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LAURIER HOME, AROUSES ENTHUSIASM.

Quebec Greets Him as Never Canadian Was Greeted Before.

Demonstrations by Thousands Without Regard to Politics, Creed or Race Made a Wonderful Pageant Which will Go Down In History - Address Presented to the Premier - Hon. Mr. Fielding Shares His Chieftain's Triumph.

It seemed as if our entire population has turned out as one man to greet the honored guest of the occasion and to prove to him that Quebec appreciates at its just value the lustre which he has shed upon it and upon the name of Canada by his commanding talents, his splendid public services and the admirable manner in which he represented his fellow countrymen at the coronation of the sovereign and of other great public occasions since his departure from amongst us last spring. Will Go Down as History.

Indeed, the whole city may be said to have been en fete. As a pageant, too, the demonstration in his honor was the most brilliant and successful ever witnessed in Quebec. The street decorations, the illuminations, the displays of fireworks and the bonfires, etc., were abundant and striking, the whole combining to make up one of the most remarkable and significant popular manifestations in local as well as in general Canadian history, and one in which Quebec may forever take legitimate pride.

pride.

The special I. C. R. train on which Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Hon. W. S. Fielding came up from Rimouski did not reach St. Joseph until 8.30 p. m.

After little delay the distinguished gentlemen boarded the government steamer Druid, awaiting them, and were landed at the King's wharf in this city at 9.30

the whole route and the enthusiasm was at fever heat.

Although looking somewhat thinner than when he left Canada, Sir Wilfrid, who declined to be interviewed, explained that his general health was first class. His thinness is attributed to a rigid course of diet to which he subjected himself by order of his physician in Paris. He hopes to resume his political work at one and is prepared to carry out many plans which he has in view for the benefit of the Canadian people.

Senator Gibson is the authority for the statement that Sir Wilfrid was assured

statement that Sir Wilfrid was assured by his London and Paris physicians that he was not suffering from any organic

Hon. Mr. Feilding, who also came to Quebec and shared in the honors, is looking very well. He said that the blue book on the colonial conference would be issued this week and consequently he would not say anything for publication.

In the drill hall after the parade Sir Wilfrid received a most enthusiastic reception. Among the audience was Lady Laurier, who was looking charming and was presented with a most beautiful

was read by Mayor Parent:—

"To the Right Honorable Sir Wilfrid Laurier, a Member of the Imperial Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George, King's Counsel, L. L. D. of the Universities of Oxfordered Cambridge, L. L. D. of Laval University, Grand Omeer of the Legion of Honor, of France, M. P. for Quebec East, President of the King's Privy Council for Canada, Prime Minister:

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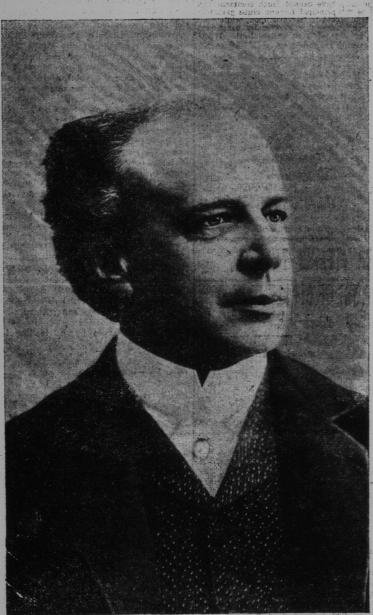
Quebec, Oct. 17—(Special)—The homecoming of Sir Wiffrid Laurier and his
arrival in Quebec this evening were marked by a welcome unparalleled for eathusiasm and effect, not only in the aunals of the ancient capital but of all
Canada.

The reception which Quebec extended
to the returning premier was more than
a welcome. It amounted in fact to
a great popular ovation, the heartiness and
magnificence of which will be handed
down to posterity as constituting one of
the most memorable and brilliant incidents in our history.

The significance of the great demonstration, moreover, was further enhanced by
the cordial participation in it of all classea and elements of the community, irrespective of race, creed or party politics.

