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DENOMINATIONAL RALLIES FOR TODAY

Four Meetings Take Up Laymen's Work

GOOD SPEAKERS HEARD

Missionary Responsibility of The Churches in Canada and in Foreign Lands and How The Responsibility Can be Discharged—Congress to Close Tonight

Denominational conferences constituted the programme for the Laymen's Missionary Convention today and separate gatherings were held by the denominations this morning and this afternoon. The Anglicans met in Trinity Church school room and were entertained at lunch at noon by the ladies' auxiliaries of the churches. The Presbyterians and Congregationalists met in St. David's and had lunch in White's restaurant. The Methodist conference was held in the Queen Square church and they will be entertained at supper there this evening. The Baptist rally was held in Brussells street church. The subject for the morning sessions was "The Missionary Responsibility of our Church (a) in Canada, (b) in Foreign Lands," and this afternoon the gatherings are considering the question "How can our Church Discharge this Responsibility?

The closing meeting of the convention will be held this evening in Centenary church.

Presbyterians and Congregationalists

The Presbyterian and Congregational conferences ni St. David's church lecture room was well attended. After devotional exercises conducted by Rev. A. D. Archibald, Rev. Gordon Dickie took the chair.

The first subject discussed was "Our Church and Her Task." and the leading speakers were Frank Milligan, student in the Presbyterian College, Halifax, and Rev., W. F. Gunn, D. D., general secretary of the Canadian Congregational Union.

Basing his remarks upon his experience as student missionary in various parts of New Brunswick Mr. Milligan earnestly contended that the responsibility of the church to bring the message of the gospel of Christ to the sparsely settled parts of the province was greater today than it ever had been. The problem of men faced them. He touched upon the questions of depletion of population in many sections and the possibilities of an effectual immigration policy.

Dr. Gunn outlined the growth and present day standing of the Congregational church in Canada. Coming to the common task of Presbyterian and Congregational churches alike, he spoke of the problem created by the tide of immigration, which for the first decade of this century has been twenty times as great as that into the United States in the first decade of last century. Canada was face to face with the great temptation of prosperity.

The primary need is the grasping of the outward vision in the local church. The first thought of the church should be to do work outside itself. The church must aim to develop the character of the young people of its own community. There was need for the growth of a greater spirit of brotherliness towards the foreign immigrants, to appreciate what is good in them, and to meet them on the ground of common humanity.

Rev. D. C. McGregor of the Board of Social Service and Evangelism emphasized the obligation of social service resting upon the church.

Rev. James Ross expressed himself as being impressed with the unbounded opportunity for preaching the gospel in our own land today, the great need for preachers and teachers, and the promise of better things in the future.

Rev. D. McOdrum convenor of the foreign mission committee turned the eyes of his audience to the foreign field. There was need for a change of emphasis. The church is not simply a fold, a home of rest, but the army of the Lord Jesus Christ and under His marching orders. "I am convinced," he said, "that after these days we cannot go back to our work satisfied with what we have already been doing."

Rev. S. J. McArthur laid the responsibility not only on the congregation as a unit, but on every member of the congregation. They were to reach the goal of the future by slow and steady step. God had been treasuring up in the heart of the church resources which would soon be tapped to flow out in greater supply than they now conceived. Both ministers and people of the Christian church could do more than they had yet done to meet the economic conditions of the province. Giving for missions did not impoverish the resources of the church.

In continuing the discussion, T. H. Somerville urged the practical setting aside, by each family, a definite amount for each year's offering to missions. He believed the portion between the congregational givings to local and outside work should be not eighty to twenty as at present but sixty to forty. He urged a more systematic method of information regarding the larger work of the church.

At the close of the business session the Presbyterian delegates met at one o'clock in White's restaurant for lunch. After the menu had been enjoyed addresses were delivered by Sir Andrew Fraser, Hon. J. K. Flemming and others.

Methodist Rally

The Methodist denominational rally convened in Queen Square church this morning with Rev. M. R. Knight in the chair and a large number present. After devotional exercises, the first subject "Our Church's Part in the Making of a Christian Nation," was presented by Rev. H. E. Thomas, who emphasized the church's part from (1) The present formative period in our country's life, (2) The unique mission of the Christian church. (3) The genius of the Methodist church.

