

PROVINCES TO SE- MENT IN ROADS

Mr. Reid's Criticism, That Pro-
rude, is Right, But Declares
at Another Session—Dr.
ment's Discomfiture in His
result.

It was generally believed that the
government had hurriedly presented this
bill in its imperfect form to the house in
order to make campaign material for the
forthcoming election. (Liberal
hears.) The ministers who had cam-
paigning in that riding had laid great stress
upon the amendment and they had secured an
answer to that method of campaigning. (Renewed
liberal applause.)

"The premier," added Dr. Pugsley, "ad-
vised that the bill should be presented to the
provinces at first in the amendment of the
Liberal leader. Why then does he not
now put them in?" It was silly for Mr.
Macdonald, Pictou, pointed out that the
bill was to talk about obstruction. Why
did he not adopt the amendment he re-
quired should have been incorporated in
the bill, and proceed with the legislation?
Mr. Lennox thought the amendment
should be made according to the require-
ments of the various provinces, rather
than upon their population, while Mr.
Macdonald, Pictou, pointed out that the
provinces were now spending a consider-
able portion of their respective subsidies
on road improvement, and the proposal of
the amendment would accordingly meet
with their approval.

After some further discussion the
amendment was declared lost on division,
and the house went into committee on the
bill.

"Black Eye" to the Government
The Liberals in parliament are full of
gusto. The election of Mr. Graham in South
New Brunswick was the only thing anyone in
the room would talk about, while in
committee on the bill, the chief concern of
the Liberals was the "black eye" which the
government had been suffering from the
election of Graham in South New Brun-
swick.

However, there were some Conservatives
who would talk about the election. They
declare that a monumental blunder was
made by the government leaders.

It is quite upon the cards that Mr. Wil-
son will lead the Liberals through the
general election. He certainly will if
the government follows its present inten-
tion of bringing on a general election im-
mediately after redistribution, which will
mean that the people will be called upon
to vote in a little more than a year.

Hon. Geo. Graham's majority stands at
approximately 286, with four polls to hear
him.

Doctor Reid, say the Conservatives
to talk, was mainly responsible for this
result. He was the only one who did not
support the government's proposal.

There is a good deal of dissatisfaction
with the result of the election in the
ranks of the party on the table in a most
suspicious fashion when he declared that
the election of Graham would be a black
eye for the government. It is recognized
that the statement was an indiscretion,
but the general opinion is that Mr.
Reid made it deliberately for the purpose
of calling attention to the blunder by
the government.

The Liberal members at Ottawa, from
Mr. Wilfrid Laurier, regard the opposition
of Mr. Graham as a distinct breach of
faith with the government and its fol-
lowers participated from Premier Borden,
with a few exceptions. Several Con-
servative members declined to go into the
subject, but almost all the ministers were
present.

The session will close in a lively fash-
ion. The Liberals feel that they have
made a distinct gain and intend to empha-
size the fact that they were not killed
in the election. There will be a fight on every
possible occasion, and Finance Minister
White is likely to have a far more lively
session with his budget than they have
seen the case had Graham been beaten.

Mr. Wilfrid Laurier will continue as the
leader of the Liberal party and Hon. Mr.
Graham will, naturally, in place of
him as his chief adviser.

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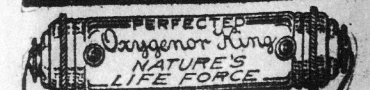
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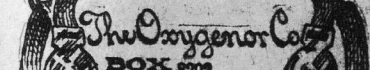
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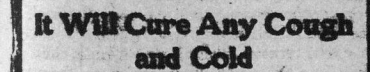


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S. KERR, Principal
Died After Speech
(Chatham World)

A telegram received from Bay du Vin
conveys the intelligence that William Mc-
Donald died suddenly in the Temperance
Hall at Bay du Vin on Sunday evening.
The monthly meeting of the Bay du Vin
Division of the Sons of Temperance was
being held, and Mr. McDonald had ad-
dressed the members. Soon after ending
his remarks he died in his seat. He was
in his 80th year. He was visiting his
son, James, at Chatham. He was survived
by one son, Wesley of Richibucto. His
home is at Richibucto, but about a month
ago he came to Bay du Vin from Amherst
where he had been visiting his uncle.

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MARINE JOURNAL

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Arrived.

Wednesday, Feb. 22.
Stmr Cape Breton, 1,100, McDonald,
Louisburg, Dominion Coal Co.

Coastwise—Stmr Bear River, 70, Wood-
worth, Bear River; schr Margaret, 49,
Simonds, St. Andrews.

Friday, Feb. 23.
Stmr Mount Temple, 6,081, Moore, London
and Antwerp, C. P. R. (Put to sea from
Island Wednesday night).

Stmr Manchester Commerce, 3,444, Couch,
Manchester via Halifax, Wm Thomson &
Co. (Out to sea from Island Wednesday
night).

Stmr Inishowen Head, 1,088, Pichford, Port
Talbot, Wm Thomson & Co. (Not pre-
viously).

