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HOT MEETINGS AFTER THE CITY NOMINATIONS

The Clique of Liberal Heelers Tried to Put Down Mr. Brock in Centre Toronto, But They Failed.

Two Supporters of Tarte Running Against Mr. A. E. Kemp in East Toronto—The Gatherings in West York and West Toronto.

Mr. A. E. Kemp and the other Conservative speakers at the East Toronto nomination yesterday were wildly cheered and applauded, while Mr. Anderson and his aides were hooted, yelled and cried down.

The nominations took place in Gaister's Hall at the corner of King and Sherbourne-streets, and were received by the returning officer, Mr. Alex. Wheeler. Exactly at 12 o'clock Mr. Kemp, Mr. Anderson and Mr. Andrew McFarren, an independent candidate, arrived at the hall, and in the presence of a small number, put up the necessary guarantee, and were duly nominated. The candidates then retired, while a few voters waited around until the time limit had expired.

Those who signed Mr. Kemp's nomination were: J Ross Robertson, E Coatsworth, jr, Alex Dixon, J W Flavelle, Charles Pearson, W N Eastwood, Dr R A Pyne, M L A, R D Neville, John E Winnett, H C Hocken E P Roden, E P Pearson, R R Davis, Joseph E Thompson, J B Le Roy, T E Washington, John Wickett, Ed Metcalf, Wm M Fitzgerald, Lewis Brown, John Mills, John H Lennox, C A B Brown, Henry M Pellatt, Ald E Strachan Cox, Thomas R Whiteside, George Stagg, P Hynes, A R Clarke, John Hewett, J Noble, Robt Defries, Joseph Cadwet, Walter Sterling, W H Gibbs, Dr A R Pyne, J E Hansford, A E Clemes, R B Rice, Geo A Kingston, J S Williams, C W J Woodland, Charles Q Norris, Thomas W Seir, Ald Lamb, E B Dewey.

The Candidates' Meeting.

About 2 o'clock Mr. Kemp, in company with Dr. Pyne, M.L.A., Mr. Emerson Coatsworth and Mr. R. S. Neville, entered the hall amidst the greatest of enthusiasm and cheering. Shortly after their arrival Mr. Anderson and Hon. S. C. Biggs made their appearance, but there was not the semblance of a cheer.

At 2 o'clock Mr. Wheeler declared the nominations closed, whereupon Mr. Kemp moved, and Mr. Anderson seconded, a resolution that the returning officer take the chair.

Grits Endorse McFarren.

Mr. Wheeler had had the pleasure of listening to the addresses of both the Conservative and Liberal candidates during this campaign, and he assured the audience that both speakers would prove interesting. As for Mr. McFarren, the speaker thought that the independent candidate was endowed with about as much common sense as any other person.

Mr. Kemp is Cheered.

When Mr. Kemp made his bow to the audience the hall was filled to the doors with people who cheered lustily for their man. After the cheering had subsided, Mr. Kemp explained that the people to-day were a jury who were judging a government, which had been entrusted with power four years ago. In 1896, said Mr. Kemp, the Liberal Government had a platform which was widely published throuot the country, and every person was made aware of what the Government intended to do. They intended to change the protection policy, but on coming into power they simply tried out the National Policy, the best policy for the country. [Cheers.] This policy was one that would keep the aggressive Americans in their proper place and would not permit them to send their goods into this country, and so destroy the benefits of the Canadian people. He next took up the cry of the Government for purity in elections.

A voice: "It is a farce."

Purity of Elections.

In this connection Mr. Kemp asked if there was purity in elections at Brockville and West Huron. In Ontario, said the speaker, the machine was so humane that one of the party had referred to it as "hug the machine." The man who made this expression, W. T. R. Preston, was now over in England occupying a big position, the gift of Canada's Government. A commission had been appointed to enquire into election frauds, but the investigation closed before the trial was completed. It was promised that on Parliament reassembling the investigation would be continued, but, said Mr. Kemp, nothing will be disclosed until the elections are over. The Commission was appointed owing, said the speaker, to the demands made by Mr. Osler. The speaker then dwelt upon the promise of the Government for strict economy in public affairs. While the revenue of the country had increased, the debt had increased by $7,000,000. In referring to the pledge made by the Liberals that a fast Atlantic service would be established, Mr. Kemp told of a trip he made to England, on which occasion he enquired about the ships the Government intended to place on the route. These ships, said Mr. Kemp, were called "bottle-nosers" over in England; the proposition was laughed at by the people, who declared that the boats would be dangerous.

