

OTTAWA.

Ottawa, Oct. 9.—Daily Commissioner Robertson goes to Manitoba shortly to locate the number of dairy stations which the Canadian Pacific will build. Statistician George Johnson and A. G. Gilbert, manager of the poultry department of the experimental farm, have just issued an admirable pamphlet on eggs and poultry, one dealing with the question of the market, and the other with the best classes of poultry to raise.

An order-in-council has been passed placing *Chester's tuberculin* on the free list. Trade commissioner Larkie is not to leave for Australia for some weeks yet. He purposes visiting many towns to talk with the manufacturers. After a cessation of three months Chinese immigration has been resumed, one hundred and eighty Chinese entering Canada last month.

In the supreme court today a number of judgments were given. Only one matter was argued, viz., *Troop v. Everett*, a New Brunswick case to which the appeal was dismissed with costs.

In the Quebec lands case the appeal of the city from the judgment of the exchequer court holding the crown not responsible for damages, was dismissed with costs.

The name of the out-port of Cow Bay, Cape Breton, has been changed to Port Morien.

A. Y. Corbett, sub-collector of customs at Five Islands, has been superannuated.

A. F. Cameron, has been appointed sub-collector of customs at Sherbrooke, N.S.

Ottawa, Oct. 10.—General Cameron, commander of the military college, has sent a communication to the minister of militia stating he has failed to obtain the slightest confirmation of the alleged "hazings" of a son of Inspector Plummer of Toronto.

Hon. Mr. Bowell has received a communication from Mr. Braden, premier of Tasmania, in which he says on behalf of the government and people of Tasmania: "I have the honor to convey my cordial thanks to the government, parliament, public bodies and to the people of Canada for the liberality and kindness extended to Tasmania's representative, Hon. Nicholas Fitzgerald, at his visit to this country."

Commissioner Larkie has received a communication from Hiram Walker & Sons, stating that their agent at Buenos Ayres reports a demand in the Argentine confederation for oatmeal and pearl barley, and suggesting that trial shipments be made. Mr. Larkie is asked to supply the names of a few producers.

Capt. Holmes of the immigration service arrived here tonight. Canadian Pacific purposes sending car of Northwest products as far south as Virginia and Mr. Holmes is here arranging the route.

Ottawa, Oct. 11.—Mr. McFarlane, dominion analyst, has returned from a visit to the wine growing districts of Ontario, where he tested the varieties of grapes to ascertain the gravity of the juice. The test gave from 13 to 25 per cent. of alcohol, matter indicating that certain varieties of Canadian grapes yield as rich musts as do the French and Rhine grapes.

Mr. McFarlane's conclusion is that Canada can produce just as good wine as any other country in the world. Our people would, however, require to have faith in the product and be prepared to pay the price to enable the wine to be sold in bottles.

The work of re-laying the Canadian Pacific railway from Montreal to Fort William with 72 pound rails was completed yesterday near this city.

Ottawa, Oct. 12.—Mr. D. Ellis of Toronto is applying for divorce on the ground of adultery.

Le Canada says petitions to the governor general are being circulated among the Roman Catholics for signature, they are for relief for the Catholic minority of Manitoba and the territories from local school legislation.

The lock gates on the Soo canal were swung today and the first vessel was entered. It was the contractor's tug.

The marine department was notified today of the death at Toronto of Thomas Harbottle, for many years inspector of hulls for the province of Ontario.

Hon. Mr. Ives today received a communication from Hon. Mr. Flynn, commissioner of crown lands of Quebec, stating that an order of the lieutenant governor had been issued for the purpose of abolishing the discrimination against the other provinces of Canada, and the United States in the matter of dues chargeable on spruce logs for paper pulp. An order adopted in August allowed a reduction of fifteen per cent on spruce logs when pulp wood is manufactured in the province. If the discrimination was not removed it was feared the McKinley duties would prevail on all classes of lumber.

Ottawa, Oct. 14.—Sir John Thompson and Sir C. H. Tupper returned from Toronto today. They say the great gathering in Queen's park yesterday was unequalled in Canada for attendance and impressiveness.

Hon. Mr. Daly returned from the Northwest this morning. The Canadian Pacific will erect two dairy stations in Manitoba this winter, costing four thousand each, and submit them to joint stock companies of farmers. Commissioner Robertson says.

New Martini-Metford rifles are being sent to the leading shooting battalions in Canada for practice purposes.

Van Bruyl, Belgian consul, has been recalled.

Judge Musgrave of Ottawa has been to Kingston to enquire into the hazing practices at the Military college. His son is a freshman in this term, and along with other freshmen had to undergo the ordeal. The judge says the practice should be suppressed.

New post offices have been opened in New Brunswick as follows: Duck Creek, Queens; Pomeroy Ridge, Charlotte.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

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Toronto, Oct. 10.—The Toronto city loan has been taken to the amount of \$1,224,500 by Alderman R. Wilson Smith of Montreal, representing Bank of British North America. The sale of the loan was over \$1 for 3 1/2 per cent bonds.

QUEBEC.

