JOHN C. BEST

Put to Death in the Electric Chair This Morning.

He Was Perfectly Calm-The Story

of His Atrocious Crime.

BOSTON, Sept. 9,—John C. Best, a native of Sackville, N. B., was put to death by electricity this morning at Charlestown state prison at 12.22 o'clock paying the extreme penalty of the law for the murder of George E. Bailey at Saugus, on October 8, 1900.

He walked to the chair unassisted, and sat down composedly, assisted the guards even in confining his hands and legs and waited the shock with perfect composure. He had no word to say at the end, uttered no groan, and was pronounced dead at 12.27 a. m.

The prisoner made no formal confession that is as yet extant. The Rev. Mr. Mellish, however, has a long letter to his relatives, the contents of which he is not at liberty to divulge in anticipation of its delivery.

The crime for which John C. Best

The crime for which John C. Best suffered death was the particularly atrocious murder on October 8, 1900, of his employer and supposed rival, Geo. E. Bailey, manager of a Saugus farm, and whose dismembered body was found in two separate sacks, floating in a nearby pond about ten days later. A searching investigation disclosed the fact that Best had had a quarrel with Bailey over a woman, who left the farm two weeks before Bailey disappeared.

verdict set aside on the ground that one of the jurors was deaf, but the supreme court and subsequently the governor refused to entertain the claim. governor refused to entertain the classifier of a g known Best never confessed to the crime. It is believed that the murder was committed on the farm; Best subsequently cutting up the body and sinking it in the pond.

A MISPEC MYSTERY.

Skeleton of Man Found With Piece of Skull Missing.

On Saturday Jack Thomas of Mispec, accompanied by some boy friends, start-1 out to hunt for cattle, about three miles from the Mispec Pulp Mills, and one mile back in the woods, Thomas discovered the skull of a human being. Upon further investigation he found the other bones of a skeleton but a few feet away. Satisfying himself that the bones were those of a man, he sent word to Mispec.

Coroner Berryman was notified and visited the place and found the skeleton lying back down, the legs well apart and covered with a considerable growth of moss and weeds. The skull was three or four feet away from the body and there was quite a piece out of the side of it. The few scraps of clothing discovered were of a brownish color, while long legged boots, about a number seven, with half soles, had been worn by deceased. In moving the moss, etc., a pipe, a common briar pipe, with ordinary vulcanite mouthpiece, was discovered. It seemed to have just dropped from one of the trouser pockets. The skeleton was in a district very seldom visited and on a ledge, as it were, under a huge boulder. The position was as if the deceased had propped himself up and gone off in a sleep.

It may have been that this was the case and that the unfortunate man, whoever he was, passed quietly away, the victim of heart failure. A singular feat we is that a piece of the skull is mistage from the left side. This may sug st death by violence. Coroner Be. man is satisfied that the skeleton is that of a male between 50 and 60 years of age. It is possible that the remains may be those of a man named Rupert, of Pxmouth street, who disappeared in the Mispec region some years ago.

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MONTREAL, Sept. 8.—Sir Edmund Bar bi., prime minister of the Commonwealth of Australia, and Sir John Forest, minister of Chance, were the guests of honor at the hanguet given by the Montreal Board of Trade tonight. Over two hundred prominent were present. A. McFee, president of Board of Trade presided. The governor cral, Lord Minto, attended, and Hon. Mr. the Dorll of Prace presence. The governor general, Lord Minto, attended, and Hon, Mr. T., we and Hon, Mr. T. we and Hon, Mr. The governor general, in response to the toast of his health, profit end to Canada's contribution to the Jorn W. Sir Edmund Barton and St. Toes at responded to the toasts of Our Guests, be there was little now speeches. Sir Edmund Barton and St. Edmund Barton and Barton and St. Edmund Barton and St. Edmund Barton and Barton and St. Edmund Barton and Barton

BURGLARS AT HILLSBORO.

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The safe of the Albert Manufacturing Company, at Hillsboro, was blown open Sunday morning by what is believed to it a gang of professional safe crackers who have been making their headquarters in that section.