No Fast Service in Sight.

With the Laurier Government in power, there would never be a fast Atlantic service. After reviewing all the broken promises of the Government, Mr. Kemp declared that the Liberals to-day were without a policy. They had betrayed the trust of the people, and in doing so had not acted in a manly manner toward the people. [Cheers.] The speaker believed that it was the opinion of the Government to go before the people without a policy. The Liberal candidate in East Toronto was not dealing with the questions of the day in his campaign. The speaker had a sacred duty to perform, and promised to do his best, both for the city and the country.

Toronto's Harbor Improvements.

He regretted that no efforts had ever been made to improve Toronto harbor, and the report that was prepared on this work had, he thought, been pigeonholed. Mr. Kemp did not believe in buying up constituencies by promising public works, but he felt that Toronto in the past had been badly treated. All other cities were alive to their own interests, and so should Toronto. [Cheers.] Mr. Kemp promised, if returned, to find out why Toronto did not get some money for improvements. The sum of $75,000 had been placed in the estimates for diverting the Don River, but $25,000 had been deducted from this amount, and the work was still left undone. He asked the audience that Mr. Anderson be given a good hearing, and that harmony prevail.

Mr. Tarte's Crop.

If Mr. Tarte be allowed to continue to sow the seeds of discord in Quebec, there will, said the speaker, be an unpleasant harvest to reap. Mr. Kemp placed a list of the broken pledges of the Government on the table, and on retiring asked that Mr. Anderson take them up for discussion. When Mr. Kemp took his seat the audience rose and cheered heartily for several minutes.

Mr. Anderson Follows.

Mr. Anderson was well received. His first remark was that he would have a lot to do if he discussed the questions suggested by Mr. Kemp. [Cries of "You can't!" and "You could not be elected alderman!"] Mr. Anderson managed to tell the audience that he would discuss the leading issues. This remark was followed by figures going to show, said Mr. Anderson, that the Laurier Administration is a good Government. He referred to the conditions which existed under the Conservative rule, and the prosperous times under the Laurier regime. "We," he said, "set the pace for the old Conservatives." He here attacked E. F. Clarke for the latter voting against preferential trade in the House of Commons in 1898, and asked, "What do you think of him?" [A voice: He's all right.] "Any Government that won't legislate for the interests of the people whether Conservative or Reform, is no good," said Mr. Anderson. Here there was a great interruption, and Dr. Dewart, jumping to his feet, exclaimed: "Any man who interrupts is afraid of hearing the truth." This was followed by cries of "Give us your policy, Mr. Anderson." The Liberal candidate then told a story, trying to illustrate his point, that the Conservative policy was a twisted policy, but the cries continued to come from the audience of "Give us your policy."

To His Opponent's Rescue.

Mr. Kemp here came to Mr. Anderson's rescue, and pleaded that attention be given to the speaker's address, and for the audience to refrain from interrupting. Continuing, Mr. Anderson declared that the Liberal party was not afraid of the Drummond County Railway deal, and then he branched out to explain how the revenue had increased during the Liberal regime. He praised the Government for removing the quarantine restrictions, and then paid a tribute to Postmaster General Mulock for establishing a two-cent postage system throuot the British Empire. Again he was interrupted by a man crying out: "Mulock cut down the wages of the postmen." The speaker then asked: "What did the Conservative party do for the working people during their 18 years of government?"

A Voice: They legalized unions.

Mr. Anderson attempted to give credit to Mr. Mulock for settling the Valleyfield strike, whereupon there was the reply: "He did it." He concluded by predicting a victory for himself by a majority of 1000.

Mr. Andrew McFarren was greeted with applause. He was not connected with any

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ONLY TWO ACCLAMATIONS

Mr. Joseph E. Seagram Safe in North Waterloo and Mr. Lavergne in Arthabaska.

MR. JOHN CHARLTON OPPOSED.

George E. Casey Has a Liberal Running Against Him—The Nominations Yesterday.

Canada took its first quiver prior to the election day spasm yesterday, when nominations—with certain exceptions—were held in every riding in the country. Following the placing of candidates in the field came the discussion of political issues, and for one day all Canada talked and thought only of politics.

In Ontario, Joseph E. Seagram of North Waterloo is a conspicuous favorite, having of all his fellows alone been elected by acclamation. A surprise came in the case of John Charlton. A straight Liberal was named to oppose him, and thus the first step was taken to reading him out of the new Liberal party. Then, again, George E. Casey appears in a new role—as an independent Liberal. Two weeks ago The World announced that Mr. Casey would run as an independent Liberal if A. D. McGugan got the Liberal nomination in West Elgin. That announcement Mr. Casey was pleased to deny in a letter sent to and published in The World. Now it turns out that The World was correct in its announcement. But how does Casey stand? It is up to him.