Reference was made to the flood of immigration overspreading the land and by which the type of citizenship was being remade. The mission of the church is different from that of any club, secret society, labor organization or reform association. Its purpose was to impart the life of God to the soul of man. By striking facts, the influence of the Methodist church upon the national life was shown. The church never had need to apologize for her attitude in moral reform, nor had she waited for public sentiment to urge her forward but had possessed sufficient Christian statesmanlike vision to follow the direction of God's finger and lead forth her people in the front rank of all moral and social reform.

Rev. T. Marshall, superintendent of missions, reported on "Our Work in this Province," giving in detail conditions as they exist today.

Rev. C. A. Farrell, B. A., associate secretary of missions, presented the subject "Our Foreign Missionary Work." He referred to the literature issued by the department which set forth fully the character of the work In these eastern provinces there were problems just as great and demanding as much heart and brain power as any found in the west. The western civilization was more plastic than that of these mature eastern provinces.

In every problem there was one vital point which, if reached, meant the solution. The need of the hour was spiritual, a vision of Christ and His purpose being the true solution of all missionary problems.

Rev. E. W. Wallace, B. A., B. D., missionary from China, spoke on "Our Work in China," making reference to the responsibility and opportunities which the work afforded. At a conservative estimate the Methodist church was responsible for 12,000,000 Chinese.

Dr. Inch submitted a resolution intended to be submitted to the public meeting of the congress tonight. Discussion followed the various subjects.

Baptists

The United Baptist delegates to the Laymen's Congress met in conference in the Brussels street church at ten o'clock. J. W. Spurden of Fredericton presided. The theme of the morning was "The Missionary Responsibility of Our Churches."

The discussion of the responsibility in Canada was opened by Rev. W. C. Senior of Toronto. The speaker emphasized the importance of deep spirited life and prayer as basic in all that they attempted to do. Spiritual vitality and missionary activity reached upon each other. As New Testament churches they ought to be especially missionary, yet in the best churches only about 25 per cent. of the membership systematically contributing to missions. The work was to secure the co-operation of the other 75 per cent.

There were many members going west who drifted away from church connection The speaker urged some co-operation between east and west with a view to keeping in touch with these people. He urged the training of laymen for greater variety of Christian service, and emphasized the development of the laymen as an important step in the solution of many problems. The organized adult class movement was referred to as an effective means of training the laymen.

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WEATHER BULLETIN

Issued by authority of the department of Marine and Fisheries. R. F. Stupart, director of meteorological service.

Temperature Past 24 Hours.

	Max.	Min.	Dir.	Vel.	
Toronto	34	18	N.	4	Clear
Montreal	30	20	W.	4	Fair
Quebec	30	18	N.W.	12	Fair
Chatham	34	26	N.W.	8	Fair
Yarmouth	40	32	N.	20	Cloudy
Halifax	38	30	N.	24	Cloudy
Sydney	42	34	N.E.	24	Rain
Sable Island	50	36	N.E.	40	Rain
St. John	34	26	N.W.	26	Fair
Boston	42	28	N.W.	24	Clear
New York	44	28	N.	36	Clear
Bermuda	74	62	N.W.	28	Fair

Bulletin from Central Office.

Forecasts—Decreasing northwest to north winds, fair and colder, Thursday, fine and cold.

Synopsis—A depression which has developed rapidly now covers Newfoundland, causing high northerly winds in the Maritime Provinces. To banks and American ports, northwest to north winds, increasing tonight.

Local Weather Report at Noon.

Highest temperature during last 24 hrs, 34
Lowest temperature during last 24 hrs, 26
Temperature at noon 29
Humidity at noon 74
Barometer readings at noon (sea level and 32 degrees Fah.), 29.76 inches
Wind at noon: Direction, N.W., velocity 28 miles per hour. Fine.
Same date last year: Highest temperature, 14; lowest, 27. Cloudy.

