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PROBS: Cloudy and mild to-day, with occasions showers, turning colder at night.

TWENTY PAGES-MONDAY MORNING DECEMBER 11 1911-TWENTY PAGES

Local Interest Cel Senate Reading Room-Foy-Oliver Fight in North

Elections To-day Not Very Exciting-89 Seats Being Contested Thruout Prov. ince-Work in Toronte is Concentrated on One Riding-People Apathetic.

The worldy hope men set their hearts Turns to ashes or prospers, And anon, like snow upon the desert's dirty face Lighting its little hour or two—is

Omar Khayyam. Likewise the political hope many a candidate in Toronto and Ontario, is setting his heart upon to-day, will have turned to ashes shortly after sunset, or it will have prospered to

give them the seats they crave in

Queen's Park. The political machinery will begin to hum at 9 o'clock this morning, when the polls open and they will dose shamply at 5 o'clock in the aftermoon. A light vote is expected in West and South Toronto, as in these ridings it is quite generally conceded the Conservative candidates have very

weak opposition. In North and East Toronto the interest is fairly level.

The earliest returns will be received about 5.15 o'clock to-night, a few minutes after the closing of the

polls.

In East Toronto the Conservative candidates will receive the news at the Central committee rooms, Gerrard and Parliament-streets, while the Liberals will await the verdict in Organiner Hacker's office, Forum Building.

Mr. T. R. Whiteside is confident he will have a good majority when the votes are counted to-night. "Altho elections and horse races are uncertain things," he said Sunday night, "I feel perfectly confident I will win out to-day."

This election compared to that in

will throw the results upon a screen, ures will be interspersed bright pictures. But, to proceed, if Oliver, by any chance, gets in, all those Liberals who crept, ice-cooled cloths on head, who crept, ice-cooled cloths on head, into bed, at 8 p.m., on the evening of 21st September last, will make amends by staying up and making a cheerful noise until at least midnight.

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Both Sides Hopeful. However, you never can tell, and the both sides are very very confident of bringing home the North Toronto well as two flettious persons. B seat bacon, only one side is allowed to do the toting, and that may be as the new ministers were sworn in. either, as T. R. Whiteside, further up telegrams were received in Montreal in the article, says elections are just

The boss cannot remove the extra hour from his pay. It is the employe's portant witnesses, the further hearing right, given him by law, to take his continuous that the trial had to be postponed until

All over the province, the Conser-vatives are confident, and the Liberals hopeful. That's about all that can be

WILL NOT RENEW

Report Regarding Taylor Scott Contract False, Says Premier.

In the afternoon papers of Saturday, in the report of the premier's Hamilton visit, appeared some mention of the government renewing the Taylor-Scott Company's contract for the use of 'convicted labor at the Central

that the report that the contract would be renewed was absolutely untrue. He gave it a most unqualified denial. Renewal, he further said, had not even been contemplated.

PORCUPINE BULLETIN.

PORCUPINE, Dec. 10 .- (Special.)-Rain set in Saturday night and con-tinued to-day. Roads are not fit for traveling. Colder weather is indicated. Robbers broke into the Golden City postoffice. but failed to secure loot, as the clerks had carried the valuables their homes.

A Hollinger report may be issued any day and altho Conservative in tone it shows the property in an extremely orable light. Inside interests are

Chas. Fox. EXCEEDING THE SPEED LIMIT.

"The Girl in the Taxi," which obens a week's engagement at the i'rincess tonight, exceeds the speed limit at every performance, inasmuch that the farce produces more merriment to the minute than any similar play. Those who enjoy a good laugh and then more laughter should not fail to "The Girl in the Taxi."

Provincial Election Returns

will be shown on a canvas opposite The World Office, in Richmond Street West, to-night, after the polls close. Special wires will bring the results from all over the province, direct to The World Office.

Humorous and other pictures will be displayed during the intervals.

OFFERED OTTAWA JOBS WHICH PROVED MYTHS

Hon. Mr. Lemieux Tells of Forged Telegrams at Enquiry Into Ingenious Frauds.