In Quebec there was but on election by acclamation, that of M. Lavergne, the Liberal candidate in Drummond and Arthabaska. This squares the elevation of Joe Seagram.

Perhaps the hottest nomination was held in St. John, N.B., where Mr. Foster and Mr. Blair crossed forensic swords, and the latter was made uncomfortable.

The candidates placed in the field are as follows:

Ontario.

Addington—J W Bell C, W A Martin L.
Algoma—G A Boyce C, A E Dyment L.
Bothwell—James Clancy C, D A Gordon L.
Brant S.—R Henry C, C B Heyd L.
Brockville—John Culbert C, Dan. Derbyshire L.
Bruce E.—H Cargill C, John Coumous L.
Bruce N.—Alex McNeil C, J E Campbell L.
Bruce W.—J George C, John Tolmie L.
Cardwell—R Johnston C, Wm Stubbs I.
Carleton—E Kidd C, J McKellar L, McLeod Stewart I.
Cornwall and Stormont—R A Pringle C, A Muhern L.
Dundas—Andrew Broder C, A Johnson L.
Durham W.—J C Thornton C, Robt Beith Lib.
Durham E.—H A Ward C, Dr Powers L.
Elgin E.—A B Ingram C, J H Wilson L.
Elgin W.—J Robinson I, A D McGugan L.
Essex N—Sol White C, R F Sutherland L.
Essex S—Lewis Wigle C, M K Cowan L.
Frontenac—Hiram Calvin C, D D Rogers Ind.
Glengarry—R R Maclennan C, J T Schell Lib.
Grenville S—J D Reid C, J Carruthers L.
Grey E—Dr T S Sproule C, C W Hartman Lib.
Grey N—Chas Gordon C, Dr Horsey L.
Grey S—M Richardson C, Dr Landerkin L.
Haldimand and Monck—W H Montague C, A T Thompson L.
Halton—D Henderson C, S F McKinnon L.
Hamilton—S Barker, F. C Bruce C, A T Wood, J V Teetzel L.
Hastings E—W B Northrup C, J M Hurley Lib.
Hastings N—A W Carscallen C, S Harrett L.
Hastings W—H Corby C, S J Young L.
Huron E—E L Dickenson C, P Macdonald Lib.
Huron S—Geo McEwen I, J McMillan L.
Huron W—R McLean C, R Holmes L.
Kent—T A Smith C, G Stephens L.
Kingston—D McIntyre C, B M Britton L.
Lambton E—O Simmons C, J Fraser L.
Lambton W—W J Hanna C, T S Johnston Lib.
Lanark N—B Rosamond C, T B Caldwell Lib.
Lanark S—J Haggart C, Dr Preston I-C.
Leeds and Grenville N—J R Lavell C, F Frost L.
Leeds S—Geo Taylor C, W A Lewis L.
Lennox—U Wilson C, R A Leonard L.
Lincoln—E A Lancaster C, W Gibson L.
London—T Beattie C, C S Hyman L, W Roadhouse I.
Middlesex E—J Gilmour C, J Gibson L.
Middlesex N—Wm Sherritt C, V Ratz L.
Middlesex S—J O Judd C, M McGugan L.
Middlesex W—R Dunlop C, W S Calvert Lib.
Muskoka and Parry Sound—George McCormick C, R J Watson L.
Nipissing—J R Klock C, C A McCool L.
Norfolk N—John Charlton I, J C Ross L.
Norfolk S—Col Tisdale C, T R Atkinson L.
Northumberland W—Geo Gillett C, J B McColl L.
Northumberland E—E Cochrane C, Rev R B Deinke L.
Ontario N—A McLeod C, D Graham L.

