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MAYOR EVANS' BIG MAJORITY

Winnipeg Endorses the Existing Policy Regarding Social Evil

PURITY CANDIDATE BEATEN

W. Sanford Evans Re-elected over E. D. Martin by a Margin of Over 1400 Votes

Winnipeg, Dec. 13.—Nothing like the enthusiasm displayed tonight has been seen in Winnipeg since the election of Mayor Evans. The result was a substantial majority over the social and moral reform candidate in the majority elections. While no definite figures are available yet, nor will they be until morning, owing to the extent of the vote, the number of foreigners among the voters and the number of minor issues complicating results, at midnight Mayor W. Sanford Evans is leading by a substantial majority of fourteen hundred over E. D. Martin, and apparently the old board of control is re-elected in its entirety.

It will be remembered that Evans was retiring after two terms but at the request of Controllers Waugh and Harvey, who were in the field, he took the field from which he retired as a vindication of the administration. E. D. Martin, who had the support of all the ministry ran entirely on the social and moral reform tickets and pamphlets containing excerpts from evidence before the commission, being issued by his supporters. The opposition claimed these were most unfair, as containing the statements of witnesses without the explanation thereof, made before the commission.

REJECTED LOVER COMMITS MURDER

South Dakota Farm Hand Barred Himself in House and Defies Posse

Inkton, S. D., Dec. 13.—Daniel Courtney, a farmer living here, was shot last night by George Roste, and is dying. Roste, who was a discharged farm hand, returned at midnight and shot his former employer and then barricaded himself in an upper room and for hours has held the officers and a large posse at bay. Open threats of lynching are being made.

Roste has permitted Father Link to visit the dying man, but shoots at anyone who approaches the house and keeps Courtney's wife and daughter prisoners in the house with him. It is feared other members of the family will be shot before the murderer is captured and possibly some of the bystanding force.

Boy Rides for Aid. Roste, who was discharged a week ago by Courtney, returned at the door at 11 o'clock and asked to be let in. Courtney went out on the porch and returned to let him in. Roste then fired the bullet from his revolver taking effect in Courtney's left side. Courtney fell in Courtney's left side. Courtney's son, aged 8, and his niece. The boy stepped out and raced his horse to Ultes, 20 miles away for help and the house was soon surrounded by men. Sheriff Hickey threatened to blow out the Roste if he did not get out. Roste never was taken alive, but would shoot himself first. An effort was made to get the dying man and his family out and then the house will be riddled by himself. He was enamored of Bernice Oulligan, niece of Courtney, and threatened to kill her too. Her refusal to marry him and his discharge on account of his unwelcome attentions were the motives for the tragedy.

WANT FLOGGING ABOLISHED. All Parties in Russian Duma United in Making Petition. St. Petersburg, Dec. 13.—All parties in the Duma have united in addressing an interpellation to the Minister of the Interior and Justice regarding the wholesale flogging of political prisoners in Siberia. It is charged that the government is thus taking a brutal revenge and by so doing disgracing Russia.

TO INVESTIGATE ALBERTA MINES

Commission Will Be Appointed By The Provincial Government

Edmonton, Dec. 13.—The premier's suggestion that a commission be appointed by the province to investigate the condition of the provincial mines and report to the House met with approval this afternoon, and it was stated that the mine owners also favor the proposal.

Capital and Cushing.

Edmonton, Dec. 13.—Ex-Minister of Public Works Cushing returned to the city today. This afternoon the Capital and Cushing. In an interview Mr. Cushing stated that he would reply thereto at the proper time.

