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Under Leadership of Big Nip. Mining Stocks Added a Point or Two.

Toronto, Jan. 20.—The closing quotations on the Standard Mining Exchange today were:

	Asked.	Bid.
Amalgamated	12	11
Beaver	26	25¾
Buffalo, xd.	3.50	3.00
Chambers-Ferland	79	78
City of Cobalt	2.45	2.42
Cobalt Central	52	51¼
Cobalt Lake	17¼	16½
Coniagas, xd.	6.60	6.45
Crown Reserve	2.65	2.60
Elklart	25	18
Foster	47	45
Gifford	21½	20½
Green-Meehan	20½	19½
Hudson Bay	300.00	250.00
Kerr Lake	8.25	8.06¼
La Rose	6.38	6.35
Little Nipissing	39	37½
McKinley-Darragh	98	97
Nancy Helen	74	70
Nipissing	10.50	10.15
Nova Scotia	62¼	61
Otisse	47	43
Peterson Lake	30¾	30½
Right of Way	4.00	..
Rochester	25	24¾
Silver Leaf	14	13¾
Silver Bar	66	65¾
Silver Queen	99	97
Temiskaming	1.59½	1.59
Trethewey	1.55	1.54
Watts	50	35
C. G. F. S.	4¾	4
Diamond Vale	16	13
North Star	12½	9

Morning Sales: Chambers, 200 at 80, 500, 500 and 1,000 at 79, 1,000 at 86 (60 days), 200 at 78½; Rochester, 500, 200, 1,000 and 1,000 at 23, 500 at 23¼, 200 at 23; City of Cobalt, 100, 400, 40, 15 and 55 at 2.43, 100 and 300 at 2.44, 170, 150 at 2.45; Beaver, 500 at 25, 200 at 25½; Peterson, 100, 300 and 200 at 31; Scotia, 500, 400 and 100 at 61, 500 at 62; Silver Queen, 100 at 95; Kerr Lake, 100 at 8.15; Trethewey, 100 at 1.52; Little Nipissing, 1,000 at 38, 100 at 35⅞, 200 at 35⅞; Temiskaming, 200 at 1.61, 500 at 1.62; Reserve, 1,000 and 1,000 at 2.63.

Afternoon Sales: Trethewey, 500 at 1.53; Temiskaming, 100, 200 and 100 at 1.60; Cobalt Central, 500 at 53; Scotia, 200, 200 and 100 at 62¼; Rochester, 1,000, 100 and 100 at 24; Peterson Lake, 100 and 400 at 31.

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PRODUCE MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Jan. 21.—The wheat markets are rather easier, as millers are finding it harder to advance flour prices. Further stiffening in oat prices is expected. Altogether the market is steady. Local dealers' quotations:

Wheat—Ontario No. 2 white, 95½c to 96½c; No. 2 red, 96c to 97c; No. 2 mixed, 95½c; Manitoba wheat, spot, No. 1 northern, $1 09 to $1 09½; No. 2 northern, $1 06 to $1 06½; all-rail, No. 1 northern, $1 15 to $1 15½; No. 2 northern, $1 11½ to $1 12, delivered at Ontario points.

Barley—No. 2, 56c to 57c; No. 3 extra, 54c to 55c; No. 3, 52c to 53c outside.

Oats—Ontario No. 2 white, 40c to 41c outside; No. 2 mixed, 39c to 40c outside; No. 2 western, 45c, on track at lake ports.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, 67½c to 68c, Toronto freights; No. 3 yellow, 67c to 67½c; Canadian, 64c to 65c.

Buckwheat—No. 2, 55c to 56½c outside.

Rye—Nominal; No. 2, 67c to 69c outside.

Peas—No. 2, 86c to 87c outside.

Flour—Manitoba first patents, $5 80; seconds, $5 30; strong bakers, $5 10; Ontario winter wheat patents, $3 70 to $3 75, in buyers' sacks, outside.

Millfeed—Bran, $21 to $21 50 per ton in bags, outside; shorts, $23 to $24 in bags, outside.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Jan. 20.—Prices steady for the best butcher cattle, but for the light and common butchers the market is inclined to sag.

As to export demands, cables this week have shown the old country markets to be a little weak, except for choicest qualities.

