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## DR. REEVE'S ADDRESS AT CONVENTION OPENING

British Medical Association is  
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Welcome and Other Pleasan-  
tries—Dean Reeve's Masterful  
Inaugural.

In the face of a common foe all man-  
kind is united.

That is the sentiment which Presi-  
dent Reeve enunciated in his inaugu-  
ral address at the meeting of the Brit-  
ish Medical Association yesterday in  
the University Convocation Hall. Long  
before that, at 9 in the morning, the  
various sections were getting ready for  
business, and before 10 all but two  
were hearing or discussing papers.

But the great gathering was at 2  
o'clock, when the new convocation hall,  
temporarily fitted and finely draped,  
was filled with hundreds of professional  
men from all parts of the world, and  
not a few ladies, their fellow-voyagers.  
It is rarely one sees such beauty and  
refinement of feature in a gathering  
of ladies, and if education, and has  
such an elevating influence on the fair  
sex, humanity need no longer fear blue-  
stockings.

It was the man who, on this occa-  
sion, came out strong in costume. Ever-  
body knew it was a warm day. The  
mayor, as was to be expected, pun-  
ned on the heat in extending a  
warm welcome. But the robes and  
raiment worn by the doctors raised the  
temperature by several degrees. The  
colors were intense and lurid, and Solo-  
mon and Sheba together never achieved  
such an effect. Of course, it was  
beautiful, even magnificent, and has  
magnified well with the gaudy barbarity  
of the huge umbrellas opening, draped  
with every hue of bunting, which  
waved in the cool air that drifted thru  
the open doors.

Toronto will begin to appreciate the  
fine convocation hall, and by, with its  
splendid accommodations, nothing  
could be better than to have had his  
first public function in which one  
whose civilized world is concerned. As  
the names of delegates from foreign  
countries were called from all na-  
tions, from colonial branches, and  
from special departments, they rose  
and were greeted by the new presi-  
dent.

Notable.

Sir Victor Horsley was easily first  
favorite in a usual of applause. Sir  
Hector Clare Cameron, Glasgow, also  
had a hearty reception. Sir James  
Barlow and Dr. W. J. Mill, president  
of the American Medical Association,  
Dr. Jane Hathway, president of the  
delegate from Griqualand, was loudly  
welcomed. Prof. Ashcroft, Freiburg; Dr.  
Lapicque, Dr. Maurice, Nicolas, Dr.  
Nicole, Dr. Rama Rao (Madras), and  
Dr. Deshabai Rastogi, Baroda, F. R. S.,  
Bombay, were also cordially re-  
ceived. Other gentlemen who were  
called were: Drs. Henry Barnes (Car-  
lisle), Roddick (Montreal), G. H.  
(Swansea), Groves (Carlisle),  
James Hamilton (Glasgow), Helme  
(Manchester), J. A. Macdonald (Que-  
bec), Morier (London), Stratton (Salis-  
bury), Lynn Thomas (Cardiff), Tyson  
(Polestone), Norman Walker (Edin-  
burgh), Williams (Llanelli), William  
Ewart (London), Boyd Joll (London),  
Gordon Down (London), Thomas Dun-  
nelly (Dublin), C. J. Delahoy, F. J.  
Smith (London), Asley V. Clark (Lei-  
cester), Logan Turner (Edinburgh),  
Glaister (Glasgow), Sinclair White  
(Sheffield), Prof. Halliburton, King's  
College, Dr. Dow, St. Andrews (twice),  
Clifford Albutt, Denial Allister,  
Rose Bradford (another brilliantly clad  
university man), and Dr. Williams  
(Bristol), Samuel Brown (Warwick),  
representing the M. H. O's; A. Mac-  
donald, representing the psychologists;  
Dr. Ross, Richmond, Va., who was  
specially congratulated, representing  
the railway surgeons; Dr. McCarrill,  
Association of Military Surgeons; Lt.-  
Col. Rainsford and Eldon Harvey, Ber-  
muda; John Stewart, Campbell, Halifax;  
Dr. Davis, New Zealand; Drummond Moray, South  
Australia.

