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RETURNING MEMBERS.

Lady Aberdeen's Innovation - Sir Charles Tupper's Golden Wedding Present.

Canadian Products in London - Premier Laurier Not Likely to Visit England.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.) OTTAWA, Oct. 6.—The Aberdeens will not leave for British Columbia until to-morrow.

Lady Aberdeen's innovation of driving to and from the parliament buildings with the Governor-General yesterday was the subject of comment in the city.

It is unlikely that Hon. Mr. Laurier will be able to visit England this fall owing to the pressure of his official duties.

Sir C. H. Tupper will be in the city some days looking up the Behring Sea papers preparatory to taking up the sealers' case before the claims commission.

Lord Aberdeen's presence at Sir Charles Tupper's golden wedding is a gold snuff-box beautifully chased.

Six hundred Christian Endeavorers from all parts of Ontario and Quebec are holding a convention here.

Mr. Sontum, commercial agent of Canada in Sweden and Norway, strongly urges that efforts be made to place Canadian flour and other products in that country.

Mr. Earle and Hon. Mr. Prior will leave for home to-morrow. Mr. McInnes will be here for a few days. He has lost his little one, which was born since Mrs. McInnes and he came to Ottawa.

The Supreme court met to-day, taking up the Quebec cases first. Judgment in the fisheries reference will be given next Tuesday.

OTTAWA, Oct. 7.—It is reported that Hon. Clifford Sifton will come to Ottawa next Tuesday to be sworn in as Minister of the Interior. It is conceded that he will run for Brandon, and by arrangement he will be elected without opposition.

The compromise on the school question, it is said, has been whittled down to the concession of one hour a day for religious teaching, and with this the minority will have to be satisfied.

Assistant Clerk Rouleau, of the House of Commons, has been superannuated. Either Deputy Speaker Brodeur or Mr. Guay, M.P., will resign the position.

Sir Charles Tupper and Hon. Mr. Laurier had a conference last night with a view, it is said, to arranging a saw off of all the election protests.

The death sentence of O. Hanson, the Parry Sound murderer, has been commuted to life imprisonment.

The revision of the tariff, the chief item of business which the government is to tackle before the next meeting of parliament, will not be taken up for a month yet. Replies to circulars recently sent out by the department of trade and commerce are coming in fast and convey the information which the government was desirous of obtaining before they set about the task of revision.

BRITAIN AND RUSSIA. LONDON, Oct. 6.—A dispatch from Constantinople describes Stamboul as being in a state of siege. The precautions at night, it appears, are rigorous.

The fire engines are kept ready for work at a moment's notice, as the authorities are convinced the revolutionists are determined to set fire to the city. The Christians are in dread of an uprising of the mob and the respectable Mussulmans share in the feeling of anxiety for the Christians. It has been announced that the Turkish government has entered into negotiations with the Armenian revolutionary committee with a view of obtaining a cessation of dynamite outrages, the ports granting a general amnesty to Armenians and promising to carry out reforms throughout Asia Minor.

Little faith, however, is placed in Turkish promises. The Vienna correspondent of the Daily Mail declares the agreement of the powers for the settlement of the Turkish problem, which the correspondent announced last week he had good authority for publishing, includes the formation of an Armenian zone in the Turkish empire on the basis of the Jewish pale in Russia.

The powers guaranteeing the safety of the Armenians therein, in which gives the idea that the zone when organized may become the germ of a new Armenia state. The active co-operation of the correspondent proceeds to say, "will be undertaken by England, France and Russia, while Italy will co-operate if necessary. As far as England is concerned, the important part in the final settlement."

The Standard's Rome correspondent says that owing to government pressure the Sultan has consented that the Italian papers should enter Turkey. This correspondent also says the Duke of Serravallo, minister of foreign affairs, and Admiral Brim, minister of marine, after a conference last night, dispatched the barrette ship Humberto to Syria.

The Humberto is armed with 15,298 tons displacement. She carries four sixty-seven-ton guns, eight six-inch quick-firing guns and forty-seven guns of smaller calibre and eight torpedo tubes.