CLAIM IMPERSONATION

Evidence of Crooked Work in the Winnipeg Election (Western Associated Press)

Winnipeg, Dec. 13.—The Social and Moral Reform party, headed by E. D. Martin for Mayor, claim to have detected at least twenty cases of attempted impersonation at one poll. At 1 o'clock a man named Bryan Carter, said to be formerly prominent in Ottawa hockey circles, was arrested at 26 on Erin Street, when he was endeavoring to impersonate T. E. Rogers, a property holder of Amherst, N. S. Carter was intoxicated when detected and told Richard Crumley, a special constable, who took him to the police station, that he had been instructed at Moose Club to make impersonations. He produced a type-written card containing instructions as to whom and where to impersonate and stated that it had been handed to him at the Moose Club. He pleaded guilty to be let go saying he was drunk and that he had a wife and children depending on him, but in a subsequent charge of perjury Carterly had been a fortnight in the city from the east.

EMPIRE CLUB DISSENSION.

After Effect of the Utterances of Bishop DuMolins. Toronto, Dec. 13.—Bishop DuMolins' attacks on the Laborites and Suffragettes at a previous meeting of the Empire Club of Toronto, followed by the criticisms of another invited speaker, Arthur Hawkes, at a subsequent meeting, culminated today in a breeze at the club. J. Castell Hopkins, president, had written to the bishop apologizing for the statement of Mr. Hawkes. Mr. Hawkes rose to a question of privilege today, and said he had a note of motion to the effect that the executive answer to the utterances of the members of the club. Justice Ridell then addressed the club on the subject of the bishop's statement. George V., dealing particularly with those questions of the divine right of kings. A special meeting of the club will likely deal with Mr. Hawkes' resolution.

SAILS FOR HONDURAS

Cruiser Brilliant Sent to Protect the British Interest. Kingston, Jan. 13.—The British cruiser Brilliant sailed from here today for Honduras to protect British day for Honduras. Reports have reached here that conditions in the Honduras republic are greatly disturbed.

Eastern League Schedule

New York, Dec. 13.—At the final meeting of the Eastern League today it was decided to play a schedule of 154 games and a committee was appointed to investigate the matter of the reclassification of the league. The salary of the new president was raised from \$5,000 to \$7,500. The American League will meet tomorrow. Ban Johnson says the season will open on April 12 and continue for 154 games.

Saltcoats Councilors.

Saltcoats, Sask., Dec. 13.—Saltcoats returned the following councilors for the year 1911: Messrs. D. O. Crossley, J. Mathison, J. M. Gibson, W. D. Mitchell, W. H. Hallet and G. H. Ynglis. Thos. Carleton, mayor. Local option carried in Local Improvement District 213 by a good majority.

Dan McGann Suicides

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 13.—Dan McGann, former captain and first baseman of the New York Nationals, committed suicide today. So far no cause for his suicide has developed.

BRAZIL ADOPTS STERN MEASURES

Navy Service Will Be Rid of All Known Malcontents And Mutineers

Washington, D. C., Dec. 13.—Face to face with a serious situation of disloyalty in its navy, the Brazilians will now adopt measures designed to prevent a recurrence of the outbreak of first of all ridding its navy service of the known malcontents. The soldiers of the marine corps, who mutinied while the navy was engaged in the first mutiny of November 22 will be excluded from the navy.

Arbitration Account

Washington, Dec. 13.—An appropriation of \$50,000 each for the expense of arbitration of outstanding claims and claims between the United States and Great Britain and for the arbitration of the international title to the Chamisal strip between Mexico and this country was asked of congress today.

DID BOURASSA REALLY SAY THIS?

Astonishing Statement Credited To Canadian in London Interview

London, Dec. 13.—Henry Bourassa is keeping so much out of the public eye in Paris that French journalists seem unaware of his presence. A somewhat startling interview with him appears, however, in the London Mail today by the well known war correspondent, Quebec Maxwell. Bourassa, it is reported, made the following reply to Maxwell's forecast, that in a few years the West and not Quebec will hold the balance of power in Canada:

"In fifteen years, and before that time comes the eastern provinces, Quebec, Ontario, Nova Scotia, and New Brunswick, will have become French in language and Roman Catholic in faith."

