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SCARCITY OF MEN AT PORT ARTHUR

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The Date Has Been Fixed For Provincial Elections

Nominations to Take Place on January 18—Polling on the 25th.

Toronto, Dec. 13. — An announcement has been made of the date for holding the Ontario general elections.

Nominations will be held on the 18th of January and polling a week later—Jan. 25.

Toronto, Dec. 13. — His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor yesterday assented to dissolution of the Legislature, and signed the necessary papers. The election for the new House will take place on Jan. 25.

Owing to the legislation at the last session, writs for bye-elections were to issue within three months from the date at which any seat was vacated for any cause. North Perth was vacated on Sept. 6, and the time for the issue of the writ expired Dec. 6, although the notice to the clerk of the Legislative Assembly was not received until Sept. 15. On the vacation of a seat the statute provides that the writs should, after the specified limitations, issue forthwith. There was some difference of opinion as to whether the writ should issue within three months from the date at which the seat was actually vacated, or from the time at which the clerk received notice of the judgment of the trial judges. The Government, not anxious to use the extreme limit of time on account of his doubt, has dissolved the Assembly. It is understood the writs will be dated Dec. 29.

The campaign will open next week, when it is the intention of the Premier to commence a tour, during which he will address public meetings in a number of the constituencies.

The last general election for the Province was held on May 29, 1902, and the first session of the tenth Parliament of Ontario opened on March 10 of the following year. The session continued until March 31, when an adjournment was made until April 21 to allow of the investigation into the charges made by Mr. Gamey against Hon. Mr. Stratton. On the last-mentioned date the session resumed, concluding on June 27.

Last year the session started on Jan. 14 and prorogation took place on April 26. Under the British North America act the Legislature must assemble within one year of the date of the previous prorogation, but there is no fixed day within the period named for such an event. Therefore, the next legislative session will be within the meaning of the act if it is commenced before April 26 next.

Only one other provincial parliament dissolved before running its natural course; that was the one which commenced its first session on Jan. 23, 1884, and dissolved on March 25, 1886.

Ideal Day for Reception of Lord Grey at Capital

The Governor-General Given a Hearty Welcome—A Great Crowd Present.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 13.—Earl Grey, Canada's new Governor - General, Countess Grey and party got a hearty welcome upon arriving at the capital today. It was ideal weather, in fact, a typical Canadian winter day. The special train from Halifax reached here precisely at 11 o'clock. Some five hours between Coteau Junction and Ottawa, a distance of 75 miles, so as not to arrive before the appointed hour.

On the special train were Hon. William Paterson, Hon. L. H. Brodeur, Justices Sedgwick and Killam and several others.

A large crowd assembled at the depot here to receive their excellencies. Among these present were Sir Richard Cartwright, Hon. R. W. Scott, the mayor and alderman of Ottawa, and the headquarters militia staff, as well as the leading citizens.

Earl Grey was received by Sir Richard Cartwright and Hon. R. W. Scott. There was a guard of honor from the Governor-General's Foot Guards, and as soon as his excellency stepped from the car, the band of the regiment played "God Save the King," and a detachment of the Ottawa Field battery fired a salute of 19 guns. The Princess Louise Dragoon Guards furnished a mounted escort, which accompanied the vice-regal party to Rideau Hall.

Lady Evelin and Lady Sybil occupied the first carriage, with Captain Newton. Then followed Earl and Lady Grey and Col. Hanbury Williams. They were cheered as they drove along the streets to Government House. The railway station was decorated with flags. In the afternoon the mayor and city council will go to Rideau Hall and present Earl Grey with an address of welcome.

Mr. Calvert, the Liberal whip, is here today meeting Mr. George Taylor, chief Conservative whip, with a view to arranging the seats for the new members in the House of Commons.

MADE WEALTH OUT OF WATER

History of Amalgamated Copper as Told by Mr. Thomas Lawson.

New York, Dec. 12.—The history of amalgamated copper as detailed by T. M. Lawson is another repetition of the marvelous method of manufacturing exchangeable wealth out of water. The original outlay for the copper properties controlled by the Amalgamated Company as stated by Lawson was $39,000,000. The company was formed by what is known as a branch of the Standard Oil crowd, consisting of Henry H. Rogers, William Rockefeller and James Stillman, of the National City Bank, and was capitalized at $75,000,000.