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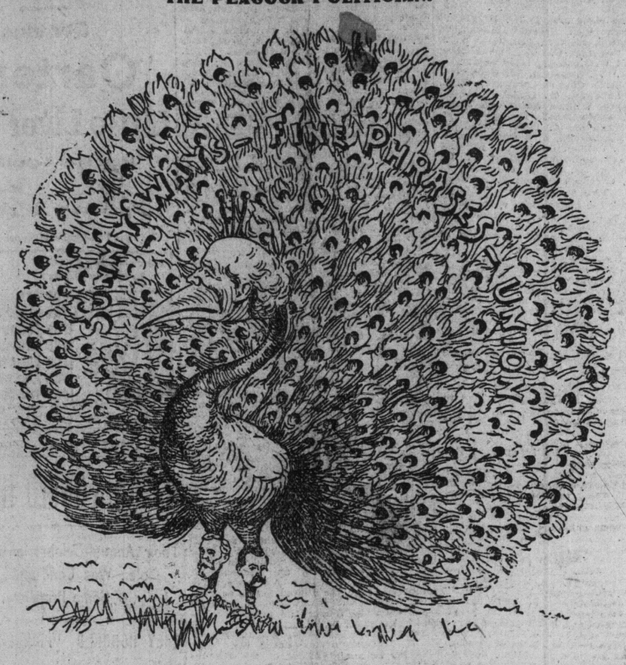
THE PEACOCK POLITICIAN.



WILFRID (the boss peacock): Don't look at my scaly and dirty legs, but just see how my tail shines when I spread it.

THE IDAHO SIGNALLED!

Ship With the Brave Canadians on Board Was Off Halifax at 2.40 a.m., To-Day.

Halifax, N.S., Nov. 1.—The Idaho was signalled at 2.40 a.m.

WILL LAND THIS MORNING.

Halifax, N.S., Nov. 1.—The steamer Idaho is coming up the harbor and will anchor at quarantine for the night, and the troops will land in the morning.

CONTEMPTIBLE METHODS OF THE LIBERAL MACHINE IN LISGAR

Siftonites Endeavored to Raise the Race Cry and Put Germans Against English-Speaking Voters, But the Attempt Operated as a Boomerang—Desperate Fight in Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Oct. 31.—(Special.)—A despatch from Morden says: The indignation among Conservatives and English-speaking voters in Lisgar over the pamphlet issued by Mr. Winkler to the Germans grows more intense as the people begin to realize the abominable nature of the appeal to characterize all Conservatives as German haters and to try and set the English against the Germans and the Germans against the English. It is doing great damage to Winkler right among his own people. For 25 years the English and Germans have lived in peace together, having mutual respect for each other, and the attempt of Winkler to convince the people thru his pamphlet, which bears his picture on the front page, that the Conservatives and Richardson would deprive them of the rights they enjoy, is proving a boomerang, which will show itself in the ballot boxes on the 7th.

The Morrow Incident.

Then the attempt of the "brawling brood of bribers" to bribe James Morrow to run as a Conservative candidate in Lisgar in the interests of the Siftonian machine, has had a sickening and paralyzing effect upon the Siftonian forces here, and the more the infernal nature of the attempt is considered the greater the popular indignation is. To think of the machine being worked in such a way in the supposed interests of a party which has preached purity for so many years, is having a direct effect upon the old Liberals, who like to think of the party leaders as honest men.

At Debonaire Schoolhouse last night, Richardson exposed the whole bribery plot, and so great was the indignation that many who were going to remain quiet stated their intention of pitching in and working till the close of the polls to kill such scoundrelism in our politics.

Sifton's Latest.

Sifton's organ to-night publishes the following appeal in black type:

"To the Labor men: The Liberals did not put any candidate in the field against Mr. Puttee at the nominations to-day The Liberals are thus left free to vote for Mr. Puttee, and they ask in return that Mr. Puttee's supporters and friends vote tomorrow for Muir. This will encourage the Liberals to vote for Puttee next Wednesday. If the Labor men of Centre Winnipeg allow Muir to be defeated to-morrow, it will do Puttee the greatest injury by defeating him many Liberal votes. Vote for Muir!"

It may be said that Muir will, in all probability, be defeated to-morrow. Puttee has repudiated the Sifton organ's support, and Martin, the other Dominion candidate, is anti-Sifton, and anti-Greenway; so that there is cold comfort for the Liberal machine in to-day's nominations.

The nominations thruout the West today made no change in the slate.

MR. JONE'S AGAIN BOOSTED.

Superintendent of Eastern Division Will Follow Mr. McGuigan as General Superintendent.

Montreal, Oct. 31.—(Special.)—It was given out on high authority to-night that George C. Jones, formerly of Toronto, now superintendent of the Eastern Division, will probably succeed Mr. McGuigan as general superintendent of the Grand Trunk system. Mr. McGuigan will become general manager of the line Jan. 1, 1901, when Mr. C. M. Hays becomes president of the Southern Pacific.

St Leon Mineral Water need hardly be specially mentioned. Its merits have been already established. It is only necessary to say that the company, to meet the public demand, are now putting it in half-pint bottles, which is just enough for a drink, but drink it regularly.

