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BOGUS BALLOT BOX PLOT THICKENING POLICE MAGISTRATE OF BANCROFT IN IT

Now a Patient in St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto, But Declines to Discuss the Accusation Made by Editor Bremner.

SOMEBODY IN TORONTO KNOWS MORE OF CASE THAN REVEALED

Some of Persons Directly Connected With the Conspiracy Were Delegates to the Liberal Convention Held on Wednesday and Thursday Last.

After two days of satisfactory progress in the bogus ballot box investigation at Belleville, the prosecution will take till next Friday before calling other witnesses. On Saturday afternoon two important pieces of information were disclosed. They came just at a time when the spectators were expecting nothing in the nature of revelations. What occurred made everybody sit up and take notice.

These revelations point to a connection between the chief named conspirators and somebody in Toronto, presumably an officer of the Ontario Liberal Association. An employe of the crown lands department is also involved. The makers of the trick boxes have given the court a signed letter, declaring that the person who put thru the deal with them for the boxes for the West Hastings and Frontenac elections told them that bogus ballot boxes worked with a spring had been made in Ogdensburg for years and "drowned" after being used. They were ordered by the "High Muck-a-Muck in Toronto."

Somerset House Conference.

The crown lands official involved is John J. Kelly. He was present in a room in the Somerset House, Toronto, on Thursday last, when Byron O. Lott, Liberal candidate; Samuel Harryett, police magistrate at Bancroft, and George Weese, one of the deputy returning officers in West Hastings in the late election, tried to induce Editor John R. Bremner of Bancroft to perjure himself in connection with this case. The statesmen from Hastings were here attending the Liberal purity convention held on Wednesday and Thursday, but how the government official was brought to the "school for election witnesses" is not yet explained.

After the testimony of Bremner was in the crown at once took proceedings to arrest Samuel Harryett, the Bancroft police magistrate. He is lying in a semi-private ward in St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto. On Saturday an operation was performed for the removal of a growth on his right hand, and he is also suffering from a sprained ankle. One of his visitors on Sunday was a World representative. The magistrate had read the papers containing a report of Bremner's evidence, but he declined to make a statement.

Roster of Workers.

With Harryett under surveillance the roll of distinguished election workers who figure in the conspiracy case stands thus:

W. J. SHIBLEY, Liberal candidate in Frontenac, fugitive from justice.

BYRON O. LOTT, Liberal candidate, under $2000 bonds to appear on Tuesday, but now probably a fugitive.

SAMUEL HARRYETT, several times Liberal candidate, and now police magistrate at Bancroft, under surveillance, in St. Michael's Hospital this city.

FRANCIS J. REILLY, teacher of Latin and Greek in Regiopolis College, Kingston, in jail at Belleville. Bail fixed at $2000, but not furnished.

THOMAS E. WHELAN, officer of inland revenue department, Prescott, under $2000 bonds to appear on Friday.

EDWARD G. RUTTAN, deputy returning officer in the late election, under $2000 bonds to appear on Friday.

JOSEPH HAWKEYE, or Hawkey, a professional wrestler of Chicago, deputy returning officer at the Ardoch poll, Frontenac, for whom the police are searching. Hawkeye is advertised to wrestle one Rousseau in Kingston on Thursday night next.

TORONTO MAN NAMED.

Kelly of Crown Lands Department Present at Notorious Conference

Belleville, Nov. 26.—(Special.)—An official of the crown lands department, one Kelly, was present in the Somerset Hotel, Toronto, on Thursday last when Byron O. Lott, Samuel Harryett, and George Weese, endeavored to persuade John R. Bremner, the Bancroft editor, to conceal his knowledge of the bogus ballot box conspiracy. This statement was given in the box this afternoon by Bremner. When he was in the box earlier in the day Mr. DuVernet, advised him to refresh his memory and tell all he knew. After thinking the matter over he volunteered this evidence which created a sensation.

Byron O. Lott, Sam Harryett, Geo. Weese and Bremner were all in Toronto for the Liberal convention. Bremner knew Kelly, having seen him several times in the crown lands department. Kelly was present during the interview in the Somerset House. They were all there when Bremner arrived about 7 or 8 o'clock. At the interview they pressed Bremner not to disclose what he knew. He did not remember what part Kelly took in the conversation. Kelly did not advise. He is in the sales and free grants office.

