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SEVENTEENTH YEAR

Date of Canada's Thanks ing Day Changed.

THE SCHOOL DELEGATION

ernment changed Thanksgiving Day to a day different from that on which it is celebrated in the United States, on the principle that there is no necessity for Canada to follow in the wake of our neighbors in everything.

The Dr. does justice to the Ontario gold region. At to-day's meeting of the Cabinet it was decided to proclaim Thanks-giving Day in Canada for Thursday, Nov. 26, the same date as observed in the neighboring republic. The ground on which the change is made is that, as there is a total suspension of busiress in the United States, which corondingly affects Canada, there may as well be uniformity.

Another matter decided upon by the Ministers was to appoint Mr. E. A. State, and J. B. Noxon, both of Toronto, to investigate and report on the affairs of the Kingston Peniteniary. Other commissions will be appointed to enquire into the adminis-tration of the other penitentiaries.

THE SCHOOL DELEGATION. eagues. In official circles it is said that, while a basis of settlement has been as good as arrived at between

And now another good billet is to fall into the hands of one of the faithful. The latest report has it that E. J. Langevin, Clerk of the Senate, is to be superannuated and that Dr. Guay, M. P. for Lievis, will succeed him. The Doctor's name was mentioned for Assistant Clerk Rouleau's place in the Commons chamber but he does not Assistant Clerk Rouleau's place in the Commons chamber, but he does not think it good enough. He is, therefore, prepared to let Mr. Rinfret get that office and he go to the Senate chamber. The difficulty about the Senate appointment is that the Government has no control over it, all appointments in the Upper House being on the recommendation of the Cartwright committee. The curious anomaly exists, however, that the Government can superannuate Mr. Langevin, but can not fill the vacancy thereby created. If Dr. Guay cannot get this position then he will be satisfied with the wardenship of the St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary.

BORING FOR OIL.

Tasteful and Effective.

People possessing an appreciation and taste for the beautiful in personal apparel should examine Quinn's immense new stock of neck-fixings been there all summer, but owing to the late period at which the appropriations were voted this year, little has been done. The boring has been carried to a depth of 1730 feet, and a steel casing put down to that depth. The intention is, if possible, to go about 200 feet lower, in the hope of striking a flow of oil. Gas has been freely piped flow of oil. Gas

Sir Charles H. Tupper left for Quebec this afternoon. He will be joined by his father there to-morrow. The two will then proceed to Halifax to take part in a provincial Conservative Convention at Halifax on Thursday. Sir Hibbert Tupper expects to leave for British Columbia about the 1st of Nowember. He has been retained as counsel for the owners of the Sayward, Dolphin, Carolina, Anna Beck and Thornton, five of the vessels which were seized by the Americans as far back as 1886-87. It is understood at the department that the Claims Commission will meet on some day between the 10th and 15th of November. Hon. L. H. Davies, Minister of Marine THE NOVA SCOTIA KNIGHTS.

and Fisheries, intends to go out to the Coast to be present at the meetings of the commission. FISHERY COMMISSIONERS.

Commander Wakeham of the Government steamer La Canadienne is on his way up to Quebec. The captain a sepected here in a few days to resolve work as International Fishery issioner in conjunction with Rathbone of the Smithsonian Ince at Washington. Only a few in this remain to the two commissionsers in which to hand in their report, but as all the outside work is completed, and the duty remaining is a matter merely of compilation, there will be no difficulty in preparing the report within the time required by treaty.

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ceived a memorandum from the Dominion Government, which, it is understood, consents that the whole matter of the disputes as to the fixing of grain standards shall be left to the Grain Standards Board, which meets here in a week or so. It is certain that western men, being in the majority, will reduce the number of grades and recommend that the standard shall be left. Sir William Van Horne, who was here to-day en route to the Pacific coast, spent two hours this morning in consultation with Mr. Sifton, the prospective Minister of the Interior. What they discussed is the subject of considerable speculation, Sir William proceeded west this afternoon.

WANTS TO DIE.

others. Dr. Withrow opened with prayer.

AWARDING PRIZES.

Awarding of the scholarships and medals won by the students at the University examinations last spring came next. On announcing these results, the Chairman said the success of the candidates was a source of great pride to the college.

The W E Sanford Gold Medal (first in political science)—G B Henwood.

Aberdeen Gold Medal—A M Scott.

Robertson Scholarship (first year honor ethics)—G J Blewett.

Clarke Prize (third year ethics)—G J Blewett.

These were presented by Prof. Badgley.

Webster Prize (first in pass English. Hodgins) P Board at Winnipeg-President Van Horne Consults Sifton.

Col. Bob Watson, Commissioner of Public Works for Manitoba; J. A. Cameron, Provincial Secretary, and D. H. McMillan, Provincial Treasurer, arrived here from Winnipeg this afternoon to discuss the school question with Mr. Laurier and his colleggies. In official circles it is said.

Pearl Wilson, a well-known Winnipeg courtesan, swallowed poison early this morning in the Main-street apartments of her paramour. She lies at the point of death and doctors say she cannot recover.