LEON LING MAY BE CAPTURED

Sought for Two Years for Murderer of Elsie Sigel in New York

Cleveland, Ohio, Nov. 22 — (Canadian Press)—The arrest of Leon Ling, sought for two years or more for the murder of Elsie Segel, in New York, may follow the action of the Cleveland police, who have telegraphed the authorities of a Texas city, asking them to locate Ling.

Information on which the police acted reached them as the result of a Tong feud.

SIR ANDREW ON A TRIP OF INSPECTION

Distinguished Visitor Sees Harbor Work and Courtenay Bay and is Much Impressed

Sir Andrew Fraser, who is here in connection with the Laymen's Missionary Convention, was taken around the city this morning in order to have a look at the improvements which have been made at this port. They left the Union Depot about eleven o'clock this morning in the private car Rosemere of William Downie general superintendent of the C. P. R. Atlantic division, and went to Sand Point where the wharves, grain elevator and other winterport facilities were inspected.

After finishing the inspection at the point, Sir Andrew and those accompanying him were taken around to Market Slip in automobiles and there boarded a gasoline launch and were conveyed to Courtenay Bay, where a further inspection was made. Sir Andrew was told of the improvements which were planned to be made, and he was greatly impressed with the opportunities afforded there. He was taken across Courtenay Bay to the site of the ship building plant and said that in his opinion the location was an ideal one.

The party returned to the city about one o'clock, and Sir Andrew went immediately to the luncheon of Presbyterians and Congregationalists at Bond's. He told several members of the party that, with the opportunities afforded for shipping here, this port ought to become the leading port of Canada within a few years.

Those in the party included James F. Robertson, James Manchester, Dr. J. W. Daniel, Richard O'Brien, William Downie and J. K. Scammell.

DOCTOR AND NURSE ARE UNDER ARREST

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 22—Doctor Robert McGregor and Miss Margaret Gibbs, a nurse, were arested today. It is charged they did not tell all they knew in their testimony at the inquest into the deaths of John Wesley Sparling and his three sons. Suspicions of arsenic poisoning have been raised in connection with the four deaths. Sparling died in 1908 in a hospital in London, Ont. Peter, the eldest son, died in July 1910, and Albert, the second son died last May. Cyril died in August. After the latter's death Albert's body was exhumed.

UNIONIST VICTORY

London, Nov. 22—The hitherto radical stronghold of South Somerset has gone over to the Unionists. Hon. A. Herbert has been elected to the vacancy caused by the raising of Sir Edward Strachey to the peerage. His majority was 148.

This is the second Unionist gain since Bonar Law became leader of the Unionist party.

THE VALLEY RAILWAY

Woodstock, N. B., Nov. 22—(Special)—Donald Munro, M. P. P., George E. Balmain, Wm. Sutton and J. N. W. Winslow returned this afternoon from Centreville where Hon. J. K. Flemming addressed a meeting last night outlining the Valley Railway agreement. The contract for building the road will be signed with the Gould Company within a few days. Location surveyors are here.

WHITNEY TO TAKE UP IDEA OF CONFERENCE OF PREMIERS

Toronto, Nov 22—(Canadian Press)—The holding of an inter-provincial conference of provincial premiers in Ottawa will likely be promoted by Sir James Whitney after the elections are over. He will confer, it is expected, with Sir Lomer Gouin, premier of Quebec, regarding arrangements for the meeting, which will be held next spring.

With the Borden government in power in Ottawa and five of the nine provincial premiers Conservatives, the conference may have a far reaching effect. The question of the representation of the maritime provinces in the House of Commons, arranging regarding provincial subsidies and the apportionment of sums to the provinces for agriculture and roads are some of the important matters which will likely come before the premiers.

A. L. HAINING IS HOME FROM SASKATOON ON A VISIT

A. L. Haining, a former St. John man, who has met with success in the west, is in the city today, registered at the Royal. Mr. Haining was formerly with Emerson & Fisher in this city, but has abandoned the hardware business and is now in real estate, in which he has met with encouragement. He will leave this week on his return to Saskatoon, where he has located for about three years.

