

OTTAWA. Mayor Morris Disqualified from Holding Any Office.

Millitia Matters—Winter Service for P. E. Island—The New Mayor—A Yankee Fake.

OTTAWA, Nov. 15.—Joseph T. Knight of J. H. Scammell & Co. of St. John states that business in St. John will boom this season. The winter lines will all be running from St. John in a week or so, giving increased activity and business to the port.

Alexander Skinner of Lindsay, Ont., who went out to South Africa with Strathcona's Horse, died of wounds near Vryburg last Tuesday. He was a member of Scott's railway guards. Mr. Skinner's widow resides at Lindsay.

Chief Justice Strong has been appointed administrator during Lord Minto's absence in New York. This is the first time Justice Strong has been appointed administrator. Generally he has acted as deputy governor.

General O'Grady-Haly's term of office is extended until June 30th next. His time was up last July, and was then extended to 31st December, and is now for a further six months.

Mr. Shutt, chemist of experimental farms, has been engaged several months in investigating the character and cause of soft pork. A bulletin of fifty pages is the result. Summed up briefly, he comes to the conclusion that a ration consisting of equal parts of oats, peas and barley give the firmest pork, while beans produce softer and inferior pork.

J. B. Charlson, superintendent of the Yukon telegraph service, has returned to Ottawa, on the completion of the line from Ashcroft to Dawson. The operation of the line this winter will be in the nature of an experiment.

A five years' test of creosoted Canadian spruce as road pavement has been made in England. The test was made in London, England. It shows a wear of only three-eighths of an inch. The city engineer of Westminster recommends it as eminently suitable for paving purposes in English cities.

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This treaty is intended to replace the old Clayton-Bulwer treaty, which was signed in 1852. The new treaty is intended to be more liberal and to give the United States more control over the canal.

The principal point of difference between the new and the old treaty is the withdrawal of Great Britain from the joint guarantee of the neutrality of the canal, thus leaving the United States the sole guarantor.

Otherwise the new treaty is in scope similar to last year's treaty. It replaces technically the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, concluded on April 19, 1852. By the terms of that old convention the United States and Great Britain agreed that neither should seek any advantage in the rights of transit across the isthmus.

The department of agriculture has arranged better rates for ocean transportation from St. John to South Africa than was expected, and consequently has advanced the price for oats contracted for from Alberta, N. W. T., by three cents per bushel. The price is now 30 cents f. o. b. at points between Edmonton and Calgary.

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U. S. METHODIST FOREIGN MISSIONS.

PTTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 18.—The apportionment of funds for the foreign mission fund was under consideration at today's meeting of the general missionary committee of the U. S. Methodist Church.

PAUNCEFOTE TREATY. WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—There was no particular ceremony connected with the signature today of the important convention, Lord Pauncefote had been indisposed for several days past, and it was not expected that the treaty could be signed before the end of the current week.

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