The retiring president opened the  
proceedings punctually, and made a  
business-like little speech narrating  
the progress of the association. Re-  
building of the offices on the Strand  
has been decided upon, and he expect-  
ed to see a handsome structure on the  
corner of Agar-street before long. The  
matter of a royal charter would no  
doubt be believed in this year. He  
thanked Drs. Guy Elliston, Smith  
Whittaker and Dawson Williams for

their assistance, and with a compliment  
to Toronto called on Dr. Allan Reeve  
to succeed him. Certainly, he said, the  
honor of the chair he vacated would  
be preserved and its dignity increased  
by Dean Reeve.

In Welcome.

Dr. Starr then spoke.

"When the British Medical Associa-  
tion had reached the age of sixty-six  
years he said it seemed good that  
some national blood should be intro-  
duced into its internal economy, and  
our esteemed friend, Dr. Roddick, was  
elected to the high office of president.  
The effect was so startling that amid  
but nine years after, the Land of the  
Maple is selected as the place of  
meeting and the president of the  
association there has been elected one  
whom all Canadians respect and admire  
and one whom to know is to love—our  
own Dr. Reeve. I have the honor, sir,  
to present to you the badge of office—  
the badge bearing the arms of the City  
of Toronto and of the University. In-  
side the locket I have taken the liberty  
of placing the first photograph, taken  
from things as they are, of your very  
own child—Convocation Hall.

Mayor Coatsworth neatly presented  
the city's respects to the visitors and  
Mr. L. H. Cameron, F. R. C. S., invoked  
the blessing of God on the meeting.  
The Mighty upon the assembly.

"It is good for us my brothers, you  
are going to see the world," he quoted.  
Dr. McPhedran for the Canadian Medi-  
cal, and Dr. Bingham, for the Ontario  
Medical Associations, spoke in welcome.  
Surgeon-General, Grassie, in handsome  
silver-decked uniform, moved that Sir  
Victor Horsley be a vice-president for  
his services. Dr. J. A. Macdonald, of  
Toronto, having seconded the motion,  
it was carried with applause. The  
minutes of the last meeting, read by  
Resolutions of thanks to Dr. Franklin  
Roddick, were then read.

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## Populace Flee to Cities Insurgents Press Close

General Gomez, Candidate for  
the Presidency of Cuba, at  
Head of Rebels, and His Arrest  
Has Been Ordered.

Havana, Aug. 21.—The western rail-  
road officials say that all was abso-  
lutely quiet to-day along the line; there  
was no disturbance of traffic and no  
incident worth mentioning except the  
cutting of the telegraph line in the  
vicinity of San Juan de Martinez, which  
was immediately repaired.

The inhabitants of the Province of  
Pinar del Rio are in a state of alarm,  
and are commencing to flee to the towns.  
Where they do not flock to the towns  
they are taking their horses and cattle  
into the houses in order to prevent them  
from being stolen. It is feared that the  
city of Pinar del Rio will be occupied  
by the insurgents to-night.

The troop trains which arrived here  
from the west to-day only transferred  
100 men and horses to the western rail-  
road, and these were forwarded to the  
City of Pinar del Rio. The balance of  
the trainload, eleven cars, were dropped  
at various points in Santa Clara, Ma-  
tanzas and Havana provinces.

The Cuban government has been posi-  
tively informed that Gen. Joz Miguel  
Gomez, who was a candidate for the  
presidency, has left Yaguajay, Province  
of Santa Clara, accompanied by a band  
of insurgents. The authorities of Santa  
Clara Province have been ordered to  
arrest Gen. Gomez. His secretary, Juan  
Mencia, was arrested at Guanabacoa  
last night. The latter had long been  
under the surveillance of the police.

Several armed men were arrested on  
the roads leaving this city last night  
and this morning. Many people are  
coming to Havana, fearing to remain  
in the country. The authorities are en-  
deavoring to prevail upon young men to  
volunteer here for service in the rural  
guard.

Secretary O'Farrell to-day denied that  
he had resigned and expressed the be-  
lief that the government would easily  
surmount its difficulties.

HAVIAN REVOLT.

Cape Haytien, Aug. 21.—Advices re-  
ceived here from Guayubin, Santo Do-  
mingo, say that Gen. Guellito, at the  
head of 800 revolutionists, has left Da-  
jacion to join the troops of Gen. Na-  
varro and attack Monte Cristi. The  
government of Santo Domingo has sent  
1200 men from Moca against the revolu-  
tionists. It is believed that a des-  
perate civil war will follow.

