

THE CAMPAIGN

Independents of the West for Laurier.

Nominations in North Oxford and Other Ridings—Notes by the Way.

HON. JAMES SUTHERLAND.

Woodstock, Oct. 22.—At a largely attended meeting of the Reform Association of North Oxford on Saturday, Hon. James Sutherland was nominated as the party's candidate in the coming elections. The gathering was quite unanimous, no other candidate being suggested. The nomination was made by F. Patterson and seconded by Valentine Stock. The officers of the association for the coming year were elected as follows: President, Walter Murray; vice-president, Wm. Macdonald; second vice-president, Wm. Macdonald; secretary, G. Macdonald; treasurer, A. J. McIntosh. Resolutions were unanimously passed endorsing the administration of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and of Hon. George W. Laidlaw. A resolution also passed congratulating Mr. Sutherland upon his becoming a cabinet minister, and thanking him for his efforts on behalf of the riding and his work in the various important offices he has filled.

A mass meeting was held in the opera house in the afternoon in the interests of the Liberal party, at which addresses were delivered by Hon. Wm. Patterson and James Sutherland, and Andrew Pattullo, M.P.P.

TERREBONNE LIBERALS.

St. Jerome, Que., Oct. 20.—At a Liberal convention held today, R. Prefontaine, Mayor of Montreal, was chosen as Liberal candidate for St. Jerome. The nomination was accepted by Mr. Prefontaine.

INDEPENDENTS FOR LAURIER.

The Windup (Man.) Free Press says: "The Independents of Manitoba and the West have declared for Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. Sifton. Announcements to this effect have been made by the independent executive at Souris and their organ in Regina."

SIR CHARLES TUPPER'S INTENTIONS.

Toronto, Oct. 22.—Sir Charles Tupper, accompanied by his private secretary, left for Ottawa last night in his private car, which was attached to the C. P. R. train. Sir Charles will return to Toronto by tomorrow night's train, and will hold a series of meetings in Ontario, which is now being arranged for him. The dates and places of the meetings have not yet been definitely decided.

FRONTENAC LIBERALS.

Dr. Sands, Liberal candidate, in Frontenac, has retired to prevent the Conservatives winning the seat in a three-cornered fight. Dr. Sands was heavily injured in the contest, and taken. The situation is not unfavorable to the government, which is so strong that Mr. Calvin and Mr. Rogers will alike give the Laurier Government a fair support.

NOTES.

Conventions were held by the Conservatives of East Toronto Saturday night. Mr. A. E. Kemp, president of the Toronto board of trade, received the nomination for East Toronto, and W. R. Brock for the center division.

Marshall Lawrie (Liberal) and Colin H. Campbell (Conservative) were nominated for the legislature to contest the election in Morris, Que., made necessary by the appointment of Mr. Campbell to the portfolio of attorney-general of the province.

At a Conservative convention for St. James' division of Montreal, Tancred Pagnuelo, barrister, was nominated to oppose O. Desmarais (Liberal) at the coming elections for the commons. The Conservatives of St. Mary's division nominated ex-Ald. Charpentier to oppose Mr. Tarte, the Liberal candidate.

R. D. Wilmot was selected by the Conservatives of Queens and Sunbury, N. B., on Saturday, to oppose Hon. A. S. White. Hon. D. Hazen and H. W. Wood declined to run.

The North Oxford Conservative Association on Saturday nominated J. G. Wallace to oppose Hon. James Sutherland. Mr. Wallace asked the convention to wait until next Wednesday evening, when he will give a decided answer.

LINEMAN DUNN

Of Dundas, Indorses Dodd's Kidney Pills for Rheumatism.

Dundas, Oct. 22.—"Gentlemen, I have been troubled with Rheumatism for a year past, and have used several so-called cures. None of them did me a particle of good, however, until I started on a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills. Since then my suffering have been brief as my story is. Three boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me completely, and you are welcome to make my statement public. William Dunn, Telephone Line 4000.

