

OPTIMISM  
THEME OF  
MR. BRYCE

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void of pleasure for themselves, and that they might carry away with them glad memories of the respect in which they were held.

Amid round after round of hearty cheers led by His Honor the Lieut. Governor, the great of the evening rose in his seat. He said, in part: "Your Honor the Lieut. Governor, Mr. Premier, Mr. Chairman, ladies and gentlemen: It is a very great pleasure to me to have before me one of those who have before him the privilege of getting acquainted with you as I have this day."

"I have always desired to get closely acquainted with Canada, and because I have felt that it would better fit me to fill the official position which I have come today into much closer touch with her people themselves, as well as meeting with such associations as this, our Canadian Club."

"In Washington the larger part of my work is done in respect to the benefit of Canada. This is as it should be, and it is a great aid to His Majesty's representative to have known Canada from her people themselves."

"The City of the Loyalists."  
"For this reason, gentlemen, I always take such opportunities as I may have for getting in touch with the great people and here in the city of the United Empire Loyalists, many of whom still remain in this Province, and have done so much of good for it, I have come today into much closer touch with the Canadian people."

"It is always a pleasure to me to meet one of your Canadian Clubs. They have become both ornaments and centers of life to Canadian cities. This is so because they represent the union of all Canadian citizens in a common patriotism. The Dominion of Canada is eminently a country in which every effort for unity should be made. It is a territory of immense length, with many diversified natural resources, and with many modes of life within its vast areas."

"The work of unification which has been so greatly hastened by the building of the transcontinental railways, has now been fairly completed by the growth of population in the hitherto uninhabited parts, and further advanced by the present patriots of the Canadian people themselves."

"You have also in this Dominion and in all her Provinces strong and active political parties, but perhaps I may on this occasion do you a favor, and that while political parties are both necessary and useful, there is such a thing as a people being too much divided along party lines. Here again the Canadian Clubs are valuable as a bond of unity."

"A Great Future For St. John."  
"It is a pleasure to me at this time to say that you have still the promise of yet further prosperity. Your city is already the terminus of two great railways and you are to have a third in a short time. Yours is the port for an ever increasing number of great inter-oceanic lines. The forests of this Province are also of great value, and these forest lands combined go to make this a great country to live in, and it will grow more rapidly in the next ten, twenty or thirty years than ever before."

"I have never seen any scenery more beautiful than that which I have viewed on this visit."

"Canada is now recognized as a nation of heroes and a land to be loved by her own government. This is because, instead of trying as she once did in the case of the republic to the south, she has now recognized the ability of this colony to govern itself. This too best established the love for the Mother Country which today is a prominent factor in Canadian life."

"The latest proof we made of this fact was in the case of the former republic of South Africa. Many English statesmen said that it was a dangerous experiment to entrust to this people the government of their own country. But it was done. We had reason to believe that they were a sensible and well-meaning people. The result of this step has justified our expectations, even more so than we expected. I was a member of the British Cabinet which decided upon that policy and I can assure you that while we felt that we were doing a great thing, we absolutely knew until the success of the policy that was later established."

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"To continue, I may say, gentlemen, that every occasion on which I have come back to Canada I have been increasingly struck by the rapidity of her growth. You have a great future. Here in the Maritime Provinces also, I cannot say that you have all the advantages of the fertile west, still you should feel that prosperity to you absolutely know until the success of the policy that was later established."

"I hold the keystone to the situation. With the development of your splendid resources, capital must eventually come your way. If I resided in Canada I would feel that I was equally interested in any development of the Dominion, be it in the east or west. We should all have the common interests, namely that of maintaining peace, which enables us to conserve our resources, and you may be sure that the sentiment of the British people as a whole is for this."

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Word Reaches Browns Flats Of An Exciting Encounter Between Guide And Bruin In Depths Of Wood.

Bear Infuriated Over Loss Of Cub.

Special to The Standard.  
Brown's Flats, Aug. 12.—Mr. Frank W. Lord and Frank C. Miller, both of Boston had an experience last Friday at Brown's Flats that they will both remember as long as they live, and which was not for their guide, Noel Zacobl, Mr. Miller would most certainly have been killed. They had been out near Hall mountain on a hunting trip and were on the return home when the incident occurred."