Montreal, Oct. 9.—A statement to the effect that the Allan, Dominion, and Beaver lines would lay up most of their boats in Montreal for the winter, was made yesterday.

Quebec, Oct. 9.—Postmaster Tournegau, whose death has already been announced, will be better remembered as a conservative candidate against Hon. Wilfred Laurier in Quebec East, after Mackenzie's minister of inland revenue had been defeated in Drummond and Arthabaska.

Sutton, Que., Oct. 9.—Wm. Smith, Canadian Pacific station agent here, who was brutally assaulted some days ago by an imported rough from Holyoke, Mass., has left the company and will enter the lecture field.

Quebec, Oct. 10.—The coming visit of Mgr. Satolli, papal delegate, has given rise to considerable speculation in the city. He left Quebec on Friday evening. It is stated on authority that the visit will not partake of an official character, however. Rev. Abbe Paquet, professor of theology in Laval university, was seen yesterday at one of Mgr. Satolli's pupils when a professor in Rome.

Montreal, Oct. 10.—An infant son of Louis Glozier, living on Lafontaine street, while creeping around the kitchen, fell head first into a pan of water and was drowned before discovered.

Montreal, Oct. 14.—By a telegram just received at the archbishop's palace, Monsignor Satolli has been somewhat altered. His date of arrival in Montreal will be on Monday instead of Thursday, the papal legate going to Quebec on Tuesday evening.

Toronto, Oct. 14.—Yesterday was a great day for the queen city of Canada and for the memory of the old chief. The lowering clouds and a drizzle were placed during the forenoon to sunshine that brought cheer to the hearts of the committee in charge of the ceremonies attendant upon the unveiling of the statue of Sir John A. Macdonald in Queen's park.

With the local militia and school children there must have been thirty thousand people present, and those who heard the crowd cheer Sir John Thompson, felt that he has a great debt to pay to the people of Ontario.

Ex-mayor E. F. Clarke presided at the ceremonies and made a brief speech. Then came the unveiling by the dominion premier. A rousing cheer went up as the splendid statue of the former premier was revealed.

Mr. Laurier and party paid a short visit to Rapid City on Saturday. They spent Sunday at Minnedosa.

L. M. Fortier, of Ottawa, and associated in the work of the interior department returned from the west this morning. The mission of Mr. Fortier to the west was to confer with representatives of the provincial governments, in regard to immigration matters, with a view to harmony of action between the dominion and local governments in future movements in the United States and Europe.

Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 15.—Governor Schultz has sufficiently recovered from his recent illness to be able to leave his room.

The drier weather of the last week has revived the rush in wheat deliveries at country points. The daily average deliveries along the C.P.R. have been 10,000 bushels, while last week the total amount received by the company was one million and a like amount was shipped from Port William.

Lord and Lady Aberdeen spent Saturday and Sunday at Edmonton, where they were given a hearty welcome.

MANITOBA.

Winnipeg, Oct. 9.—W. F. Luxton, who was deposed as editor of the Manitoba Free Press and afterwards established the New Western, has now left that paper, Colonel Scobie being his successor.

A young Winnipeg woman of good family is under arrest on suspicion of killing her illegitimate child.

The Laurier meeting at Brandon yesterday was attended by nearly three thousand people who gave the liberal leader a hearty reception. Tomorrow Mr. Laurier will deliver an address at Portage La Prairie.

The residence of Dr. Dalgleish, of Winnipeg, was damaged to the extent of \$2,000 by fire last night.

An individual calling himself Dr. Lovingsheart has been arrested at Calgary, charged by the N. W. Medical Association with causing a woman's death by malpractice. The quick had to skip from the states for a similar offence.

Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 14.—The favorable Lake of the Woods steamer, Highland Maid, was wrecked last week by striking rocks in Sault Rapids, and the boat and cargo were a total wreck.

The banquet to be tendered Hon. Mr. Laurier by the Winnipeg liberals is to be held on the 25th. He will leave here for the east on the 27th.

The residence of George Wells, of Carberry, was totally destroyed by fire last night with all contents.

Investigations by a government official have shown that the lawlessness prevails in the Yukon country, and that mining camps are in the hands of a whiskey ring. Gold mining is profitable there, but until the government is able to take measures to preserve order, people other than the rowdy of the mountains will hesitate about going there.

City Engineer Rutman has entered a suit for libel against the Winnipeg Tribune for reflections damaging to his professional reputation.

Mr. Laurier and party paid a short visit to Rapid City on Saturday. They spent Sunday at Minnedosa.

L. M. Fortier, of Ottawa, and associated in the work of the interior department returned from the west this morning. The mission of Mr. Fortier to the west was to confer with representatives of the provincial governments, in regard to immigration matters, with a view to harmony of action between the dominion and local governments in future movements in the United States and Europe.

Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 15.—Governor Schultz has sufficiently recovered from his recent illness to be able to leave his room.

The drier weather of the last week has revived the rush in wheat deliveries at country points. The daily average deliveries along the C.P.R. have been 10,000 bushels, while last week the total amount received by the company was one million and a like amount was shipped from Port William.

Lord and Lady Aberdeen spent Saturday and Sunday at Edmonton, where they were given a hearty welcome.

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