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C.P.R. TO CARRY MAILS  
12000 MILES IN MONTH

Montreal, Aug. 21.—An im-  
portant arrangement for the  
rapid delivery of British, China  
and Japan mails has just been  
made by the Imperial postal  
authorities with the Canadian  
Pacific Railway Company,  
whereby the mails will be  
handled by this one company  
for a distance of over 12,000  
miles.

A special fast mail train,  
consisting of the necessary  
mail and baggage car accom-  
modation, and from two to four  
sleeping cars and a dining-car  
for passengers will be  
run across Canada from Que-  
bec to Vancouver in 48 hours.  
This train will make only a  
few stops at the chief stations  
en route. Similar arrange-  
ments will be made for mails  
and thru passengers. The first  
westbound service will be as  
follows:

Leave Liverpool R.M. S.S.  
Empress of Ireland on Aug. 24.  
Reach Quebec on arrival of  
steamship Aug. 31; arrive in  
Vancouver Sept. 4; leave Van-  
couver R.M. S.S. Empress of  
China Sept. 4; arrive Hong-  
kong Sept. 11.

This is less than one month  
and the mails will be delivered  
to Great Britain to China, and  
vice versa.

# The Toronto World

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## SKIFF WITH MAN'S CLOTHES PICKED UP BY STR. PIGTON

Probable Suicide or Accidental  
Drowning Off Bowmanville—  
Description of Articles.

Bowmanville, Aug. 21.—(Special)—A  
suicide or case of drowning has prob-  
ably been made known thru the find-  
ing of a sailing skiff on Lake Ontario  
this evening by the captain of the  
steamer Pigton of the Richelieu and  
Ontario Navigation Co., en route from  
Toronto to Montreal.

The skiff was picked up off Liverpool  
Market, or Frenchman's Bay, about 7  
o'clock. The derelict was taken on  
board the Pigton and was found to con-  
tain a pair of men's trousers of dark  
green tweed, somewhat the worse for  
wear, a black sateen shirt, a dark grey  
mikado hat, a pair of box calf shoes  
and a pair of oars. In the pockets of  
the trousers was found a silver watch  
made by the Connecticut Watch Co.,  
to which is attached a white metal  
ring and a Grand Trunk conductor's  
ticket check, No. 111.

The skiff was made by O. E. Hicks,  
Humber Bay, and is in very good con-  
dition.

The derelict and contents have been  
carried on by the steamer Pigton  
to Montreal. The purser gave out these  
articles to a Grand Trunk conductor's  
ticket check, No. 111.

Lightning Kills Woman.

Ottawa, Aug. 21.—Miss Laura Mohr,  
aged 22, daughter of Thomas Mohr of  
Bradley Township, was killed by  
lightning yesterday. With her sis-  
ter-in-law, Mrs. Harold Mohr, she was  
down by the Ottawa River washing  
under a tree, when the storm came  
up. Lightning struck the tree, and  
glancing struck Miss Mohr, causing  
instant death. Mrs. Mohr was severely  
shocked.

## ACCUSES THE MAGISTRATE AS "GROSSLY UNFAIR"

Magistrate Kingford yesterday com-  
mitted Edmund Bridant and Mrs. Miller  
for trial on the charge of having  
caused the death of Mrs. Bridant.

Before court opened, R. S. Neville,  
counsel for Bridant, presented a docu-  
ment to the magistrate, asking that  
all the evidence already taken be  
struck out, because the magistrate had  
been "grossly unfair, prejudiced and  
tyrannical," had "grossly violated" the  
prisoner's rights by "seizing a large  
number of papers, and depriving the  
prisoner of the functions of the crown at-  
torney and acting as advisory counsel  
for the prosecution," and had unwar-  
rantedly compelled the deliverance of  
certain papers procured from the warden  
at the Central Prison. A stay of  
proceedings was asked.

Magistrate Kingford said he would  
refer the matter to the attorney-gen-  
eral.

Warden Gilmore, called for the de-  
fence, identified certain letters as be-  
longing to one, Charles Driscoll, a  
prisoner now in prison. These letters,  
said to be full of endearing terms,  
were alleged to have been written by  
the late Mrs. Agnes Bridant to the  
convict, Driscoll. By putting these in-  
to evidence, Mr. Neville sought to dis-  
credit the derelict statement, relied  
upon by the crown.

Letters written by deceased to Brid-  
ant were disclosed for the purpose of  
showing that he and his wife had been  
on good terms. The last letter from  
her to him was written as late as June  
3, 1906.