As they were coming down the stream then saw a bear cub lying on the bank, basking in the sun. Mr. Lord and Mr. Miller, being experienced on the woods knew very well that the mother was not far off, but before they could prevent it, Mr. Miller dashed toward the bear and grabbed the cub.

Immediately it squealed and almost at the same moment the mother put in an appearance. Seeing the cub in the hands of a man made her furious and she immediately charged toward Mr. Miller. Zacobl and Lord seeing Mr. Miller's danger had to act and very quickly. Lord rushed between Miller and the bear and Noel Zacobl drew his hunting knife and uttering a terrific yell, circled around and just as Bruin was about to seize Lord, Noel came up on the side and with superhuman strength plunged the knife into the bear's heart."

It was a feat worth recording, Mr. Miller states that he never saw such skill displayed and although naturally excited he could not help noticing it. Noel Zacobl is an experienced Indian guide and has the honor of being chief of his tribe and he and Mr. Lord have been in the woods together on numerous occasions. The cub estimated during the excitement, the mother weighed 420 pounds and measured 6 ft. 11 inches. They sent the hide to Fredericton to be stuffed and will present same when finished to Mr. Miller as a remembrance of the most exciting and dangerous trip that he ever had and possibly the narrowest escape from death. The bear will be displayed at the store of W. L. Belvee & Co., at Brown's Flats, after being stuffed."

Mr. J. St. John Bliss secretary treasurer of York county, was in the city yesterday.

peace, that I have been surprised to find during the last few years how much stronger and deeper the good feeling has become between you and the people in the republic to the south. Never before have I found the feeling of mutual goodwill so strongly prevalent as in the past three or four years. It is a very great pleasure to know that you can reckon upon that sentiment."

"A few weeks ago at the celebration of the discovery of Lake Champlain four Canadian regiments came across the border and marched along with the regiments of the United States close to the spot where ninety years before there had been hostile conflicts."

"The president of the United States was there and welcomed them in words of the sincerest heartiness, and the reception by the assembled multitude of these splendid regiments playing the national airs under the Englishmen and Scotchmen marched to battle in many a region of Europe and Asia in years gone by, had an enthusiastic sincerity which witnessed the character of the men and the spirit of each nation towards the others."

"The United States has now come to realize that they have become a great nation, and they have as great a respect for you and your future as you, I hope, have for yourselves. I can safely say that this sentiment has been a great aid to me of late, and has made the negotiating of differences between ourselves and the United States less difficult. (Applause.)"

"In regard to your forests I was glad to know that representatives from your Dominion were at the conference recently held in Washington when the matter of the conservation of forest lands was discussed. I would say to you that I hope you will give this matter your earnest attention, even more so than we expected. I was a member of the British Cabinet which decided upon that policy and I can assure you that while we felt that we were doing a great thing, we absolutely knew until the success of the policy that was later established."

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Who Fell Over Embankment While Driving And Was Caught In Quick Sands.

Annapolis Royal, N. S., August 17.—On Wednesday the village of Mass-town was shocked to hear that the dead body of Adam Wright had been found at noon that day deeply imbedded in mud on the Bay Shore, within half a mile of his home.

The deceased had been in town that day and left for home late in the evening. That was the last of him seen alive. He was driving a horse and carriage to the side of the road. A short distance away marks showed that the deceased had fallen over the embankment, which is about twenty feet high at that place, and the bottom of the bank, footprints in the mud showed that after his fall down the embankment, and in the darkness, the unfortunate man had become bewildered and wandered about until becoming exhausted, he sank down and was unable to extricate himself from the heavy and deep mud, and was drowned. A wife and eight children survive.

RT. HON. JAMES BRYCE  
SPENT BUSY DAY

The Rt. Hon. Jas. Bryce and Mrs. Bryce will leave on the early train this morning for St. Andrews, where they will visit Sir Thomas and Lady Shughnessy.

