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Tariff Viewed Loyal, Not Politically... Canadians All Oppose U. S. Competition

President George, in Address to C. M. A., Declares That Protection is Unanimously Wanted and Day for Reciprocity Ajar Off—Canada's Foreign Trade Discouraging, Thru Large Decrease in Agricultural Products.

Quebec, Sept. 18.—(Special.)—The Canadian Manufacturers' Association 24th annual meeting opened in the city hall this afternoon, W. K. George, president, in the chair. There was a good attendance. The chairman said that with most speeches as they would be likely to occur at the evening meeting. He thanked the City of Quebec, the mayor and officials for supplying such a meeting place.

George Booth, treasurer, presented his report, showing membership of 1574, an increase of 375. A surplus of \$2500 was shown. A discussion along the line suggested by Mr. Booth, of increasing the membership fees from \$10 to \$15 ensued.

J. W. Pigott thought there was strength in the membership. A serious struggle was facing manufacturers. Labor was better organized than ever and he would not like to do anything that would limit the membership.

A. W. Thomas (Toronto) suggested a contingent fund for "contingencies" to be available for special occasions. This suggestion did not appear to meet with favor and a motion to refer to a committee was lost.

The treasurer's report was adopted. E. J. Young, secretary, read his annual report. He suggested the appointment of a committee to study the tariff and also the report of the parliamentary committee.

The city hall was handsomely decorated this evening, the occasion being the reception of the historic Quebec citizens. G. A. Vandry, president of the Quebec Section, also read an address of welcome. Mr. George, president of the C. M. A., responded, replying at length, and at the conclusion of his address supper was served. The banquet was a most successful and pleasant affair.

W. K. George, president, delivered an address when he arose to deliver the president's address. He referred to the present tariff in terms of "a tariff of protection." All Canadians rejoiced to see the people of Great Britain and of France and the United States, and he pointed to the "entente cordiale" which should be an all-powerful influence for good in the world.

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FIREMAN THOMAS WORRELL'S KILLED Cause of Unionism In Spite of Opposition Steady in its Advance

At Early Morning Blaze at Brown Milling Company Elevator at Foot of Princess Street He is Caught Beneath Falling Floor—Firemen Sargent, Fox and Robinson Have Narrow Escape—Loss by Fire Will Reach \$200,000.

10,000 Barrels of Flour and 300,000 Bushels of Wheat Burned. One fireman under a blazing pile of debris and watered flour, another fireman seriously injured, and about \$200,000 loss was the outcome of an early morning fire in the Brown Milling Company, with premises at the foot of Princess-street, within 10 minutes after the outbreak of the fire the main floor of the four building fell and buried the four firemen.

It would like you to try and picture to yourselves the future which lies before this Canada of ours. I feel how impotent my words are to paint the picture which my mind contains. But think of what our possibilities are. Our area so vast that many of the great empires of the world today would be lost in it. Our soil so fertile, and our natural resources almost inexhaustible.

LEGAL TALENT KEEPS FROM JAIL JEROME EXPECTS OFFICIALS SAFE. District Attorney Says Insurance Companies Have Not Violated Letter of Law Committing "Moral Crime"—Will Read Perkins' Evidence Thoroughly.

Thomas Worrell, a fireman of the Ottawa Fire Department, was killed at an early morning blaze at the foot of Princess-street, where a fire broke out in the Brown Milling Company elevator. The fire was caused by a short circuit in the elevator machinery.

Some Twenty-Five Buildings Destroyed—Loss May Be \$500,000. Seattle, Wash., Sept. 18.—Sixty buildings were destroyed by fire at Nome, Alaska, on the night of Sept. 13, causing a loss of \$500,000, according to reports received to-day.

WOMAN'S ART EXHIBITION. The Women's Art Association of Canada's handicrafts exhibition is being held in the Confederation Life Building, and is in point of variety and excellence far in advance of any hitherto held. From the Province of Quebec and the Maritime Provinces the showing is remarkably good.

FINED \$5 FOR ASSAULT. ITALIAN GETS OFF EASILY. Marco Renzetti, the Italian who was arrested on the charge of grievously assaulting his brother in a family row, was before Judge Morgan yesterday. Mr. Renzetti pleaded guilty to the charge and was fined \$5.

WRECK AT BERLIN. Paris, Sept. 18.—(Special.)—Thru a misplaced switch, a caboose and one freight car of the G.R.F. were thrown from the track at Princess-street to-night. No one was injured, but the traffic was delayed for an hour or more.

MAYOR ACCUSES TRUSTEES. Says That One of Chatham School Board is a Ward Heeler. Chatham, Sept. 18.—(Special.)—At the meeting of the Chatham City Council this evening Mayor Cowan severely rebuked the public school board of the city. Some weeks ago, when the mayor had attempted to criticize the recent report of the school board, some of the members of the latter made sarcastic remarks about his statements.

OFFER NOT MADE. Victoria, B.C., Sept. 18.—(Special.)—Sir Thomas Shaughnessy and party are here. They have plans for the opening up of the Similkameen country. He makes a denial of the \$70,000,000 offer for Northwest lands.

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GIVES GRAND TRUNK CHANGE FOR THRU LINE TO OTTAWA. Construction of K. S. F. & O. Ry. Hangs Fire Until Federal Bonus is Forthcoming.

Kingston, Sept. 18.—(Special.)—This city is the centre of activity for the proposed Kingston, Smith Falls and Ottawa Railway, and the one who is pushing it in the face of much opposition is Mr. J. W. Langton of Ottawa. He has been successful in securing the support of the municipalities between here and Ottawa.

It is my privilege, said he, to extend a welcome in the home of organized labor, in a temple dedicated to the emancipation of a perverted civilization that has evolved a condition of society that gives advantage to the few to the detriment of the many.

At present the Grand Trunk runs thru Kingston Junction, one and a half miles from the city, and has a suburban street connection. The city has been urged the company to run their line direct thru the city, and this is likely to be done if the company secures a road.

Five Wagon Loads of Armenian Refugees Attacked and Most of Them Slain. Tiflis, Sept. 18.—Gen. Shirinkin, commander of the troops, to-day received a telegram from the officials of the copper works at Elizabetopol, requesting him to send Cossacks to the district.

SNOW IN COLORADO. Cripple Creek, Colo., Sept. 18.—Several inches of snow fell to-day. The snowfall was preceded by a wind that blew down several buildings, including a large ice house.

GOLDEN TIDE TO GOTHAM. Paris, Sept. 18.—The turn of the tide of gold towards New York is exciting the attention of bankers and other financial interests, who say that this reversal of the gold tide, which has been abnormally reversed for the last two years, partly owing to the war in the far east.

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