The run was 45 loads, with 732 head of cattle, 330 sheep and lambs, 200 hogs and 70 calves.

Exporters—The market is steady for a few choice export steers, but the demand is not very keen, and export bulls are a little easier.

Butchers—An active demand for choice butcher cattle, but the market is off a little for common butchers.

Sheep—Market steady.

Lambs—Slower.

Hogs—Market steady and unchanged, at $6 25, f. o. b., and $6 30, fed and watered.

Stockers—Good demand and market steady to firmer, at $3 to $3 75; good heavy feeders, $4 to $4 60.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Jan. 21.—There were 131 cars in today, including 1,996 cattle, 2,086 sheep and lambs, 900 hogs and 129 calves; trade active; prices firm and steady. Quotations:

Export cattle, choice, cwt.	$5 25	to	$5 50
Exuport cattle, medium	4 75	to	5 00
Export bulls	4 00	to	4 50
Export bulls, light	3 25	to	3 75
Export cows	4 00	to	4 25
Butchers' cattle, choice	4 25	to	4 50
Butchers' cattle, medium	3 25	to	3 75
Butchers' cows	3 00	to	3 50
Butchers' bulls	3 25	to	3 75
Butchers, common, mixed	2 75	to	3 25
Stockers, choice	3 25	to	3 50
Stockers, medium	3 00	to	3 25
Stockers, common	2 50	to	2 75
Stockers, bulls	2 00	to	2 25
Feeders, heavy	4 00	to	4 25
Feeders, short-keeps	4 50	to	4 75
Milch cows, choice, each	40 00	to	50 00
Milch cows, common, each	25 00	to	35 00
Sheep, ewes, cwt	4 00	to	4 50
Sheep, bucks	3 00	to	3 50
Lambs, cwt	5 50	to	6 00
Calves, cwt	3 00	to	7 00
Hogs, selects, cwt, off cars	6 50		
Hogs, fats and lights	6 25		

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Jan. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,500; beeves, $4 to $6 90; Texans, $4 15 to $4 80; westerns, $3 75 to $5 40; stockers and feeders, $3 10 to $5; cows and heifers, $1 75 to $5 25; calves, $7 to $8 75.

Hogs—Receipts, 48,000; 5c to 10c lower; light, $5 50 to $6 20; mixed, $5 75 to $6 40; heavy, $5 80 to $6 45; roughs, $5 80 to $5 95; good to choice heavy, $5 95 to $6 45; pigs, $4 40 to $5 40; bulk of sales at $6 to $6 20.

Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; steady; natives, $3 25 to $5 60; westerns, $3 25 to $5 65; yearlings, $5 75 to $6 90; lambs, natives, $5 to $7 65; westerns, $5 to $7 65.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

London, Jan. 20.—Canadian cattle are unchanged, at 12c to 13c per lb; refrigerato rbeef, 9½c to 10c per lb.

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SUGAR MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

New York, Jan. 20.—Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 3.17c; centrifugal, 96° test, 3.67c; molasses sugar, 2.92c; refined quiet; No. 6, $4 30; No. 7, $4 25; No. 8, $4 20; No. 9, $4 15; No. 10, $4 05; No. 11, $4; No. 12, $3 95; No. 13, $3 90; No. 14, $3 85.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Jan. 20.—Sugar—Firm; Montreal granulated, per cwt, in barrels, $4 50; yellow, $4 10; in bags, 5c less; Acadia, in barrels or bags, $4 40; Ontario beet, in barrels or bags, $4 40; No. 2 granulated, in bags, $4 20.

COTTON MARKET.

NEW YORK.

New York, Jan. 20.—Cotton—Futures closed steady. Closing bids: January, 9.52c; February, 9.52c; March, 9.56c; April, 9.54c; May, 9.53c; June, 9.51c; July, 9.48c; August, 9.35c; September, 9.25c; October, 9.25c; November, 9.20c; December, 9.21c.

Spot closed quiet, 10 points higher; middling uplands, 9.85c; middling gulf, 10.10c; no sales.

New York, Jan. 21.—Cotton—Futures opened steady; January, 9.53c; March, 9.62c; May, 9.57c; July, 9.51c; August, 9.38c; October, 9.28c; December, 9.24c.