MRS. FRANCIS KELLY OF WOODSTOCK DIED TODAY

Woodstock, N. B., Nov. 22—Mrs. Eunice Kelly, wife of Francis Kelly aged forty, died today. She is survived by her husband, one son, Fred; a brother, Detective Chas. Mulherrin of Winnipeg and a half brother, Thomas McCafferty of Millinocket Maine. She was a prominent member of the Ladies Auxiliary of the A. O. H., and until recently was treasurer.

PEOPLE OF NOTE WHO FIGURE IN THE NEWS DESPATCHES OF TODAY

Sarah Bernhardt Denies She is to Marry Actor—Laborers Hold Up Royal Party—London Church Sensation

(Canadian Press)

Paris, Nov. 22—Sarah Bernhardt indignantly denies the report that she is to marry Lou Legellon, a twenty-six year old Flemish actor. When a correspondent called at Madame Bernhardt's house last night to enquire about the report, he encountered a French journalist who had been on the same errand, making a hasty exit, after having barely escaped having his ears boxed.

Boulevard gossip credits the great actress with always having a youthful attendant on whom she lavishes her generosity. The gossip has it that Legello occupies this position at present, and has replaced the crocodiles and lion cubs of former days.

Amsterdam, Nov. 22—While the prince consort and several courtiers were hunting yesterday near Hetloo, their path was suddenly barred by a score of laborers, carrying spades and one who had a gun. They refused to allow the royal party to pass and they were obliged to retrace their steps. They were followed by hisses and shouts from the men. The incident is not explained.

London, Nov. 22—Much talk has been aroused in society circles by an official announcement in the London Gazette that the appointment of Rev. F. H. Farrar, son of the late Dean Farrar as domestic chaplain to King George and Queen Mother Alexandra, are cancelled. It is also reported by the Daily Express that he has resigned the living of Sandringham.

GOOD WORD FROM THE MISSIONARIES RECEIVED HERE

Rev. Dr. Stephenson, one of the secretaries of the Methodist Missionary Society, who is now in the city, has received from Toronto the following copy of a despatch from Shanghai, dated Nov. 21, concerning missionaries who, it was feared, might have been murdered:—

"The following missionaries have arrived at Shanghai:—Rev. A. C. Hoffman and family, Rev. C. J. T. Jolliffe and family, Rev. Arthur Hockin (son of Rev. Dr. Hackin of Nova Scotia) and family, Rev. W. B. Albertson and family, Rev. R. J. W. Henderson and family, Rev. A. J. Elson and family, Rev. T. W. Bateman and family, Rev. R. B. McArmmon and family, Dr. Crawford and family, Rev. G. G. Harris and family; also, Misses Switzer and Norman. Others may be expected to arrive any day."

HOCKEY LEAGUE MATTER STILL HANGS FIRE

Moncton, N. B., Nov. 22—(Special) — Again the professional hockey proposition hangs fire. There will be no meeting in Halifax tonight, and Moncton will send no delegates. An indefinite adjournment has been made until such time as more tangible evidence is shown that at least four teams will enter.

A movement has been on foot all week in an endeavor to correctly ascertain the attitude of New Glasgow, Stellarton and Amherst. Moncton and Halifax would contribute in all three teams, but the promoters demand a fourth. It looks now as though Amherst and Stellarton were hopeless cases. Mason of New Glasgow will not himself enter a team, but will lease the rink to any one who wants it, and plans are now under way to comply with his wishes.

Although the outlook is somewhat blue, promoters, locally, have not by any means given up hope that New Glasgow may be represented.

HARNESSED WIFE WITH MULE TEAM TO HARROW A FIELD

Liberty, Mo., Nov. 22—Lafayette Choat pleaded guilty to a charge of having harnessed his wife with a team of mules and compelled her to help harrow a field. He was sentenced to thirty days' imprisonment.

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BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Chancellor C. C. Jones and Supt. W. S. Carter are in the city today to attend a meeting of the board of education this afternoon.

SCOTCH CURLERS.

At a meeting of the Thistle Curling Club last evening arrangements were discussed in connection with the visit of the Scotch curlers and committees were appointed to attend to the details.

