

EXTEND THE INTERCOLONIAL

R. L. Richardson Declares That the West is in Favor of a State-Owned Transcontinental Railway.

In reply to a telegram from the World, R. L. Richardson, ex-M.P., and editor of the Winnipeg Tribune, says: The proposed Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, while not brought forward as a direct result of the recent political contest, was, doubtless, indirectly so to a large extent. Mr. Greenway indicated that he was favorable to the program of the Ottawa government, and that he would favor the scheme granting bonuses, while Premier Roblin was positive and emphatic in stating that Manitoba would consent to no grant or assistance. Judging from the complete victory of Mr. Roblin, it may be taken for granted that the west is overwhelmingly against agreeing to the Ottawa proposition. But more particularly is the feeling here against the parallelism of the Intercolonial and the proposed extension of the federal government to build the difficult section from the east to Winnipeg with public money, leaving the western, a comparatively easy portion of the road, to be constructed by the company.

WHAT THE WEST WANTS IS AN EXTENSION OF THE INTERCOLONIAL AS A PUBLICLY OWNED AND CONTROLLED SYSTEM, RUNNING THRU TO THE WHEAT FIELDS OF THE GREAT NORTHWEST, AND, IF NECESSARY, THRU TO THE COAST.

BODY OF POPE LIES IN STATE

Beginning at Sunrise To-day the People Will Be Permitted to Pay Their Farewell.

Rome, July 22.—To-night the body of Pope Leo XIII. lies in state in the Basilica of St. Peter's. Beginning tomorrow at sunrise, the people of Rome and those of all nations now in the Eternal City will be admitted to pay their last farewell. Opportunity for this solemn tribute will be given until 5 o'clock this afternoon the remains of the dead Pope lay in the throne room of the Vatican, where the leaders of the diplomatic, clerical and civil world were allowed to pass the bier. The ceremonial to-night when the body was conveyed from the throne room to St. Peter's was one of the most striking of all the obsequies. During the day the congregation of cardinals met and decided to hold the conclave under the regulations which obtained at the conclave which elected Leo. Dr. Lippini in the course of the day presented to Cardinal Oreglia a report of the autopsy which was held, which showed that there was no sign of cancer in the Pope's body. Some hours before sundown St. Peter's was cleared of the great flight of circular steps. Eight hundred carpenters hastily constructed a stout fence five feet high to resist the encroachments of the striking of all the obsequies. During the day the congregation of cardinals met and decided to hold the conclave under the regulations which obtained at the conclave which elected Leo. Dr. Lippini in the course of the day presented to Cardinal Oreglia a report of the autopsy which was held, which showed that there was no sign of cancer in the Pope's body. Some hours before sundown St. Peter's was cleared of the great flight of circular steps. Eight hundred carpenters hastily constructed a stout fence five feet high to resist the encroachments of the striking of all the obsequies.

THIS MAJESTY TO IRISHMEN

PROUD OF THEIR SPIRIT

Maude Gonne Creates a Diversion by Defying Police With Boiling Water.

Dublin, July 22.—King Edward and Queen Alexandra, accompanied by the Lord Lieutenant, the Earl of Dudley, and Princess Victoria, their suites and other officials, were expected to arrive in the city early to-day. Crowds along the route greeted their Majesties with continuous cheering. The King received in the throne room a large number of deputations prior to the levee, which opened at noon.

Replying to the Dublin Citizens' Committee, the King said there was no part of his dominions in which he took greater interest than in Ireland. The Queen and himself had long been in sympathy with the movements tending to advance the social and material well-being of the community, and they hoped now to become acquainted with the conditions under which the people lived and to learn what could be done to brighten the lot of the people.

Replying to the other addresses, His Majesty said he rejoiced to hear of the awakened spirit of hope and enterprise among his Irish people, which was full of promise for the future. It would be a course of profound happiness to him if his reign was coincident with a new era of social peace and industrial and commercial progress for Ireland. The King visited Trinity College, where he spoke briefly, saying he was proud his name was numbered on the rolls of the college which bore the name of Swift, Berkeley, Burke and Grattan.