Sir Vernon Harcourt, Liberal leader in the House of Commons, speaking last night at Ebevale, expressed himself upon the Turkish question for the first time since the present conditions have developed. He called upon the government to grant security and protection to the Armenians. The Turkish government, he said, could never be reformed until it ceased to exist. But, he added, England could not act alone, because only a military occupation Turkey would avail to protect the Armenians. England must co-operate with Russia, the first step being to obliterate the Cyprus convention by which the island of Cyprus was ceded to Great Britain.

The Semi-Weekly Colonist leads.

THE APOSTOLIC DELEGATE.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6.—The last public mass in the United States conducted by Cardinal Satolli and the reception to him took place on Sunday. Monsignor Martinelli, the successor to Cardinal Satolli, was present at the mass. The new apostolic delegate is now in his 48th year, and is a brother of the late Cardinal Tommaso Maria Martinelli, spoken of as a likely candidate for the papacy previous to the conclave that elected Pope Leo XIII. For many years Archbishop Martinelli was a teacher in the college of the Irish Augustinians at Rome, and it was there that he learned the English language. It is said that he has twice declined the appointment of apostolic delegate to foreign countries tendered to him by Pope Leo, and it is his profound learning and diplomatic skill that has made him the successor of Cardinal Satolli.

Father Martinelli is large, handsome, and in the prime of life, of genial disposition, a noted linguist, brilliant conversationalist and a very clever business man. As prior-general of the Augustinians he has visited every convent of note in the world, and, possessing quick perception, he has thus gathered a fund of useful knowledge. The ecclesiastical career of the delegate has been eminently successful. He entered the church when fifteen years old, and during the first years of his novitiate was employed in teaching. In this position he proved very capable. In after years this experience was of much use to him, as shown in the manner in which he controlled the members of his order.

He was born in the historic town of Lucca, Tuscany, forty-eight years ago this month. He comes of the Bardinelli family, which for centuries occupied one of the dingy palaces of the Tuscan village. His father was a firm believer in the theory of temporal sovereignty for the pope, and when this failed his three sons entered the church in preference to living under a temporal sovereign. One became a cardinal, another holds a high office among the Augustinians and the third has just been appointed apostolic delegate to America.

WESTMINSTER'S FAIR.

Formal Opening—Lieut.-Governor's Address—Reminiscences and Hopeful Anticipations.

Exhibits Ahead of Last Year—Victorians Are Large Prize Winners.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Oct. 7.—(Special)—Westminster's ninth industrial and agricultural exhibition was opened to-day by Lieutenant-Governor Dewdney, the Boys' Brigade being detailed as a guard of honor to His Honor. The official procession marched from the city in the morning, followed by a large crowd which assembled in front of the agricultural hall, when President Trapp formally introduced His Honor. Mr. Trapp spoke of the propitious weather and excellence of the show. The splendid display of stock was referred to as ahead of other years. The agricultural exhibition was good, while the industrial display was up to the mark and exceptionally good in some lines.

In regard to Lieut.-Governor Dewdney, Mr. Trapp said His Honor was particularly an old friend, having helped to clear the townsite of Westminster. The Lieutenant-Governor referred to being a Westminster pioneer. He stated that two years ago, during the great flood, he had prophesied that, owing to the sturdy worth of the Fraser valley farmers they would soon recover from the effects of that disaster, and what he had seen of the exhibits to-day proved his words. He hoped the delegation which had gone to Ottawa to appeal to the government would be able to move the government to some good. His Honor said that, like others, he had for years been waiting for something to turn up. Now something had turned up. He referred to the mines which were rapidly bringing population and capital into the country. He hoped to see a railroad soon from the coast to South Kootenay, enabling travellers to reach Rossland in twenty-four hours. Our mines were making us prominent before the world. In London, England, in every corner and in every stock office British Columbia was spoken of. He spoke of British Columbia as having taken her place as the banner province of the Dominion, and referred to the splendid future that lay before Westminster, which had as good mines in the district as any in British Columbia. After thanking the guard of honor, whom he complimented on their appearance, His Honor formally declared the exhibition open.

A hurried survey by the Colonist reporter amply proved that the eulogies of President Trapp and the Lieut.-Governor were well earned. The display of stock is strikingly good, Victoria exhibits being prominent as prize winners. The poultry exhibit was the best of the year, while the dog show was fully up to the mark, there being some 20 crack prize winners from Victoria.

