

MAINE GOES DEMOCRAT FOR FIRST TIME

Complete Turn-over In Vote In Neighboring State, Changes Complexion Of Representatives At Washington.

NEW GOVERNOR HAS 9,000 MAJORITY

Portland, Me., Sept. 12.—A tidal wave of democracy swept over Maine today, carrying Col. Frederick W. Plaisted of Augusta, to the governor's chair and ousting the present incumbent Bert M. Fernald of Poland, by a plurality of at least 6,500.

The Democrats were trying to think of a candidate tonight. The Republicans stood against tonight as Col. Plaisted's plurality mounted steadily upward until it reached that given Governor Fernald only two years ago.

His Father Elected. The political page had to be turned back to 1850 for even a reversal of the Republicans, and there it was found that Col. Plaisted's father, Harris M. Plaisted was made governor on a fusion ticket by a narrow margin of 169 votes.

HOPE TO REACH MILLION MARK

Increase in Attendance At Toronto Fair, Which Closed Saturday Indicates That Goal Will Be Reached.

Special to The Standard. Toronto, Sept. 12.—The Canadian National Exhibition of 1910 was brought to a close after a very successful two weeks with an estimated attendance Saturday of 85,000.

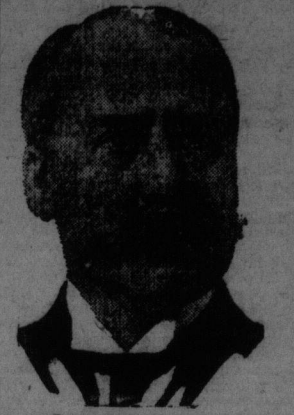
HIGH OFFICIALS OF MEAT CO'S INDICTED

Grand Jury Lays Charge Of Conspiracy Against Ten Members Of Swift, Armour And Morris Concerns.

Chicago, Sept. 12.—The federal grand jury which has been investigating Chicago packers lately, today returned indictments against ten high officials of Swift, Armour and Morris concerns. There is three indictments against them charging them with conspiracy.

KNIGHTS OF THE GRIP AT THE BIG FAIR

MAINE ELECTIONS



FREDERICK W. PLAISTED, Maine's First Democratic Governor.

LEVIS CHOSEN FOR DRY DOCK

Sir Robert Perks Authorizes Statement That 1,000 Foot Dock Will Be Constructed In St. Lawrence.

Special to The Standard. Toronto, Sept. 12.—Unless plans which will shortly be submitted to the government fail to receive the stamp of approval a contingency that is not causing much concern, Canada will secure in the near future a new dry dock costing in the neighborhood of \$4,000,000 and capable of accommodating the largest ocean going steamships.

Levis Chosen. Levis will be the site of the new dry dock. This selection which was made because at this point entrance to the dock would be possible for two months longer than on the Quebec side, and also for the reason that there is already a small government dry dock at Levis.

GAVE FUNERAL TO THE WRONG MAN. J. J. McCaffery, Toronto Ball President, Was Robbed By Men Whom He Thought He Buried.

Special to The Standard. Toronto, Sept. 12.—President J. J. McCaffery, the genial president of the Toronto baseball club gave a hand some funeral about 6 weeks ago to what was supposed to be the remains of Frank Tracey, a kitchen man in his hotel. It turned out later that the body was that of a room mate of Tracey's who had Tracey's pocketbook and letters on him when he met death by falling into the bay. Tracey repaid Mr. McCaffery's intentions by attempting early today to rob him being found in the basement of the hotel with a bottle of whiskey in one pocket and a bottle of gin in another, some cigars and \$19.50 taken from the bar till in his hands. Tracey being an old offender he was sentenced in the police court to three years at Kingston.

SPECIAL FEATURES AND FINE WEATHER DREW BIG FAIR CROWDS YESTERDAY

Local and Visiting Commercial Travellers Had Big Day Yesterday -- Parade and Exciting Ball Game the Features.

Yesterday was another big day at the exhibition, and with fine weather the whole programme was carried out without a hitch. During the afternoon the visit of General Sir Robert Baden-Powell was the chief attraction, and great interest centered in his presence. The noted soldier arrived at the grounds about 3.15, but owing to a misunderstanding the boy scouts from Halifax did not arrive so the proposed inspection was called off.