OIL MARKETS.

OIL CITY.

Oil City, Pa., Jan. 20.—Credit balances, $1 78.

PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 21.—Oil opened and closed at $1 78.

DAIRY MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 20.—Butter—Steady; creameries, 22c to 30c; dairies, 21½c to 27c. Cheese—Firm, 14c to 15¾c.

NEW YORK.

New York, Jan. 20.—Butter—Steady and unchanged; receipts, 5,541 packages.

Cheese—Firm and unchanged; receipts, 1,343 boxes.

BEAN MARKET.

DETROIT.

Detroit, Jan. 20.—Beans—Spot, $2 20; February, $2 20, both nominal; May, $2 25 bid.

HAY MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Jan. 20.—Baled Hay—No. 1 timothy, $11; inferior, $9 to $10, in car lots on track here.

Baled Straw—The range is from $7 to $7 50, according to quality.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH STILL PROSPERS

Annual Meeting Held Last Night — Reports Satisfactory.

The congregation of New St. James' Presbyterian Church held its annual meeting last evening in the school room with a good attendance.

The business was not quite finished, but all the reports were acted upon except those of the Ladies' Aid Society, and the board of managers. The church has had a good year. Sixty members came into its fellowship and forty left the bounds of the parish The present membership is 484. The managers, with the aid of the Ladies' Aid Society, paid $1,040 upon the debt.

The amount raised for missions and benevolences was $1,791 96.

The total sum from all sources for the year, so far as at present known, was $7,557 67.

While in two or three departments of the work the figures were not quite up to those of last year, yet on the whole there was an advance of $284 50.

The business left over from last night, including the election of officers, will be completed on the evening of Wednesday, Jan. 27.

New St. James' is well organized and in good heart, and 1909 promises to be a year of good things.

Rev. J. W. Hodgins, rector of Holy Trinity Church, Chatham, has been appointed to Stratford.

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LONDON MARKET WAS A BIG ONE

Bad Condition of Roads Didn't Keep People Away.

TURKEYS SNAPPED UP READILY

Prices of Dairy Produce Remained the Same—The Day's Quotations.

Although the roads are in a wet and soggy condition throughout the country today, the market was a very good one. Sales in some lines were very brisk, while in others business was rather slow.

Hay, straw and grain was picked up readily at yesterday's prices, while butchers' meats, with the exception of dressed hogs, were quiet. Several loads of oats and a little wheat were offered.

The prices of hides, wool and tallow will probably remain as at present until Feb. 1, as the prices usually change a little at the first of each month.

Turkeys Snapped Up.

A number of turkeys were on the market, and sold readily. Poultry in all lines was fairly brisk.

Vegetables were in good demand, and were offered as quoted in the schedule.

The supply of dairy produce was somewhat below the average. Prices, however, remained stagnant.

The following are today's prices:

Grain.			
Wheat, bush	$ 90	to	$ 92
Oats, per cwt	1 10	to	1 25
Corn, cwt	1 16	to	1 25
Barley, cwt	1 00	to	1 15
Peas, cwt	1 15	to	1 30
Buckwheat, cwt	1 15	to	1 20
Beans	1 25	to	1 60
Rye	1 05	to	1 10
Hides and Wool.			
Wool, washed, lb	14	to	16
Wool, unwashed, lb.	8	to	10
Hides, No. 1, lb	8½	to	8½
Hides, No. 2, lb	7½	to	7½
Hides, No. 3, lb	6½	to	6½
Tallow, rendered	5	to	6
Tallow, rough, lb	3	to	3
Sheepskins, each	60	to	80
Calkskins, No. 1, lb	11	to	11
Calfskins, No. 2, lb	10	to	10
Poultry Dressed.			
Turkeys, per lb	15	to	17
Geese, each	1 25	to	1 40
Geese, per lb	10	to	11
Ducks, per lb	10	to	11
Chickens, per pair	80	to	1 00
Chickens, per lb	10	to	11½
Old fowl, per lb	9	to	9
Poultry, Alive.			
Turkeys, per lb	13	to	14
Geese, per lb	9	to	10
Ducks, per lb	9	to	9
Chickens, per lb	9	to	9½
Old fowl, per lb	7	to	8
Live Stock.			
Select hogs, cwt	6 25	to	6 25
Fat sows, cwt	4 25	to	4 25
Stags, per cwt	2 00	to	2 00
Export cattle, cwt	4 00	to	4 50
Milch cows, each	30 00	to	55 00
Vegetables.			
Potatoes, bag	60	to	65
Turnips, bag	30	to	45
Beets, bush	35	to	45
Parsnips, bush	35	to	50
Onions, bush	50	to	70
Celery, 12 bunches	25	to	50
Cabbage, dozen	30	to	55
Lettuce, dozen	30	to	35
Carrots, per bu	35	to	40
Sage, dozen	15	to	20
Savory, dozen	15	to	20
Dairy Produce.			
Buttery, creamery	26	to	28
Butter, roll	24	to	25
Butter, crock	23	to	24
Eggs, packed	25	to	28
Eggs, fresh laid	29	to	31
Honey, strained	10	to	12
Honey, in comb	12	to	14
Butchers' Meats.			
Beef, fore, cwt	5 50	to	6 50
Beef, hind, cwt	6 50	to	7 75
Mutton, per cwt	6 75	to	7 75
Veal, cwt	8 00	to	9 00
Lamb, per cwt	10 50	to	12 00
Dressed hogs, cwt	8 75	to	8 75
Pork, hind, cwt	10 00	to	10 00
Pork, fore, cwt	9 00	to	9 00
Fruit.			
Apples, per barrel	2 50	to	3 50
Apples, per bag	90	to	1 40
Hay and Straw.			
Hay, per ton	9 50	to	11 00
Straw, per ton	6 00	to	7 00
Straw, by the load	4 00	to	4 25

MINTO'S DAUGHTER WEDS

Lady Violet Becomes the Bride of Lansdowne's Son.

Calcutta, Jan. 21.—Lady Violet Mary, third daughter of Lord Minto, Viceroy of India, was united in marriage yesterday to Lord Charles George Francis, second son of the Marquis of Lansdowne. The ceremony occurred in St. Paul's Cathedral, and was most brilliant. There was much oriental splendor in evidence. The Bishop of Calcutta officiated.

JOSEPH MAYCOCK DEAD

Former Woodstock Man Accidentally Killed While Visiting at Halifax.

Woodstock, Ont., Jan. 20. — Word has been received here of the death by accident, the nature of which was not given, of Joseph Maycock, one of Woodstock's earliest settlers, yesterday, at Halifax, where he went a few months ago to visit a son. Mr. Maycock was in his 91st year and settled in Woodstock over 60 years ago, his first residence being now one of the landmarks. For many years he carried on a painting and paperhanging business and book and stationery store, and after retirement, up to the time of going to Halifax, hardly a day passed but he was engaged in some work or other. To his indefatigable industry he attributed his long life and excellent health. He was a member of the hospital board and a worthy citizen in all respects.

GLANWORTH MAN ELECTED PRESIDENT

Of the East Middlesex Agricultural Society.

The annual meeting of the East Middlesex Agricultural Society was held in the court house rooms yesterday afternoon, and was largely attended by members throughout the district.

It was unanimously decided to recommend to the Western Fair Board that they invite prominent men, such as Hon. William Duff, Mr. Lockey Wilson, superintendent of fairs, Mr. C. C. James, the deputy minister of agriculture, and others to attend the Western Fair this year.

In the absence of Mr. Richard Oke, the treasurer's statement was read by Mr. A. M. Hunt, and showed that in all branches the society had a good year.

Late Allan Bogue.

The report of Secretary C. E. Trebilcock made special reference to the loss the society had sustained in the death of Allan Bogue.

The other matters touched upon in the report indicated that the finances of the society were in good shape and all departments are flourishing.

Officers Elected.

The officers for the year were elected as follows:

President—T. H. Shore, Glanworth.

First Vice-President—William Moore, West London.

Second Vice-President—W. H. K. Talbot, London Junction.

Secretary—C. E. Trebilcock.

Treasurer—Richard Oke.

Directors for London Township—R. Oke, C. E. Trebilcock, E. Douglas.

Directors for Westminster Township—James Murray, A. Laidlaw.

Directors for Dorchester—Wm. Moore and James Crockett.