Mr. Maclean at Markham To-Night.

Mr. W. F. Maclean will hold a meeting in the Town Hall at Markham to-night. The principal speakers will be, besides the candidate, Rev. Peter Campbell, Mr. E. B. Ryckman and Mr. J. W. Moyes. Mr. Ryckman will have a fine opportunity of delivering the speech he was prevented from giving at the nomination meeting yesterday, owing to the presence of the Liberal disturbers. All indications are there will be a big turnout.

Pember's Turkish Baths, excellent sleeping accommodation, 127 Yonge.

"Watch for Green."

Green is a distinctive color—really unique when used in connection with a merchandise movement. Our green tag is so far in advance of bargain sales, as usually understood, that we searched for an idea that would force upon you the true importance of the movement. Read the ad. on another page, and watch for green. Philip Jamieson, the Rounded Corner.

Cook's Turkish & steam baths, 204 King w, cures colds, coughs and rheumatism.

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MR. CHARLTON READ OUT

Mr. J. C. Ross of Tilsonburg Has Been Put Up By the Liberal Machine.

THE OLD MEMBER STANDS FIRM

In Advocating the Views Lately Expressed By Him, and Runs as an Independent.

Delhi, Ont., Oct. 31.—The nomination for the north riding of Norfolk was held here this afternoon. Mr. J. C. Ross, grain merchant of Tilsonburg, vice-president of the Liberal Association of North Norfolk, was nominated as the Liberal candidate in response to the feeling of dissatisfaction with the views of the late member, as expressed in his utterances during the past month. Mr. John Charlton was also nominated as an Independent Liberal.

A Public Meeting Held.

A public meeting was held in the hall after nomination, when Mr. R. Quance was called to the chair and introduced the speakers in his usual genial manner.

Mr. J. C. Ross, on being introduced, stated that he appeared before the electorate as a supporter of the present Administration and if elected would do his utmost to promote the interests of Canada and would jealously guard all matters pertaining to his own constituency. He waited to see any merit in a claim of independence of the present Government, which had given ample proof of superior administrative ability during the past four years.

No Regular Convention.

There had been no regularly constituted convention called in the riding. Mr. Charlton had been nominated at the annual meeting of the party in February last, as a supporter of the Government, but during the past few weeks, from some cause which he had not explained, he had issued an address voicing sentiments that were distasteful to the Liberals. He (Mr. Ross) had been urged by representative Liberals from all parts of the riding to accept the nomination. After considering the matter he had consented to carry the banner of Liberalism in the present contest, and had received assurances given him and the enthusiasm manifested since he had given his consent to run he had every confidence in the result, as he was satisfied that the electors of glorious old Norfolk had no use for an Independent.

Charlton Sticks to His Guns.

Mr. Charlton spoke for half an hour on the lines of his address published last week. He claimed to support the Government when their policy was in accord with what he considered to be right, but would claim the privilege of being guided by his own judgment. He advocated an increase of duty as against the United States, until they were forced to give us reciprocity of tariffs. The present prosperity of the country was due to the blessings of Providence and to causes that were entirely beyond the control of the present Government.

EAST YORK.

W. F. Maclean's Evening Meetings.

Nov. 1, Thursday, Town Hall, Markham.
Nov. 2, Friday, Highland Creek.
Nov. 3, Saturday, St. Matthew's Ward, Dingman's Hall.
Nov. 3, Saturday, St. Paul's Ward, St. Paul's Hall.
Nov. 5, Monday, Scarboro Junction.

W. F. Maclean's Committee Rooms.

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Closing the Campaign.

In the midst of the intense din and activity of the closing days of the election campaign, the announcement of patriotic French flannel waists for $3 each at Quinn's comes as a grateful and refreshing reminder that there is something else than politics in life.

Cook's Turkish Steam Baths, 204 King w

Kilborn's "Clover and Malt" cures colds rapidly and tones up the system—guaranteed money refunded. 246

To Mr. Maclean's Friends.

Every member of St. Paul's Ward Liberal-Conservative Association and the Maclean-ald Club of Yorkville is urgently requested to be on hand on Friday evening, in W. F. Maclean's committee room, corner Yonge-street and Yorkville-avenue. Important business in connection with the organization in St. Paul's is to come up. Owing to press of work, it has been found impossible to notify every member individually.

Kilborn's "Clover and Malt" cures colds, croup, whooping cough and hoarseness—guaranteed cure, money refunded. 246

Medical men recommend St. Leon. Why not use it?