So far as can be learned the burglars secured little of value. They left a revolver behind them. The Moncton police have been notified and are on the lookout for the gang.

The L. C. R. officers at Moncton claim to know the gang and say they can place their hands on them.

KATE GANNET WELLS.

Mrs. Kate Gannet Wells, of Boston, will deliver a sermon in the Unitarian church here on Sunday next, and will lecture on Monday, the 16th inst., under the auspices of the Unity club.

Mrs. Wells was the first woman in America to be admitted to full membership of a state board of education. She writes for many popular magazines and the author of several books. Her husband is a learned Boston lawyer. Mrs. Wells visit is looked forward to with much interest.

DINED IN THE KITCHEN

One Satisfactory Meal Grant Had After His Tour of the World.

"When General Grant stopped at the Palmer House in Chicago on his return from his tour of the world," said a man who was there at the time, the steward was all but stupified one noon at seeing the ex-president slide in at the kitchen door as though escaping from some one.

"I am sorry to trouble you,' he said, as though asking a great favor, 'but may I have a little corned beef and cabbage?"

"Why, certainly," the steward re-

as though asking a great favor, 'but may I have a little corned beef and cabbage?'

"Why, certainly," the steward replied; but shan't I send it out to you in the dining mom?'

"No,' he answered; Till eat it right bere if you'll let me sit down.

"So a place on the rough board table, where the cook had been fixing the meat, was cleared, and Grant drew up a stopl and set to, and the way he got away with that corned beef and cabbage was a caution. When he had finished, he laid down his knife and fork with a funny sigh of satisfaction, put one hand on the steward's shoulder and said:

"Young man, I don't suppose you care for that at all, but if you had had to eat what I have for the past few months it would taste like a dinner for the gods. It tastes hemey!

"The ex-president had cined with everybody from the queen down, but that cabbage end comed beef doubtless reminded him of the time when he was not so well known, but probably far happier—when people in St. Louis called him 'captain' when they spoke to him and bought the wood he carted into town to sell."

SINISTER MOTIVES.

Two men—William Jones and John Smith—were neighbors and deadly enemies. They often crossed swords in court and out of it, and Jones, being what might be called more clever than Smith, invariably got the better of the encounter. In the end so cowed was Smith that the slightest move on the part of Jones made him nervous and suspicious, and with the remark, "I wonder what object he has in this?" he called up all his reserve faculties to combat the fresh attack which poor Jones never contemplated.

One day a friend called on Smith and greeted him with:
"Well, old man, have you heard the news?"

"Well, old man, nave you near the news?"
"No," said Smith. "What news?"
"Jones is dead. He died last night at midnight," replied the other.
Smith paused, drew a hard breath, raised his hand to his forehead and thought, then blurted out:
"Dead, did you say—Jones dead? Great heavens, I wonder what object he has in this?"

THE COMPLICATION THAT OCCURRED.

(Atlantic Monthly.) Lowell once met an acquaintance (of dublous standing), whose cheerful face and happy demeanor led him to ask the cause of such exuberant felic-

"Why," said the genial smiler, "Why," said the genial smiler, "I've discovered a way to make my fortune. We all know that the reason for the fine flavor of the wild duck is the wild celery on which it feeds. Now I propose to feed it to the domestic duck and supply the market."

Some weeks later, on meeting his acquaintance again, Lowell found him quite depressed and inconsolable. "Why are you looking so unhappy? I thought, the last time I saw you, that you were on the point of making your fortune with ducks. Wouldn't it work?"

"No," was the reply, "the darned things won't eat it."

Chronic constination surely cured or.

Chronic constipation surely cured or money back. LAXA-CARA TABLETS never fall. Small, chocolate coated, easy to take. Price, 35 cents. At drug-gists!

A CHILD'S GRATITUDE.

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(Utica Observer.)