Population as One Man Greets Returning
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SIR WILFRID LAURIER Given a Magnificent Reception at Quebec on Return From England.

ability with which you have fulfilled this most honarable mission, we cannot forget that you are the acknowledged and respected chief of the government of our country, enjoying the confidence and esteem of all your fellow citizens. And we feel that we are doing honor to ourselves in paying a tribute of gratitude to men who, like yourself, devote their time and ability to the arduous duties of public life which is so often rewarded with ungrateful returns.

"For all these reasons, Sir Wilfrid, we sincere'y rejoice upon your arrival in our midst and in the name of the city of Queded the home coming of Sir Wilfrid and bec, and I may say in the name of Can-ada, we tender you our most hearty wel-A down pour of rain did not prevent

"We wish you health and rest after your toilsome journey, and we hope that the invigorating air of the land of your birth, together with the tender and any shell."

A down pour of rain did not prevent a large crowd assembling at the depot to cheer the premier as he stepped from the train.

How Clifford Sifton was the first to shell. birth, together with the tender and constant care which you receive from gentle hands will enable you to celebrate this year your silver jubilee as the popular representative of the most densely populated electoral division of the city of council escorted Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier to the city hall where addresses

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Sir Wilfrid Does Not Wish Repose After His

Continental Mission. Ottawa, Oct. 19.-(Special)-There wa no mistaking the genuineness of the out-

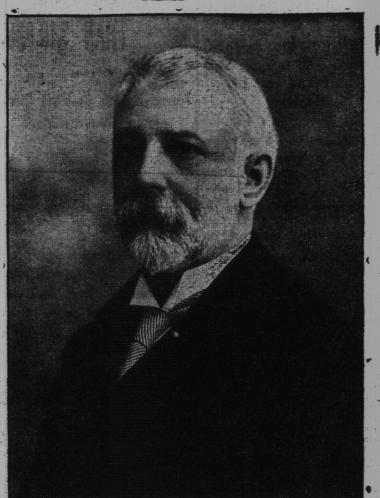
references made in the address from the citizens of his home.

"Circumstances," he said, "brought me to be a resident of Ottawa, choice will keep me a resident of Ottawa.

"I am proud of receiving this demonstration, the character of which I can not misconstrue. I am proud of receiving it as it comes to me spontaneously from my fellow citizens irrespective of creed, races and parties." (Cheers.)

More a Canadian Than Ever.

"On this occasion I will forget that I am a member of a party and rather will remember that there are only Canadians here. Let me say still more as I have said elsewhere, I come back more of a coronation Sir Wilfrid said he went to



HON. W. S. FIELDING,

Canada's Finance Minister Who Shared Warm Welcome With th

Canadian than I was four months ago testify to his majesty of the loyalty of when I left you. (Cheens.) I come back as a citizen of the capital of the domining the protection of the British crown, as a citizen of the capital of the dominion, as a citizen of Ottawa. A moment ago I said that I was to forget that I was a politician at this present time but it has been my fortune to become the prime minister of the dominion. (Cheers.) This is the circumstance which brought me to take up my residence here. I may say that I do not anticipate any change in the great future. (Cheers.)

The definition of the moment and the protection of the British crown, in the British crown, canada enjoyed a measure of liberty and prosperity not equalled in any other part of the world.

He referred to the potponement of the coronation, Providence showing that the highest were no more than the poorest and the humblest. But Providence tempered decrees with mercy and it was not many weeks after when the king was able to be crowned.

"But, Mr. Mayor, you and I are politicians and we do not always say or think alike and perhaps it is just possible that in the near or distant future, most probable to be crowned.

Sir Wilfrid said it was also his pleasure to represent the Canadian people at the diamond jublee of the late Queen Victoria, ably in the distant future, there may be a change, and as you have been kind enough to wish me a long life then it will be my pleasure to remain here a private The Colonial Conference.

my pleasure to remain here a private citizen and do my part in assisting in the additional tasks and work of beautifying the city.'

Ottawa's Beauties.

He said he had had the pleasure of visiting several of the most famous cities of Europe, but he had seen no city for which nature had done more than for the city of Ottawa. This was not only his judgment but the judgment of many the capital than the passed through the capital than the name of my wife the city of Ottawa. This was not only his judgment but the judgment of many the capital than the name of my wife the city of Ottawa, it is from the engine and tender left the true one. At present he had no right to speak of the deliberations of that body, which would be published in a book shortly.