In Interesting Gathering a the College,

HISTORY OF SIXTY YEARS

Since the Famous Institution Got Its Government Charter.

Prof. Goldwin Smith Give Addresses University-Both Were Benefited-Many Prizes Awarded-Dr. Henry Hough,

Victoria University held its annual conocation in the chapel room last night, pefore a large number of students and friends of the college. Yesterday was charter day for the college, it being just opportune date for nodding the annual covocation.

Chancellor Burwash presided, and with him on the platform were Prof Goldwin Smith, Principal Sheraton, President Loudon, Drs Caven, Rand, Withrow, John Burwash, Wallace and Longford, Profs Bell, Reynar, Dean of the College, Baker, Badgley, Horning, Wallace and Petch, J J Maclaren, QC, and C C James, Deputy Commissioner of Agriculture, and many others. Dr. Withrow opened with prayer.

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VICTORIA'S HISTORY.

The Chancellor then called on Dr. Henry Hough, L.B., to read an address on the history of the University. Young men, he said, were drawn by fellings of sentiment to the denominational college of their choice. Were this sentiment absent or removed probably they would not have been educated at all. For this reason he opened his address with a plea for denominational colleges. Victoria began under such congrol, but from the very first had opened lits halls to all classes and all creeds. Naturally, however, it had been the classic home for Methodists, though there was no chair in theology there for 30 years after it was founded.

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THE POPOCRATIC. KITTEN.

It has already secured the western gudgeon, and is now after Billy McKinley's gold fish.

offering in connection with the thirteenth annual convention of the Christian Missionary Alliance, the climax of two weeks of meetings. Men gave their watches, women their rings, children their pennies under the magic spell of simple sentences uttered by plain spoken missionaries from distant shores.

The hall was filled. There were some even in the topmost galleries.

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The Young Liberals Object to Both Dominion and Provincial Officials Taking an Active Part in Politics.

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der the Crown, except the members of the Government, should abstain from active participation in political con-Supt. Moyes of the Metropolitan Street Railway, had the misfortune yesterday to step on a nail, which penetrated through the side of his shoe and inflicted a pain-ful wound.

FRANCIS—On Oct. 12, Mary Ann Francis, widow of the late Walter Francis, aged 73.
Funeral from 469 Gerrard-street east, SWEENEY-At St. Michael's Hospital, on

A Fine Strike Just Made on the Big Three.

MASCOT SHOWS GOOD ORE.

It Was the Eldorado Property Deeded Over by Rufus Pope,

Leaving the Company's Property Unimpaired-Trail Creek Smelter Will Handle Slocan Silver in Conjunction With Rossland Ore -American Owners Object to U. S. Government Sampling Works at Northport-Confidence Continues to Increase.

Rossland, B. C., Oct. 12.-(Special to The World, via Spokane, Wash.)—Petitions to the United States Government are in circulation among the American mining men here against the establishment of a Government sampling works at Northport. This, it is said, would work a hardship for mine owners, there being only one

It is understood that the Trail Creek smelter will handle Slocan silver ores in conjunction with Rossland ore, as the treatment will cost less. The Big Three Company, working on Mascot, which covered Eldorado ground, but was deeded to the Big Three Company by Rufus Pope, leaving the company's property unimpaired, struck a vein of \$35 ore two feet wide at a depth of 20 feet. Southern Belle has had another strike of fine ore.

Mugwump machinery is on the Confidence continues to increase. A. R. M.

A NICE FAMILY ROW.

Mrs. Margaret E. Curran Sues Her Father and Sister, Richard and Mary E. Fuller of Hamilton, for Alleged Slander.

Mrs. Margaret E. Curran has entered an action against Richard Fuller and Mary E. Fuller, her father and sister respectively, vell-known residents of Hamilton, Mr. Billion as a serviced at between the the Demanders of their examinance. The little date of the transmission of their examinance. The little date of their examinance is application of the examinance in the little date of the transmission of the examinance. The little date of the transmission of the examinance is application of the examinance in the little date of the examinance is the second of the examinance is application of the examinance in the little date of the examinance is the second of the examinance in the little date of the examinance is the second of the ex Fuller being a contractor of that city, and

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That doesn't signify. No house is the lowest on every thing, every time—perhaps the other fellow made a mistake and is sorry for it. Try us again, anyhow. Grand & Toy, Stationers and Printers, Wellington and Jordan-streets.

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Blickensderfer is the name of the typewriter which has created a revolution in typewriter prices. It does all the work of a \$120 machine and only costs \$45. Over 11,000 sold. Creelman Bros.' Typewriter Company, manufacturers, 19 Adelaide-street east.

Supt. Moves of the Metropolitan Street.

MARRIAGES.

At. Alkins-Russell.—At 165 Wellesley-crescent, on Wednesday evening, Oct. 7, 1896. by the Rev. A. Sanson, James Aikins to Ellen Florence (Nellie), daughter of Ald. John Russell.

WATKINS-CLARKE—At New York, by the Rev. E. Rosemmiller, Edward J. Wats to Lizzie Loudon Clarke, youngetted the served terms in the penitentiary for arson in the penitentiary f entence the penitentiary for bur-

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