

LIBERALS FACE CRISIS; LIKELY TO BE SERIOUS

Ontario Members Inflamed Over Government's Course in Dealing With Papal Legate—Navy Question.

UNITED FRONT FOR CONSERVATIVES

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Sept. 16.—Commander Roper's attack on the Conservative party generally for its criticism of the government's naval policy...

Reports from Quebec both to Liberal and Conservative headquarters are that the government party in the French province has been badly broken up...

It is understood at the cabinet meeting yesterday more than one voice was raised against the wisdom of having allowed the 65th regiment to parade...

DEMOCRATS TO CELEBRATE

Col. Plaisted's Victory As Governor Of Maine Will Be Fittingly Observed—Hinds Is Elected In First District.

Portland, Me., Sept. 16.—William H. Pennell, the Democratic congressional candidate in the first district, today conceded the election of Asher Hinds, the parliamentarian, of the National House...

The Democrats are arranging for a monster celebration of their victory at Augusta, the home of the governor-elect Plaisted, on Thursday September 22...

EXPERT SWEARS THAT POISON CAUSED DEATH

London, Sept. 16.—Dr. Wm. Henry Wilcox, scientific analyst to the Home Office, who discovered a deadly drug in the body found in the home of Dr. Hawley H. Crippen, took the stand when the trial of the doctor and his typist, Ethel Clare LeNeve, for the murder of the former's wife, was continued today...

I. C. R. ACCIDENT.

Amherst, N. S., Sept. 16.—A serious accident occurred near Amherst on the I. C. R. this morning, whereby No. 75, a fast freight for Montreal in charge of Conductor Johnson, was partially derailed and two engines and six cars were turned into the ditch...

FRENCH CANADIANS ARE ALARMED

Windsor, Ont., Sept. 16.—French Canadians of Essex County, are greatly agitated over an order recently made known from Bishop Fallon, whereby he will try to stop the French language being taught in the Catholic schools in this city...

PAYS COURT TO NEWFOUNDLAND

U. S. Sends Tariff Expert To Confer With Premier Morris—Treaty Between Two Countries May Result.

St. Johns, N. F., Sept. 16.—Bound on a mission which is generally looked upon as a re-opening of reciprocal relations between the United States and Newfoundland, following the promulgation of the Hague Fisheries decision, Prof. Chas. M. Pepper, an American tariff expert, arrived here from Washington today...

BODY THOUGHT TO BE SLIVEK'S

New York Stenographer Disappeared From Portland, Sept. 1st, And Corpse Found By Fishermen Probably His.

Portland, Me., Sept. 16.—A body was found by a fisherman on the rocks at the southerly side of Richmond's Island, this noon, which is believed to be that of Geo. Slivek, a stenographer of New York City, who has been missing since September 1, and was last seen in this city. Slivek was 27 years old, and was in Portland with his father and brother Abram Slivek, an attorney of New York City, with an office at 231 Broadway...

TO REQUIRE SURPLUS OF NEW U. S. BANKS

Proposed To Compel Newly Organized Banks To Provide Reserve Fund And \$25,000 Unimpaired Capital.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 16.—Some important changes in the national bank law may be proposed to the next congress. One proposed change is to compel newly organized national banks to provide a surplus and an absolutely unimpaired capital the day they begin business...

REVENUE INCREASED.

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 16.—The inland revenue for the month of August was \$1,508,690 as compared with \$1,235,500 during August 1909. Spirits accounted for \$645,773, and tobacco for \$261,125.

CAVALIERIA TAKES STEP TO SECURE RIGHTS

Pre-nuptial Agreement Signed By Husband Transfers To Her Interest In \$140,000 Property.

DOCUMENT FILED IN REGISTER'S OFFICE

New York, Sept. 16.—The pre-nuptial agreement between Robert Winthrop Chamber, of this city and his bride, Lina Cavalleria, of Paris, the prima donna, was filed today in the office of the register of New York county.

After defining the purpose of the agreement as being to remove all doubts that might exist, owing to a difference of the parents as to the law governing their mutual property rights, the document proceeds that "in consideration of the sum of one dollar paid, said intended Mr. Chamber shall assign to his wife all his real estate and all his interest in the estate of the late Laura Delaney of a mortgage said to be \$140,000, for her sole and subsequent use absolutely.

