

Apartment House Site

Near Carlton and Sherbourne Sts., 617-18, good brick building on lot which could be readily converted. H. H. WILLIAMS & CO., 25 King Street East.

The Toronto World

Space for Rent

New Standard Bank Building, King and Jordan; excellent light, good elevator, space attached to suit tenants. H. H. WILLIAMS & CO., 25 King Street East.

PROBS. Cloudy, with light falls of rain; stationary or higher temp.

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31ST YEAR

TAFT TO PROPOSE GENERAL LOWERING OF THE TARIFF

Will Go Far Beyond Reciprocity Arrangement at Extra Session, Says New York World—The Times Points Out That There is No Legal Restriction on Action of Extra Congress.

NEW YORK, March 4.—A special despatch from Washington to The New York World says:

It can be stated with authority that when the presidential message goes to the new congress April 4 it will direct the attention of congress to much more than the Canadian reciprocity treaty.

MR. TAFT, TAKING AS HIS TEXT WHAT HE SAID IN HIS MESSAGE TRANSMITTING THE CANADIAN AGREEMENT AND WHAT HE SAID MORE SUCCINCTLY IN HIS SPRINGFIELD SPEECH, IS EXPECTED TO PROPOSE A DOWNWARD REVISION IN TARIFFS ON THE NECESSITIES OF LIFE.

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Taft's Message

Whereas, by this special message, dated Jan. 26, 1911, there was transmitted to the senate and house of representatives an agreement between the department of state and the Canadian Government in regard to reciprocal tariff legislation, together with an earnest recommendation that the necessary legislation be promptly adopted;

AUTO VICTIM SUCCEUMS CLUE TO "JOY RIDERS"

Dundas Man Said to Be Owner of Car Which Cost Edward Jacobs' Life.

Edward Jacobs, who was run down by automobile joy-riders Friday night on Bloor-st. near Clinton-st., died in Grace Hospital at 5 o'clock yesterday, as a result of his injuries.

He had lived in Toronto for a number of years, carrying on a carpenter and repair business on West Queen-st.

AMERICAN CAR COMPANY TO BUILD WORKS IN B. C.

Has Been Making Enquiries Regarding Projected Plant of the B. C. Steel Corporation.

The British Columbia Steel Corporation, in which a charter has just been granted by the Dominion Government for the establishment of a large steel plant near Vancouver, has received a communication from the American Car and Foundry Company in which they signify their intention of establishing large works in connection with the former's steel plant.

Installed New Pastor. — Dean Brady was this morning installed by Bishop Downing as pastor of St. Basil's Roman Catholic Church, Father Lennon, who recently retired, held the pastorate for 23 years.

HE WILL NOT CHANGE



JACK CANUCK: No, son, not for me. I'll stick to the old shape.

MILLION DOLLAR FIRE SWEEPS MINNEAPOLIS

MINNEAPOLIS, March 5.—One of the most disastrous fires this city has ever known, destroyed today the syndicate block, on Nicollet-avenue, between Fifth and Sixth streets.

WOMAN TRACKED DOWN ALLEGED PICKPOCKETS

Had a Lively Chase, But She Nailed Her Quarry—Police Call Her "a Brick."

Hopping from a street car in front of the King Edward Hotel, and running pell mell back along King-street and up Yonge, during its most crowded period Saturday afternoon, Mrs. Florence Johnson, 499 East King-street, effected the discovery and arrest of two alleged pickpockets.

FIRST ROBIN SEEN

Red-Breasted Visitor Evidently Enjoyed Breaking the Record.

To J. B. Couthard of 33 Farnham-avenue belongs the honor of having seen the first robin of the season.

CONFESSION TO MURDER

Stabbed Victim in Neck and Smashed His Skull With Ax.

GAME TO CANADA TO AVOID THE TRUSTS

American Farmers in Alberta Oppose Reciprocity for Significant Reason — Will Sir Wilfrid Hold the Measure Over Till the Next Session of Parliament?

OTTAWA, March 5.—(Special).—It is stated to-day by influential Conservatives that the reciprocity agreement will not be adopted by the Canadian parliament before May 13, the date upon which Sir Wilfrid Laurier announces he will leave for England to attend the imperial conference.

The opposition to the agreement is daily growing stronger, but the most surprising news is from Alberta, to the effect that the American Farmers in that province are out against it for a very interesting reason. THEY STARE THAT THEY CAME TO CANADA TO AVOID THE OPERATION OF THE TRUSTS, WHICH HAVE BEEN CONTROLLED ON THIS SIDE OF THE LINE BY THE CUSTOMS AUTHORITIES.

They explain the farmers on the other side have not been receiving the price for their wheat, that the trusts indicate, that the individual farmers have been under the heel of the trusts. They declare that the complete removal of the tariff barriers will invite the operation of these trusts in Canada, and that it will do no good to the farmers on either side of the line.

WHO IS JEZEBEL?

So deep-rooted is sentiment against reciprocity in the peach belt of the Niagara Peninsula that even Sunday school teachers are drawing parallels to it. Yesterday a fruit-grower took advantage of the lesson to teach both patriotism and morality—the former of the former than the latter he is known, since he professes to be a good Tory.

A HEAT APICE.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier and President Taft have evidently arranged to force the reciprocity proposals thru congress and parliament at the earliest moment.

It is more than likely that Sir Wilfrid Laurier's speech to the commons this week will be largely an appeal for reciprocity on the grounds of international friendship and brotherly love—that friendship is more than trade and the good will of Uncle Sam more than the up-building of the interests of the people of Canada.

World Subscribers. — The author of "Smith" in which the famous John Drew will appear this week at the Princess is W. Somerset Maugham, one of the most popular of the younger English authors.