Among the industrial exhibits Okell & Morris, Smith Bros., Drackman & Ker and the Albion Iron Works were the main exhibitors, their displays being universally admired. The magnificent collection of flowers by G. A. McTavish was a feature of this department. In every other department Victoria led a prominent display and took many first places.

GOLD FROM AUSTRALIA. New York, Oct. 6.—Messrs. J. & W. Seligman will receive through their San Francisco correspondents, the Anglo-California bank, about \$2,500,000 in gold from Australia, due to arrive in San Francisco on October 22.

TORONTO, Oct. 6.—(Special)—The Board of Trade has received communications from the B.C. Board of Trade inviting suggestions concerning the best means of improving existing methods of capitalization and floating companies generally and advancing mining properties.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE

Duke of York Hydraulic Mining Co.—Sporting on Vancouver Island.

Mining in the Vicinity of Nelson and Kaslo—Strike on the Bluebird.

(Special to the Colonist.)

NANAIMO. NANAIMO, Oct. 7.—Duncan Stewart was struck on the hip in the Protection shaft on Monday evening with a loaded box and received an injury that will confine him to his bed for some time. Joseph Nankerville, a miner, also working in the Protection Island shaft, was very seriously injured yesterday morning by the falling of a quantity of sandstone on his back.

Grand Recorder E. Church and Grand Recorder J. T. McInroy, of the A. O. U. W., will visit Nanaimo lodge No. 4 on Thursday evening.

From all along the E. & N. railway line come reports of excellent sporting with a great variety of game, and a Shewan lake Mr. James Mansell shot a large brace brant, while at Chemainus some brave Nimrod shot T. O. Conway's George, and the Clongair and the plentiful, hunters bringing in large numbers.

Mr. G. A. Kirk, secretary of the Duke of York Hydraulic Mining Company, left by the stage for Alberni yesterday. It was expected that the Duke of York would be made on Thursday. The monitors have been working most of the time since last month's clean-up. The work has been principally on the river bed, and though the washing has not been done where the coarsest gold could be caught, the management are confident of a satisfactory result. Work with the monitors will be resumed immediately after the clean-up has been made.

NELSON. (From the Nelson Tribune.) W. D. McVicar, who has been operating the Forty-Nine creek hydraulic property, has made a success of the present season's work, and will probably work the ground on a more extensive scale next year.

The company operating the Trail smelter has purchased an electric light plant from the Canadian General Electric Company, including a 1,000-light alternating dynamo, transformers for 500 lights, and a 15-horse power engine. The company will go into the commercial lighting business.

The Idaho mines paid another \$30,000 dividend this week, and the announcement is made that regular monthly dividends of from \$15,000 to \$20,000 may be expected. These mines have paid over \$60,000 in dividends heretofore.

The Hall Mines company has placed an order with J. D. Sward, representative of the Dominion Wire Rope Company, of Montreal, for 50,000 feet of 1-inch steel wire rope, about nine and a half miles, for the new tramway.

S. N. Bodge, of Harvey, has made a good haul on a new vein, about five miles from his place, on the Columbia river, and about 12 miles west from Colville. The ledge in which the metal exists is about four feet in width.

The Box, Triangle and Liddesdale claims in the Brennan or Liddesdale river, and about 12 miles west from Colville. The ledge in which the metal exists is about four feet in width.

The Black Jack hydraulic claim has just completed the clean-up for the season. The yield has been a surprise, they having cleaned up two hundred ounces. They have struck a back channel in the hill, and it has proved to be rich, all through the gravel, and the operators are well pleased with their new find.

All the hydraulic claims in this part of the district sent in more favorable reports this season than they have done for years. Most of the claims are just getting in good shapers to work, they are reaching bedrock; consequently, they are getting more gold.

SANDON. (From the Paystreak.) Ore has been struck in the lower tunnel of the new workings on the Surprise.

Peter Le Clair, of Tacoma, has bonded the Mascot and an adjoining claim. The bond is for \$10,000.

The Rabbit Paw, a fractional claim adjoining the Slocan Star on the west has been purchased by M. L. Grimmer, R. T. Riley, of Winnipeg, and others. A company with a million dollars capital, with headquarters at Sandon, will be formed under the name of the Star Mining and Milling Company.