For the same consideration of one dollar, and the intended marriage, the agreement continues; the bridegroom "doth further covenant to pay his wife \$20,000 a year in four quarterly instalments, "all payments free from income or other taxes," and "for the purpose of securing the payment of the said yearly sum," Cavalleria is constituted his "true and lawful attorney in any and all respects to collect the rents and profits.

Should the income from the real estate prove insufficient at any time to pay the \$20,000 yearly agreed on, a second power of attorney is conferred all the real estate taken under its terms to govern the income payable from the fund held in trust for him by the New York Life and Insurance and Trust Company. Should this additional income still prove insufficient, a third power of attorney is conferred to govern the income payable from the fund held in trust by the Union Trust Company.

PROPERTY OWNERS BROUGHT TO BOOK

"Respectable" Owners Of Houses Used For Illegal Purposes In New York Likely To Be Prosecuted.

New York, Sept. 16.—Property owners in New York who permit their buildings to be used for gambling purposes or as disorderly houses are face to face with exposure. Acting mayor Mitchell announced today that he had sent a list of such houses, with the names and addresses of their "respectable" owners to Commissioner Baker for investigation. Mr. Mitchell has likewise enlisted the aid of District Attorney Whitman and prosecutions are promised.

LARGE INCREASE IN NEW YORK TRAFFIC

New York, N. Y., Sept. 16.—More than a billion and a half passengers rode on the various transportation lines in greater New York during the year ending June 30, 1910. The fares collected by the various companies totaled \$76,224,179.63. Operating expenses of the roads for the year were \$43,274,487.11.

SIR ALLAN RUTZEN.



OFFICERS OF FEDERATION ARE ELECTED

J. G. Topp, of Ottawa, Heads Canadian Labor Organization—Unions Must Affiliate With T. & L. Councils.

Special to The Standard. Montreal, Sept. 16.—At this afternoon's session of the Canadian Federation of Labor the following officers were elected:

President—J. G. Topp, Ottawa. Vice-president for Quebec—J. B. St. Laurent. Vice-president for Ontario—M. Trempanier. Vice-president for Nova Scotia—F. Burn.

Secretary-treasurer—J. A. Mercier, Quebec. Executive—James Patterson, Ottawa; S. B. McNeill, Glace Bay, and D. Verdon, Montreal. It was decided to hold the next meeting in Montreal. There was a lively discussion over a report presented by the committee to look into the proposed changes to the constitution. The committee recommended that all unions holding federation charters must be affiliated with the trades and labor council of their own district and that labor organizations affiliated with such councils must hold charters from the Canadian Federation of Labor. Strong objections were raised to this recommendation and at one time there was a regular uproar, but finally on a division being taken the proposal was adopted.

ONE WEEK MORE FOR PREMIUMS

Seekers After Special Prizes Will Have To Get Busy To Win—Votes Pouring In Now.

In one week from today the special prize period will close—the exact date being September 24th at 10 p. m. Do you realize what a large number of votes can be secured in that time? Do you know that it is possible for any candidate to win? Have you estimated the enormous number of votes that are in the field, that can be secured? Do you intend voting for your favorite candidate and assisting her to win in the race? You are interested, but are you actively engaged in the way that will make your favorite win?

BUILDINGS BURNED WITH SALE PENDING

New Hampshire Man Was Drawing Up Transfer Papers When Fire Destroyed \$7,000 Property—Was Insured.

Oxford, N. H., Sept. 16.—While Clarence H. Carr was going over the deeds of his house and barn with a purchaser preparatory to a sale, to-morrow, neighbors discovered a blaze in an alarm. The property with the exception of moveables, was entirely consumed entailing a loss of \$7,000, insured. Carr and his family had left the home half an hour before the blaze started for a trip to town where Mr. Carr with the purchaser looked over the deeds.

PREPARING FOR CONNAUGHT

Ottawa, Sept. 16.—Workmen are busy repainting and decorating the Senate Chamber, in view of the coming to Canada next year of the Duke of Connaught. The coat of paint was another of the links with the past that have gone. The last order for paint was given twenty-five years ago by Sir John A. Macdonald. The new coat will be ready for the opening of parliament on or about November 10th.