COURT DOCKET NOT HEAVY

List Of Cases On Paper To Be Taken Up By Court En Banc At Fredericton Today—List Light.

Fredericton, N. B., Sept. 12.—September sittings of the court en banc begin tomorrow. The docket which is not heavy, is as follows:—Motion paper 55, Bertha Rourke vs. John P. Tompkins et al, Mr. W. P. Jones, K. C., to move for judgment quasi consuet.

1.—The King vs. F. P. Matheson, police magistrate Campbellton ex parte Frank Belliveau, referred by Mr. Justice McKeown, Mr. A. T. Leblanc to support order nisi to quash. 2.—The King vs. James Kay, stipendiary and police magistrate Westmorland, ex parte Adolphus Dryden, Mr. C. A. Steeves to show cause. 3.—The King vs. E. H. Clarkson, Commissioner Stanley, civil court ex parte, Thos. Hayes, Mr. J. D. Phinney, K. C., the like.

Special Paper. 1.—Leblanc vs. Lutz et al, Mr. G. W. Fowler, K. C. to set aside verdict for plaintiff and for reduction of damages or for a new trial. 2.—Donohoe vs. Northwestern Land and Investment Company, Mr. M. G. Teed, K. C., to support demurrer to plaintiffs third replication. 3.—Kennedy vs. Gorman et al, Mr. P. J. Hughes to move to set aside verdict for defendants and to enter a nonsuit as to defendant's counter claim and for a new trial.

Appeal Paper. 1.—Green "plaintiff" appellant and Gilmour "defendant" respondent, Mr. W. P. Jones K. C., to support appeal from Carleton County Court. 2.—Cyr "defendant" appellant and Derosier "plaintiff" respondent, Mr. T. J. Carter to support appeal from the Victoria County Court. 3.—Trustees school district No. 7 1-2 Bright "defendant" appellant, Yerra "plaintiff" respondent, Mr. J. D. Phinney K. C. to support appeal from the York County Court.

SOLICITOR-GENERAL'S FUNERAL WEDNESDAY

Body Of Late Lloyd Wheaton Bowers Taken To Middleton, Conn., Where Burial Will Be Made.

Middleton, Conn., Sept. 12.—The body of Lloyd Wheaton Bowers, solicitor general of the United States, was brought here tonight on a special train from Boston where funeral services were held today, while interment will be Wednesday night in Minor cemetery at Westfield, a suburb of this place, on the arrival of Miss Martha Bowers, who was in the west at the time of her father's death. Rev. F. Knight, of New Haven, will have charge of the services at the grave.

ATTENDANCE. The attendance to date this year is ahead of previous records. It is as follows:— Saturday... 14,806 Monday... 14,806 Tuesday... 8,713 Wednesday... 7,812 Thursday... 22,318 Friday... 11,863 Saturday... 15,710 Monday... 16,974 Total... 104,880

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TWO WURED IN EXPLOSION AT AMHERST

Workmen in Car Foundry Threw Water On Hot Slag And Two May Die—Carter And Jones The Victims.

Special to The Standard. Amherst, Sept. 13.—About 1.30 o'clock this morning citizens of Amherst were aroused by a terrific explosion followed immediately by a fire alarm. So far as can be ascertained workmen in the rolling mills department of the Canadian Car and Foundry threw water on hot slag which caused the explosion. Russell Jones, brother of L. C. R. Policeman Jones, and a young man by the name of Carter were seriously if not fatally injured. The fires of the hot slag striking them in the faces. It is feared Carter will at least lose his eyesight while both are considerably cut, the slag being burned in their faces.

CANADIAN DRUGGISTS MEET AT HALIFAX

Special to The Standard. Halifax, Sept. 12.—Delegates from Montreal to Vancouver arrived in the city tonight to attend the third annual convention of the Canadian Pharmaceutical Association which opens tomorrow in the Nova Scotia Technical College. An informal reception was held tonight to the visiting delegates, guests and members. Henry Watters of Ottawa is president of the society. The great increase of cocaine in Canada is one of the important subjects to be discussed.