Bremner told them he could not conceal anything. On the following day Bremner saw Kelly in the crown lands department. He did not refer to the matter.

One of the clerks spoke about Kelly coming in late, and Bremner said something about his being out the night before. Kelly then asked Bremner not to say anything about it, as the clerks might tell Mr. White about his being out drinking. Bremner thought Kelly knew what the subjects of the interview of the night before were.

"Did you have any idea why they had Mr. Kelly there?"

"No."

"What, Mr. Kelly with the free grants?"

Asked why he did not give this information before Bremner said he

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To Buy Up Ontario.

Montreal, Nov. 27.—"There is enough left after financing the federal contest to give the Ross government the biggest election fund ever possessed by any party managers in the Province of Ontario."

This statement was made here yesterday by a gentleman from Ottawa, who is in very close touch with the electoral machine in the sister province. He is not a party man, but is closely connected with one of the big corporations so dear to the hearts of the Ontario machine, and did not hesitate to say that altho Hon. G. W. Ross had no personal knowledge that the tremendous corruption fund was deposited in two or three banks at the disposition of the friends of the Ontario government, it would be used with telling effect at the opportune time.

This, he says, is the way an attempt will be made at once to purchase Ontario for Ross and the corporations. They estimate, he added, that there are to-day twenty absolutely sure counties in Ontario for the Ross government, and that thirty additional ones will have to be secured before another attempt is made to carry on business at the old stand in Queen's Park, and they are in a position to spend $20,000 in each of the thirty divisions. It looks as if the corruption fund in question would reach three-quarters of a million dollars.

Then your correspondent asked the meaning of those purity resolutions adopted at the recent Toronto convention, and here is the Ottawa man's answer, "The men who voted to condemn corruption were of three classes: one-third of the lot were sincere and one-third were hypocrites, and the other third fools." He concluded by saying that Premier Ross and the editor of The Globe knew absolutely nothing of the attempt that was about to be made to buy up the Province of Ontario.

WEESE IS BLAMED BY KELLY FOR BRINGING IN HIS NAME

John J. of the Crown Lands Department Declares He Knows Nothing of Bogus Ballot Boxes.

John J. Kelly, who is mentioned in the Belleville despatches, as having been present in a room in the Somerset House when the "crooked" ballot box case was discussed, is well known in the city. He is a clerk in the Crown Lands department, and is a son of Daniel Kelly, inspector of weights and measures. He formerly resided at 3 Laurier-avenue, but broke up housekeeping a short time ago.

Yesterday Kelly admitted having been in the Somerset House with the men mentioned in the despatch, but denies knowing anything about the ballot box fraud. He is very sore that his name has been brought into the case and blames Weese for it.

Byron Lott was in the habit of visiting the sales and free grants office in the crown lands department in the interests of the constituents he was nursing. During these frequent visits he became familiar with Kelly, who was fond of a companionable acquaintance.

RAILWAYS PREPARED FOR BATTLE

With First Fall of Snow the Plows Are Made Ready for Service.

The battle of the railways against the Storm King is about due to begin, if it has not already started. At midnight local C. P. R. despatchers received word from London that there was no less than 22 inches of snow upon the ground, and the piling-up still going on. On the line from Woodstock to St. Thomas there was a uniform depth of a foot, but 30 miles west of London there was barely an inch, showing that the extent of the storm was comparatively narrow. None of the passenger trains were bothered in keeping to their scheduled time, but the freight trains on the lines affected were a trifle delayed because of the heavy going. Both C. P. R. and Grand Trunk have their full equipment for fighting the elements distributed at points all along their lines, with particular attention to the northern branches, and from now on the snow plow and hange will have their usefulness tested.

LONDON IN MOB PERIL.

London, Nov. 27.—The sudden onset of winter, which came with exceptional severity, has brought into dangerous relief the unemployed labor problem of London, where starving workless desperate men are gathered in large gangs in many parks. A big force of police had to disperse one in Fulham, which assumed a threatening attitude toward the local shops. All authorities agree that not for 12 years has the number of unemployed been so high or the difficulty so menacing.

SNOW IN SEAFORTH.

Seaforth, Nov. 27.—Between midnight and daylight Sunday morning, over 2 feet of snow fell on the level in this district, being the heaviest fall of snow ever known here in such a short space of time. Very few were in attendance at the churches this morning, the streets in town and country roads for both pedestrians and conveyances being almost blocked.