Directors for Nissouri—Geo. Scatcherd and Mr. Wheaton.

Directors for Western Fair—C. E. Trebilcock, R. Oke, George Scatcherd, James Murray, H. Shore and William Moore.

Representatives to Western Fair Board—Ed. Douglas, W. H. K. Talbot and Wm. Crockett.

Auditors—H. K. Tozer and F. Elliot.

FIFTH RECITAL OF WOMAN'S CLUB

Was Held in the Rooms of the Masonic Temple Yesterday.

The fifth recital of the Women's Music Club of this city was held yesterday afternoon in their hall in the Masonic Temple, before a large audience.

The programme was thoroughly German, and the marvellous compositions of these masters were greatly relished.

The programme was as follows:

Albert Wolfermann—Trio .... "Alla Marcha"

Mr. Poure, Mr. Cortese, Mr. Fetherston, Mrs. McCully, Miss E. Masuret, Miss Dewey.

Schumann .... "Arabesque"
Miss Ismena Labatt.

R. Frang—(a) .... "Complaining of the Rose"

Rubenstein—(b) .... "Golden at Her Feet"

Beethoven—Symphony V. .....
Allegro con brio.
Andante con moto.

Miss M. Raymond, Miss J. Strong, Mrs. Krieghoff, and Miss M. Saunders.

Alexander Von Feilitz—(a) .... "Stilles Lied"

Schuman—(b) ..... "Spring Night"
Miss Minnie Fox.

Seeling ...."Lovely"
Miss Muriel Saunders.

Miss Mower and Miss J. Strong, the accompanists, deserve much praise for the excellent manner in which they acquitted themselves.

TELEPHONE EMPLOYEES HOLD A BANQUET

Enjoyable Time at the Tecumseh Grill Last Night.

The male employees of the Bell Telephone Company held a most enjoyable banquet last night in the grillroom of the Tecumseh. Mr. Alf Robinson presided, and at the conclusion of the supper introduced the following toasts: "Canada and the Empire," J. L. Richmond and W. Ashley; "The Bell Telephone Company," S. J. T. Brown, J. L. Richmond and J. L. Dixon, of Brantford; "Our Hockey Team," Charles Westman, W. Upshaw and C. W. Davidson; "Our City," Fire Chief Aitken and R. Kirkpatrick; "The Ladies," Messrs. Drew, Schwegler and Stratton. During the evening musical selections were rendered by Messrs. Whitehead, Schwegler, C. Wildern, C. Westman and Irwin. Mr. C. E. Wheeler accompanied the singers. Tony Vita's orchestra was also in attendance, and rendered an excellent programme. Among others who were present were S. J. T. Brown, of Hamilton, superintendent of construction, formerly manager here; R. D. Hunt, of Hamilton, superintendent of the undergound work; Carl Wildern, manager at Woodstock. J. L. Dixon, of Brantford; R. Dixon, of Chatham; W. Smith, of St. Marys; H. Elms, of St. Thomas, and Manager Beard, of this city.

TEN-YEAR-OLD BOY IS MISSING

Philip Richards, of Oxford Street, Runs Away From Home.

Truant Officer Weir requests the public to watch for a ten-year-old lad named Philip Richards, of Oxford street, son of a blind pianotuner, well known in London.

It is alleged that the lad took a small sum of money from his father's pocket, and that when the parent threatened to whip him for the offense, the boy ran away.

His father is much annoyed at his absence, and would be pleased to hear of his whereabouts.

Nine bodies were unearthed during excavation operations near Sandwich. They are supposed to be remains of Indians.

SPECIAL TICKETS NOT A SUCCESS

The London District Agricultural Ask That They Be Discontinued by Fair Board.

At the annual meeting of the members of the London District Agricultural Society, held last night, it was unanimously decided to recommend to the Western Fair board that they discontinue the issuing of five tickets for a dollar for the Western Fair. It was pointed out that the public do not sufficiently patronize the system.

President Carrothers called upon Secretary Hunt, who read the annual report of the society, and showed that the year just past was a most prosperous one in every respect. The report showed a substantial balance in the treasury, and this was turned over to the Western Fair Association.

Officers Elected.

The following officers were chosen for the year:

President—R. A. Carrothers.