Here is information, more precious than a gold mine to men who follow the same occupation as Mr. Dunn, and who are great sufferers from Rheumatism. Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure them as they cured Mr. Dunn.

JAWS FIXED IN A YAWN.

Logansport, Ind., Oct. 22.—Extending her reading hour until after her usual retiring time, pretty 16-year-old Alma Morris began to yawn, and suddenly found her mouth wide open, and, regardless of all efforts, she was unable to close it. Her jaws were set, and she was in terrible agony. Physicians chloroformed the young woman, and after two hours' hard work were successful in loosening her jaws.

There are 62 miles of tunnels in the fortified rock of Gibraltar.

"THE ACADEMIE DE MEDECINE OF FRANCE

HAS PLACED

Apollinaris

("THE QUEEN OF TABLE WATERS.")

At the Head of All the Waters Examined for Purity and Freedom from Disease Germs."

BUTCHERED BY BOXERS

Men, Women and Children Driven From Homes and Killed.

British, German and Russian Ministers Start for Peking—Waldsee Thinks the Campaign is Over.

Washington, Oct. 20.—The state department has received a dispatch from the consul at Che Foo under date of Sept. 9, transmitting an account, based on apparently trustworthy information from a Chinese source, of the massacre of missionaries in Shansi Province. According to the account of June 23, some 300 Boxers broke into the compound at Hsiao Yi Hsien, where Misses Whitechurch and Seapell, of the Chinese Inland Mission, were living alone, and brutally murdered both women. The massacre occurred at the mission station of independent workers at Sheo Yang, where there were at the time Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Pigott and son; Mr. Robinson, Miss Duvall and two daughters of Rev. E. R. Atwater, of Tenchow Fu. These persons were driven from their homes into the mountains and later arrested and taken to Taiyuen and presumably killed.

By June 23, most of the foreign houses in Taiyuen had been burned, and Miss Cosmo killed. On July 3, the following persons, with about 40 native Christians, were killed by order of the governor, Mr. Stokes and wife, Mr. Beynon and wife and three children; Mr. Farthing, wife and three children; Dr. Lovett, wife and one child; Mr. Whitehouse and wife; Mr. Simpson and wife; Dr. Miller Wilson and wife; of Ping Yang Fu.

The following day ten Roman Catholic priests (French) were killed. Mr. and Mrs. Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. McCurran, and a single man and woman (names unknown), who were stationed at the English Baptist mission at Hsin Chou, are said to have escaped on horseback into the mountains.

The mission of the American board at Tai Ku was attacked on July 31, and Mr. F. W. Davis, Mr. G. D. Williams, Mr. D. H. Clapp and wife, and Misses Rowena Bird and Susan Partridge killed. One hundred native Christians were killed at the same time. Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Atwater and two children, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Price and son, of the American board of missions at Fen Chow Fu, and Mr. and Mrs. Langren and Miss Eldred, of the Swedish mission at Fen Chow Fu, were sent toward the coast by the authorities, on Aug. 15. When a short distance from Fen Chow Fu they were killed by soldiers.

It is also reported that three Swedish missionaries at Yungingchou were sent away and have not been heard from; and that five women at Chieh Hsu Hsien made an effort to escape. Miss French and Miss Palmer are reported to have fled to Hung Tung Hsien. On Aug. 25 there were twenty foreigners safe in Chong Ting, among whom were Mr. Griffith, wife and child; Dr. Brown and wife, R. C. Bishop, three priests and five nuns, five railway men (one French, three Italian and one Belgian).

WHOLESALE EXECUTIONS.

Berlin, Oct. 22.—Private advices received by the Cologne Volks Zeitung, the leading Roman Catholic organ, say Viceroy Chang Chi Tung continues wholesale executions in Hankow of anti-dynastic plotters. Forty-two men have been beheaded and the anti-Christian riots in that province have been stopped, but in the Province of Ho Nan every church, chapel and congregation have been destroyed, and the Christians murdered, except in one church, where a bishop and a number of missionaries barricaded themselves and have hitherto successfully resisted all attacks.

REBELLION SPREADING.