Mrs. Adeline Doe was called and  
stated that she had roomed above the  
Bridants for some time and had never  
heard any discord between man and  
wife.

Peter Brunet, proprietor of the  
"Bank" barber shop, Colborne-street,  
Bridant's employer, testified that he  
had always found the accused a good  
and trustworthy employe. The Bridants  
were apparently happy together.

## Our Friend From Cannington



HON. MR. BRODEUR'S SPEECH  
DISSOLVES QUEBEC DREAM

Politicians Considering Effect of  
Announcement of No Increase  
of Federal Subsidy.

Montreal, Aug. 21.—(Special)—Peo-  
ple of all political parties were rub-  
bing their eyes to-day over the al-  
most stupefying effect of Hon. L. P.  
Brodeur's speech at St. Hilaire, the  
occasion having been evidently chosen  
by Sir Wilfrid Laurier to inform the  
people of this province thru his min-  
ister of marine that the increased  
subsidy policy of Hon. Mr. Gouin had  
few friends at Ottawa. Those who at-  
tended the meeting are of the opin-  
ion that Mr. Girard, M.L.A. for the  
County of Rouville, knew pretty well  
what was going to happen when he  
gave his federal colleague so free an  
opportunity to hand out Sir Wilfrid  
Laurier's disappointing message to the  
Province of Quebec.

There can be little doubt now that  
the several interviews which took  
place recently at Quebec between the  
prime minister of the province and  
the leader of the federal cabinet were  
fraught with the most serious conse-  
quences to the Liberal party. That  
Hon. Lomer Gouin as good as gave  
notice that the moment of the par-  
ty was over, and that the time of  
the utterances of Hon. L. P. Brodeur  
at St. Hilaire constitute the Ottawa  
government's emphatic answer.

One thing is sure—that little ac-  
cident which befell the finance minister  
down in Quebec, and Shelburne's  
other day constituted a very good  
excuse that nothing can be done to-  
wards getting a conference together  
before the November session, and con-  
sequently no legislation can be in-  
troduced in the matter during the com-  
ing meeting of parliament.

Here is what the minister of finance  
and fisheries said in reply to some  
observations by the local member for  
Rouville. Speaking to those of his  
friends of the Liberal party who are  
regulating for better terms, the min-  
ister asked them to be aware of what  
he might follow. Many of the fathers  
of confederation, his chief author even,  
would have preferred a legislative  
union to provincial autonomy. This  
opinion the speaker declared is by no  
means dead in this country, and let  
us fear lest the demand for the pro-  
vince do not awaken it. Let us fear  
that an amendment to the constitution  
to readjust the federal subsidy might  
constitute a precedent or justification  
in this country of English law in fa-  
vor of those who would like nothing  
better than to ask for other  
amendment to the constitution, with  
transformation of the federal sys-  
tem into one of legislative union. All  
short-sightedness must be avoided. The  
assaults which will be directed  
against provincial autonomy during  
the next 25 or 40 years are greatly to  
be feared. Let us, therefore, dread  
concluded Hon. Mr. Brodeur, all that  
may have a tendency to weaken this  
right so dearly acquired.

YANKEE SOLDIERS IN MONTREAL.

Montreal, Aug. 21.—(Special)—Mon-  
treal was peacefully invaded by a  
small army of New England military  
men. The 5th Massachusetts volun-  
teer militia reached Windsor Station  
at 12:00 p. m., where they were re-  
ceived by Col. Pelletier, and a staff of  
officers, who represented Col. Bughian,  
D. O. C., and the city regiments. The  
regiment, mustering 750 officers and  
men, marched to Borochester, east  
of the city, to the St. James  
street, and thence to the Craig-street  
drill hall, where the regiment will be  
quartered while staying in the city.

HEAT STOPS WORK.

Montreal, Aug. 21.—(Special)—For  
the first time in the history of the  
port of Montreal, the longshoremen  
went on strike to-day. The heat was  
so intense. They are working all  
night to make up for the loss of  
time.

JACKSON OUT ON BAIL.

Given \$4000 Security for Appear-  
ance in December.