The weatherman says that the only other place where snow fell was Parry Sound.

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The Canadian Club.

The guest of the Canadian Club at to-day's luncheon in the Temple Building will be Capt. A. T. Hunter, the well-known witty platform speaker, who will address the club on the subject "The Higher Hay-Forkism in Canada." The luncheon will be at 1 o'clock, as usual.

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WHAT THE PREMIER MAY DO BUT HE HAS TO ACT QUICK

Likely That Dissolution Will Be Announced After Cabinet Meeting on Tuesday.

Premier Ross has missed the psychological moment for dissolution, and every day of delay weakens his chances of success. Had the delegates been able to take home with them the inspiration of a task to accomplish the moral effect would have been immense. Opportunity for reflection, and to confront the cold facts of the situation, is an opportunity for the courage gained in Massey Hall to ooze away in the sober surroundings of the rural constituencies.

Only one thing is certain. There must be a dissolution. The probabilities are that the plunge will be taken this week, perhaps after Tuesday's cabinet. Whether the date of the elections will be before or after Christmas has yet to be settled. As 22 days' notice necessary, if the election is to be held before Christmas the announcement must be made this week.

The shake-up in the cabinet is admittedly a temporary one. The premier stated as much on Saturday. The proposed creation of a minister of colonization and labor will necessitate this, and Hon. F. E. A. Evanturel was nominated by Mr. Ross as the next commissioner of public works.

The only rumor as to the date of election, besides that of the 20th, which gained any credence on Saturday, was the 27th of December.

LANSDOWNE ISSUES WARNING.

London, Nov. 27.—Foreign Minister Lansdowne has written a letter to the chamber of shipping, chambers of commerce and other similar bodies, giving further warning with reference to British colliers and the second Baltic squadron, explaining that British owners chartering their vessels for such purposes as following the Russian fleet with coal and supplies might render themselves liable to proceedings under the foreign enlistment act, the applicable sections of which he quoted. Lord Lansdowne then refers to the fact that a similar question arose during the Franco-German war, when Mr. Gladstone laid down the principle that such colliers would to all intents and purposes become store ships to the fleet. "Therefore," concludes Lord Lansdowne, "altho neutral traders may trade in contraband at the risk of capture, they should bear in mind the conditions of the English law."

FAMINE BREWS IN IRELAND.

Dublin, Nov. 27.—Famine is brewing thruout a large part of Connemara, where the potato crop, the staple winter food of the poor, has been destroyed by continuous rains. The peasants of this, the poorest part of Ireland, have obtained no benefit from the new land act, as their position could be ameliorated only by enlargement of their miserable holdings, toward which the act achieves nothing practical. The rents paid by these unhappy people are not earned out of the land, but by the men going to England and Scotland for harvesting operations each year. The distress already is widespread, but will not reach its acutest stage until after Christmas, by which time government relief works probably will be started.

CAMPEAU FOR CHIEF.

Montreal, Nov. 27.—Detective Campeau has been recommended to the city council by the police committee for chief of police. The city fathers will take action to-morrow.

LONDON CANADIANS WIN.

(Canadian Associated Press Cable.)

London, Nov. 27.—The London Canadians beat the Princess Club of Knightsbridge, London, at ice hockey on the Princess Rink by 9 goals to 3.

Hurt in a Capsize.

Kingston, Nov. 27.—In a capsize of a hook and ladder wagon in going to a fire this afternoon, Collman Turner was badly injured by striking his head on the ground when thrown off. Chief Elmer had his side strained. The driver held fast his lines and brought the horses to a standstill. There were five men on the wagon.

30 People Hurt in Wreck.

Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 27.—A special to The Commercial-Appeal from Columbus, Miss., says a passenger train on the Mobile and Ohio Railroad was derailed late to-day near that town, 25 people being injured.

TO-DAY IN TORONTO.

Ministerial Association, 10.
Canadian Club, Temple, 1 p.m.
Farmers' Institute, Sons Hall, Agincourt, 1.30 p.m.
City council, 3.
Political Science Club, chemistry building, 8 p.m.
Association Hall, Agnes Knox Black, 8 p.m.
Street Railway inquest, Poulton's 8 p.m.
London Old Boys, King Edward Hotel, 8 p.m.
Eva Booth's farewell, Massey Hall, 8.