First Vice-President—John Pringle.

Second Vice-President—Jas. H. Brown.

Secretary-Treasurer—A. M. Hunt.

Directors—Messrs. Col. Gartshore, W. M. Spencer, George McCormick, W. Robinson, J. W. Jones, W. J. Reid, J. W. Hunter, W. W. Gammage and W. E. Saunders.

Representatives to the Western Fair Association—R. A. Carrothers, John Pringle, James H. Brown, W. M. Spencer, J. W. Hunter, George McCormick, W. E. Saunders, J. W. Janes, W. Robinson.

A Big Meeting.

A meeting of the fairs and exhibitions conventions will be held in Toronto on Feb. 10 and 11, and it was decided to send Messrs. William Moore and J. W. Hunter as delegates.

The annual meeting of the Western Fair Board will be held in February, and many plans will be undertaken to make the fair this year bigger and better than ever.

ANNUAL MEETING ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

Provision Made for Payment of Sums Invested in Improvements.

At the annual meeting, held in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church last evening, it was decided to place an extra mortgage of $7,500 on the church property. There have been a number of extra expenditures, including the remodelling of the organ at a cost of $5,600 and also the necessary improvements and renovations to the church property. As it is such a short time since contributions were asked for the Sunday school fund, it was not thought wise by the board of managers to make another such appeal at this juncture.

In the near future a subscription would be started to wipe out the indebtedness within three years.

The Indebtedness.

It was shown that the church property was valued at upwards of $100,000, while the mortgage, with the $7,500 added, would only bring the total indebtedness up to $18,000, showing that the church was in a flourishing financial condition.

The motion was finally passed with scarcely a dissenting voice, and Mr. M. H. Rowland was appointed a commissioner to bring the matter before the presbytery.

It was suggested that the two mortgages be consolidated, if possible, and there were those who favored keeping down the combined amount to $15,000 and raising the additional sum needed at that meeting. The amendment, however, was defeated.

Rev. Dr. Ross opened the meeting with prayer.

The Report.

Mr. F. G. Rumball, the chairman of the meeting, then presented the report of the board of managers, which was passed clause by clause. The financial report showed that the total receipts for the year, including $800 borrowed on a promissory note, were $9,730 78, and the total payments were $9,857 10. This, with the balance brought forward from last year, leaves a balance of $410 49 in the treasurer's hands. During the year there was $307 84 paid on the Sunday school building fund subscriptions, and of this fund there is $341 64 in the bank.

The weekly contributions amounted to $6,693 58, and the plate collections to $1,036 33, making a total of $7,729 91.

New Managers.

The election of the new members to the board of management was then held, the following gentlemen being elected: J. A. Cairncross, John Diprose, W. C. Falls, John Marr, W. D. Taylor, C. A. Whitwam, Mr. Wm. Morrison was elected for one year to fill the unexpired term of Mr. James Houston, who has left the city. The other members who are on the board of managers are: W. M. Govenlock, B.A., U. A. Buchner, M. H. Rowland, A. Gillean, F. G. Rumball.

Mr. A. G. Calder, having signified his intention of resigning, the board were empowered to elect his successor at a salary of $300 a year.

NO INVESTIGATION.

Sarnia, Ont., Jan. 21. — The county officers will not make any investigation in the case of Velver Manass, the 4-year-old Indian child, who was burned to death at the home of her grandfather on the reservation Tuesday. According to the authorities, the little girl, left in the house with two other children, was playing about the kitchen stove, when her clothing became ignited, and she was burned so badly and was so overcome by the fumes that she died before she could give an alarm.

Gowganda.

The quickest and best route will continue to be via Grand Trunk and T. and N. O. Railways to Charlton, thence 18 miles by stage to Elk Lake, and 32 miles, Elk Lake to Gowganda. This route will enable stops to be made at Temagami, Cobalt, Haileybury, New Liskeard and Englehart. Cobalt special, leaving Toronto at 10:15 p.m. daily, makes direct connection with stages, reaching Elk Lake next afternoon. Full information from E. de la Hooke, C. P. and T. A. 69-n

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Chas. Marcil, M. P., Selected Speaker The Commoners Sworn In Yesterday

The Preliminaries for the Formal Opening of Parliament.