The Queen after presenting badges to the twelve nurses drove to Alexandra College. In the meanwhile, King Edward held a levee at the castle, which was attended by a great number of prominent people from all parts of Ireland. After the levee the King returned to the vice-regal lodge, where he was joined by the Queen.

Maude Gonne (Mrs. McBride) hung a black flag outside her residence yesterday in memory of the late King. It was pulled down by the police, whereupon Maude Gonne, supported by her friends, hung another flag, and, arming themselves with poles and boiling water, defied the police, who summoned reinforcements, but they made no further attempt to haul down the flag, which was again displayed to-day.

FOURTH OF JULY IN DAWSON

Remarkable Issue of The News Showing Cosmopolitan Tendencies.

The Dawson News of July 4 is a remarkable paper. On the front page is a large picture of the late King, with a fine colored border, and a smaller picture of Jefferson showing the Declaration of Independence to Franklin and Adams. The second page is nearly filled by an illustrated article on the centenary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence. The article is written by a cosmopolitan citizen of Great Britain and it is necessary to exert every effort to equal the paper in the leading editorial page. This being the anniversary of the Declaration of Independence, the event will be celebrated in Dawson with all the old-time vigor.

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DEATH IN TURKISH PRISON

Professor Kevorkian is Not Likely to Survive Tortures.

Boston, July 22.—Word was received by the American Board of Foreign Missions to-day that Prof. Theodore Kevorkian, a student of the American College, is in a Turkish prison, and is not likely to survive the tortures and privations to which he has been subjected. The Turks, it is said, have been trying to starve him into confessing that American missionaries are plotting against the Sultan's life, but he had nothing to confess, and could not satisfy them. He is so stricken by the tortures that he is likely to die before he can be taken to the hospital. The American Board of Foreign Missions is doing every effort to secure his release.

DEARER COAL AFTER AUGUST FIRST

DEALERS FIX PRICE AT \$7 PER TON

August \$7.213
September 22.437
October 25.614
November 19.559
December 1.281

Total 183,831

In 1900 the total receipts were 164,800 tons. Last year's figures could not be counted for every month, as no coal at all came in for months.

This year so far the figures are as follows:

Month	Tons
April	23,462
May	22,257
June	30,004

This shows an increase of 2203 tons in June and 970 tons over May, 1901.

It takes in the neighborhood of 700,000 tons of coal to supply the city for the winter, 300,000 of this being arranged by vessel in 1901 are as follows:

Month	Tons
April	21,387
May	21,798
June	22,798
July	30,142

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40,000 PERSONS ON STRIKE

Baku, Russia, July 22.—A general strike has been declared here which involves 40,000 persons. The newspapers have suspended and everything is at a standstill except a few bakeries.

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SAYS TARTE OF QUEBEC
Rival Claims of Mulock and Fielding
Discussed by the Ex-Minister.

Montreal, July 22.—(Special.)—“Sir Wilfrid Laurier's state of health will not permit him to remain very long on the scene. The most sincere regrets of his admirers will not change in the least the course of events. The Prime Minister is, like all other mortals, attached to this life, and in order to prolong his he will be forced ere long to take his retreat.”

The above is how Hon. Mr. Tarte views the situation from his seat in the House of Commons, and then the ex-Minister of Public Works proceeds to discuss the claims of the leadership of the Liberal party. “Sir Wilfrid Laurier,” Mr. Tarte writes, “has a good deal of ambition, and is an educated man. His uneven humor has made him a good many enemies. He is abounding in his ideas and capricious in his methods. He is not a very political man in the denunciation of monopolies and large corporations, and at times he allowed himself to be carried away by the most childish excesses. There was a time, in fact, when he appeared to be almost insane. He is not a very strong man, and will improve still more, for he appears to have the chief command of the Liberal party.”

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