Sir Thomas Lipton is said to have cleaned up $350,000 by manipulating a corner in pork at Chicago yesterday. The price was run up to $20 a barrel, the closing price of the day before having been $17.

Druggists sell St. Leon.

St. Leon splits are in every first-class bar.

Speaker Pelletier Very Ill.

Halifax, N.S., Nov. 1.—Senator Pelletier, Speaker of the Senate, is very ill at Halifax Hotel, and physicians are in attendance.

SIR WILFRID'S OLD SPEECH

Was Revamped at Westmount Last Evening—Madore Promised Reduction in Sugar Duties.

Montreal, Oct. 31.—(Special.)—Sir Wilfrid Laurier made his old speech at eWstmount this evening and then addressed the crowd at the Scotch concert.

Mr. Madore at Westmount declared that the duties on sugar would be reduced.

ANGLO-GERMAN FORCE

Has Occupied Yungsingfu, West of Shanhaikwan, on the Tsinglungho River.

Berlin, Nov. 1.—A special despatch from Pekin says that an Anglo-German force has occupied Yungsingfu, west of Shanhaikwan, on the Tsinglungho River.

The dressy suits of Hobberlin Bros. are the talk of all good men dressers. It is their cut that gives them this exceptional possession — not forgetting that only workmen skilled in their business make up their garments. At their store, 103 Yonge St., they are showing just now some very correct styles in fall suitings.

We'll Outdo Old London.

He may not have the millions to line the streets, but there'll be no discounting the fact that there'll be more patriotic steam pressure to the square inch in Toronto when "Johnny Canuck comes home" than old London could boast of. As the most befitting headdress for the occasion Fairweather's (84 Yonge) suggest buying from them a khaki brown regulation Imperial Yeomanry hat—just enough of the military about it to make it look smart and not enough to spoil its usefulness after the "ovation." Price $2.50.

Headache! Perhaps you have been there. Drink St. Leon splits.

To-Day's Program.

Public School Board meets at 7.45 p.m.

Salvation Army anniversary demonstration, S.A. Temple, 8 p.m.

Royal Grenadiers parade at Armouries, 8 p.m.

People's Party meetings, Guild Hall and Wardell's Hall, 8 p.m.

Strauss Orchestra at Massey Hall, afternoon and evening.

Centre Toronto—Brock meeting in Association Hall, 8 p.m.

Sons of Ireland concert, Pavilion, 8 p.m.

Grand Opera House, "Princess Chic," 8 p.m.

Toronto Opera House, "M'liss," 2 and 8 p.m.

Princess Theatre, "The Private Secretary," 2 and 8 p.m.

Shea's Theatre, Fulgora's Stars, 2 and 8 p.m.

BOTHA IS MARCHING TO INVADE CAPE COLONY

That is the Startling Announcement Which Comes From Pretoria—Will Be Aided By Irreconcilable Cape Dutchmen.

The Boers Are Showing Great Activity at Different Points—Gordon Highlanders and Devonshires Ordered to China—Another List of Casualties From Lord Roberts.

Pretoria, Oct. 31.—Intelligence has reached here that Commandant-General Botha is marching with a strong force to invade Cape Colony near Kenhardt, where, it is said, the irreconcilable Boers are ready to join him.

THE GORDONS AND DEVONS

Have Been Ordered to Be Ready in a Few Days to Sail From Durban for China.

Durban, Natal, Oct. 31.—The Gordon Highlanders and the Devonshire Regiment have been ordered to be ready to sail for China in a few days.

Another Casualty List.

London, Oct. 31.—Another long casualty list has been received by the War Office. Lieutenant Lord George Grosvenor was wounded in the right thigh during the fighting at Bethlehem.

Hunter Drove the Enemy Out.

The War Office has received the following despatch from Lord Roberts, dated Johannesburg, Oct. 30: In consequence of the numerous attacks on the railway, Hunter drove the enemy out of Ventersburg with slight opposition. Major Hanwell was mortally wounded.

Colonials Must Fight On.

A despatch to The Standard from Pretoria says that owing to unexpected difficulty in obtaining recruits for General Baden-Powell's new Transvaal police it has been found impossible to disband several of the colonial volunteer corps, the the volunteers were told a few days ago that they would shortly be allowed to return to their homes.

The despatch adds that the Household Cavalry and Headquarters of the Royal Canadian Regiment will start for home Nov. 3.

Otter Remains in Africa.