Canton, Oct. 20.—The rebellion is gathering strength along the East River, and the officials here are preparing to defend the city. The acting viceroy and other officials authorized several hundred dollars for the relief of the Christian refugees.

Hong Kong, Oct. 20.—The Chinese here say Oct. 23 is the date appointed for the destruction of the missions in Kwang Tung Province.

FOREIGN MINISTERS LEAVE FOR PEKING.

Dr. Munster von Schwartzstein, German minister to China, has left Tientsin for Peking.

The British have hired premises at Tien Tsin at a rental of \$10,000 per month, to be used as winter quarters for their troops.

The new British minister to China, Sir Ernest Mason Satow, has arrived in Peking, and Sir Claude H. Macdonald, the retiring minister, who has been appointed British minister to Japan, will leave next Tuesday.

Official Chinese dispatches," says the Standard, writing Sunday, admit that the imperial troops have sustained defeats in the Province of Kwang Tung.

An act of the Chinese Emperor having appointed Prince Chang and Li Hung Chang to be plenipotentiaries, the czar has ordered M. De Giers to return to Peking and to enter upon peace negotiations together with the representatives of other powers.

Field Marshal Count Von Waldersee said Friday morning that he regarded the campaign as over, and expected soon to be recalled personally.

Advices from Pao Ting Fu say the allies found the city had been occupied by an independent French column on

FOR THE CHILDREN.

To Keep Their Digestion Perfect Nothing Is So Safe and Pleasant as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

Thousands of men and women have found Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets the safest and most reliable preparation for any form of indigestion or stomach trouble.

Thousands of people who are not sick, but are well and wish to keep well, take Stuart's Tablets after every meal to insure perfect digestion and avoid trouble.

But it is not generally known that the Tablets are just as good and wholesome for little folks as for their elders.

Little children who are pale, thin and have no appetite, or do not grow or thrive, should use the Tablets after eating, and will derive great benefit from them.

Mrs. G. H. Crotsley, 538 Washington street, Hoboken, New Jersey, writes: "Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets just fill the bill for children as well as for older folks. I've had the best of luck with them. My three-year-old girl takes them as readily as candy. I have only to say that these Tablets are everything else and runs for them."

A Buffalo mother a short time ago, who despaired of the life of her babe, was so delighted with the results from giving the child these Tablets every meal to insure perfect digestion and avoid trouble.

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are the best remedy for indigestion, and

the thing for my baby. I feel justified

in saying that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets

saved my child's life.

MRS. W. T. DETHLOPE.

Subscribed and sworn to before me

this 12th day of April, 1897.

HENRY KARRIS,

Notary Public in and for Erie county,

N. Y.

For babies, no matter how young or delicate, the Tablets will accomplish wonders in increasing flesh, appetite and growth. Use only the large sweet Tablets in every box. Full-sized boxes are sold by druggists for 25 cents, and no parent should neglect the child of this safe remedy for all stomach and bowel troubles if the child is ailing in any way regarding its food or assimilation.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets have been known for years as the best preparation for all stomach troubles, whether in adults or infants.

The 15th. The French claim their force was really the advance guard of the allies; but the German and British are said to be much chagrined at the premature climax of the carefully planned expedition.

W. A. Moorehouse, of Sherbrooke, is gazetted in his 80th year as the

Michigan Central yardmen at Mont-

rose, Ont., now get \$10 more per month

than formerly.

The death is announced of Mr. E. E.

Gibbs, treasurer of the New York In-

sure Company.

Henry Miller is dead at Chappaqua,

N. Y., in his 80th year. He was the

inventor of the steam and air brake.

The waters of the Long Sault Rapids,

near Cornwall, will be utilized to de-

velop power for the manufacturing

establishments in that town.

A fire broke out in Morton's Opera

House at Park street, N. Y., destroy-

ing the theater, many offices and two

stores. The loss is estimated at \$200,-

000.

At Leadville, Col., Prof. A. F. Leifke,

one of the most noted violinists in the

west, died at one time with the Thomas

Orchestra in Chicago, was found dead

in his room.