TAFT HAS NOT GIVEN WAY TO ROOSEVELT

Report To This Effect Considered Not Worthy Of Denial—President Willing If Nomination Is Tendered.

ROOSEVELT SEES COUNTY LEADERS

Beverly, Mass., Sept. 16.—The publication of a story in certain newspapers yesterday afternoon and this morning purporting to come from Beverly and announcing that President Taft had decided to step aside as a presidential candidate in 1912 to make way for Col. Roosevelt brought many inquiries to the summer capital today.

For a time an official denial was considered but it was decided not to dignify the story which is reported to have been without any foundation whatever, with a statement. It can be stated that there has been no change in President's Taft's attitude toward a second term since he told that he would accept a second nomination if his party desired to tender it to him and that if that portion of the American people represented by his party seemed to want him.

The president is said to be considering his chances for a second term one way or the other this time. From the first he has said he would devote his time to carrying out as near as possible the pledges of the platform on which he was elected for a four year term. Mr. Taft is pointed out does not know how to play politics and he has been quoted as saying that he would not do so if he had any choice. He has also said that he has only the remainder of his present term to serve means it is stated, here, that Mr. Taft does not feel that he can nominate himself and that he will not make a political bid for the nomination.

BOY, KILLED AT CHARLOTTETOWN

Eddie Toombs Run Over By Truck Loaded With Shingles While Playing On Street—Will Hold Inquest.

Special to The Standard. Charlottetown, Sept. 16.—This evening at 5 o'clock, Eddie Toombs, the two year and eight months old son of Edmund Toombs, of the Post Office department, lost his life. He and his oldest sister had been playing on the street during the afternoon and just before the accident the little chap ran across the street in front of a truck loaded with shingles and before he could get out of the way was run down.

DEFAULTING TREASURER PLACED UNDER ARREST

Richmond Ingersoll Held Responsible For Much Of \$350,000 Shortage Of York County Savings Bank.

Biddeford, Me., Sept. 16.—On a charge of embezzlement, Richmond E. Ingersoll, the alleged defaulting treasurer of the York county savings bank which closed its doors on August 12, following the discovery by State Bank Examiner Skelton, of discrepancies in his accounts, and the finding of a signed confession, was arrested today. The warrant was sworn out by Col. Chas. H. Prescott, president of the institution and served by Chief of Police Chas. B. Harmon. The shortage was estimated at \$350,000, but the amount of this was due to heavy losses on western securities many years ago, concealed by Mr. Ingersoll. The aged treasurer twice has attempted to kill himself since the bank was closed.

BALLINGER DOES NOT FEAR FOR FUTURE

U. S. Secretary Of Interior On Eve Of Return To Washington Conscious Of Doing His Duty.

Spokane, Wash., Sept. 16.—"I don't care what anybody says about me so long as I am conscious of doing my duty, not only as a private citizen, but as a public officer, the man who pursues the course that seems to him to meet the obligations of his place in life, has no need to fear about the future."

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BANK THEFTS CHARGED

Brockville, Ont., Sept. 16.—Robert Cughen, manager of the Farmers' Bank at Athens, and Melvin Forest, a clerk in the bank, were charged in the police court here this morning with stealing from the bank. Cughen is alleged to have embezzled \$900 and Forest \$500. Forest pleaded guilty, while Cughen denied the charge. Both were remanded for a week.

GRAHAME-WHITE \$10,000 RICHER

English Aviator Presented With Globe Prize At Boston Banquet Last Evening—Comments On Wonderful Flight.

Boston, Mass., Sept. 16.—Claude Grahame-White, the English aviator, who was the star of the Harvard-Boston aero meet which closed last night, was tonight presented a cheque for \$10,000 for winning the Boston light trip of 33 miles at a banquet tendered the English and American aviators at the Algonquin Club. The prize money was presented by General Charles H. Taylor, editor of the Boston Globe which offered the prize, in the presence of Gov. Eben S. Draper, Mayor John F. Fitzgerald and Grahame-White's fellow aviators.

