demurrer filed by Hubbard, and ordered him to pay the costs.

Mrs. Hubbard says that when she gave way to her husband's affinity, in consideration of her surrender of her dower rights in the Roycroft property, the new wife promised to give to her stock worth $10,000 in the bookbindery, and guaranteed a dividend of 12 per cent, which has not been paid.

SUPERINTENDENTS CONFER

Grand Trunk Officials Held Monthly Meeting at Union Station.

Toronto, Jan. 5.—The divisional superintendents of the Grand Trunk Railway held their monthly meeting at the Union Station yesterday morning, with Transportation Manager W. G. Brownlee presiding. Among those present were: W. E. Gillen, superintendent of the middle division; W. S. Cunningham, superintendent of the western division, Detroit; P. J. Lynch, superintendent of the northern division, Allandale; H. E. Whittenberger, superintendent of the eastern division, Belleville; and J. Donaldson, superintendent at Ottawa. Estimates for 1912 were discussed, as well as plans for the year's operations.

REV. DR. GRACEY DEAD

Was Founder of the International Missionary Union.

Clifton Springs, N. Y., Jan. 5.—The Rev. Dr. John Talbot Gracey, a founder and president since its organization of the International Missionary Union, died here today. In early life Dr. Gracey was for seven years a Methodist Episcopal missionary in India.

He was first secretary of the India conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church and president of that conference in 1867. He was for eighteen years editor of the Northern Christian Advocate, also one of the editors of the Missionary Review of the World.

WINGHAM FUNERAL.

Wingham, Jan. 5.—Owing to arrangements made by Dr. Kennedy, the remains of William Rennie will not be interred in Potter's Field. Dr. Kennedy purchased a lot in the cemetery, and is defraying all the expenses in connection with his burial.

Constipation is the cause of many ailments and disorders that make life miserable. Take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, keep your bowels regular and you will avoid these diseases. For sale by all dealers. 5

Canada's Building For Last Year

Toronto, Jan. 6.—The financial Post in its current issue will publish the following summary of the building statistics for the eleven months to Dec. 1:

The building figures for the month of November, published in the Post on the 16th, proved disappointing, 13 eastern cities showing a total gain of 2.9 per cent, and eleven western cities a total loss of 9.6 per cent, or a total loss east and west of 3.0 per cent compared with 1910. The following figures, however, embracing eleven months of the year, redeem the disappointment, and show a total gain of 28 per cent, the eastern cities of but 4.9 per cent, and the western 51.5 per cent. Only one of the western cities shows a decline, and five in the eastern section are in similar position, including Montreal and Ottawa. In actual increase Calgary still leads the whole, Vancouver and Winnipeg taking second and third places, followed by Toronto, Regina and Saskatoon in fourth, fifth and sixth positions. According to percentage, Calgary also leads, followed by Moosejaw and Regina, Victoria, Edmonton and Windsor in the next three positions, the last two being equal. Saskatoon and Hamilton follow with 64 and 63 respectively. In actual building Toronto of course, leads, Winnipeg second, Vancouver third, Montreal fourth, Calgary fifth, and Regina sixth, Saskatoon and Hamilton following closely.

BUILDING PERMITS FOR 11 MONTHS (January to November).

	1911.	1910.	Increase or Decrease.
Berlin	$ 364,690	$ 347,525	$ 17,165
Halifax	410,796	450,734	*39,938
Hamilton	4,163,430	2,555,055	1,608,375
Kingston	311,259	219,597	91,662
London	849,327	741,989	107,338
Montreal	13,957,210	15,859,059	*1,901,849
Ottawa	2,802,550	2,848,300	*45,750
Peterboro	341,257	508,718	*167,461
St. John	568,700	513,625	45,075
St. Thomas	283,415	276,250	1,165
Sydney	486,642	334,754	151,888
Toronto	22,583,507	19,774,518	2,808,989
Westmount	1,456,582	2,130,020	*674,438
Windsor	658,365	369,340	289,025
Brandon	1,022,604	939,928	82,676
Calgary	12,209,478	5,235,294	6,974,184
Edmonton	3,597,525	2,017,785	1,579,740
Fort William	2,488,610	1,976,990	511,620
Moosejaw	2,425,736	1,046,090	1,379,646
Nelson	100,050	116,580	43,470
Port Arthur	588,210	815,896	*227,686
Prince Albert	921,145	639,475	281,670
Regina	5,018,110	2,330,613	2,687,497
Saskatoon	4,609,301	2,811,171	1,798,130
Vancouver	16,060,157	12,196,240	3,863,917
Victoria	3,783,965	2,066,295	1,717,670
Winnipeg	17,343,850	14,136,200	3,207,650
Total, 14 Eastern Cities	$49,228,730	$46,929,484	$2,297,246
Total, 13 Western Cities	$70,228,741	$46,328,557	$23,900,184
Total, East and West	$119,455,471	$93,258,041	$26,197,430
North Vancouver	$ 717,043		
Galt	282,334		

*Decline.

GERMANY DISCUSSING PAPER PULP PROBLEM

Berlin Wants Washington To Extend the Exemption Made to the Dominion.