MONTREAL, Dec. 10 .- (Can. Press.) Sensational evidence was given by the Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, K.C., expostmaster-general and ex-minister of marine, in the police court before Judge Lanctot yesterday, in the case of Lucien Jeannette and Felix Jette. who have been arrested charged with obtaining money under false pretences by selling government positions at Ot-

Pierre Martel, 38 St. Ambroise-st., St. Henri, appeared thru his counsel, Sevrein Letourneau, K.C., against Jeannette and Jette.

Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, K.C., took During this last campaign, if anyone the stand against the prisoners and happened to mention elections, they did it in a sort of half applogetic way. Lemieux swore that he did not know or else used it as a topic to fill in the prisoner, and so far as he knew, time, like the weather. No arguments, no loud talking, no had received no letters from him. A scraps on street cars, no monster number of telegrams produced were de-meetings, no heckling, no nasty names. meetings, no beckling, no nasty names, no nothing; what a slow campaign it's postmaster-general declared that they been when one looks back upon those had neither been signed by him nor tember.

Of course, there'll be big crowds down town to-night, providing that the showers, which the weather man clared to be rank forgeries. The expostmaster-general declared that they had neither been signed by him nor by any of his employes at Ottawa. The only persons authorized to sign correspondence, he said, were his private tive committee of the national com-

Previous to the general elections, the

the trial had to be postponed until

VOTE FOR "TOBY."

Labor has a chance to give Allan Studholme a companion in the legislature by electing. "Toby" James in South Toronto. No straighter man has asked for the suffrages of his mates in the contest.

Griffiths on Canada

OTTAWA. Dec. 10 .- "Canada to-day has world-wide interests and she must, in the in-terest of her own trade and commerce and to preserve her own prosperity, help to maintain the supremacy of the British fleet, which affects her commercial well-being just as much as that of England or any other part of the empire."
So spoke J. Norton Griffiths,

M.P., of the British House of Commons, and celebrated British contractor and capitalist, who is in the capital en route from Vancouver.
While here he will interview

the government in regard to the construction of the St. John harbor, for which his firm tend-

"We are ready for an immediate start and hope to get permission to make one from the government." he stated. Another Canadian project with which Mr. Griffiths is connected is the scheme of the Duke of Sutherland to establish English people on Canadian farms, while he has also an eye to and an interest in Canadian progress in general.

BEGINNING TO SEE DAYLIGHT



PIONEER MACLEAN TUNNELS THRU

This election compared to that in september, is fearfully quiet. The question of Christmas gifts certainly occupies more persons' minds than does the fact that to-day Sir James Whitney asks for the return of the sovernment at Ottawa. This election compared to that in his deposition, states that he gave \$115 to Jeannette and \$145 to Jette, to purchase a good position in the government at Ottawa. Forged Telegrams. To Aid Canada, Says Carnegie

of Skibo Grasped Hon. Mr. Borden's Hand to Emphasize Words at Dinner of Peace Celebration Committee -- Premier Had Two Hour Chat With Roosevelt.

tember.

Of course, there'll be big crowds down to-night, providing that the showers, which the weather man prognosticates will be our lot during the day, clear away by eventide. But the day, clear away by eventide. But the day, clear away by eventide on prognosticates will be our lot during the day, clear away by eventide. But the day eventide on prognosticates will be our lot during secretary, Mr. Evarette and certain assistant secretaries in the department.

Sistant secretaries in the department.

English-speaking people. The celebration of civil service.

We Rorden talked of civil service. party to offer positions under such 15. Mr. Carnegie is chairman of the reform in Canada.