MADAME'S LUSTROUS EYES FOOLED WEALTHY BANKERS

Woman From Woodstock Fascinates Men and Obtains Large Sums Without Security.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 26.—(Special.)—A Canadian woman prominent in society here as the wife of Dr. Leroy S. Chadwick, a leading physician, and possessed of lustrous black eyes and a magnificent presence, has obtained from bankers and capitalists, by some mysterious power, over a quarter of a million of dollars, without a vestige of security.

The Chadwicks have lived in a spacious brick mansion on Euclid-avenue for years and moved in the highest social circles. Their surroundings were luxurious and invitations to their entertainments sought after eagerly by the very elite.

Banker Brought Action.

Last week Herbert B. Newton, capitalist, of Brookline, Mass., began suit against Mrs. Chadwick for $190,000, alleged to have been obtained under false pretences. The palatial residence was at once closed, the Chadwicks vanished, a deputy sheriff took possession and amazing revelations followed thick and fast.

It was discovered that Mrs. Chadwick was none other than Mme. Lydia De Vere of Toledo, who was sent to the Ohio penitentiary for 10 years in 1899 for a big forgery in which a Toledo millionaire was involved. She served three years and was released on parole. She then met Dr. Chadwick and was married to him in Windsor on Aug. 26, 1897, by Rev. J. R. Gundy.

Born Near Woodstock.

Mrs. Chadwick's maiden name was Annie Bigley. She was born in a small town near Woodstock, Ont., about 47 years ago, of poor but honest parents, and in one of her letters to the prison officials after being paroled, she stated that she was staying with her mother, Mrs. Ann Bigley, in Woodstock. She was tried for forgery in 1879, but acquitted, and her wondrous eyes at that time gave rise to talk that she was possessed of occult power. She has since been known at different times as "Mrs. Hoover," under which name she married Dr. Chadwick, "Mrs. Bagley," "Lydia D. Scott," and "Lydia Chingon."

Mrs. Chadwick is now said to be staying at the Hoffman House, New York, while her husband and stepdaughter are on the continent. The suits entered against her are as follows: H. B. Newton, $190,800; Euclid-avenue Trust Co., $38,231.32; American National Bank, $28,808.25; Savings Deposit Bank, $10,000. Total $267,839.57.

MINTO IN LONDON.

Delayed by Fog He Arrives in Liverpool on Saturday.

(Canadian Associated Press Cable.)

London, Nov. 27.—After being delayed by the fog the Earl of Minto and his family arrived at Liverpool yesterday and immediately proceeded to London. He said his term of office had been a most enjoyable time.

The Standard says Lord Minto's departure, much regretted as it is, at least served to show what never has been so clearly demonstrated before, that the two great races in Canada, tho speaking different languages, are nevertheless inspired by the same national ideals, and are equally attached to the British connection.

DECORATION FOR MARCONI.

Rome, Nov. 27.—The Italian major staff has received a unique gift from Marconi in the form of a wireless telegraph apparatus of a new system, which, it is believed, will render great service to the troops in the field. The apparatus is very simple, and so light in weight that it can be easily carried from place to place by one man. Marconi will be given the decoration of the Civil Order of Savoy for his recompense.

RESCUED AFER NINE DAYS.

San Francisco, Nov. 27.—Somewhere in the northern seas the old barkentine Quickstep, water-logged, deserted and rudderless, is drifting, a derelict. Her crew of ten men have been landed in this city by the steamship Homer, after undergoing nine days of privation and hardship, and losing all their personal belongings.

MADE INTO GLUE.

Poor old Billy, the faithful horse at Rose-avenue fire hall, who on Thursday night died in harness on his way to a fire, after nineteen years in the service of the city, has gone the way of all horse-flesh. His body now lies in the fertilizer works on Danforth-avenue, and will be made up into glue, leather, hair bristles and fertilizer.

German Prince Hangs Himself

Cincinnati, O., Nov. 27.—A man believed to be prominently connected in Germany, committed suicide by hanging himself in his cell at the central police station to-day, where he was registered as Max Rickhardt, aged 27, of Germany. As he registered at three hotels here under different names and under other names in St. Louis and elsewhere thruout the country, he was called the "German prince of many aliases."