Speaking of the hospital children, a
New York physician, in an account of
his work among them, says:
"One little fellow, whom I knew very
well, had to have some dead bones removed from his arm. He got well and
perhaps thought I had taken a good
deal of interest in him, although I
was not consclous of showing him extra attention. The morning he was to
leave he sent for me. When I reached his bed I bent over him, 'Well, Willie,' I said, 'we will miss you when you
are gone,' and afterward, 'Did you
want to see me specially?' The little
fellow reached his hand up and laid
it on my shoulder as I bent over him
and whispered, 'My mamma will never
hear the last about you.' Could any hear the last about you.' Could any one express gratitude more beautifully?"

KNEW WHAT TO DO WITH IT.

A miserly landlord was going round collecting his rents the other day. At one house he was greatly interested in a little girl who watcMd, open mouthed and open eyed, the business of paying over the money and accepting the receipt.

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He patted her on the head and started out to search his pockets, saying, "I must see what I have got for you." Aftr searching his pockets for some time he at last brought from a remote corner a peppermint. As he handed it to the girl he said, "And now what will you do with that?"

The little girl looked at it, then at him and replied, "Wash it."—London Answers.

MEASLES AND AMMONIA.

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A Detroit woman who labors among the poor children of the city was telling her experiences.

"One day there was a death in the neighborhood; a little girl died, and the children were visibly impressed. They told me about it in unison.

"It was better, for her, wasn't it missus?" one little girl said philosophically.

"What was the trouble?' I asked.

"Oh,' another spoke up, 'she had measles and ammonia on the lungs and a lot of things.'

"I was of course deeply impressed by the 'lots of things,' but more so by the 'ammonia on the lungs.'"—Detroit Free Press.

To cure Headache in ten minutes us KUMFORT Headache Powders.

SPORTING NEWS.

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TORONTO, Sept. 8.—Following will be the Canadian cricket team against the United State of the Canadian cricket team against the United State of the Canadian cricket team against the United State of the Canadian Canadian

SHIPPING NEWS.

LATE SHIP NEWS.

Domestic Ports.

HALIFAX, NS, Sept 8—Ard, schs Unique trom Charlottetown for New York, and cld Cumminger, from Grand Valley for Boston

Dalhousie.

BELFAST, Sept 6—Ard, str Glenhead, from Newcastle, NB.

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Föreign Ports.

PHILADELPHIA. Sept 8-Ard, str Nora, from Hilsboro, NB.
PORTLAND, Me, Sept 8-Ard, str Irishman, from Liverpool; schs Stella Maud and Elverdale, from Frederickon G. Marington; Lyra, from de for Salem; C W Dexter and Kennebee, from Calais for Boston.

Sid, set J C Gregory, for Parrsboro, NS. Sid, strs Prince Arthur, for Yarmouth; St Croix, for St John; State of Maine, for Portland, Eastport and St John; schs Thelma, for Parrsboro Star of the Sea, for Windsor, NS; Jeane Tippet, for do.

NEW YORK, Sept 8-Cld, schs Viola, for Sherbrooke, NS; Wm L Elkins, for St John; Nellie I White, for Sand River; sch barge Ontario; for Windsos MH, Sept 7-Ard, schs Wm Jones, from Hillsboro for New York; Maggie Miller, from St John for Salem.

SALEM, Mass, Sept 8-Ard, schs Cyrene, Irom Sherbrooke, NS; Rowena, from Frederiction for New Bedford.

Sid, sch Alert, for New York.
BOOTHBAY HARBOR, Sept 8-Ard, schs Georgie D Loud, from Calais; Ottis Miller, from St John; Sarah M Bird, from Windsor; Elwood Burton, from Hillsboro.

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NEW YORK, Sept. 9-Artived, Grosser, Kurfurst, from Bremen.

COMMERCIAL.

DAILY QUOTATIONS.
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NEW YORK, Sept. 9.—Substantial gains were made in the southwestern group let by Missouri Pacific, which advanced 1½ to 123%. Kansas and Texas made similar advance and there were sharp improvements in Southern Pacific, St. Paul and Amalgamated Copper. Business was in large volume the general tone was strong.

LORD DUNDONALD.

An Ontario Paper Quotes His Words With Approval.

With Approval.

(London Advertiser.)