Yesterday morning accompanied by His Worship the Mayor and Mrs. Bullock, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Allan and other prominent citizens His Excellency took a trip round the harbor and up the river as far as Grand Bay. At 1:30 Mr. and Mrs. Bryce were the guests of the Hon. J. D. Hazen and Mrs. Hazen at luncheon at their residence, and in the afternoon the distinguished visitors were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Hazen to the harbor through the park, and had five o'clock tea at the Golf Club.

After addressing the Canadian Club in the evening and attending a meeting of the lumbermen His Excellency went to his private car for the night.

INSURANCE ON GRAIN TO BE HANDLED ABROAD  
Special to The Standard.  
Winnipeg, Aug. 17.—It is said the grain trade here has made a deal whereby all insurance on grain, marine and otherwise, is to be taken from Canadian companies and placed with a New York company, which will have a monopoly of the business.

to posterity that the resources of the province should be preserved for them.

"He agreed with the Right Honorable gentleman that in these provinces lay the key to the situation in the Atlantic seaboard. He would say that there was no province in the Dominion where there were any better natural resources than in this province of Nova Brunswick. (Applause.)"

He would like it if the Right Honorable gentleman could have been farther north. He would then have realized that the city of St. John was not the whole of the province of Nova Brunswick. (Laughter and applause.)"

He took great pleasure in proposing a vote of thanks to the Honorable Mr. Bryce and to his good lady, and he trusted that some time in the future they would visit St. John again. (Cheers.)"

Premier Hazen, who was given a very hearty reception, said he took great pleasure in seconding the motion of His Honor the Lieutenant Governor, to the guest of the evening, a gentleman who had been an inmate of the realms of literature, statesmanship and diplomacy. He would like to say to His Excellency that the people of this province were indebted to him for having rendered them the hospitality of the city for a much longer time. The day to those who had been in touch with the Right Honorable gentleman was a short one indeed. To such it would remain a red letter day in their lives. (Applause.)"

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A pleasing incident of the evening and which elicited much laughter, reply and applause followed Mrs. Bryce rising at the close of her husband's reply to say the last word, which she remarked was a woman's privilege. In an eloquent and pleasing little speech she thanked the citizens of St. John and the people of the province in general for the very pleasant time she had enjoyed here, and said that the memories of this province and its people which she would carry away from here would be all of the pleasantest nature.

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DHINGAR PAYS  
INDIAN CRIME  
Indian Student Who Murdered Sir Wm. Curzon Wylie and Dr. Salara Hanged Yesterday.

London, Aug. 17.—Madalari Dhingari, Indian student, who on the night of June 1, at the conclusion of a public gathering, in the imperial institute, shot and killed Lieut. Col. Sir Wm. Curzon Wylie, and Dr. C. Laloca, was hanged in Bantowville Prison at 9 o'clock this morning.

Dhingari was tried and found guilty of this crime and sentenced to death in the Old Bailey Police Court on July 23. Only prison officials and a chaplain were present at the execution. A small crowd assembled outside the prison, but there were no Indians among them.

The raising of the black flag and the tolling of the prison bell announced the completion of the execution. Dhingari showed no signs of fear. He declined to partake of breakfast and walked to the scaffold calmly and quietly. Death was instantaneous.

BRIVES DEATH TO SEE DYING FATHER  
John Breen Deserts Fort Hamilton—Steals Trousers—Is Arrested And Taken Back A Captive.

New York, Aug. 16.—After escaping from the military prison at Fort Hamilton and bravely fighting a bullet from a snetry's gun, John Brummer, nineteen years old, was recaptured yesterday as a result of a desire to appear at the bedside of his dying father in a good looking pair of trousers. Now he will be court-martialed.

Brummer gained his freedom last Wednesday by cutting out the bars of a window in the hospital of the station at Fort Hamilton, where he had been ill. Nothing more was heard of him until Saturday, when he was arrested in Riverside, Conn., for stealing a pair of trousers from the residence of Frederick Beltz.