Are You a Visitor?

If so you are invited to register your name at the Standard-New Star booth (Main Building, above orchestra) and have the paper containing the news of your arrival mailed gratis to your friends.

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NOTES STILL POURING IN

Standing Of Contestants Show Big Changes From Day To Day—Time Now To Get Busy.

The enthusiasm of the contestants is ceaselessly increasing as the days of vote-getting are passing by. The great unfolding of who are the winners is not at a very distant date, but not until the last ballots are cast and the polls are closed will it be impossible for any candidate to win. Now is the critical time that most votes can be gotten, a week later there will be many less to be secured—but still an ample sufficiency for all of the candidates to strive for, as paid-for-subscriptions often emanate from sources we least expect. Who will have the most points? Who will have the winning hand in her district?

MONTREAL HAS A FLAG INCIDENT NOW

Special to The Standard. Montreal, Que., Sept. 12.—There was a remarkable discussion in the Montreal City Council this afternoon because the tri-color was placed on the rear of the City Hall during the week of the Eucharistic Congress. Ald. Lariviere declared that French Canadians were insulted. He therefore asked for an investigation into all the facts including how it came about that the resolution of the civic reception committee, ordering the flag advanced to the front of the building was not obeyed. After the matter was discussed, the resolution carried.

EARL GREY PLEASSED WITH SYDNEY STEEL

Inspected Collieries Of Dominion Steel and Coal Co. And Historic Old Louisville Yesterday — At Charlottetown. Butler, visited the collieries and historic Louisville today. The party left Sydney in the Governor-General's private car attached to the S. and L. express, and after spending several hours visiting Dominion No. 2 and new collieries at Lingen proceeded to Louisville where the party visited the historic old town and fortress. Earl Grey and party proceeded to Charlottetown tonight on the "Earl Grey" His Excellency was greatly surprised upon noting the magnitude of the steel and coal plants in operation at Sydney.

MAINE ELECTIONS



BERT M. FERNALD, The Defeated Governor.

THANKSGIVING SERVICE HELD

Celebration Of Church Of England Bi-Centenary Brought To Close At Fredericton—Visiting Prelates Entertained

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, Sept. 12.—A congregation which was limited only by the accommodations at Christ church cathedral attended the thanksgiving service there tonight which marked the closing of the celebration of the bi-centenary of the Church of England in Canada. Forty-two members of holy orders including bishops of London, Glasgow, Washington, Niagara, Assat, Bishop Reeves, of Toronto, and the Bishop of Fredericton, were in attendance and a special choir of 60 voices with organ and Fredericton brass band accompanied the service. The service was presided over by the direction of Organist J. Stanley Farrer.

Prayers were taken by Dean Schofield, Rev. B. Hooper, of St. John and Bishop Richardson who pronounced the benediction. The Bishop of London was the preacher and was listened to with deep interest by the large congregation. He took as his text, "Jesus said I am the way and the truth and the life." His lordship in a powerful sermon urged revival in the Church of England in Canada. The Bishop of London and party arrived this afternoon about 4 o'clock on Commodore Thomason's yacht Corinthia and were met by Dean Schofield, Sub-Dean Street and members of the cathedral and clergy of the diocese who had gathered in the city, and in the way and the truth and the life. His lordship in a powerful sermon urged revival in the Church of England in Canada. The Bishop of London and party arrived this afternoon about 4 o'clock on Commodore Thomason's yacht Corinthia and were met by Dean Schofield, Sub-Dean Street and members of the cathedral and clergy of the diocese who had gathered in the city, and in the way and the truth and the life. His lordship in a powerful sermon urged revival in the Church of England in Canada.