Lieut.-Col. Otter, in his report dated at Eerste Fabriken, Sept. 22, stated that remaining with the headquarters of the regiment were: Lieut.-Col. Otter, Capt. Macdonnell, Capt. Burstall, Capt. Ogilvie, Lieuts. Lawless, Mason, Swift, Lafferty, Semple, Carpenter, Capt. Weeks (quartermaster), Surgeon-Capt. Fiset, Capt. Almond (chaplain), Capt. Dixon (historical recorder) and about 200 duty non-commissioned officers and men.

BOERS WOULD NOT SURRENDER.

Botha Received a Flag of Truce and Would Not Treat—Steyn is Irreconcilable.

London, Oct. 31.—A belated despatch from Pretoria tells of the failure of the British negotiations with Gen. Botha for the surrender of the Boers. Botha received Gen. Paget's flag of truce courteously, and admitted his defeat, but said it was impossible to treat for surrender as long as any burghers wished to continue the war.

President Steyn was more irreconcilable. He refused to even see the bearer of the flag of truce.

MR. BLAIR ROUGHLY HANDLED BY MR. FOSTER IN ST. JOHN

The Nominations in New Brunswick Show a Straight Party Fight in Every Constituency—Minister of Railways on the Defensive—Tremendous Ovation to Mr. Foster.

St. John, N.B., Oct. 31.—(Special.)—The nominations in this province to-day passed off quietly, most of the candidates addressing the electors in joint meetings. There is a straight Government and Opposition contest for every constituency.

In St. John the four city and county candidates spoke an hour each. Stockton charged, among other things, that Blair handled in 1891 election funds received from Pacaud out of Baie des Chaleurs steal. Blair flatly contradicted the statement, as he has done in the House.

How Blair Will Be Beaten.

Mr. Blair in his speech declared if he were beaten it would be by the C.P.R., the Common Council of St. John and the Board of Trade, and not by Foster. He declared that the C.P.R. could not get access to Boston if they took their export traffic away, and asserted that the Grand Trunk was the only railway in America reaching Atlantic ports which was not controlled by the Vanderbilts, in whose power the C.P.R. would not place themselves, and predicted that after the election nothing would be heard of the C.P.R. going away. He accused Shaughnessy of holding a pistol to his head.

Blair Denies Tarte's Statement.

Replying to Tarte's statement that the trouble was a personal one between Blair and Shaughnessy and had never been before the Cabinet, Blair declared that he had the whole Cabinet at his back, and that Tarte's statement, if he made it, was incorrect. Blair made bitter references to Foster's appeal to the conscience of the people against the Government, and made several sneers at Foster's Sunday school and church appeals, which brought hisses from the audience and a protest from an elector.

Foster's Great Speech.

Mr. Foster's speech closing the meeting was the greatest hustings speech ever heard in the city. He showed that Blair's policy was against the interests of the city and shippers on the Intercolonial, and against the country generally. He said it was no wonder he feared the influence of the church and schools.

In closing, Foster appealed to the manliness and uprightness of St. John people in declaring that he had come here well knowing that he was entering into a contest with a master of all corrupt arts, and was opposing the most unscrupulous public man in the country. He knew that he was not coming to a picnic when he came to meet the hero of the Northumberland deal and other corrupt contracts; the man who had corrupted more public men than anyone else in Canada. Knowing all this he still left other places and came here to meet Mr. Blair, and he trusted that there was honor and fair play enough in St. John to see that he was not beaten.

A Tremendous Ovation.

The close of Foster's speech was an ovation. Such a scene of cheering and shouting was never witnessed, and all Blair people seemed to have vanished from the dense crowd.

Word from all the counties goes to show that New Brunswick is all right.

REMARKABLE STRANGULATION.

John Climie of Plympton, in the Darkness, Drove Into a Ditch and Lost His Life.

Wyoming, Ont., Oct. 31.—Early this morning a man passing along the town line between Plympton and Enniskillen, about two miles west of Wyoming, saw a buggy lying in a deep ditch, with the horse standing by it, at the entrance to John O'Neil's farm. On examination a man was found under the buggy, who was quickly identified as John Climie, a driller and farmer, who has made his residence for some time past on the second line of Plympton. He had evidently been dead for some time. D. Harvey, coroner of Wyoming, empanelled a jury and held an inquest this forenoon, when a verdict was returned to the effect that John Climie came to his death by strangulation, having driven over the side of the ditch during the night and fallen with his neck across the dashboard, causing death as stated.

GOOD THING FOR IRELAND.