After his arrest he was taken before Judge Burnes, in Greenwich. Through-out the hearing he wept bitterly, pleading that he had come on his way to see his father, who was dying in a sanitarium in Wallingford, and that he had stolen the garments to make a decent appearance. Inquiry disclosed the fact that he had been an inmate of the sanitarium, and Frederick H. Knapp, a prominent resident of Greenwich, took an interest in the lad and interested in his behalf.

As a result Judge Burnes imposed a fine of \$5 and costs, which Mr. Knapp paid, and Brummer was about to go free when some one learned he was a deserter from the army. Accused of this Brummer confessed and at the present time he is in the hands of the military authorities. The court had no discretion in the matter and he was taken back to Fort Hamilton yesterday, where on having seen the parent for whom he risked so much.

SMUGGLERS WERE TAKEN RED HANDED  
Band of Chinese Customs Dodgers Nabbed In Lansing. Were Engaged In Systematic Smuggling.

Windsor, Aug. 17.—A band of Chinese smugglers, using the deserted Fighting Island, ten miles down the river and inside the Canadian border as a base of operations, is believed to have been broken up as a result of the capture of three young Detroit men and two Chinamen in Lansing, Mich., and the seizure of the machine used to smuggle goods into the country for a much longer time. The day to those who had been in touch with the Right Honorable gentleman was a short one indeed. To such it would remain a red letter day in their lives. (Applause.)"

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ALARM CLOCK  
RINGING OF BELL IN M. ROBITAILLE'S OVERCOAT POCKET CAUSES CUSTOMS MEN TO INVESTIGATE—25 GOLD STICK PINS SEIZED.

An alarm clock ringing vociferously in the overcoat pocket of M. Henri Robitaille, a cabin passenger on the Bretagne, of the French line, just as he was about to step through the gate on leaving the pier yesterday after the ship berthed from Havre, caused him to be held up and searched. M. Robitaille, who is the president of the Eureka Distilling Company of Quebec, Canada, was much disturbed when his overcoat containing twenty-five gold stick pins were taken from the pockets of the overcoat.

Overcoats have been especially scrutinized recently by the customs men on the pier, but that of M. Robitaille would have gone unnoticed if the alarm clock had kept quiet. There was one pair of eyes turned toward M. Robitaille, who was with a friend M. Eugen Allaire, also a passenger, there were two dozen that at once spotted the man with the noisy overcoat.

B. B. Mills, the customs officer on duty at the gate held up the two men, and other customs men went through the pockets of both. The clock was deemed unworthy of seizure, but the stick pins were confiscated. M. Robitaille is offering as much as three dollars as presents to his friends in Quebec and that today he would call on William Loeb, Jr., the Collector of the Port and see what could be done about it.

LABOR FAMINE IS EXPECTED IN WEST  
Already Signs of the Coming Shortage of Harvesters Present—Men Being Snapped Up As Soon as Arrived.

Regina, Sask., Aug. 17.—Already there are incipient signs of labor famine in connection with the gathering of the Saskatchewan harvest, and at points on the Arcola line farmers are offering as much as three dollars a day and board without obtaining the required help. The great heat of the last ten days has brought harvesting on with a rush, with the result that the harvesters are scarce at least a week earlier than was anticipated, and no labor is available. A handful of men who arrived yesterday were at once snapped up, and at the present time there are points south of the Canadian Pacific Railway main line which could easily absorb one hundred men each, with no prospect of relief. The next excursion arrives from the east.

PERSONAL  
The marriage of Miss Jennie Norfolk Derner, daughter of Captain H. W. Derner, of Moncton, to Mr. Frederick R. Sumner, will take place on Thursday, August 26, in the Central Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Olive arrived in the city on the St. C. Calvin Austin yesterday, to visit Mr. Olive's brother, Mr. J. W. Olive, of St. John.

Miss Mary Carson of Amesbury, Mass., is spending her holidays here, the guest of her cousin, Miss Alice Devor, North End.

Miss Annie Gillen returned to the city yesterday after a three months' trip to the west. She was accompanied by Mrs. C. B. Dodge, of Seattle, who will remain here some weeks as her guest.

Solicitor General McLeod, came in from Fredericton yesterday.