Carnegie's Frank Admission. telegrams were signed by Hon. Ro-dolphe Lemieux, Hon. L. P. Brodeur, min-he said, "needs no other diploma. But he said, "needs no other diploma. But Oscar S. Straus was the only speak-now that Canada has a Scotch premier er who referred to the defeat of the well as two fictitious names, L. Anorie, now that Canada has a Scotch premier er who reterred to the detection will as two fictitious names, L. Anorie, now that Canada has a Scotch premier er who reterred to the detection of the Canada has a Scotch premier er who reterred to the detection of the Canada has a Scotch premier er who reterred to the detection of the Canada has a Scotch premier er who reterred to the detection of the Canada has a Scotch premier er who reterred to the detection of the Canada has a Scotch premier er who reterred to the detection of the Canada has a Scotch premier er who reterred to the detection of the Canada has a Scotch premier er who reterred to the detection of the Canada has a Scotch premier er who reterred to the detection of the Canada has a Scotch premier er who reterred to the Canada has a Scotch premier er who a Scotch premier er who reterred to the Canada has a Scotch premi country. You, in Canada, and we in putting Premier Borden in office.

America, have grown closer to each Mr. Straus said that the fact that in the article, says elections are just like horse races.

There'll be plenty of motors and other vehicles to take all to the polis who care to go. Both sides are well equipped. Another thing, every man is allowed an hour, extra and alongisde his regular noon hour to vote. The boss cannot remove the extra.

The work of the received in Montreal from Ottawa, alleged to have been other and other year by year, and that should be the way with the whole English-speaking race. I never did anything for the republic that I did not also do for Canada, both in the way of libraries and hero funds. I never the libraries and hero funds. I never found a man in Canada who was in favor of annexation to the United States, but I never found a man either who objected to Canada annexing the United States. When we were in trouble Canada

ROBBERS HELD

Desperadoes Trapped.

ed the building and caught two of the

in common which must be worked out each by its own people. But I know that as long as the world goes around, Canada and America will maintain the most friendly feelings for each other. the treaty did not go thru would make no difference in the mutual feeling of good will between the two countries. He added that the laws which were bringing capital and labor together in Canada should be adopted by the do for Canada, both in the way of United States, as they were fair all

the way thru. Niagara Memorial Bridge. John A. Stewart, chairman of the executive committee of the celebration, spoke on the plans for the coming ob-

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CITY COUNCIL UP POOL-ROOM MEETS TO DAY

Forty Men in Brooklyn-Two Up, as Well as Two-Year Term Proposal.

The intrusion of the men was without warning, and their gunplay imout warning, and their gunplay imout warning, and their gunplay imof the council extended to two years.

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the robbers soon had control of the committee with committee on parks. situation and in less time than it Ald. McCarthy's motion to create a takes to tell it, they had made the men public utilities board, if the electors give up watches and jewelry and vote for it, will also be considered. of lacking diplomatic tact.

money to the extent of \$200 or more. Ald. McBrien will move that steps

Curzon Backs Persia. money to the extent of \$200 or more. Ald. McBrien will move that steps While the robbery was going on be taken to secure protection at the one of the men in the room managed Lansdowne-avenue railway crossing. roy of India, whose knowledge of the to escape and gave a police alarm Other matters also will be dealt with. country inspires respect and whose which trought the reserves from a _____

nearby station. The officers surround- SIR DONALD GOES TO CALIFORNIA masked men as they were bolting out In order to recuperate from his re-

of the front door. Three of the rob- cent illness, Sir Donald Mann will all other considerations. bers escaped by plunging headlong spend the winter in Culifornia. He is England needs Russia's support in thru the glass sash of the rear win-expected to leave Toronto some time case of a war with Germany, and, therefore she cannot afford to take a stand against her.

Alleged Weakness of Policy. LONDON, Dec. 9 .- (Can. Press.)-

Details as to the advance of the Russian troops in Persia have been kept discredit upon himself. for several days completely in the dark. How large a force has been The chief feature of Hon. Mr. Beck's possible to get any check on the men despatched by the Russian Govern- stirring speech was the revelation he That it is more than a hundred it seems ment, and particulars as to its move- made of the old government's failure certain, and that all are dead seems ment, and particulars as to its move-ments are unknown in London, but to converse the water-powers of the Met by Black Damp, the public generally feels that the end province, and the hypocrisy of the will be the establishment of a Russian protectorate over the best parts of claim credit for the present power pol-Persia, including the two northern icy of the Ontario administration to capitals, Tabriz and Teheran.

give expression to the skepticism, re- The Whitney government, he said,

The possible damage to British comanxiety.