CONTRACTS LET FOR PROVINCIAL BRIDGES

Three Substantial Structures Being Erected By Public Works Department — The Successful Tenderers.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, Sept. 12.—The contract for the Porter Mill Stream mouth bridge in Charlotte Co., has been awarded to Joseph McVay & Sons. Tenderers for either concrete or granite were asked for and the former proved the lowest, the successful tender being for about \$1,400. The tender for Ingleswood Mill bridge in the Parish of Musquash, St. John Co., has been awarded to John S. Hargrave of Musquash, the contract price being in the vicinity of \$800. The contract for Nightingale Brook bridge in the Parish of Lepreau, Charlotte Co., has been awarded to F. M. Cavley of St. George, the contract price being about \$1,200.

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GRAHAME-WHITE MAKES SURE OF \$10,000 PRIZE

English Aviator In Record Breaking Flight On Boston Light Trip Making Almost a Mile a Minute.

LOSES FIRST IN TWO OTHER EVENTS

Boston, Sept. 12.—American and English aviators competed in what was probably the most daring and spectacular battle for supremacy in the air ever fought out during the history of aviation at the next to the last day of competition for the prizes in the Harvard-Boston aero meet at Atlantic today. One world's record and two American records were broken, Ralph Johnstone, in a Wright biplane making a new mark in the accuracy, duration and distance events. Johnstone remained in the air three hours, five minutes and 40 seconds, which broke the American record of Clifford B. Harmon, of New York, by one hour, ten minutes and thirty seconds. On the same trip he covered 97 miles, 4,666 feet which is like-wise a new American record, bettering Harmon's mark by some seven miles. Descending from his long journey Johnstone planted his car almost exactly over the flag in a test for accuracy, his seat being but five feet four inches from the flag, which made a new world's record for accuracy in landing on skids.

Another Crimp in \$10,000. An achievement no less marvellous was a flight of Claude Grahame-White of England, in which he went twice to Boston light and returned from the field, a distance of 33 miles in 24:1.5 seconds or practically a mile a minute for the entire distance using a Blériot monoplane.

White made the trip to secure a firm or hold on the \$10,000 prize offered by the Boston Globe, for which he has been the only contestant. His effort was the more remarkable from the fact that he has been suffering badly from malaria the last two days, and practically rose from a sick bed to go into the contests today. Previously he had made the trip to the light and back in 40 minutes, 1:3.5 seconds. Clifford B. Harmon, of New York, was the only amateur out for a morning for an actual competition in the amateur's events. Using Claude Grahame-White's Farman biplane, he made marks in all of the amateur events, which will give him the Harvard \$5000 cup and three other trophies. Wilbur Wright and Glen H. Curtiss were again in the air today and at the same time Chas. F. Willard and Claude Grahame-White were circling the course in various events, making four competing aeroplanes to be seen at once. Wright was engaged with Brookins in a bomb dropping contest upon the model battleship and with 37 of his 90 allotted bombs he made 77 points which put the Wright camp in the lead in this event, which formerly White had felt to be secure with 75 points.

The standing of the aviators in the first four events in which points are given to determine the disposition of the prizes is as follows: Claude Grahame-White, 42 1-2; Ralph Johnstone 25; Walter Brookins 16; Glenn H. Curtiss 11 1-2; Chas. F. Willard 8.

2 TRAINMEN KILLED IN RAILWAY COLLISION

Passenger Train On Big Four Crashes Into Soldiers' Special On Siding With Disastrous Results.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 12.—Two men were killed and two seriously injured today, in a collision in Brightwood, a suburb of Indianapolis, between a Big Four passenger train from Cleveland and a special train carrying Kentucky national guardsmen to Fort Benjamin Harrison. The dead are: E. C. Ike, of Anderson, Ind.; Bremen; Samuel Densmore, of Indianapolis, engineer. The soldiers' special was carrying the first Kentucky regiment to the fort for joint manoeuvres with the regulars and the fifth regiment of Ohio. None of the troops received serious wounds, but a severe shaking up. The collision was caused by an open switch, the passenger train crashing into the special which was standing on a siding track.

HOTEL MAN DEAD. Norman L. McDonald, of Lorne House, at Fredericton, Passed Away After a Long Illness. Special to The Standard. Fredericton, Sept. 12.—Norman L. McDonald, who was for a number of years one of the proprietors of the Waverley Hotel, and later connected with the Lorne Hotel, died this afternoon at his residence on O'Dell avenue after a long illness.