The stock was first offered for public subscription at par on May 4, 1899, and the total applications were stated to have amounted to $412,000,000. After the floatation it is charged by Mr. Lawson that the market was rigged by the original promoters, and most of the issue recovered at 33, which had been palmed off on the public at 100. In June, 1901, the authorized stock was increased to $155,000,000 to acquire the stocks of the Boston, Montana and Butte and Boston companies. The record of the stock exchange shows the price of the stock to have been as high as 130 in 1901, and as low as 60½. No report or statement of the company's earnings has ever been made public, and the only evidence of prosperity or depression has come in the form of increased or decreased dividends.

In 1900 the company paid 8 per cent, and this rate was continued till October, 1901, when this rate was reduced to 1½ per cent for the quarter. In January, 1902, the rate was further cut to 1 per cent per quarter, while again in May the return was dropped to ½ of one per cent a quarter. During the long slump in Wall street stocks in 1902-3 Amalgamated gradually dropped until it reached 37. From this point the price has gradually recovered until a week ago it had reached 82¾.

Recently much rumor has taken place of a possible increase in the dividend rate owing to the appreciation in the value of the output, copper metal having advanced from around 11c a pound last year to the current price of 15¼c a pound. The company was recently stated to have gone behind on its finances to the extent of $8,000,000, which was loaned by the directors.

On Saturday it was announced that a dividend of $50 a share had been declared by the Boston and Montana Mining Company (one of the subsidiary concerns) of the amalgamated copper company, and as this amounted to over $7,000,000 it was surmised that this payment would be utilized to pay off the floating debt to the directors.

Lord Curzon on Duty.

Calcutta, Dec. 13. — Lord Curzon reassumed office this morning as Viceroy of India. There was a brilliant gathering in the council chamber to witness the ceremony.

TOOK HIS SEAT IN DEATH CHAIR

Italian Charged With Murder Electrocuted at the Auburn Prison.

Auburn, N. Y., Dec. 13. — Nelson Boggiano, an Italian, who came here from Buffalo, walked to the chair of death in Auburn Prison at 6:20 this morning and met his fate unflinchingly.

Boggiano was 23 years of age when he committed the crime that cost him his life. It was on the afternoon of June 29, 1903, in Buffalo. He had become infatuated with the wife of a neighbor, Henry Bender, and was determined to get rid of the husband. While his victim slept he crept into the house and fired two shots into him, then dragging him from the bed to a sink in the kitchen, over which he held his head, while he slashed his throat until he had nearly decapitated his victim.

Bender bled to death, and as as his murderer was preparing to leave, the wife came upon the scene from the yard, where she had been hanging out clothes, gave the alarm and Boggiano was arrested red-handed. He did not make any resistance. He was convicted and was sentenced Oct. 5, 1903, to die the following month. An appeal to the court of appeals failed of a new trial, but delayed death for a year.

THE WEATHER.

Tomorrow—Fair and Cold.

London, Tuesday, Dec. 13.

Sun rises..7:42 a.m. Moon rises..12:00 mid.
Sun sets...4:41 p.m. Moon sets...11:21 p.m.

Toronto, Dec. 12—8 p.m.

Light snowfalls have occurred today in Western Ontario, while elsewhere in Canada the weather has been fair. The temperatures continue low from Manitoba to the Maritime Provinces, and are unseasonably high in the Territories.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 44—48; Kamloops, 32—36; Calgary, 28—36; Winnipeg, 24 below—2 below; Port Arthur, zero—6; Parry Sound, 2—14; Toronto, 12—18; Ottawa, zero—8; St. John, 2—16; Yarmouth, 14—24.

FORECASTS.

Tuesday, Dec. 13—8 a.m.

Today—Fresh northwesterly winds; fair. Wednesday—Continued fair and cold.

TEMPERATURES.

Stations.	8 a.m.	Min.	Weather.
Calgary	12	12	Clear
Winnipeg	—10	—16	Clear
Parry Sound....	— 4	— 6	Clear
Toronto	6	6	Fair
Ottawa	0	0	Fair
Montreal	0	0	Clear
Quebec	2	— 6	Cloudy
Father Point....	8	2	Cloudy

The sign — indicates below zero.

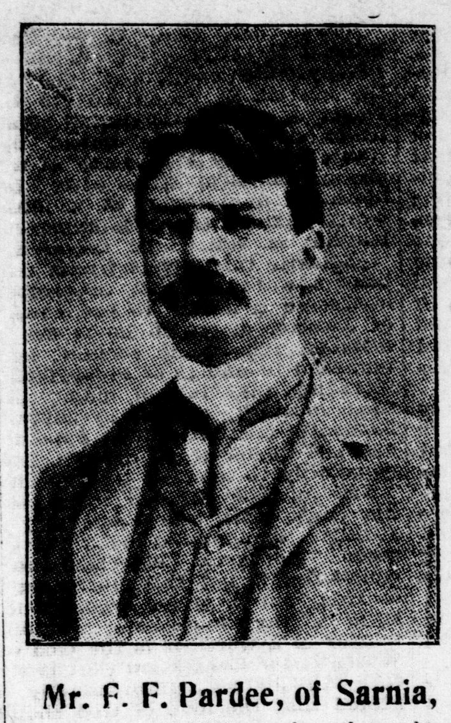
WEATHER NOTES.

