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President Shaughnessy Opens
Negotiations With Chiefs
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(Special to the Times).
Winnipeg, Aug. 27.—The Canadian
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TEACHER FOR ORIENTALS.
Vancouver School Board Has Dispute
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(Special to the Times).
Vancouver, Aug. 27.—The school
board has decided to appeal to the
courts to compel the payment by the
city of the salary of a teacher for
a special room for Orientals at the
Central school. The city council has so
far refused to pay the salary of the
teacher.

PROMINENT ODDFELLOW DEAD.

(Special to the Times).
Halifax, Aug. 27.—Wm. E. Crowe, one
of the best known business men of
Halifax, and a prominent Oddfellow,
has died suddenly of hemorrhage of
the brain. He was a son of the late
John F. Crowe, who for years carried
on a grocery business here.

PREDICTS VICTORY OF
SIR WILFRID LAURIER

(Special to the Times).
London, Aug. 27.—Discussing
the prospects of a general elec-
tion in Canada, the Morning
Post says the opinion prevails
that Sir William Laurier will
carry the country with a re-
duced majority. The paper
points out that E. L. Borden has
not the magnetic personality,
nor has he the platform powers
of his great opponent.

LEARNING MINING
NEEDS AT FIRST HAND

Hon. Wm. Templeman Visits
Rosland Camp—Minister
Spends Busy Day.

(Special to the Times).
Rosland, Aug. 27.—Hon. William
Templeman, minister of mines, arrived
here today from Trail, where he in-
spected the smelter and lead refinery.
Upon his arrival he was met by promi-
nent mining men of Rosland, who en-
tertained him at luncheon, after which
he visited the Le Roi, Centre Star, Le
Roi, No. 2, and other mines. He subse-
quently met the representatives of the
mining interests in this locality and
discussed matters relating to the in-
dustry.

FOR PROMOTION
OF PUBLIC HEALTH

American Association Session
at Winnipeg—Vital Sub-
jects Discussed.

(Special to the Times).
Winnipeg, Aug. 26.—Yesterday morn-
ing's session of the American Public
Health Association was devoted to ac-
tional work, the principal business
commencing at 10 o'clock, when a
number of very important papers on
water and sewage were read.
The attendance at these meetings was
not large, as the members appear
to reserve themselves for the strenu-
ousness of the general session. At last
night's meeting the following subjects
were discussed:

Relation of state and provincial
boards of health to municipal boards
and local health officers—Dr. Charles
Hodgette, secretary, provincial board
of health, Toronto.

Measures to promote the health of
school children—Dr. M. L. Price, Balti-
more, Md.; Dr. Samuel Dixon, com-
missioner of health, Ardmore, Penn.

Annual report on yellow fever in
Mexico—Dr. Liceaga, president super-
ior board of health, Mexico, Mex.

Principal features of our system of
defence against yellow fever—Dr.
Carlos Manuel Garcia, Mexico.

BEHEADED BY TRAIN.

(Special to the Times).
Brandon, Ont., Aug. 27.—George M. Young,
of Peterboro, Ont., who was about to
operate a threshing near Birla and was
being hired men for work, while run-
ning to catch a Minnesota train fell
underneath, his head being taken off.

G. T. P. APPOINTMENTS.

(Special to the Times).
Winnipeg, Aug. 27.—W. G. Brownlee,
of Toronto, superintendent of the G. T.
P., has been appointed Assistant Man-
ager of the Grand Trunk Pacific, with
headquarters here. H. H. Brewer, for-
merly of the Great Northern, is appoint-
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GRAIN DEALERS
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Estimate Places Harvest of
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lion Bushels.

(Special to the Times).
Winnipeg, Aug. 27.—The Northwest
Grain Dealers Association gave out to-
day the estimated yield of this year's
crops in western Canada. The wheat
average is 177, total yield, one hundred
and seven million bushels; oats, aver-
age 38.5, total yield, ninety five million
bushels; barley average, 29, total yield
twenty five million bushels. Seventy five
per cent of the cutting will be finished
by the end of the week.

Varied Estimates.
Winnipeg, Aug. 26.—Latest con-
servative estimates are inclined to put the
total wheat crop at under a hundred
million, some experts placing the fig-
ure as low as eighty millions, while
others run up to one hundred and fifty
millions. It all depends on the point of
view and individual opinion of the ex-
tent of the drought and frost damage.
The optimist says that local areas only
have been affected by either cause,
but the pessimist shakes his head and
says threshing will tell a different story.

ONTARIO'S NEW
LIEUT.-GOVERNOR

(Special to the Times).
Ottawa, Aug. 27.—Hon. Col.
Gibson, ex-attorney-general of
Ontario, will be gazetted in a
few days as lieutenant-governor.
The success of Sir Martin's Clerk,
whose five years' term of office
expired last April.

BAPTIST BODIES MAY
FORM UNITED SOCIETY

(Special to the Times).
Toronto, Ont., Aug. 27.—The project
to unite all the Baptist Associations of
Canada into one body is making rapid
progress. Ontario, Quebec, the Mar-
time and Manitoba Assemblies have
already passed resolutions approving of
the scheme and it is arranged that a
joint committee representing all the
Baptist conventions shall sit in Ottawa
in October during the session of the
forthcoming Ontario and Quebec con-
ventions, and there arrange for the or-
ganization of a united society which it
is proposed to call the Dominion Bap-
tist Union.

BRYAN WILL HAVE
U. S. LABOR VOTE

Elaborate Campaign in Favor
of Democrat to Be Car-
ried Out.

(Special to the Times).
Washington, Aug. 27.—Union Labor's
equation in the Democratic national
campaign, and the plans that have
been formulated by officers of the
American Federation of Labor to swing
the labor vote to Wm. J. Bryan, were
subject matters of a series of con-
ferences last night between National
Chairman Norman B. Mack and Sam-
uel Gompers, president of the Ameri-
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SNAPPED CABLE FATALITY.

(Special to the Times).
Port Credit, Ont., Aug. 27.—Captain
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the end flying back and striking him
on the head, killing him instantly.

HALF-PAY CONSERVATIVES.

(Special to the Times).
Halifax, Aug. 27.—At the adjourned
Conservative convention yesterday
Mayor A. B. Crosby signified his ac-
ceptance of the party nomination of
himself. Mr. Borden has also ac-
cepted the nomination for the other
seat.

APPROVE IRISH LEADER.

(Special to the Times).
Halifax, Aug. 27.—The A. O. H. con-
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McAlister, Okla., Aug. 27.—More
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east of McAlister, when fire destroyed
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LORD ROBERT'S REGRETS.

HOPES TO VISIT HAMILTON AT SOME
FUTURE TIME.

(Special to the Times).
Hamilton, Ont., Aug. 27.—Lord Robert
has sent a letter to Col. Hendrie in
which he expresses his regrets that he
was unable to visit Hamilton and meet
the old soldiers here. He states that he
hopes to visit Hamilton when the
weather is a little more seasonable than
it was when he was in Quebec.

HON. MR. MOTHERWELL WEDS.

(Special to the Times).
Indian Head, Aug. 27.—Hon. Mr.
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