Stmr Langan, 2,693, Paterson, Louisburg,
Dominion Coal Co. (Put to sea from Is-
land Wednesday night).

Sunday, Feb. 25.
Stmr Manchester Exchange, 2,649, Adam-
son, Manchester direct, Wm Thomson &
Co.

Stmr Melville, 2,872, Keene, Birkenhead,
J. T. Knight & Co.

Cleared.

Wednesday, Feb. 22.
Stmr Empress of Ireland, 8,028, Foster,
Liverpool via Halifax, C. P. R.

Coastwise—Stmr Bear River, 70, Wood-
worth, Digby.

Friday, Feb. 23.
Stmr Hesperian, 6,317, Main, Liverpool via
Halifax, Wm Thomson & Co.

Sailed.

Friday, Feb. 23.
Stmr Pomeranian, 2,700, Hains, Havre di-
rect.

Stmr Rhodesian, 2,055, Foster, West India
via Halifax.

Stmr Bengore Head, 1,619, Kane, Dublin
direct.

Stmr Empress of Ireland, 8,028, Foster,
Liverpool via Halifax.

Saturday, Feb. 24.
Stmr Hesperian, 6,317, Main, Liverpool via
Halifax.

CANADIAN PORTS.

Liverpool, N. S. Feb. 17—Cld, schr Alcega,
New York.

Louisburg, Feb. 18, 6 a.m.—Steamer, stmr
Malmstadt, Boston.

Louisburg, Feb. 19—In port, schr Laura,
for Cuba.

Louisburg, Feb. 25—Arrd, stmr Tunisian,
from Liverpool (and sailed for St. John); La-
lamme Oil Tank (Dutch), from Antwerp
(put in for coal); Thyra (Nor), from Lon-
don; bound for New York.

Sid—Stmr Empress of Ireland, for Liver-
pool.

BRITISH PORTS.

London, Feb. 22—Arrd, stmr Sardinian, St.
John.

Liverpool, Feb. 22—Sld, stmr Grampian,
Halifax and St. John.

Lizard, Feb. 20—Passed, stmr Rappahan-
nock, St. John and Halifax for London.

Queensdown, Feb. 23—Arrd, schr Baltic,
New York.

Liverpool, Feb. 23—Sld, stmr Empress of
Britain, Halifax and St. John.

Glasgow, Feb. 21—Steamer 22nd, schr Sals-
ta, Black, Sydney (O. B.).

Turks Island, about Feb. 18—In port, schr
H. R. Silver, loading for Lunenburg.

Southampton, Feb. 25—Arrd, schr St. Louis,
New York.

Main Head, Feb. 25—Signalled, schr Cas-
andra, St. John.

Brow Head, Feb. 25—Passed, schr Cori-
can, St. John and Halifax; Manchester
Shipper, St. John and Halifax.

FOREIGN PORTS.

New York, Feb. 22—Arrd, stmr St. Paul,
Southampton; George, Washington,
Bremen.

Boston, Feb. 22—Arrd, stmr Ivernia, Liver-
pool.

Portsmouth, N. H., Feb. 22—Arrd, barken-
ter Hector, St. John.

Boston, Feb. 20—Arrd, stmr Edda, Macoris
(S. D.).

Mobile, Ala., Feb. 30—Arrd, schr Gypsum
Empress, Chesapeake.

Pasadena, Miss., Feb. 20—Arrd, schr J.
L. Nelson, Publicover, Georgetown Dem.

Boston, Feb. 10—Arrd, schr Henry
J. Smith, Moore, Halifax.

Valencia, Feb. 2—Arrd, schr Sidney Smith,
St. John's (N. H.) via Malaga.

ROOSEVELT SHIES "HAT IN THE RING"

Announces He is a
Candidate

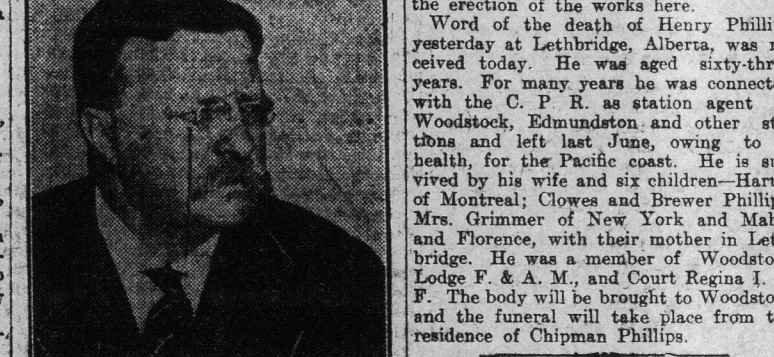
Declares in Letter That
He is in the People's
Hands

Must Sink Any Personal Wishes
if the Call is Clear—Pre-
fers Direct Primaries to
Elect Delegates to Repub-
lican Convention.