Ottawa, Jan. 20. — Crowded galleries and a full attendance of members witnessed the preliminaries connected with the opening of the first session of the eleventh Parliament. Early in the day the Parliament Buildings and their precincts assumed that aspect of animation which is associated with the resumption of the work of the legislators, a large proportion of members, new and old, visiting the House of Commons and inspecting the various rooms reserved for their use in the new wing. While the old members fraternized and congratulated one another on their return to the scene of past legislative battles, the newcomers wandered about the corridors, making friends, securing introductions to their leaders, and generally endeavoring, as it were, to find their parliamentary feet.

In view of the attempts which had been made by a section of the Conservative press to discredit Mr. Charles Marcil, the Government's nominee for the chair, the proceedings were invested with perhaps more than usual piquancy. The arrival of the Premier was the signal for a great outburst of cheering from the Liberal benches, and the demonstration was renewed when he rose to move Mr. Marcil's election as speaker. Sir Wilfrid's speech was in large part a plea for the adoption of the British method of continuity in the speakership, and the importance of the pronouncement was not lost upon the members, who followed it with much interest.

Ottawa, Jan. 20.—Mr. Charles Marcil, M. P., Bonaventure, was unanimously selected as speaker of the Commons. Both the Premier and Mr. Borden spoke in laudatory terms of Mr. Marcil's career and abilities.

Sir Wilfrid, in moving for Mr. Marcil's election, referred to the importance of the office. He said he favored the British system of electing a speaker for life.

When leader of the Opposition he had suggested to Sir John A. Macdonald the adoption of the British system, but his proposal had not been adopted. He had also discussed the question with Hon. R. F. Sutherland, the late speaker, who had pointed out that while the honor would be great, the sacrifices attached would be greater, because under the British system the speaker must completely separate himself from his avocation.

In England the speaker was given a large salary, and on his retirement rewarded with a peerage and pension. Canada could not give either the large salary or the peerage, and he had a vivid memory of the fact that pensions are not popular in Canada. It had been the custom in Canada to promote the deputy-speaker, and for that reason he would propose the name of Mr. Charles Marcil, a man of the highest character, who had in the past performed the duties pertaining to the office with dignity, impartiality and a marked ability.

Opposition Leader.

Mr. R. L. Borden agreed with all the Premier had said as to the superiority of the British system. He realized, however, that conditions in Canada were somewhat different. He trusted that in respect to the dignity of the office, and impartiality of behavior, Canada had not been much behind the mother country. Mr. Marcil, in the past, had always conducted himself with dignity and tact.

The Treaties.

Mr. Marcil was applauded when he took his seat, and thanked the House.

Sir Wilfrid informed Mr. Borden that Judge Cassels' report on the marine department inquiry would be in the hands of the Government by Friday.

In reply to a question as to the treaties between the United States and Canada, Sir Wilfrid said that all treaties, except that in respect to waterways, had been brought down last session. The waterways treaty would be presented to Parliament as soon as a copy was received.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier was the first to sign the roll, and then came Hon. Mr. Aylesworth, R. L. Borden and Hon. Mr. Fisher.

DRUNKS' DAY IN THE POLICE COURT

Magistrate Love Speedily Dealt With a Batch of Offenders.

It took Magistrate Love but a short time to deal with the offenders at this morning's session of the police court, there being but a few cases to be heard.

Chas. Price, apparently an honorably discharged member of Cox's army, was charged with stealing a ride on a C. P. R. train. He was fined $3 and $2.50 costs or twenty days in "Cooler Carter."

This reckless expenditure of $5.50 didn't look good to him, so he chose the incarceration.

Benjamin Goodacre, charged with being drunk and disorderly and void of all visible means of support, was remanded for a week till the authorities arrive at some definite conclusion in his case.

Chas. Welch, who imbibed too freely, was also remanded for a week.

Two other drunks, who confessed it was their first time, were allowed to go on deferred sentence.

JOHN TRENAMAN DEAD.

Prescott, Ont., Jan. 21. — John Trenaman, agent of the G. T. R., at this place, died this morning after a lingering illness. Mr. Trenaman was well and favorably known, he having been connected with the G. T. R. for nearly 50 years.

The discovery of new diamond fields is reported from German South West Africa.

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