THOUSAND DOLLAR BILL IS PRICE OF THIS MAN'S FOLLY

San Francisco, Nov. 22—Sigurad Hartig, a real estate dealer, formerly of Cincinnati, accidentally lit a cigarette with a $1,000 bill yesterday. He intended to burn only the end of a bit of yellow paper protruding from the edge of the bill, for the edification of his friends.

"Give me a light Sig," said Haller, seizing the bill. Before Hartig could recover the bill, it was in flames. The men quarrelled and were separated by a detective.

C.N.R. MAN IS HERE TO INTERVIEW GOVERNMENT

A meeting of the provincial government will be held here this afternoon, following a session of the Board of Education at two o'clock. The premier, Hon. J. K. Flemming, and other members of the government arrived this morning.

Thomas Howell, special immigration agent of the Canadian Northern Railway, formerly connected with the Salvation Army, is in the city today and will appear before the meeting of the government in connection with the immigration plans of the railway and the province.

J. T. Carter, K. C., of Andover, is also in the city to intervied the government.

BURNED TO DEATH ON EVE OF WEDDING

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 22—M. F. Torphy was burned to death yesterday afternoon. He had rubbed his body with alcohol after taking a bath, and the alcohol caught fire from an open grate. He was to have been married today.

TORONTO WANTS NEW FEDERAL BUILDINGS TO BE ERECTED

Toronto, Nov. 22—A delegation from the Toronto Board of Trade and city council, will leave tonight for Ottawa to urge on the dominion government the advisability of erecting new federal buildings in this city, and locating them on the proposed federal square.

FREDERICTON NEWS

Fredericton, N. B., Nov. 22—(Special)—At a meeting of the directors of the Fredericton Park Association last night a deficit of $250 on the season was reported. It was made up by the members. Unless the public gives horse racing better support the association will hold no more meets.

Darcy McGrath will be manager of the Arctic skating rink during the coming winter. It is not yet known what Fredericton will do in hockey but the Marysville Crescents have taken steps toward organization.

Cleared in Farmers Bank Case

Toronto, Nov. 22—Without leaving their seats, the jury returned a verdict of not guilty yesterday, on the advice of Justice Riddell, thus completely exonorating W. J. Lindsay of the charge of conspiring with W. R. Travers and others to obtain a charter for the defunct Farmer's Bank.

ROSSANO ARRIVES

The coal steamer Rossano, Captain Bailey, which was reported overdue, arrived in port this morning at two o'clock with a cargo of coal for the Dominion Coal Company. The steamer left Sydney on Friday last and a had a pretty rough trip. She was about twenty-four hours late. The Rossano is about the largest steamer that has been in the coal trade to this port, being 2367 tons. She is owned by the Furness Withy Co.

DIED SUDDENLY.

Dr. Edward Meany, whose wife was Miss Sarah Ross of St. John, died suddenly yesterday at his home in Ithaca, New York Besides his wife there were with him at the time William Thomas, manager of the Bank of New Brunswick in Sussex, and Mrs. Thomas, his brother-in-law and sister-in-law respectively. They had been called there on account of his serious illness.

SHIPPING NOTES.

The Furness liner Shenandoah, Captain Trinick, will sail tonight for London via Halifax.

The steamer Pejepscot arrived in port today with a barge loaded with 450 cords of wood in tow, on her way from St. Martins for Bath, Me.

MURDERS WIFE IN MONTREAL STREET

She Was Going Home From Work To Her Babes

MRS. CUMMINGS SHOT DOWN

Nineteen-Year-Old Scotch Matron Had Separated From Him After Hearing Story That He Had Wife and Family When He Married Her

(Canadian Press)

Montreal, Nov. 22—The police are scouring the city today, but without a clue, to locate John Cummings, who early last evening, walked up to his nineteen year old wife in the street and shot her dead without a word of warning, as she was hurrying home from work, walking along with a young man who boarded in the same house. Mrs. Cummings was employed in the Canadian Company's works, and at home her two babies—one eighteen months old, the other three months, were waiting her return.

As she was walking with Edwin L. Packer, Cummings walked up and shot her down. Mrs. Cummings was killed instantly, the first bullet penetrating her body from the back, and the second striking her in the face, under the left eye. Cummings disappeared after the shooting, and today he has utterly dropped from sight, as the police can find no trace of him.