Orangeville, Aug. 21.—(Special)—  
Walter Jackson, who was arrested at  
Winnipeg and brought back to stand  
his trial on the serious charge of being  
implicated in the death of his sister-  
in-law, Elizabeth Wells, was arraigned  
before Judge McCarthy this morning.  
He pleaded not guilty and elected to be  
tried at the sessions in December next.  
An application for bail was granted in  
the amount of \$4000, himself in \$2000  
and two in \$1000 each.

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tective Association.

Any member of the Toronto branch  
of the Ontario Fish and Game Pro-  
tective Association who has not received  
a postcard advising him of the meet-  
ing to be held Aug. 23 is particularly re-  
quested to write the secretary, A. Kelly  
Evans, 25 East Front-street, notifying him  
of this fact.

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MINING TOWN WIPED OUT.

Reno, Nev., Aug. 21.—The mining  
town of Johnsville, Plumas County,  
Cal., was practically wiped out of ex-  
istence yesterday by fire. Two miners  
were killed and 25 buildings were de-  
stroyed.

A Delicious Tobacco to Smoke,  
"Chop Cut Mixture," a blend of  
finest Virginia, Latakia and other  
rare tobaccos, will positively not burn  
the tongue, and is guaranteed abso-  
lutely pure. 3-oz. tin \$1.00, 4-oz. tin  
50c, 2-oz. tin 25c. At A. Clubb & Sons'  
"new store," 5 King West.

THE BAROMETER.

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Mean of the day, 67; difference from  
average, 11 above; highest, 80; lowest, 67.

HAILEYBURY FIRE-SWEPT  
Business Section Burnt

Score of Buildings Fall Easy  
Prey to Flames, the Fire Ap-  
pliances Failing to Work—Un-  
doubtedly Work of Incendiarists.

It is understood that the ex-  
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HON. MR. BRODEUR'S SPEECH  
DISSOLVES QUEBEC DREAM

Politicians Considering Effect of  
Announcement of No Increase  
of Federal Subsidy.

Montreal, Aug. 21.—(Special)—Peo-  
ple of all political parties were rub-  
bing their eyes to-day over the al-  
most stupefying effect of Hon. L. P.  
Brodeur's speech at St. Hilaire, the  
occasion having been evidently chosen  
by Sir Wilfrid Laurier to inform the  
people of this province thru his min-  
ister of marine that the increased  
subsidy policy of Hon. Mr. Gouin had  
few friends at Ottawa. Those who at-  
tended the meeting are of the opin-  
ion that Mr. Girard, M.L.A. for the  
County of Rouville, knew pretty well  
what was going to happen when he  
gave his federal colleague so free an  
opportunity to hand out Sir Wilfrid  
Laurier's disappointing message to the  
Province of Quebec.

There can be little doubt now that  
the several interviews which took  
place recently at Quebec between the  
prime minister of the province and  
the leader of the federal cabinet were  
fraught with the most serious conse-  
quences to the Liberal party. That  
Hon. Lomer Gouin as good as gave  
notice that the moment of the par-  
ty was over, and that the time of  
the utterances of Hon. L. P. Brodeur  
at St. Hilaire constitute the Ottawa  
government's emphatic answer.

One thing is sure—that little ac-  
cident which befell the finance minister  
down in Quebec, and Shelburne's  
other day constituted a very good  
excuse that nothing can be done to-  
wards getting a conference together  
before the November session, and con-  
sequently no legislation can be in-  
troduced in the matter during the com-  
ing meeting of parliament.

Here is what the minister of finance  
and fisheries said in reply to some  
observations by the local member for  
Rouville. Speaking to those of his  
friends of the Liberal party who are  
regulating for better terms, the min-  
ister asked them to be aware of what  
he might follow. Many of the fathers  
of confederation, his chief author even,  
would have preferred a legislative  
union to provincial autonomy. This  
opinion the speaker declared is by no  
means dead in this country, and let  
us fear lest the demand for the pro-  
vince do not awaken it. Let us fear  
that an amendment to the constitution  
to readjust the federal subsidy might  
constitute a precedent or justification  
in this country of English law in fa-  
vor of those who would like nothing  
better than to ask for other  
amendment to the constitution, with  
transformation of the federal sys-  
tem into one of legislative union. All  
short-sightedness must be avoided. The  
assaults which will be directed  
against provincial autonomy during  
the next 25 or 40 years are greatly to  
be feared. Let us, therefore, dread  
concluded Hon. Mr. Brodeur, all that  
may have a tendency to weaken this  
right so dearly acquired.

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