The correspondent of The Daily Tele-Masked Men With Guns Terrorized Street Rallway Expropriation Comes peror George is being held, emphasizes this danger.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 .- (Can. Press). The city council meets to-day at 3 face with one of the gravest crises

in England during the past week. All officials, as well as the newspapers. credit him with efficiency and with

The British cabinet is trying to induce Russia to abate her demands,

MINE VICTIMS NUMBER 100 RESCUERS WORK HEROICALLY

King a Busy Man

DELHI, Dec. 10 .- (Can. Press) - King George has had a busy time since his arrival in camp, for there has been a succession of ceremonies during the past three days. More than one hundred native princes have been received in audience by the King, and their visits have been returned, at the King's command, by the viceroy.

King George and Queen Mary to-day reviewed a magnificent open air church parade, which was an impressive spectacle. Few Americans are attending the Durbar, apparently being deterred by fears of extortionate rates for accommodations. At one of the leading hotels the rate for each person is \$80 daily for a minimum of twenty days.

BREWERS' FUND STORY BRANDED AS FALSEHOOD

Rebert Lockhart Denounces Tactics of Liberal Papers-Beck on Hydro Policy.

WOODSTOCK, Dec. 10.-The last and only meeting of Mr. Robert Lockhart's campaign in North Oxford was held here last night. Hon. Adam Beck of London gave a capital fighting speech in Mr. Lockhart's interests to a crowd which filled the City on, some of them till they were carried Hall to overflowing.

Hall to overflowing.

Mr. Lockhart's plan embraced personal interviews with nearly every elector in the county to the exclusion of the usual political meeting, and the Secrecy Hangs About Bear's result of his personal work is antici-

that the distillers and brewers intended sending money into North Oxford to defeat Mr. Rowell.

Mr. Lockhart stigmatized the report as a downright lie designed to throw

icy of the Ontario administration to two miles from the opening, and because of the deadly black-damp. The latter caused all work to be stopped Newspapers and politicians generally colleagues who inaugurated it.

garding it as unlikely that Russia once stood for state owned water-power, entrenched in Teheran will ever with- and would continue to stand for it

in council in the dying hours of the tiful flowers, as well as telegrams, were mercial interests is absorbing much and give away the Shaw falls to O'ettention, but the blow to Fritish Connor and his gang for about \$1400? UNUSUAL DECEMBER SUNDAY. prestige among orientals causes most Did this show a disposition to con-

in the local Liberal paper that the government was cold hearted in not having done much towards stamping out the white plague, and in this connection pointed out that the Whitney administration had spent double the amount expended by the Ross government of the story that the experts tell us? That comparatively our farmers are raising less cattle for meat than ever; that our imparatively our farmers are raising less cattle for meat than ever; that our imparatively our farmers are raising less cattle for meat than ever; that our imparatively our farmers are raising less cattle for meat than ever; that our imparatively our farmers are raising less cattle for meat than ever; that our imparatively our farmers are raising less cattle for meat than ever; that our imparatively our farmers are raising less cattle for meat than ever; that our imparatively our farmers are raising less cattle for meat than every cattle for meat ment for this purpose, viz: \$125,000 a year. A request for money from the old government had been turned down, but since then the Whitney government has built sanitariums at Hamilton London Ottown of the work o

but the crux of the matter is the ten-sion with Germany which overshadows mistake as Friday's World, which stated that T. R. Whiteside's majority in the last election was 1290. That is far from right. Mr. Whiteside beat Jos. Russell, Independent Conservative, by but 370 votes in 1908. Eight Bodies Taken from Colliery at Briceville, Tenn., After 36 Hours' Battling with Poisonous Gases -Thousands of Morbidly Carious Flock to View the Distressing Scene.

BRICEVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 10.-(Can. Press.)-Somewhere in the depths of the Cross Mountain Coal Mine probably 100 men lie dead to-night, while their sorrow-stricken families keep vigil at the mouth of their tomb, hoping against hope that their loved ones may be alive when rescuers reach

Eight torn and mangled bodies had been brought forth at nightfall when search was abandoned for the day. Outside of the immediate families of the entombed men, no one in this little mountain village believes that any living thing in the mine has survived the terrific explosion of coal dust that wrecked the workings Saturday morn-

Seven of those removed were identified to-day as follows: Lee Polston, Eugene Ault, Taylor Ault, Roland Early, W. A. Farmer, Herman Sharp,

The eighth was thought to be Alonso Word, a youth of 18 years, but his identity was not positively made. Penetrated Three Miles.

For more than thirty-six hours every surviving miner in this region has toiled with no thought of food, sleep or pay, to remove the debris and force fresh air into the innermost recesses of the mine. To-night they practically had penetrated to the main entry head nearly three miles in. To-morrow they expect to be ready to work the crossentries, in which the great mass of bodies undcubtedly were cast by the

Plans, But Permanent Occupation of Teheran is Looked For in England — British

Press Bitterly Condemns

To the usual political meeting, and the result of his personal work is anticipated with a good deal of hope by the Conservatives of the riding.

At last night's meeting Mr. Lockhart condemned in strong terms the last minute effort of Liberal organs in endeavoring to discredit his campaign by giving currency to a foolish rumor that the distillers and brewers insupplies are promised for to-morrow.

ber of men in the mine when the ex-plesion occurred. Mine officials have

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EUGENE O'KEEFE'S BIRTHDAY. draw.

The Telleran correspondent of The Times predicts that Russia's first act. ham and other of his colleagues who the age of 84 yesterday. A number of the age of 84 yesterday. A number of the age of 84 yesterday. will be to substitute a new form of government for that of the national water-powers of the province, sit the water-powers of the province the province that the water-powers of the province the province the province that the water-powers of the province the province that th

There was fog, there was thick fog, serve the province's water-power for yesterday morning, a high temperature, sraph at Delhi, where the great Durbar of the coronation of King-Emperor George is being held, emphasizes this danger.

the people? And did it snow friendship for the hydro-electric project?

Mr. Beck declared that he had been criticized by certain Liberal papers for entering the campaign on behalf of Conservative candidates in Oxford and Heavy Blow to Presting. the people? And did it show friendship a smell of spring. The rivers and The Outlook says: "We are face to reply to this he said he considered it thru the mist and the air had sail the -Five masked robbers burst into a pool room on Broadway, Brooklyn, late tonight, and at the point of revolvers lined up forty men whose pockets the people to decide, and will discuss they rifled in real wild west fashion.

The intrusion of the measure of success that had the considered it a responsibility and a duty to go into the ridings and give an account of his stewardship.

As to the successful carrying out of the scheme, he disclaimed credit for himself, but declared that the people to decide, and will discuss the proposa? Ito ask the electors associate." for the measure of success that had attended the enterprise.

Fighting White Plague.

Mr. Beck also dealt with the charge

THE LIVE STOCK SHOW. V

Lord Curzon of Kedleston, former vice. bent has built sanitariums at Hamilton, Country inspires respect and whose speeches have done much to shake confidence in the government's policy.

The British cabinet is trying to the since then the Whitney government which will sanitariums at Hamilton, Cottawa and Kingston, and increased the grant for \$1.20 per patient a week to \$2.00.

AN EPROP 13 The Why? Nothing is so profitable as raising animals for meat, and yet our farmers fail to keep up to the needs. Feed is scarce, and it is now so easy to make a living on the farmer to make a livin seems to be a falling off in enterprise. We do not grow enough feed and we kill too many young animals! That's the reason. Our farmers must become more enterprising, they can make more money by being more enterprising. Our farmers are not living up to their opportunities,