Liverpool People Are Experimenting With Peat in Lieu of Coal.

Liverpool, Oct. 31.—The exorbitant price of coal is causing consumers here to experiment with peat brought from Ireland, where the supply is practically inexhaustible. Several cargoes which have already been landed here have met with a ready sale for consumption in both residences and offices. The results are entirely satisfactory and it now looks as if Ireland would reap a considerable benefit during the coming winter from this innovation.

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Silks for the Well Dressed Man.

One of the necessary accessories which complete the "fit-out" of the well-dressed man is a silk umbrella. If you select yours from Fairweather's (84 Yonge) there's a guarantee for the quality goes with it; that adds greatly to the satisfaction of buying there. Prices $3 to $12.

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Monuments.

Finest work and best designs at lowest prices. The McIntosh Granite and Marble Company, 1119 and 1121 Yonge-street, Toronto (terminal Yonge-street car route).

BIRTHS.

McADAM—At Lloydtown, Ont., on the 26th ult., the wife of William A. McAdam, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

DILLON—HURD—On Tuesday, Oct. 30, 1900, at Demill College, St. Catharines, Ont., by President Demill, brother-in-law of the bride, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Gee, Richard John Dillon of Chicago, Ill., to Dency A. Hurd, member of the college faculty, and youngest daughter of the late Elizur Hurd of Ragian, Ont.

QUERRIE—HALL—At the residence of the bride's father, 104 Gould-street, by the Rev. R. Thynne, Oct. 31, Mr. Charles Laurens Querrie, to Miss Ida, eldest daughter of W. H. Hall, Esq., all of Toronto.

DEATHS.

BAXTER—On Oct. 30, at Malvern, William Baxter, aged 21 years.
Funeral Thursday, Nov. 1, at 2 p.m., to Knox Cemetery.

GOVERNMENT SHOULD PAY THEM.

British Columbia Volunteers Called Out to Prevent a Riot Not Yet Paid.

Vancouver, B.C., Oct. 31.—The officers and men of the militia of this district are much interested in the incident telegraphed from Montreal of Col. Cooke refusing to call out his men until their pay was guaranteed. Last August the militia were called out to Stevenston to maintain order there during the fishermen's strike, danger of a collision between Japanese and whites being imminent. The militia were camped there for a week, but they have not yet been paid. The municipality repudiates responsibility. The Government has power under such circumstances to advance the money, pending settlement of a dispute, and it is the general feeling here that it should pay the men what is due them.

Fair and Mild.

Meteorological Office, Toronto, Oct. 31.—(8 p.m.)—Rain has fallen to-day near Lake Superior and in British Columbia; elsewhere in the Dominion the weather has been fair. It continues decidedly mild in Ontario, but in the other provinces has been somewhat cooler.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 48—50; Kamloops, 38—56; Calgary, 26—48; Qu'Appelle, 22—48; Port Arthur, 42—52; Parry Sound, 44—58; Toronto, 46—62; Ottawa, 36—44; Montreal, 30—50; Quebec, 28—44; Halifax, 36—56.

Probabilities.

Lakes and Georgian Bay—Fresh to strong southeasterly and southerly winds; fair and mild; showers at night.

Upper St. Lawrence and Ottawa Valley—Strong south and southeast winds; mostly fair and milder, with a few local showers.

Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf—Southerly and southwesterly winds; fair and milder; showers at night.

Maritime—Moderate winds; fair and mild.

Superior—Strong westerly winds; clearing and cooler.

Manitoba—Fair and mild.

The Oak Hall ads. are always interesting. Have you read the one on the next page yet? If you haven't, you will miss some of the news of the day. Always read the Oak Hall advertisements

Really, Haven't You?

If you haven't really any idea what style of a hat would look well upon you, or really what hat you want, just take a drop into Dineens' and try some one; see what they have to show. The stiff felt Derby hat is the whole caper. Here's a line: Dineens' label, $2; Dineens' XX, $2.50; Dineens' XXX, $3; Dineens' XXXX, $4; Dunlap, $5; Heath's $4.50.

STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS.

Oct. 31.	At.	From.
Teutonic	New York	Liverpool
Majestic	Liverpool	New York
Cevic	New York	Liverpool
St. Germain	New York	Havre
Amsterdam	Boulogne	New York
St. Louis	Southampton	New York
Switzerland	Philadelphia	Antwerp
Siberian	Philadelphia	Glasgow
Ultonia	Liverpool	Boston
Georgian	Liverpool	New York
Bonn	Bremen	New York
Aller	Gibraltar	New York
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