Mr. A. Pugsley returned yesterday after a six weeks' trip to the western coast.

Dean Schofield was in the city yesterday on his return to Fredericton from England.

AT THE HOTELS  
Royal.  
G. Ryan, Packville; John C. Blakely and wife, Hillsboro; James Patton, Montreal; Chas. Chesworth and wife, Toronto; William J. Henderson, Toronto; W. W. Tuttle, Advocate; E. T. Robinson, Montreal; T. E. Sweetland, Boston; G. T. McLean, Toronto; E. J. Reynolds, Montreal; H. Holbrook, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Owens, Wilmington; Dr. Jachal, Montreal; R. Mc R. Haldimand, Montreal; T. W. Doherty, Toronto; Henry E. Wood, Porto Rico; P. Wall, Yarmouth; Wade Reylis and wife, Boston; Mrs. L. M. Sterling, V. M. Sterling, Miss Lillian Sterling, Portland; D. Perilli, New York City; Mr. and Mrs. James Bryce and wife, Washington; D. Waters, Toronto; G. J. Ventoy, Montreal; William B. Snow and wife, Bangor; W. C. Roisman, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Allen, New York City; P. J. Coffey, D. Coffey, Boston; Mrs. J. W. Mitchell, New York; M. P. Wilson, W. H. Pater, Providence; R. J. Mrs. W. St. Goller, Nacken; Miss N. J. Miss Nanna W. Stewart, Miss Janet N. Stewart, Chambersburg; Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Duncan, Mrs. E. R. Neane, Boston; B. C. Noefer, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Thompson, Adams, Mass.; Mrs. M. Sullivan, Schenectady, N. Y.; P. Woodcock, Schenectady, N. Y.; Miss Morris, Miss Anderson, Miss Irvin,

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CLAIMS THEY WERE PRESENTS TO FRIENDS.  
At the conclusion of the Canadian Club supper last evening the Rt. Hon. James Bryce met a delegation of prominent lumbermen and members of the Provincial Government, the object of the meeting being to place before His Excellency the position of the Provincial lumbermen in connection with disputes between them and the American lumber companies at Van Buren.

The meeting was held at the residence of Premier Hazen. Those present were Mr. Fraser Gregory, president of the St. John River Log Driving Company; Mr. Henry Hilyard, Mr. Alex. Wilson, Premier Hazen, Hon. H. F. McLeod, Hon. J. K. Fleming, and Lieut. Governor Tweedie.

The Premier's Contentions.  
The matters that led to the disagreement were explained to the Ambassador. It was clearly stated that formerly the only way the American lumbermen could get their logs to market was to float them down the St. John River to its mouth. In 1905 a branch of the Bangor & Aroostook Railway was built to Van Buren. This offered a new outlet for their lumber. Mills were built and their lumber has since been shipped by rail from that point.

In order to separate their logs from those belonging to the New Brunswick lumbermen they bought property on each side of the river and built sheer booms across that practically obstructed navigation.

All the logs that came down the river each year, about 140,000,000 feet, are held up by these booms. After the American logs, numbering about 40,000,000, are separated the remainder are allowed to continue on their way.

This operation takes some time and for this reason is objected to by the New Brunswick lumbermen. The logs run the risk of being held up by a fall of the water, large jams are formed. The cost of carrying is increased 100 per cent. The logs are delayed greatly in reaching their destination, while unhindered they would reach Fredericton in a few hours. The American companies had built and operated their boom in this manner without any legislative authority.

By holding up the logs it is claimed they were violating the terms of the Ashburton treaty, which provides that where the rivers forms the boundary it should be "free and unobstructed to the citizens of both countries."

The Other Side of the Case.  
After the position of the New Brunswick lumbermen had been explained to Mr. Bryce, the claims of the American lumbermen were stated. They claimed that the treaty was not intended to be interpreted in that way. They claimed that the treaty was intended to be interpreted in that way. They claimed that the treaty was intended to be interpreted in that way.