In Lord Dundonald, if he can be judged by, his first public addresses, Canada has at last a militia commander who is the right man in the right place. The lesson to be learned, he says, is how best to perfect the forces of a free country without undue military service. In this he shows a conception of local conditions which some of his predecessors have lacked. They have been too inclined to look on the militia as a body of professional soldiers, who should be trained accordingly. Lord Dundonald seems to grasp the fact that the military organization of this country is purely voluntary, and that the system must rest on democratic basis. In other words, the system must be made to fit the country, instead of trying to make the country fit some cast-iron system. Dord Dundonald's own ideas on this point are given in a speech delivered at Toronto:

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"I see plainly that there are large numbers of men in the country who cannot give up the time to become efficient solders in the matter of drill, but who are ready to become efficient rile shots. Well, these rifle shots cannot be improvised when war is declared. You can drill men, but you cannot improvise good shots. What we ought to go in for is a skeleton force of trained men—men who know their work, good officers, good non-commissioned officers, and on that skeleton place the flesh and blood of good rifle shots when war is declared. It has been proved over and over again in the last war that it is on the quality of the troops on which success to largely depends, not on their numbers. The modern rifle has enabled a few men to hold a defensive position, and has enormously increased the defensive power of small forces. So that, taking, all things into account, I can look with great hopefulness to the possibility of the Canadian forces being made thoroughly practised and efficient for the purposes for which they are intended; and as regards their courage and sense of duty, no man can speak with more knowledge or certainty than can I."

CUBAN SUGAR AND TOBACCO.

Conditions That Exist in the Production of the Island.

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The bonanza days of sugar raising are past. Under any reasonable trade treaty, or even under free trade, the industry would find but a duly normal development. Its extension will depend far more upon an influx of a class of immigrants physically capado the control of the control

Killing a Rhino on the Banks of the Nile.

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I was dashing along, confident that the rhino must be still far ahead, when Zowith and the still far ahead, when Zowith and the still he pointed out the braile, lying quite close to me. The sun beating on her mudcaked hide made it blend so perfectly with the red earth and yellowish grass that I should have walked right up without seeing her.

She sprang to her feet. We both fired. She made a short dash toward us, but thougat better of it, and rushed down a small slope on to a flat bed of short reeds. Hougat better of it, and rushed down a small slope on to a flat bed of short reeds. As in the heavy guns roared. She spun round and round several times, staggered, recovered and dashed off, only to stop, however, under the next tree. The 303s cracked, and, in a wild chorus of thankful yells, she toppled over, rose again, spun round and flaally subsided into the grass.

We went up quite close to finish her. She fought hard to rise and have a last charge, but the little, peacli-like bullet again sped opphilistoric times breathed her last. We were sad men as we gazed unon her groterque, misshapen form. Somehow one feels such a blatant upstart in the presence of the pachyderms, when one thinks of the unbroken line that dates back, unchanged, into he unthinkable ages of the past.—Outing.

MAINE REPUBLICAN

BANGOR, Me., Sept. 8.—Chairman F.
Marion Simpson of the republican state
committee at midnight Monday sent he
following telegrams to President Roosevelt
and M. A. Hanna, chairman of the republican national committee.
"Maine has gone republican, as it once
went for Governor Kent. We have carried
the state by a plurality of 25,000, have elected the entire delegation in congress by a
largo majority, have chosen every Senator
with one exception, and nearly, if not quite,
four-fifths of the legislature. The Pine
Tree State endorses your administration
with no uncertain voice.

LATEST.

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PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 9.—The returns received up to 2.30 o'clock this morning give Hill (republican 48,065, Gould (democrat) 29,440. The same towns last year gave Hil (republican) 55,378, Lord (democrat) 31,768.

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 9.—Election returns from 250 cities and towns indicate a plurality for Governor Hill (republican) of about 29,000.

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NEW THINGS IN POOT BALL.

Among the new things put on the market for the coming foot ball season, says a New York paper, is a union foot ball suit, which has been tested by some of the most prompted to the season of the most prompted to the season of the most prompted to the season of the season of the season of the most prompted to the season of the

MORNINGS NEWS CANADIAN

LOCAL

Red Rose—the royal tea—are you using it?