Nothing of a Radical Nature.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 27.—One of the most commanding figures and far-seeing statesmen of the empire, whose opinion is of the highest value, but who has declined to permit the use of his name, in conversation with the Associated Press to-day expressed the distinct conviction that nothing in the nature of a radical change in the existing order of things will result from the zemstvo congress.

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WHY?

"Why don't that Gin'ral Stoessel surrindher, annyhow?" asked Mr. Henressy.

"No wan has told him to; he's a German," said Mr. Dooley.

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Bishop Potter Saloon.

Winnipeg, Nov. 27.—The local ministerial association is about to start a "Bishop Potter saloon" here, in the hope that it will do away with excessive drinking. Unlike the New York enterprise, it will be located on a residence street and have a swimming bath, gymnasium and reading room.

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Mr. Ross (after the whitewash): Dear me, some people would almost be tempted to think that mirror was a naughty flatterer.

Port Arthur Fighting Still Continues

—Tokio Despatch

ANOTHER FORT BLOWN UP BY JAPS NEAR FORTRESS

Several Hundred Russians Killed by an Explosion on Erlung Mountain.

London, Nov. 27.—A news agency despatch from Tokio says that the sapping operations against the powerful fort crowning Erlung Mountain, two miles north of Port Arthur, have culminated in the blowing up of the whole north side of the fort.

The explosion was tremendous. The garrison was practically wiped out, several hundred Russian soldiers being killed. The twenty big guns in the fort were demolished.

Bombarded by 300 Guns.

Following the explosion, according to the same news agency despatch, the Japanese concentrated the fire at 300 big guns on Erlung Mountain, the bombardment beginning early this morning.

The Japanese undoubtedly are concentrating their energies for a final assault on the Russian stronghold. They have 450 siege guns in place, and these are reinforced by 132 powerful field guns. There are a large number of six and eight inch naval guns, capable of throwing an enormous weight of steel against the fortresses surrounding Port Arthur.

Nogi's Fighting Strength.

Gen. Nogi, according to the latest figures obtainable, has three divisions of infantry, two brigades of reserves, and a large number of sappers and engineers. The total Japanese force, according to these figures, is approximately 80,000 men.

Recent scraps of information gathered from Russian prisoners indicate that Stoessel's actual fighting force, ORIGINALLY 40,000 MEN, HAS DWINDLED TO LESS THAN 8000 EFFECTIVE MEN. This being the case, Stoessel will soon be reduced to the point where he will not have men enough to hold his forts.

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FIGHTING CONTINUES.

Tokio, Nov. 27.—(6.30.)—Imperial headquarters has just issued the following announcement:

"The works for our attack having been nearly completed against Sungshu Mountains (Port Arthur), and the forts lying eastward therefrom, a general assault was made on the afternoon of Nov. 26, but owing to the enemy's stubborn resistance our object has not yet been accomplished.

"The fighting still continues."

St. Petersburg, Nov. 26.—A despatch received from Gen. Kuropatkin, dated Nov. 26, says: "I have to-day received the following despatch from Gen. Stoessel: 'The Japanese on Nov. 21 made a new attack on Port Arthur, but were repulsed.'"

MEANS JAP LIFE OR DEATH HOW JAPAN VIEWS THE WAR

Premier Katsura Prepared to Sacrifice Last Man and Last Cent for the Conflict.

Tokio, Nov. 27.—Discussing the war and the domestic, financial and political conditions of Japan on the eve of the assembling of the diet, with the correspondent of the Associated Press to-day, Premier Katsura said:

"To ensure peace in the orient and to safeguard our national existence is the aim and purpose of our empire, and no sacrifice shall be too great for successfully effecting this purpose.

"Russia must see that the war cannot be concluded by the issues of a few battles. With us the war means life or death, and not one of our 45,000,000 brethren remains ignorant of the vital issue at stake.

"We are prepared to sacrifice our last man and our last cent for this war.

"The delay in the decisive result of our siege at Port Arthur gives Russia hope of being able to relieve the garrison, and for this purpose she resolved to empty her naval defence at home, while on land corps after corps has been mobilized and sent eastward.

"The military and naval plan of Russia seems to centre in the relief of Port Arthur, and Gen. Kuropatkin's southward advance, which resulted in his serious defeat, had the relief of the garrison as its sole object. But the fall of Port Arthur does not mean the end of the war."