Philadelphia; L. J. Tweedie, Chattanooga; G. N. White, Ottawa, Ont.; C. S. Parker, Coventwood, N. H.; Chas. M. Batchelder, William E. Wood, Coventwood, N. H.; Miss Scott, Miss Pearson, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Graham, Providence; Dr. and Mrs. A. T. McMurray, Boston; Prof. C. E. Christie, Jr., Briarcliff Manse, N. Y.; Dr. J. J. Irving, Boston; Miss Backlin, Miss Prince, Boston; Chas. Woodstock, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brine, Lamont G. Brine, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. J. Townsend Lansing, Albany, N. Y.; G. M. McLeod, Redwood; C. Helen Wallace, Halifax; Mrs. A. H. M. Broadbridge, Boston; F. S. J. Blair, Fredericton; Miss Cranmore, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Miss Ray, New York City; Sarah Mackweon, Andover, Mass.; W. T. Bingham, E. M. W. T. Bingham, Miss Bingham, M. W. T. Bingham, M. G. Morse, New York; Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Thompson, Master P. M. Thompson, Boston; J. Zenaal, Montreal; E. L. Dyer, Montreal; W. E. Burrill, Montreal; A. O. Webster and son, St. Nedee; Prof. White, Moncton; N. J. Houghwatter and wife, Lynn, Mass.; R. C. Williams, Sackville; L. E. Dunbar, Fredericton; Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Field, Mrs. George Jeffrey, W. N. Marble, Brockton, Mass.; C. Judde and wife, E. A. Towle, New York; L. P. Nudley, Lawrence, Mass.; F. Foley, Boston; Miss E. M. Wood, Boston; Mrs. G. B. Chandler, Master Chandler, Moncton; Mr. and Mrs. Albert L. Paul, Lowell, Mass.; S. E. Ball Chiopee, Mass.; Andrew Ruching and wife, Mr. E. B. Nuttis, Boston; Charles F. Davies and wife, New York; Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Berdard, R. M. Stevens and sister, Boston; A. C. Bartlett, Hyde Park, Mass.; H. B. Spillman, Lowell; A. B. Teakles, Sussex; W. N. Kerchar, Boston; M. E. Brown, Springfield, Mass.; E. M. Bartlett, Salisbury; S. McGuire and wife, Boston; J. D. Rice and wife, Trenton; A. G. Holbrook and wife, Trenton; Sophia O. Schussler, Mrs. J. C. Macee, W. R. Shell and wife, Philadelphia, Penn.; Donald McNiver and wife, Chelsea, Mass.; James D. Robertson and wife, Worcester, Mass.; W. B. Murdoch, S. W. Livingston, Montreal.

Victoria.  
Edward Briggs, Sheffield, N. B.; A. Millon Dunn, Hampton, E. D.; Sheild, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Chester E. Jones, Mr. W. W. Loveloy, Mr. A. Hyder, Miss Marion Hamilton, Mr. E. Scott, Richard W. Nutter, Wm. O. Sprout, with Geo. E. Beckman's conducted party from Boston; Spencer R. Nagler and wife, Weyaco, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Boston; John R. Constock and wife Brooklyn N. Y.; Miss G. L. Foote Brooklyn; John Dawson, Dawsonville, W. Hartaker, Melbourne, Australia; W. R. Huntley, Parraboro; D. A. Huntley, Parraboro; J. E. Sullivan, Brookton; C. R. Smith, Boston; H. L. Hanson, Boston; A. W. Johnson

and wife, Derby; C. A. Austin and wife Thomasine, Miss Delaney, Concord; E. H. Lankin, Concord; Mary J. Boda, Parrington; Eliza D. Bean, Parrington, R. I.; Dr. and Mrs. F. B. Wheaton, Portland; W. C. Taylor and wife, New York City; Mr. and Mrs. Martin Machman and two children; Mrs. A. S. Newman Wesley, Albany; Mrs. L. D. Shepard, Miss Ryan, Boston; E. J. Ward, M. L. Foley, New York; A. O. Levesque, Boston; B. A. Wynn, Worcester, Mass.; Hon. J. K. Fleming, Hartland; Miss A. M. Boardman, Albany, N. Y.; W. E. Clarke, wife and niece, New York; Geo. J. Green, Montreal; J. St. John, Fredericton; A. F. MacIntosh, Halifax; Miss Draffin, New York; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sweetland, Providence; Reynold Sweetland, do.; John Sweetland, do.; Bertie Sweetland, do.; Jennifer Fox, A. J. Henry Hartman, New York; A. S. Hane, New York; Miss K. L. King, Boston; Miss M. A. Sheridan, Boston; Miss Mary C. Sheridan, do.; Miss A. McSheridan, Boston.