Berlin, Jan. 5. — The controversy now going on in America and Europe on the subject of the paper pulp duties is occupying the close attention of official circles here. It is understood, however, that Germany has not taken any steps in the matter, and that she is waiting in the hope that the United States Congress will make universal the exemptions in that respect enjoyed by Canada, which under the act for Canadian reciprocity passed by the American Congress is accorded the free admission of wood pulp under certain stipulated conditions, or that the customs court in Washington will decide to that effect. Germany might, it is thought, in the last resort appeal to The Hague.

No communication whatever on the subject has yet passed between the German foreign office and Washington or the American embassy here.

The situation respecting the admission of wood pulp is that under the act for Canadian reciprocity passed by the American Congress, although Canada refused to pass a reciprocal act, provision is made for the free admission of wood pulp under certain stipulated conditions.

The contention of Germany and other foreign countries having treaties with the United States containing favored-nation clauses is that it now becomes the duty of the United States to admit free of duty their wood pulp on precisely the same terms as are applied to Canadian wood pulp. Under direction of President Taft this contention of Germany and other foreign countries is to be referred to the customs court recently established in Washington. The German Government holds that this court is not competent to pass upon the terms of a treaty, and that under the limits prescribed by the act of Congress creating the court of customs it has no jurisdiction over a matter of that sort. Moreover, it is held that the customs court is purely an American institution and would be likely to decide a question of this sort in favor of its own Government.

GERMANY'S KAISER FRIEND OF ENGLAND

Lord Lonsdale Says Emperor Has Warmest Feelings Towards British Race.

London, Jan. 5. — Lord Lonsdale, whose intimacy with the Kaiser is well known, has just returned from a visit to his majesty at Potsdom. In an interview tonight Lord Lonsdale sought to dispel the idea of German hostility to England, basing his views on what he saw and heard in Germany.

Lord Lonsdale said he could not possibly repeat anything the Kaiser had said, but he could tell thousands of things which would astonish Englishmen respecting the Kaiser's warm feelings for England and the English generally. He was quite sure that the Kaiser was unable to understand the position which Great Britain took toward Germany in the Morocco business.

Knowing as he does exactly what the Kaiser's views are in regard to war, Lord Lonsdale profoundly disbelieves that there is any ground for a German scare in this country. Of course, he says, there is the strongest trade rivalry, but otherwise the Germans regarded the English as allies, rather than enemies.

But, continued his lordship, the feeling has now gone beyond trade rivalry in consequence of Lloyd-George's amazing speech, when the German gunboat Panther arrived at Agadir. That speech, he said, created such an effect in Germany that it will take many years to live it down. If the Kaiser had not been resolved not to have war with England, said Lord Lonsdale, it would surely be very difficult for any German cabinet to have resisted the popular indignation at the speech. But the Emperor would do anything rather than create a war.

In conclusion Lord Lonsdale said: "I defy anybody to prove me wrong when I say that Germany has no earthly intention, and never had any intention, of attacking England."

PASSIVE RESISTANCE FOR ULSTER UNIONISTS

How They Propose to Resist Home Rule If the Measure Is Passed.

Omagh, Ireland, Jan. 5.—A large meeting against home rule was held here today and thousands attended. Eighteen special trains were hired for the occasion.

Sir Edward Carson, the former solicitor-general, and chairman of the Ulster Unionist party, who is leading the fight against home rule, presided at the meeting, and the Duke of Abercorn sent a letter wishing success to the movement.

Sir Edward Carson, in his speech, spoke of his position in resisting a home rule bill. He said that if he was a rebel it could be tested in the law courts. If his determination that Ireland should remain a part of the United Kingdom meant that he was a rebel, he would plead guilty and let the Government do its worst.

Will Not Submit.

London, Jan. 5. — Some Unionist papers have been predicting that Ulster will fight rather than submit to a Nationalist parliament. Authorities unnamed are cited as declaring that the Ulster men are preparing for battle by gathering stocks of rifles and secretly drilling. These myths, which have already been exploded several times, persist in making their reappearance at regular intervals.

Even Sir Edward Carson, who at one time was among the loudest in shouting that Ulster would fight to the bitter end, has now apparently dropped that argument, for in an interview given to a special correspondent of the Daily Mail, he propounds a new plan of resistance.

"We will not have home rule," said Sir Edward. "We shall fight in this way: The Ulster people will refuse to recognize a Dublin parliament. For instance, farmers who owe installments for land will not pay them to a Dublin executive. If sheriffs and officers come to Ulster and try to sell farms they will find no one to buy. We do not desire any avoidance of debt obligations, so resistance must be active, not passive."

"The only solution is that a council in Belfast must take up the executive duties. There will not be a fight, but a deadlock. In the sequel it will come to this issue: The Dublin parliament will have no troops. If they want troops to force us, they must ask England to send them. The essential question is: Would the English Parliament accede to such a request from the Dublin Parliament, and send troops to enforce an executive order of which England had no official knowledge and over which they had no control?"

The Daily Mail's correspondent adds: "Those who regard Sir Edward Carson as a sort of comic king from the pages of Anthony Hope should have heard him deprecating all mention of arms, and also all talk of dying in the last ditch."

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