A meeting of the executive of the R.

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Bicyclists and all athletes depend on BENTLEY'S Liniment to keep their joints limber and muscles in trim.
The regular meeting of the north end salvage corps, postponed from last Monday, was held last evening. Routine business was transacted.

No. 4 Engine Co.'s open air band concert was called off last night after the first piece on the programme, the management hearing that a lady in a house near by was on her death bed. While a disappointment to the throng of listeners, the action of the firemen is to be heartily commended.

THE S. P. C. A.

THE S. P. C. A. Report Submitted to the Executive This Afternoon.

The following statement was sub-mitted to the executive committee at a meeting held in the office this after-

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Tabulated statement from May 26th
to August 26th, 1902:

Hors2s—Remeved from work for
lameness, 11: sores under harness, 12:
unfit for work, 17: total 13.

Horses—Owners and others cautioned
for overloading, 13: overworking, 3: over
erdriving, 11: lameness, 6: neglected, 5:
ill-treated, 20: sores under harness, 12:
thin in flesh, 5: destroyed, 2: total, 82.
Cattle and other stock—Stock neglected, 4: ill-treated, 4: injured, 5: overcrowded, 2: shipments, 36: dogging
cattle, 3: total, 54.
Other animals—Dogs ill-treated, 1:
total, 6.
Fowls and birds—Fowls, etc., neglected, 3: overcrowded, 2: injured, 1:
total, 6.
Children and others—Children ill-

greeted, 3; over-rowded, 2; injured, 1; total, 6.
Children and others—Children ill-treated, 9; children neglected, 13; women ill-treated, 4; women neglected, 4; total, 30; grand total, 228.
Cases taken to court included in above—Over-rowding and neglecting hens, 1, cautioned by court.

S. M. WETMORE, Secretary and Agent. St. John, N. B., Sept. 9th, 1902.

C. OF E. SYNOD.

MONTREAL, Sept. 8.—The General Synod. of the Church of England in Canada today decided not to make any change in the name of the church The argument was that the church would be benefited by being known by some creational appellation, but the idea falled to find support and the motion was shelved, the six months hoist being carried by a small major ity. A motion was adopted favoring securing a new edition of the Book of Common Prayer suitable for the Can-adián church. A resolution congratu-lating President Roosevelt on his es-cape from death was adopted.

DEATH OF THOMAS WOODEN. Dr. Dundas Does Not Believe the Fatal Wounds Self-inflicted.

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At Taylor's Corner, Sunbury County, yesterday, Coroner H. B. Pride began the enquiry into the deeth of Thomas Wooden, whose wife is suspected by some of having murdered him. Dr. M. G. Dundas had the remains disinterred and held a post-mortem examination yesterday morning. He found embedded in the brain tissue two dented 32 calibre revolver bullets. One had penetrated is ward from the right temple and the other had gone up from under the lower Jaw. The doctor removed the digestive organs to be sent to M. V. Paddock for chemical examination. At the inquest George W. Allen of Fredericton, appeared for the crown, and J. B. M. Baxter on behalf of Mrs. Wooden. Mrs. Wooden went on the stand and gave her evidence to the effect that she had found her husband dead with the revolver on his breast. She also swore that she had seen strychnine in the house and put it into the stove last November. She said her, husband sometimes talked of putting himself out of the world. Dr. Dundas swore that either of the bullet wounds would, in his opinion, cause instant death or unconsciousness, and he did not believe the man could have fired both of the shots himself. Several other witnesses testified to seeing the body of the deceased after it was discovered on the bed, and the inquest was adjourned to await the completion of the analysis of the stomach and other organs.

BIG GAME HUNTERS. nerican Sportsmen Now Arriving and Of to the Woods for Moose and Caribou.

American Sportsmen Now Arriving and Off to the Woods for Moose and Caribou.

(Fredericton Gleaner, Monday.)