The wife of J. A. Kemish, 63 McGill

street, Toronto, died Saturday morn-

ing of convulsions under circumstances

that led to the suspicion of poison self-

administration.

The open season for whitefish in Lake

Erie expires Oct. 31, but petitions are

already being sent to the Federal Gov-

ernment asking for an extension of the

season to November.

John Lawrence, aged 28, mysteriously

disappeared from Highland Falls, N.

Y., two weeks ago. On Friday his

body was found floating in an ice pond

in the southern part of the town.

A dispatch to the London Times from

Zerust says that Von Hoosburg, an

American lieutenant, who has been

fighting with and financing the Boers,

declared himself tired of the war.

Supreme Court Commissioner Trimble,

of New Jersey, having completed

his investigation, declares it to be his

conviction that no anarchist plot ex-

isted in Paterson or West Hoboken

for the assassination of the late King

Humbert of Italy.

With the intention of traveling 2,136

miles, almost all of it within the con-

finies of New York, and with the ob-

ject of delivering 92 speeches, Gov.

Theodore Roosevelt, Republican candi-

date for vice-president, left Weehaw-

ken this morning.

The body of Wm. Miller, aged 56,

a painter, who resided at 284 Gerard

street, New York, and who had been

missing from his home for about a

week, was found in the bay Saturday

morning. The case is believed to be

one of suicide.

Five hundred men and girls were

killed in an indoor fire Saturday by a

fire in the McCormick Harvester Com-

pany's twin warehouse at Chicago.

Five firemen were seriously injured and

several girls fainting. Timothy Cronin

was recovered. Loss, \$5,000.

Hamilton Times.—As the result of

the work of auditors during the last

few days a very serious shortage has

been discovered in the accounts of H.

F. Latham, the ticket agent at the

Hamilton street depot of the T. H. and

B. Railway. Up to date the shortage is

said to be in the neighborhood of \$3,-

000, and the audit is only about half

completed.

Sir Roderick Cameron, well-known

New York financier, died in England on

Friday. He was born in Glen Nevis,

Canada, on July 23, 1825. He was edu-

cated in the district schools of Corn-

wall and Kingston. He was vice-pres-

ident of the Canadian Club of New

York and a member of the Turf, Can-

ton, Junior Carlton and Wellington

Clubs in London, and of several sport-

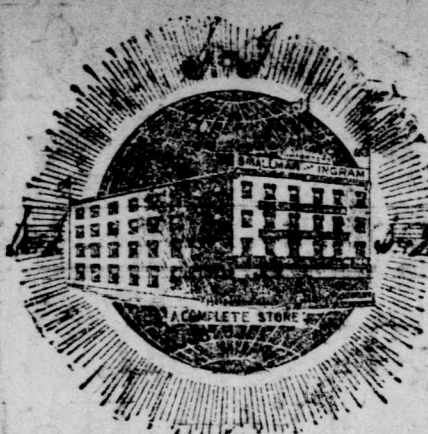
ing clubs.

Japanese workmen bathe the whole

body once a day, and some of them

twice. Public baths are provided in

every street.



THE WEATHER TODAY—Fine and warm.

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Customers will kindly bear in mind that this store closes at 7 o'clock every Saturday evening to permit employees to enjoy a well earned rest.

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We want ladies of all stations in life to appear in person at our store—upstairs in Mantle Department. We have elegant and cozy garments for all, and expect a great many to respond. Our offerings are on goods for which there is immediate need, and we have them all marked at prices far lower than even the most sanguine bargain hunter will expect to find. Make a note of the items below:

Ladies' Fur-lined Capes, covering of two-toned black and green Matalasse cloth; gray and white squirrel lining; chamoisee pockets; large flare collar; collar and fronts trimmed with Thibet fur. Price only...\$12 50
Ladies' Fur-lined Capes of fine black Box Cloth covering and gray and white squirrel lining; chamoisee pockets; large, full for Thibet collar; wide Thibet trimmings down fronts; 33 inches long. Price only...\$17 50
Ladies' Gray and White Squirrel Fur-lined Capes, trimmed with fine quality black Thibet fur on collar and front; chamoisee pockets; rich black Matalasse Covering; 32 inches long. Rare good value at...\$20 00
Ladies' Fur-lined Cape, covering of extra quality rich black Matalasse; thick, full-trimmed, all gray Siberian squirrel lining; two small and two large chamoisee pockets; finest quality Thibet collar; wide Thibet trimming down front; 34 inches long. Price for all this elegance, only...\$35 00

And Please Remember

All our Fur-lined Capes are made of fine imported plain or Matalasse Cloths; are lined with selected full-furred gray and white or all gray squirrel skins; they are interlined and wadded, which makes them cling more closely to the body, increasing the warmth; they are not heavy and do not tire the shoulders like a heavy fur cape; suitable for ladies of any age. These are all good reasons why you should buy here.

CHOICE COLORED DRESS GOODS

It is no idle boast for us to state that there is no such department as this in Western Ontario. It is filled with the latest, choicest and lowest priced goods that our long experience in buying could muster from the markets of Europe. No matter what your taste we can appease it.

42-inch Cheviot, all wool, in cardinal, brown, fawn and two shades of blue; per yard, only... 38c
44-inch Cheviot Suiting, all wool, heavier make, in cardinal, myrtle, brown and two shades of blue, extra value, at, per yard... 50c
52-inch Cheviot, heavy twill, beautiful quality, in rose, sage and helio; suitable for dressing sacques, and especially value, at, per yard... \$1 00
52-inch Homespun, special make of new weave, invisible stripe, splendid coloring of blue and brown, two handsome grays, and stylish mixtures, elegant goods, at, per yard... \$1 25
50-inch Canvas Goods for ladies' suiting, in bright blue, plain weave; brand new goods, heavy weight and exceptionally choice... \$1 25
54-inch Navy Homespun, medium twill, just the weight for suitings, guaranteed solid wool; per yard... \$1 00 and \$1 25

Underwear Specials

A full range of Boys' and Girls' Unshrinkable Shirts and Drawers, all sizes; ranging in price from... 45c to 75c
Children's Black Equestrian Tights, all wool, ankle length, all sizes; price... 75c to \$1 00
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Ladies' Black Equestrian Tights, all wool, ankle length; selling at... \$1 00 and \$1 25

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Just what you want for furniture coverings and cozy corners, at the prices you can afford.
One piece Light Tinted Ground, shaded brown flower, very choice, 52 inches wide... 65c
One piece Green Tinted Ground, terra tinted spray, very rich, 52 inches wide... 65c
One piece Light Brown Ground, fawn flower... 65c
We have also three pieces of lighter quality, in Blue and Green Tints, at... 50c
One piece Blue Tinted Ground, with light fawn flower, very rich... 45c

SMALLMAN & INGRAM

149, 151 and 153 DUNDAS STREET.

HIS BRIDE'S HEAD WAS BALD.

Augusta, Ga., Oct. 22.—Because he accidentally discovered on the eve of marriage that his betrothed was bald-headed, a well-known young man of this city, whose name is withheld, refused to make her his wife. With the license in his pocket, he called on his fiancée. As he entered he caught sight of her hurriedly retreating to another room, and made the astonishing discovery. He left the house at once. The more he thought over it the more the conviction grew on him that he could not be happy with a baldheaded wife. So he informed her mother of his change of mind. A lively scene followed, and the heartless young man was unceremoniously ejected. The marriage license being now useless, and being of a practical turn of mind, he prevailed on the county clerk to refund his money.

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All liver ills are cured by Hood's Pills. 25c.

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"When a child I burned my foot frightfully," writes W. H. Eads, of Jonesville, Va., which caused horrible leg sores for 30 years, but Buckner's Arnica Salve wholly cured me after everything else failed." Infallible for Burns, Scalds, Cuts, Sores, Bruises and Piles. Sold by W. T. Strong & Co. for 25c.

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