The weather continues very cold from Manitoba to the Maritime Provinces, and comparatively mild in the far west. Zero temperatures were prevalent this morning in Northern Ontario and in Quebec.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the local observatory for the 24 hours ended at 8 p.m. Monday were: Highest, 24°; lowest, 15.5°.

LIBERAL CANDIDATE IN WEST LAMBTON



Mr. F. F. Pardee, of Sarnia,

A former member who has been renominated for the Legislature.

BATTLE AT A CATHEDRAL

Procession of 6,000 Women in Conflict With a Political Turnout.

Madrid, Dec. 13.—During the feast of the Virgin at Valencia, a procession of 6,000 women bearing lighted tapers to the cathedral came in conflict with a Republican demonstration, and a general fight ensued. Gendarmes fired several rounds from their carbines into the mob. Many persons, including women, were wounded.

A SERIOUS FIRE IN WINNIPEG

Large Hardware Establishment in Flames—Fire in Wyoming.

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 13.—MacDonald & Fleming's hardware establishment on Main street, is burning. The firemen are fighting hard to keep the fire from spreading, and apparently have the flames confined to the one establishment, which is badly gutted. The loss will amount to fully $10,000 dollars. Insurance. J. H. MacLean's music store, next door to the burning building, also suffered to some extent from smoke and water.

FIRE AT WYOMING.

Wyoming, Ont., Dec. 13. — The barn of the Commercial Hotel, owned by Duggan & Dempsey, was totally destroyed by fire last night. Loss about $1,000, partly covered by insurance.

Actress Marries Millionaire.

Denver, Col., Dec. 13. — Miss Nina Rudolph, leading lady of the San Toy Company, and Jefferson J. Graves, of Jameson, California, reputed a millionaire, have been married by a justice of the peace of this city. The couple immediately left for California.

WRECKED IN A GALE

Steamer Driven Ashore on Scottish Coast—Two Lives Lost.

Glasgow, Scotland, Dec. 13.—A small steamer was driven ashore in a gale this morning near the mouth of the Spey. The whole crew, numbering ten, were drowned.

Vineyard Haven, Mass., Dec. 13.—A three-masted schooner, lumber laden, went ashore during the night on Squash Meadow shoal off this port, and is believed to be in a dangerous condition. A high wind and a tremendous sea prevented tugs from venturing out.

ALL A MISTAKE

Story of Displacing the Doxology at Chicago University Denied.

Chicago, Dec. 13. — The statement that the Doxology had been displaced at the University of Chicago and that instead of "Old Hundred," "Alma Mater" would be sung at the close of the junior college chapel service was a mistake.

The Doxology was never sung at the close of the service, but at the beginning, where it continues to be sung.

The "Alma Mater," which has been substituted for a concluding hymn, has itself the characteristics of a hymn, dignity and elevation of sentiment. But it does not displace the Doxology or impair the religious tone of the exercise.

Wants Reciprocal Tariff.

San Francisco, Dec. 13. — J. H. Witherford, a member of the New Zealand Parliament, has arrived here. He is on his way to Washington, where he hopes to interest the officials of the state in a plan for a reciprocal tariff between the United States and the Australian colonies.

WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH THE MOON?

Lick Observatory People Have Discovered a Big Crack in Luna's Face.

Berkeley, California, Dec. 13. — The discovery of a great crack or rill in the face of the moon, which extends lengthwise through the Valley of the Alps for a distance of 80 miles, is one of the facts announced in the latest bulletin issued from the Lyck Observatory. The rill on the moon was discovered by Assistant Astronomer J. D. Perrine with the 36-inch telescope. The rill is in the nature of a crack in the moons crust, or of a dry river bed, only a few hundred feet in width, and some 80 miles in length, extending through the center of the valley. It can be seen only under good atmospheric conditions when the sun is shining upon it at the proper angle.

The North Sea Outrage.

Paris, Dec. 13. — The international commission to inquire into the North Sea incident is expected to meet here Dec. 20, and proceed with the selection of a fifth admiral to complete the commission and arrange the procedure. The real work will begin early in January.