New York, Feb. 25—"I will accept the
nomination for president if it is tendered
me, and I will adhere to this decision un-
til the convention has expressed its pre-
ference," is Colonel Theodore Roosevelt's
reply to the letter of seven Republican
governors asking him to stand for nomi-
nation. The much awaited reply was given

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The body will be brought to Woodstock
and a funeral will take place from the
residence of Chipman Phillips.



BARE MAJORITY FOR CHURCH UNION IN FREDERICTON

City Was Against It But Out-
side Presbyterian Congre-
gations Saved the Day—
Other News of the Capital.

Fredericton, Feb. 25—The result of the
voting of St. Paul's Presbyterian congrega-
tion, which was held on Saturday evening
last, was a bare majority in favor of the
union of the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congrega-
tional bodies and on the basis of union, was
announced today. The total number vot-
ing was 377.

The Presbyterian section of congregation went
against both union and the basis. New
York and Hanwell section went for
both. The majority for union in the
whole congregation was four and for the
basis seven. Details follow: For union,
192; against union, 181; for the basis, 148;
against the basis, 145.

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FROM ALL OVER THE MARITIME PROVINCES

(Continued from page 5.)

bucto) arrived in Salisbury on Thursday
morning, and the day has been spent with
the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Dixon
Baird. The young couple were accompa-
nied from Richibucto by the groom's
mother, who was in Richibucto
attending the marriage.

Mr. Haywood, of Cheryville, who was
seriously injured by a falling tree some
weeks ago and whose recovery was con-
sidered very doubtful, is coming around all
right.

A large driving party from Steeves Set-
tlement, chaperoned by C. A. Steeves, spent
Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs.
James McWilliams at this place. Quite a
number of the village folk were also pre-
sent and all enjoyed a very pleasant even-
ing.

Westfield, Feb. 22—Mr. Smith, of Jeru-
salem (N. B.), was the guest of his daugh-
ter, Mrs. R. Peet, last week.

Mr. Humphrey is quite ill at his home.
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stephens were the
guests of Mrs. Stephenson's parents,
Mr. and Mrs. W. Craig, Public Landing,
Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Craig, who have
been quite ill.

Mr. Sull, of Welsford, visited his
daughter, Mrs. Fred Stephenson, Sunday.
Frank Withers and Stanley Slocum, of
St. John, were guests of Mrs. J. F.
Chey, of Welsford.

A very enjoyable parlor concert was given
Monday evening at the home of Mrs.
Woodman, in aid of the church funds.
During the evening vocal solos were ren-
dered by Mrs. A. B. Murray, Miss Edith
Piano, Miss Grace Cheyne and others. A
piano duet by Mrs. Woodman and Miss
Piano, and a vocal solo by Rev. A. B.
Murray, were greatly enjoyed.

Mr. A. F. Watters is quite ill at her
home. Richard Cosman is visiting his par-

ents, Rev. L. A. and Mrs. Cosman, for a
few days.

Miss Grace Lingley, who was quite ill
for a few days is convalescent.

Mr. Eddie, of Bathurst, is the guest of
Mrs. J. F. Cheyne.

Mr. R. Redd, of Gagetown, visited
friends here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Burden, of Boston,
arrived Wednesday to stay a few days at
their summer residence.

WOODSTOCK TO BE DIVISIONAL POINT OF VALLEY ROAD

Town to Buy Trotting Park as
a Gift to Company for Car
Works Site—Death of Henry
Phillips.

Woodstock, N. B., Feb. 24—At a special
meeting of the town council last even-
ing, it was decided that Woodstock will
be made a divisional point for the St. John
& Quebec Railway and after the purchase
and gift of the trotting park land to the
company by the town, if the head engine-
er, Rose Thompson, cannot obtain the
car works for Woodstock, a clause in the
deed provides that the land will revert
to the town. The company will have the
entire trotting park land and Agri-
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HARCOURT

Harcourt, Feb. 23—Miss Ella Snider, of
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Ella Ward, Mortimore.

Mr. and Mrs. David Bowser entertained
a number of friends very pleasantly at
dinner on Thursday evening last for the
pleasure of their daughter, Miss Sadie
Bowser, who left the following day for
Medford (Mass.) to attend school.

Miss Dorothy Dunn, a student of Aber-
deen High school, spent the weekend at
her home here.

W. W. F. was taken to the Moncton
hospital on Friday for medical treatment,
and was successfully operated upon on Sat-
urday. Miss Bernice Pride accompanied
her father to Moncton.

Miss Agnes Cell spent a few days recent-
ly with her sister, Mrs. Ernest McWil-
liam.

Rev. Mr. Miller, of Bath River, preached
very acceptably in the Presbyterian church,
on Sunday evening last, applying for Rev.
R. H. Staver, who is absent in Toronto.

HAMPSTEAD

Hampstead, N. B., Feb. 22—Rev. D.
Patterson has organized a mission band
in Hampstead. He is also holding a week-
ly Sunday school review service in Wood-
ville Hall on Tuesday evenings, which is
largely attended and greatly enjoyed by
the members of the Sunday school.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Rose and family were
guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Slipp on
Wednesday last.

C. H. Wason, of St. John, spent Sun-
day in Hampstead with his family.