\$3,000,000 TRUST TO CANADA IN PARIS.  
Special to The Standard.  
Montreal, Que., Aug. 15.—Senator Roy of Edmonton, who has just returned from Paris announced today that the enterprising Mr. J. H. Fox, of a new trust company in Paris, named the Canadian Mortgage Association with a capital of \$3,000,000. The Canadian headquarters will be in Montreal, and branches in Edmonton and other cities in the west.

FATHER HAND LIKELY NEXT BISHOP OF LONDON  
Special to The Standard.  
London, Ont., Aug. 15.—From the most reliable information obtainable here, Father Hand, rector of St. Paul's Roman Catholic Church, Toronto, is looked upon as the likely choice of Rome for the next bishop of London.

UNDERTAKER IN NEW LINE OF ENDEAVOR.  
St. George, Aug. 13.—Mr. Fred Miles Cawley, St. George's well known undertaker, on receiving the felicitations of his friends on the success of his venture in a new field of industrial activity, which was the construction of a company for the building of Messrs. Tate, Meating and Co. To a Standard reporter Mr. Cawley refused to confirm the report that he was negotiating for the purchase of Thomas Edison's new invention for the construction of cement houses.

In a recent speech, Right Hon. R. Haldane, Secretary for War, in the British Cabinet, announced that the War Office had decided to send Major-General Sir John French to Canada at an early date, to work out the ideas for an Army Empire as outlined at the Imperial Defence Conference, while Field-Marshal Lord Kitchener should visit Australia for a similar purpose.

Major-General Sir John Denton Pinkstone French is one of the three big men of the British Army today; the others are General Sir Neville Gerard Lyttonell, and of course, Kitchener of Khartoum. Of the three French is the "baby" in years; he is French of Khartoum tops him by two and Sir Neville by four years.

As we met from year to year, balancing time when in special expression, we find to the account we must credit the year's work, we completely the meaning of the Brotherhood, embodying the moral principles of our own Friendship, Charity and Benevolence. The Pythian order, based on the idea of the world, I am truly glad to see you make this statement which is warranted by the records of my life.

I am sure it is gratifying to me to see the great gains by our order in the slowly but surely we are high and honorable position of a similar nature, being that as a matter of fact, I am truly glad to see you make this statement which is warranted by the records of my life.

I believe by every endeavoring to appreciate the of the order and exemplify in its daily life, the Pythian become a synonym of all that is noble. The ideals and lessons taught through the gradation to rank must surely have influence on weak lodges. We are proud to know loved order is enlarging its extending its influence, and to-day a leading position a greatest fraternal organization.

When you elected me to office of Grand Chancellor, with a feeling of responsibility, I desire then in the discharge of my duty every lodge in the to carefully study condition. But I regret to say business matters over which lately no control deprived of their money, they are unable to avail myself of this thought not as your executive. There are still in our weak lodges that require of the order, and we must be in need of assistance. Delinquent lodges like delinquents are hard to master. I endeavored as far as possible to meet the needs of various lodges. I regret that they have failed to submit their official duties.

Crecent Lodge, Summersville, is one of the active domains, has had his charter during this term, owing to the part of its members several visits to this lodge, fully considering the lodge have the charter withdrawn. I visited Black Diamond, C.B., accompanied by Grand McKenzie, and an pleasant Black Diamond lodge. I was delighted with the corded me and the enthusiasm with Grand Iner Guy with a view to revive the at the prospect of the thought advisable to have stand over until the summer. I was in communication with J. A. McDonald, deputy Lodge, a few weeks ago. I was glad to see the re-organized lodge trouble there at the is delaying action.

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