Archie Downie, was running from Husboro to Riverside.

When within two miles of the latter station the engine and tender left the rails and went over the embankment at the point of accident.

The tender stood on top of the engine, which was quite badly wrecked, and drew the passenger car half off the rails.

The engineer, Frank Jonah, and his fireman, Wm. West, had a miraculous escape from death or even serious mjury. had seen nowhere any thing to equal the

"When I say there are no cities perhaps I put it too strongly. There are cities where the public buildings equal our own but there are none which surpass our own and certainly no site is equal to the hill on which our buildings repose. That block with which I am no unfamiliar, cannot be surpassed in London, Paris or Rome, or any of the capitals of Curope. "There are several matters upon which

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"Once more," said Sir Wilfrid, "Mayor and fellow citizens of Ottawa, it is from the bottom of my heart I thank you in my own name and in the name of my wife with that gratitude, with which our hearts are full, for the kind and sympathetic welcome to this our home forever and to the end of my days."

Sir Wilfrid replied briefly to the address from Hull and afterwards was in troduced to the alderman and councillors of both cities. He also went among the audience shaking hands with many he know. The mayor and aldermen and Guards Band accompanied Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier to their home on Theodore street.

MINERS TALK IT OVER, BUT PREPARING AGAINST THE POSTPONE STRIKE SETTLE-MENT UNTIL TODAY DEATH OF RUSSELL SAGE.

(Continued from page 1.)

New York, Oct. 20.—It is said that arrangements are being made to issue new contracts on all loans made by Russell Sage. The borrowers will find inserted in the Sage contract a slight change containing a provision that in case of his death there will be no calling of contracts and guaranteeing ordinary protection to the borrower.

Friends of Mr. Sage say that the insertion of this provision does not mean that he is in any danger of death as a result of his recent indisposition, but that the precaution has been taken in order to allay fear of his many cliente. It was deemed prudent to take this course in view of the numerous raids that have been made on the stock market by the circulation of canards regarding Mr. Sage. gradually displace the men who have the strikers' jobs and re-instate the strikers; Tramps Killed in Rilway Wreck strikers' places were not competent and the companies would be glad to have the Harrisburg, Pa., Oct. 20.—Three tramps were killed and 20 cars piled up in a wreck on the Reading railroad near Palmyra today. One of the wheels of a long train of coal and merchandise broke while the train was rounding a curve.

ending the strike without definite assur-

RUSSIA PLANS AN ALLIANCE WITH TURKEY; RENEWAL OF TREATY OF 1833.

Seeks to Strengthen It by Addition of New Articles-Proposal by Grand Duke Nicholas on Recent Much-Discussed Visit-Arbitration to Settle the Dardanelles Question Suggested.

stantinople shed new light on the significance of Russia's recent diplomatic advances toward Turkey which are arousing posal caused consternation in the palace, anx ety throughout Europe. but influential advisers of the Sultan are

maintenance and entire independence of the Porte.

London, Oct. 18.—Despatches from Con- | ago, on full instructions from the Russian

anx cty throughout Europe.

A correspondent who has just arrived at Bucharest, after an investigation of diplomatic conditions in the Turkish capita', writes that Russia has proposed to Turkey to renew the treaty of 1833, which described itself at the time as the result disposed to yield if Russia's proposal is disposed to yield if Russia's proposal is disposed to yield if Russia's proposal is of an ardent desire to insure the duration, maintenance and entire independence of the Porte.

put forward as a requist. The evidence goes to show that Russia will not allow herself to be baffled by the usual Turkish

the Porte.

It bound Russia, at the request of Turkey, to furnish by land or sea as many troops as the two contracting parties shou'd deem necessary. The Porte undertock on the request of Russia and in time of war, not to permit any foreign warships to enter the Black Sea on any pretence whatever.

The treaty, which, generally speaking indicated the dependence of Turkey on Russia by providing that the latter should be specially called in whenever required.

be specially called in whenever required, lasted eight years. It was not renewed, ow'ng to the opposition of the western powers.