PASSENGERS REACH SAFETY IN LIFEBOATS

Wrecked Steamer Olympia Lies On High Reef But No Lives Were Lost

Valdez, Alaska, Dec. 13.—The launch Donaldson arrived here today with some of the passengers and crew of the wrecked steamer Olympia which went ashore in a bad storm with a very heavy sea running, and the officers dared not send out the life boats on account of the cold and the violence of the waves. The ship pounded incessantly on the rocky bed, but the hull stood the strain. The water poured into the hold, flooding the engine rooms and put out the electric lights. Towards dark the storm abated, and the life boats arriving, the transfer was made with very little difficulty. It is believed that the ship is a total wreck and cannot be saved, also that the cargo and cannot be removed and the vessel lies on a high reef and is valued at \$250,000, while the cargo is valued at \$50,000.

Murdered Her Son

Hamilton, Dec. 13.—A terrible crime was committed early last evening on Canby Avenue when Mrs. J. M. Patience, whose husband is employed by the Fowler Canadian Company, murdered her four year old son, Harry, by striking his throat with a hatchet and then attempting to kill herself by cutting her own throat. She is in a very low condition and will probably die. It is the general belief that the deed was committed while the woman was temporarily insane. Her husband was hurried home from his work and discovered what had happened.

WANT WELLAND CANAL DEEPENED

Influential Deputation Waits On The Dominion Government At Ottawa

WOULD HELP GRAIN TRADE

Threatened Diversion to United States Would Thus Be Averted—Premier's Reply.

Ottawa, Dec. 13.—A huge deputation representing forty-eight Boards of Trade of Ontario and forty-nine municipalities, including Montreal, waited upon the Government to-day to impress upon the Ministry the necessity of deepening and enlarging the Welland Canal in order to conserve for Canada the freight carrying trade of the Dominion from the Great Lakes along the St. Lawrence waterway to the sea. Along with the delegation were over one hundred members of parliament.

WHEAT MARKETS SHOW A DECLINE

Bearish Gossip From Liverpool Causes Low Opening—Little Trade in Options

Winnipeg, Dec. 13.—Liverpool cables came 1/4 lower and all gossip was bearish with the result that the American wheat markets opened lower and in options, in the terms of the one broker, was a "Dead Letter," the range of the morning for December being 1/4 lower and for May 1/4. The market options at the close of the day showed a decline of 1/4 for December, 1/4 for May, and 1/4 for July. Demand for cash wheat was almost as weak as for options. Very little was done, and although foreign bids were generally from 2c out of the lot, yet some No. 4 Northern was worked for export.

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Chicago Markets Stronger

Chicago, Dec. 13.—Statements that the outlook for winter wheat in the southwest had become the worst in twenty years formed a sustaining influence today for prices here. Texas received some rain but dry weather and no snow covering were reported in Kansas and Oklahoma. Compared with last night the market closed 1/4 higher to a shade lower. Oats unchanged to 1/4 up. Aside from the drought, news regarding wheat was material selling pressure.

WEEDMARK HANGS TODAY.

Smith Fall's Wife Murderer to Pay Penalty. Perth, Ont., Dec. 13.—Arrangements are completed for the execution of Ruth Weedmark, the Smith Fall's wife murderer, tomorrow morning. Hangman Ellis is here.

Was Ill-Named.

Manitowish, Dec. 13.—Mrs. Patience, who yesterday murdered her four-year-old son, and then cut her own throat, died this morning.

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Railway Commission
Toronto, Dec. 13.—The railway commission in session here has arranged to hear all telephone appeals against excessive rates tomorrow. After a long discussion the C. P. R. was granted permission to construct two subways in the town of York with certain provisions. The matter of the elimination of the grade crossing at Yonge Street was held over till February.

Entertainment for Grain Growers

Ottawa, Dec. 13.—His Excellency Earl Grey has invited members of the farmers' delegation now en route to Ottawa to Rideau Hall on Friday afternoon where they will be entertained. Hon. Sidney Fisher has arranged to have them taken to the Central Experimental Farm and various courtesies will be extended to them by other ministers and members.