A test of the waterworks system of Sandon was made last Thursday in the presence of members of the Winnipeg board of trade, and proved very satisfactory.

The Queen Bees is shipping 60 tons of ore to Tacoma this week. Work is being pushed on rapidly in the Reed and Tenderfoot. About 10 or 15 tons of ore are already on the dump.

ARRESTED DYNAMITERS. BULOANE, Oct. 6.—A report cabled here from New York that P. J. Tynan had been released from prison is denied by the prison officials. They state that Tynan is still in prison and that the local authorities have received no orders to release him. The prison where Tynan is confined is being closely guarded. It is believed Tynan is kept as a sort of hostage during the Czar's visit in France, and that he will be extradited to England should any untoward event happen.

TORONTO, Oct. 6.—The police here refuse to say whether Kearney and Haynes, arrested here on suspicion of implication in a dynamite plot, were conducted. They were taken to the court, but the police have been ordered to maintain secrecy as to their whereabouts.

TORONTO, Oct. 6.—The directors of the Toronto General Trusts Company have decided to prevent Hon. Edward Blake, who has just resigned the presidency of the company, with a portrait of himself, with a view to its being placed in the provincial legislative assembly hall to commemorate the fact of his having for some years occupied a seat there as the second premier of the province.

STAFFORD, Oct. 6.—William Hanna, of Elma township, farmer, was thrown from his horse, which was running away, and fatally injured.

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FURTHER COMPLIATIONS.

CONSTANTINOPLE VIA SOFIA, Oct. 7.—The Turkish government has sent a circular to the different embassies demanding the right to search foreign vessels passing Constantinople for Armenians. It is believed the powers will not accede to this request, as up to the present Armenians who sought refuge on board British or French vessels have been protected by the guardships here until the vessels on which they sought refuge sailed for their destination.

It was semi-officially announced here to-day that the Turkish government have come to the decision not to admit the United States warship Bancroft through the Dardanelles, and therefore she will not be able to act as guardship to the United States legation in these waters. The Porte, it is said, also decided not to admit the guardships of Greece and Holland. The U.S. government is not known to have presented, through Minister Terrell, a formal demand for the passage of the Bancroft or any other warship.

It is known in official circles here that Russia objected to the presence in the Bosphorus of the United States, Greek or Dutch guardships. The objections to extra guardships here are said, according to general report, to be based on the Berlin agreement, which excludes from naval representation in the Bosphorus any powers not a party to that agreement. It is believed Mr. Terrell about a month ago sent an urgent request to Washington for a war vessel. It is further intimated that the United States will insist, by force if necessary, upon the presence of the Bancroft in the Bosphorus, taking the guardship at Crete and a step would not be an unfriendly act to Turkey in view of all the circumstances, and that the protection of lives and property of American citizens made it necessary.

Advices from the Island of Crete state that the entire population of the interior is still under arms and the leaders have announced that they will renew hostilities unless the Turkish garrisons are withdrawn from Crete. This has caused a renewal of the excitement and the situation has once more assumed a threatening attitude. It is believed the Turkish government will insist upon maintaining its garrison at Crete and will have the support of the powers, who recently arranged what was looked upon as a settlement of the Cretan difficulty by compelling the Porte to grant nearly all the reforms demanded by the insurgents and giving them a sort of local self-government, which was looked upon as satisfactory to the insurgent leaders. This fresh demonstration in Crete will, in all probability, bring about further trouble and postpone again a definite settlement of the Eastern question.

All or Nothing. The driver of a stage, that was rolling down the mountains as fast as six mules on the gallop could keep ahead of it, may have noted that I was (says an American writer) a little nervous, for after a bit he soothingly said—

"No use to grip that railing so mighty hard, stranger. We shan't come to the danger 'till far half an hour yet."

"Then it's ahead?" "I queried." "Yes, three miles ahead, and I may say fur you benefit that hangin' on won't do any pertickler good."

"But I don't want to slide off!" "And you won't!" "If anything goes it'll be mewis and coach, and the hull caboodle altogether, and as the drop is plump 800 feet you won't hev no use for arnica or stickin' salve afterwards."

MONTREAL, Oct. 6.—The choir of St. George's Episcopal church went on strike yesterday. The strike was brought about by the decision of the church wardens not to buy a new organ.