The Englishman's feat of flying 33 miles over the harbor in 34 minutes 13.5 seconds was the principal topic of the evening while the thorough sportsmanship of the aviators who competed in the meet was generally commended.

Wearing the bandages necessitated by the wounds he received in his mishap yesterday when his triplane was wrecked, A. V. Roe, the English aviator, attended the banquet. Gov. Draper also spoke during the evening.

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CALL ON ROOSEVELT.

New York, Sept. 16.—County politicians from all parts of New York State, gathered today at Theodore Roosevelt's editorial office to tell him where they stand in the fight now going on within the Republican party. The Colonel talked from morning till night with leaders on each side but at the end of the day all that he would say was: "I cannot discuss it at all."

OFFICIAL APPOINTED.

The Canadian Gazette announces that the appointment of H. S. Culver as U. S. Consul at St. John has been officially approved.

TWO HURT IN HANDLING OF HALIFAX FIRE

Blaze Threatened Whole Water Front—Roof Collapsed With Captain Richard Stone And Fireman Bennett.

THREE BUILDINGS ARE DESTROYED

Special to The Standard. Halifax, N. S. Sept. 16.—Halifax firemen had to battle with flames to-night that completely destroyed three buildings on the market wharf and came dangerously near sweeping away the entire south end of the water front. The flames started in Adam's feet store and spread with great rapidity licking the way up the wooden walls and catching the grocery store of Miss Fazio and a large storehouse used by I. B. Shaffner & Co. These buildings were completely gutted and several others were slightly damaged.

Capt. Richard Stone and Fireman Vincent Bennet both of no. 2 steamer had a narrow escape from death and are both in the Victoria General Hospital in a serious condition. While fighting the flames on a ladder the roof of the burning building fell with a terrific crash burying both firemen in the debris. The men were rescued with great difficulty and may not recover.

COTTON MEN IN SESSION

Manufacturers Hear Interesting Papers Read At Annual Meeting—European Countries After Southern Trade.

Fortsmouth, N. H., Sept. 16.—"Conditions are rapidly changing; we are losing our position as the great exporters of foodstuffs, and must give more attention to exporting our manufactured goods," declared C. A. Green, of New York tonight in speaking before the 53rd semi-annual meeting of the national association of cotton manufacturers in this city on the subject of Foreign Markets For Cotton Textiles. Mr. Green cited the great South American markets in which the United States imports amount to a small per cent. "It is an undeniable fact," said he, "that the need for a more extended market for our textile productions exists and it seems to me that the great safeguard for our industry lies in getting those markets."

Spencer Janney Steinmetz, of Boston, in a paper on the cotton mills of Mexico, called attention to the fact "that the cotton mills of Mexico do not produce one-fifth of the cotton demanded by that country and four-fifths is imported from France, England and Germany, and while I have not the exact figures of the trade we receive, it is in the hands of the United States. The Panama canal will let us hope be open for business in three years—then all English, French and German mills will reap the rich harvest they have so diligently sown in the past and present. They have mapped their plans and we must get active if we want the vast Latin-American business.

Fine Time For Study. In a paper on "Part Time Instructions for the Textile Industry," W. H. Dooley, principal of the Lawrence Industrial School of Lawrence, Mass., urged that some part of the working hours for instructions to the large number of young wage earners. This would break up the long working hours, and the young people would be better fitted mentally and physically to grasp the reasons than they would if they tried to attend night schools. The system has been tried successfully abroad, and in other industries in this country.

Among the other papers at the evening session were "Russian Turkestan and its Products," by Nicholas Malakowski, Ph. D., secretary to the cotton committee of St. Petersburg, and "The Textile Industry in Hungary," by Joseph B. Bolgar, of Fall River, Mass. A ripple was caused in the business session of the evening when H. L. Gantt, of New York, a guest of the association, in addressing the meeting made the assertion that the association was taking all the interest it should in its industry outside of buying and selling.

DAHLMAN NEXT GOV. OF NEBRASKA

Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 16.—As the result of the vote for Democratic candidate for governor of Nebraska shows Gov. Shallenberger 200 votes behind Mayor Dahlman, of Omaha, the governor said today he had decided to give up the contest although he believed legal proceedings would still give him the nomination.