Russia now proposes not only to renew it, but also to add to it important trengthen ng articles. The actual proposal came from Grand Duke Nicholas during his visit to the Sultan a few weeks during his visit to the Sultan a few weeks east.

WRIC ON THE SALISBURY AND HARVEY ROAD; RELIEF TRAIN IN TROUBLE, TOO.

Engine Plunges Over Steep Bank; Tender Follows and Draws Passenger Car from Rails - Miraculous Escape of Engineer and Fireman - Passengers Taken on Flat Car, Which Then Leaves Rails.

-There was a bad accident on the Salisbury & Harvey Railway on Saturday afternoon, two miles from Riverside, in which the passenger train left the rails and the engine and tender were thrown over a steep embankment. No one was seriously hurt, although the engineer had a narrow escape from death. The accident was caused by a spreading rail.

The Colonial Conference.

As to the conference he would say nothing except that he followed what he thought was the best policy both as a boro to Riverside.

The passenger train, which left Salisbury at 1.30 a.m. in charge of Conductor Archie Downie, was running from Hillsboro to Riverside.

The engineer was cut about the head and had his right arm bruised. When the engine fell over the embankment it turned over, but the engineer, who had stuck to his post, managed to crawl from under the engine after it had upset. The fireman, as soon as he felt the cab leave the rails, jumped out of the cab window on the upper side of the track and escaped without injury. without injury. The road was badly torn up by the ac-

cident. The passengers were very much shaken up but no one was ecriously hurt. The following persons were on the train at the time of the accident: Train Crew.

Archie Downie, conductor, Albert.

Frank Jonah, engineer, Hopewell Hill. William West, fireman, Riverside. Archie Downie, jr., brakeman, Albert

F. L. T. Harrison, Moneton, Mgr. Royal Bank of Canada. Col. Alpherson, New York, Mgr. Maritime Copper & Reduction Co.
W. A. Trueman, Albert, judge of pro-

ex Gov. McClelan, with his son and Jaugh-

ter.
W. W. Keefe.
W. W. T. Starratt (Railway mail clerk). Norman Barkhouse. Hugh Crossman. Miss Lulu Atkinson, Albert.

Miss Anna B. Dickson, Mountville, Albert county, and her sister. Mrs. E. L. Turner, Albert.

Miss Amy Peck, Hope vell Hill.

After the injured had been given attention, word was sent to riopewell Hill for another train and the eighteen passengers taken on a flat car to their destination. blete, however, for when the wrecking train was about half a mile west of River-side Station on its way to Albert, the car accident happened on a level piece of track and no injury was done, no one being

The car was put back on the rails and the passengers reached Albert in safety after a somewhat perious experience in

An effort will be made today to raise the wrecked engine and tender up the embankment on to the rails.

THREE WHITES AND EIGHT NEGROES KILLED IN SOUTHERN RACE RIOT,

Birmingham, Ala., Oct. 19.-Three white The deputies returned the fire, killing eight men and eight negroes are reported killed negroes.

The negroes outnumbered the whites ten

men and eight negroes are reported killed in a race riot at Littleton tonight. The number of wounded has not yet been ascertained.

A special train carrying sheriff and 10 deputies left for the scene tonight.

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by a crowd of negroes attacking a white woman. The white citizens searched for the woman's assailants and the negroes refused to deliver them and armed them groes who killed the marshal. The shoot-still the search of the woman's assailants and the negroes were also shot by the negroes who killed the marshal. The shoot-still the search of the search o

GERMANY'S RILLER WILL WEAR AN EYELASS.

Officers of the Guards Follow His Lead to Be Strictly in It.

Berlin, Oct. 20 .- The event of the week

in Berlin has been the adoption of a monocle by the kaiser. One of his eyes is said to be stronger than the other, which is the reason for his wearing a single eyeglass. The news has, however, caused the general adoption of monocles by the officers of the guards in order to be in the fashion. A spread of the habit may be confidently anticipated, as court circles always slavishly imitate the Emperor.

selves. When the posse arived the negroes opened fire, killing three of the officers at large.

Yukon Assistant Gold Commissioner. Ottawa, Oct. 19-(Special)-F. F. Goselin, crown timber and land agent at

It is not generally known that on ascending the throne King Edward be-