JAPS PRESS KUROPATKIN IN SPITE OF A BLIZZARD

Russian General Reports, However, That They Were Repulsed and Put to Bayonet.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 27.—Gen. Kuropatkin telegraphs a description of a Japanese attack on Nov. 24, against a Russian detachment near Esinkuertchen (Yensienten), on the front of the left bank.

"The fighting," Gen. Kuropatkin says, "was fierce, almost amounting to a bayonet engagement, but the enemy were everywhere repulsed and suffered severely. The attack was renewed the following morning, the Japanese having been reinforced, but again was repulsed, and at 4 o'clock in the afternoon a blizzard and fog greatly hindered artillery fire. The Japanese continued to advance, under cover of the fog, but our forces held their positions and the firing subsequently slackened. The Russian losses were nine killed and 57 wounded.

"On Nov. 26 the Japanese resumed the offensive and endeavored to envelop our left flank whilst advancing against our centre.

"I have received no later reports."

Gen. Kuropatkin also describes the bayoneting of 20 Japanese belonging to a patrol during the reconnoissance the night of Nov. 25.

DEATHS.

FLETCHER—On Sunday evening, Nov. 27, John Fletcher, suddenly, at his residence, 162 St. Patrick-street, Toronto.

Funeral will leave above address Tuesday, Nov. 29, at 1 p.m., for Union Station. Interment at Oakville. Members of Albert Lodge, I.O.O.F., invited.

McWILLIAM—On Saturday, Nov. 26th, 1904, at his late residence, 268 Gerrard-street East, Toronto, George McWilliam, of the firm of McWilliam & Everist.

Funeral from the above address on Tuesday, Nov. 29th, to the Necropolis. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

MYLES—Mrs. Myles, wife of Major Myles, died on Sunday, 13th November, at London, England.

Funeral private from residence, No. 4 Queen's Park, Monday, 28th November, at 3 p.m.

RANDALL—At her late residence, 142 River-street, Nov. 27, after a lingering illness, Naomi, wife of John Randall, in her 64th year.

Funeral Tuesday, 29th inst., at 2.30 p.m.

ROULSTON—At his late residence, 210 Borden-street, Friday, Nov. 25, Thomas Roulston, aged 62 years.

Funeral Monday, Nov. 28th, at 2 p.m., from above address, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

SMITH—At her residence, 173 Cottingham-street, Toronto, on Sunday, the 27th November, 1904, Margaret Scott Smith, mother of Irving W. Smith, in her 56th year.

Funeral private.

STUART—At his residence, 500 Carlton-street, Toronto, on Saturday, the 26th November, 1904, James Stuart, formerly of Hamilton, Ont., in his 59th year.

Funeral on Monday, the 28th, at 3 o'clock. Interment in St. James' Cemetery.

WOODS—On Nov. 27th, 1904, in West Gwillimbury, Joseph Woods, in his 51st year.

Funeral will leave his late residence on Tuesday at 1 o'clock for Coulston's Hill Cemetery.

Eva Booth Bids a Farewell Eight Years in Canada End

Commissioner of the Salvation Army Preached Her Last Sermon to a Representative Audience in Massey Hall.

People have remarked the improvement apparent in the Salvation Army bands during the last year. The Lippincott band played in Queen's Park during the summer and the Temple Band is frequently heard on Yonge-street. There are two others, the Lisgar band and the Riverside band. The Lisgar and the two first-mentioned were on duty last night in Massey Hall in the first of Miss Booth's farewell meetings, and in the slow chorale of the first hymn poured forth a noble volume of sound, which the huge audience supplemented with hearty singing. The hymn chosen was: "My Jesus, I love thee; I know thou art mine."

Adjt. Kendal and Col. Gaskin followed in prayer, and then Miss Booth asked for "the beautiful words" which she had known so many in sin helped by to salvation, so many in doubt to faith:

"When I'm nearing Jordan's billow,
Let thy bosom be my pillow."

When the great came there they were small, the rich poor, the strong weak and the brave dependent. Tho the valley were gloomy and the water s of Jordan beat roughly, it did not matter. Then the choir sang softly.

Col. Gaskin desired everything in the gathering to have the spirit of God on it; and gave thanks for the eight years of Miss Booth's soul-saving command. "Let the gates of the Spirit sweep conqueringly over the audience," he prayed. The male quartet sang: "What is the love of Jesus to me?" and pie dishes were passed around for the collection.