His Wife's Swindling Was All News to Dr. Chadwick

Revelations Came as a Horrible Shock to Himself and His Daughter.

Paris, Dec. 13. — Dr. Leroy S. Chadwick, of Cleveland, O., Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick's husband, was interviewed by the New York World correspondent at his hotel here.

Dr. Chadwick, who seemed to be under great nervous tension, said positively that he knew and has known nothing of his wife's "alleged business transactions" and that the revelations concerning them and her have "all come as a horrible shock to him."

Dr. Chadwick declared that, so far as he knew, Mrs. Chadwick does not know Andrew Carnegie, the ironmaster, and has never even met him.

Nevertheless the doctor resented the comparison of his wife's transactions with those of Mme. Humbert, and said he believes Mrs. Chadwick simply negotiated paper she thought was good.

The World's correspondent learned the hotel where Dr. Chadwick and his child, by his first wife, are stopping. He called up the doctor on the telephone and asked him to grant an interview.

"Come to see me," Dr. Chadwick answered over the wire. "But how will I know you?" Then he added, in a weak, nervous voice, "I will carry a white handkerchief in my right hand, and you do likewise."

Dr. Chadwick said he would seat himself outside the door of the billiard-room of his hotel at a certain hour.

The correspondent found a young-looking man, seemingly not more than 35 years old, sitting in the place appointed. So youthful was his appearance that his visitor would not have suspected he was Dr. Chadwick had not he held a white handkerchief in his right hand. Mutual self-introductions followed.

"Whatever you do," the doctor began, "do not mention the name of this hotel in your dispatches, for I shall refuse to see all other newspaper correspondents."

Dr. Chadwick's voice trembled, and as he continued he regained nothing of his composure.

"Did you leave America because you knew the transactions charged against your wife were about to be ventilated?"

"No; I had not the slightest intimation that my wife had any such business connections," replied Dr. Chadwick. "All these accusations came as a horrible shock. But, after all, I know only what I read in the newspapers."

"Have you any idea why your wife used Andrew Carnegie's name instead of that of any other immensely wealthy man, such as Rockefeller or Morgan? Does she know Mr. Carnegie?"

"As far as I know she does not know the famous Carnegie, and has never met him. But I believe she simply negotiated paper which she believed to be good. I notice that the Paris newspapers are trying to draw an analogy between Mrs. Chadwick and Mme. Humbert. That is impossible. The Humbert woman deliberately defrauded people."

Dr. Chadwick had a copy of a Paris newspaper containing his wife's portrait. The picture showed a handsome woman, but after regarding it fixedly he exclaimed:

"That's not her picture! She is much better looking."

"All this is a stunning blow to me," he continued, still holding the newspaper and glancing at it occasionally. "I am a practicing physician in Cleveland, and am making a good living. I am absolutely without an inkling of such doings as my wife is accused of.

"She in no way needed money. My daughter Mary, who is with me, is 19 years old, and so fully appreciates what all this means to me. Like me, she is greatly shocked by the newspaper reports; nor can she understand why Andrew Carnegie's name figures so largely. I saw my wife last just prior to Nov. 15. She looked and behaved as usual. She gave me no sign of being engaged in any unusual or large business transactions."

"Did your daughter last month cable Mr. Reynolds, the Cleveland banker, asking him for money?"

"That is something I will not deny or affirm," answered Dr. Chadwick. "If Reynolds wishes to talk about the incident he can."

Judging by Dr. Chadwick's manner throughout the interview, he is an extremely weak man, who could be easily controlled, even hypnotized, by a strong woman. He never let from his hand the newspaper which had given him the opportunity to mention that his wife is good-looking.

He seized an occasion to mention that he neither drinks nor smokes nor chews tobacco. He frequently declared he did not go abroad because he knew the facts about Mrs. Chadwick's transactions were about to be made public; as often he pleaded absolute ignorance of all of them.

He refused to answer more questions, saying finally:

"Let me sleep on all this. I do not believe in talking when I do not know where I am. But if I determine to make a fuller statement I will send you word."

Dr. Chadwick and his daughter are now going to the Riviera, as has been reported.

Owed Thousands in Brussels

Brussels, Belgium, Dec. 13. — In a futile search in this city for Dr. Leroy S. Chadwick, the Etoile Belge asserts that it has discovered that his wife left debt in Brussels, notably $18,000 due to a jeweler, and $12,000 owing to a lace merchant. Mrs. Chadwick while in Brussels lived expensively, her hotel bill alone amounting to $30 per day.

THE BEARS RULE IN WALL STREET

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