The American sportsmen are now arriving in numbers and are getting away to the woods so as to be on the ground at the opening of the big game season on next Monday. Messrs Henry A. Pitman of Boston and W. B. Long of Brookline arrived from the west upon the noon rain and west out a Monday. Messrs Henry A. Pitman of Boston and W. B. Long of Brookline arrived from the West upon the noon rain and west out a Messrs. N. C. Nash, of Boston, and H. Goodwin of Dedham also arrived on the noon train and this afternoon left for the Northwest Miramichi with Arthur Pringle as guide.

Harry Allen of Penniac left this afternoon and will be joined at Bathurst by W. H. Moses and wife of Titton, N. H., Dr. Tuttle, of McLean Hospital, Waverley L. Ransdale, Tuller, of McLean Hospital, Waverley L. Ransdale, Gouche with Allen as guide.

Mr. Goodwin, above mentioned, hunted in this province for the first time last fall and he is the man who says he saw two hundred caribou in a herd.

Henry Braithwaite is expecting a couple of distinguished hunters to arrive any day now, they being Fred Ireland and Dr. Depau. They will spend two mouths in the woods under the guidance of Braithwaite.

FATHER AND SONS DROWNED.

PETERBORO, Ont., Sept. 8.—Jas, M. Roberts and two sons. Edward and Kenneth, aged respectively 11 and 9, were drowned in Chemong Lake last night by the capsizing of a cance in which they were returning home from attending service at Indian reserve. None of the bodies have yet been recovered. Roberts was aged 45 and leaves his wife, one son and daughter.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

PACIFIC HOMESEEKERS

TO THE CANADIAN NORTHWEST.

1-Class Round Trip Tickets will be St. John, N. B., on Sept. 17, 1902

\$28.00 \$30.00.

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A BOSTON TRAGEDY.

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 8.-John C. domen during a quarrel by his son-in-law, James C. Duane, a prominent business man of this city and Brook-line, died today. The shooting is said to have been the outcome of a series of family quarrels. Lehneman was sixty years of age. Duane, who is 26, is under arrest.

A PLEASANT EVENT.

A very pleasant event took place last evening at the residence of Dr. Charles Holden, when his father, John Hölden, who for fifty years has served as a vestryman of St. James church, was presented with an address beautifully ergrave?, bound in moroeco and containing pictures of the old church and the present building, also the five rectors who have had charge of the church during the past fifty years, viz., Rev. tors who have had charge of the church during the past fifty years, viz., Rev. John Armstrong, Rev. Wm. Armstrong, Rev. C. J. James and the present rector, A. D. Dewdney. The presentation was made by Rev, Mr. Dewdney in the presence of a large number of Mr. Hollen's friends. Mr. Holden made a suitable reply.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. James Edgett will receive her friends
Thursday and Friday, Sept. 11 and 12, at her
residence, 171 Queen street.
Mr. and Mrs. George H. Waring strived
in the city yesterday by train.
Rev. M. J. Cordute, C. SS. R., of St.
Peter's church, North End, is exceedingly
III.
Mrs. Caulfield, Montreal, is visiting her
daughter, Mrs. Simms. She is accompanied
by her cousin, Miss Haughey.
H. N. Contes is home from a visit to the
Pacific coast.
H. Colby Smith of Carleton, accompanied
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DUFFERIN, Sept. 9.—F. W. Power, Halifax; J. D. Thom, Trure; E. J. Carney, Bostion; G. H. Turner, Lennoxville; Harry Lee,
New York; W. H. Geogen, New York; James
E. Smith and wife, Providence; D. F. Sherwin and wife, Providence; D. F. SherWester, S.—Soo Canal returns

OTTAWA, Sept. 8.—Soo Canal returns show an extraordinary increase this year. The total indresses in tounage for five months is 5,007,021 tons, the lacrease in the Canadian canal a being 88,013, or one per The City Council tonight decided to present an address to Laurier on his return from France MONTREAL Sept. 8.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier inight's holiday, Hon. Mr. Fielding left fo London after conferring again with the director of the department of commercy relations and foreign affairs.