Every Seat Was Occupied.

It was a great audience, every seat occupied. The quaint bonnets of the Army women gave character to the crowd. In the top gallery in front the cadets wore white sashes. Uniformed officers were numerous. The bands were massed on one side of the stage and on the other a woman's choir, specially organized, sat, some in blue and

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FOR INDEPENDENT ACTION ON TEMPERANCE QUESTION

Rev. Dr. Mackay Thinks Both Political Parties Cringe and Cower Too Much.

Woodstock, Nov. 27.—(Special.)—Enquiries made thruout Oxford County, in all parts of which the temperance cause has very general support, elicits the information that the temperance platform adopted by Premier Ross and his party is regarded with entire disapproval by the members of the temperance party. It is generally recognized that the cause of prohibition has been disregarded by the Ross party for political reasons, and therefore prohibitionists can anticipate little in the future from Hon. Mr. Ross.

The views of Rev. Dr. W. A. Mackay on the action of the Liberal convention last week have been awaited with much interest, as he is the ex-president of the Dominion Alliance, the prohibition organization. These opinons were given this evening for the first time to The World correspondent.

Calls It Pitiful.

In reply to a question Dr. Mackay said: "It is pitiful to notice how both our political parties cringe and cower before the liquor men. The convention last week was called mainly to deal with the temperance question. There was much said, but little done. It was not necessary that four or five thousand men should assemble at great trouble and expense to tell us that intemperance was an evil.

"We were told by the Toronto convention that the present law should be better enforced. No one doubts it, but to my certain knowledge these politicians have been telling us this for more than half a century, and yet all the time the enforcement has been unimproved. Never in our history has the liquor trade been so well organized, or had such tremendous power in our politics as it has to-day, and as the great Joseph Cook said of the United States we can say of our province: 'The liquor traffic has one of our political parties by the throat and the other by the beard.'"

Not Left Alone.

"In the Liberal convention it was stated that there were not a dozen delegates who, if left to their own freedom, would not wipe the bar-rooms out of existence. This statement was loudly cheered and seemed to be the consensus of opinion. But these delegates were not left to themselves. One member of parliament after another, including two ministers of the Ontario cabinet, rose and declared they would lose their seats in the next election if the bar-rooms were interefered with, hence party exigency ruled and conscience and moral principle were flung to the moles and to the bats. The clause of the resolution which said there must be a vote on the bar-room on Jan. 1, 1906, was rescinded in order to preserve the liquor vote."

Not Discouraged.

Questioned as to the future action of the temperance people, Dr. Mackay replied: "I am not yet discouraged." Truth will not be forever on the scaffold, nor wrong forever on the throne. For there is a God of power and justice who overrules all. The temperance people must learn that they are never going to succeed by throwing themselves subservently at the feet of either political party. INDEPENDENT POLITICAL ACTION IS THE ONLY COURSE THAT WILL BRING EITHER POLITICAL PARTY TO ITS SENSES. When churchmen are aroused to a sense of the dangerous interference of the liquor traffic with our politics they will do it. To any thinking person, it is clear that we are governed, not by representatives of the people acting according to their own free-will, but by men who are prepared to subordinate moral principle to party exigency.

"In the next few weeks it will be shown whether or not there is yet enough life in the church to free herself from the shackles of party and vote as men. This expresses the general opinion of Oxford prohibitionists."

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DECIDEDLY COLD.

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Minimum and maximum temperatures: Calgary, 22—46; Prince Albert, 10—14; Winnipeg, 12—18; Port Arthur, 0—12; Sault Ste. Marie, 6—16; Toronto, 14—28; Ottawa, 16—29; Montreal, 20—30; Quebec, 8—22; Halifax, 20—34.

Probabilities.

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Northerly winds; fair and decidedly cold to-day. Tuesday, easterly winds and turning a little milder.

Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence—Northerly winds; fair and decidedly cold.

Lower St. Lawrence, Gulf and Maritime—Mostly fair and continued cold; a few light local snowfalls or flurries.

Lake Superior—Winds shifting to easterly and southerly, increasing to strong breezes or moderate gales; fair and cold to-day; then milder.

Manitoba—Mostly fair and milder; local snow flurries at first.

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