Packer said he heard the report of a revolver shot, Mrs. Cummings uttered a cry of pain, and as she half turned in falling, he saw Cummings shoot her in the face, exclaiming at the same time: "It's me, Bella. This is for you." Packer, fearing Cummings would kill him, too, ran into a gateway nearby and tried to get into one of the houses by a back door. Then he threw on his overcoat, thinking Cummings would not recognize him, and ran back into the street.

Cummings had not been living with his wife recently. He had been boarding, but had not occupied his room for a week. He had been drinking heavily for a month.

The dead woman's mother declared this morning, that about a year ago she learned from a friend in Glasgow that Cummings was already a married man, when he married her daughter, and that he had a wife and child living in a suburb of Glasgow. Mrs. Cameron came to Montreal last May, and informed her daughter of what she had learned. The couple then parted company. A few days ago Cummings met his wife in the street and asked her about her escort, who was Packer. Last night he shot her at the same spot where he met her before.

LATER.

Montreal, Nov. 22—Cummings has been arrested.

IT COSTS ITALY A PRETTY PENNY

Government Authorizes Expenditure of $65,000,000 War Cost Up to End of November

Rome, Nov. 22— (Canadian Press) — The government has authorized an extraordinary expenditure of $65,000,000 to cover the cost of the war until the end of November. It is reported that 25,000 more men will be sent to the front.

General Caneva reports that the grenadiers yesterday attacked a horde of Arabs with the bayonet and killed forty-five of them. Aeroplanes reconnoitred the desert and dropped a bomb in a Turkish camp. An Italian warship bombarded and burned the village of Amrass. Night attacks at Derna and Leburk were repulsed. A general attack of Turks and Arabs on the Italian force is reported to be imminent.

LLOYD GEORGE'S BILL IS SOMEWHAT SHEARED

Insurance Measure, Modified in Detail, Goes Through Committee Stage

London, Nov. 22—Chancellor Lloyd George's insurance bill, considerably amended and modified in detail, passed through the committee stage in the House of Commons last night.

CANADIANS CAPTURE HORSE SHOW HONORS

New York, Nov. 22 —Canada carried off the honors in the feature event of the National Horse show last night. Sixteen officers' horses, including the pick of the United States cavalry, the Irish horse artillery, the English cavalry, Canadian militia and Belgian army, were displayed in a broad water jump competition for a cup and cash prize, but only one succeeded in wholly clearing the water.

The winner was "Be Thankful," owned by Major Joseph Kilgour, of the Queens Own Rifles, Toronto, and ridden by Lieut. Allan Case of the same regiment. In the judging of hunters, the blue ribbons went to the entries of Hon. Adam Beck of London, Ont.

BRITISH NAVY MEN PUT THE BLAME ON THE OLYMPIC

London, Nov. 22—At the hearing yesterday into the collision of the steamer Olympic and the British naval cruiser Hawke, Commander Bluet said that under the rules for navigation the Olympic ought to have given the Hawke more room. The cruiser already was hugging the buoys and unable to give way while the liner had a mile of deep water on the other side of her.

Lieut. Aylin, the navigating officer of the Hawke, estimated that the suction from the Olympic dragged the cruiser half her length from her normal course.

CANADIAN DRUGGISTS TO HOLD CONVENTION IN VANCOUVER

Toronto, Nov. 22—The council of the Ontario College of Pharmacy is planning for a big party of eastern druggists to visit Vancouver next August for the annual meeting of the Canadian Pharmaceutical Association.

A special train from Toronto to Vancouver will probably be chartered. The maritime and Quebec druggists will assemble here.

TOOK WEEK TO BURGLARIZE HOUSE

New York, Nov. 22—Bensonhurst, L. I., with its sparsity of policemen, has become as a sweet biscuit to burglars, which the latest event in the housebreaking line—the theft of $5,000 worth of silver-ware, jewelry, paintings, bric-a-brac and furniture from the home of George Felix of No. 77 Bay Thirty-second street amply demonstrates.

It is perhaps the most leisurely burglary on record. The burglars took their own good time about it, cleaning out the house of everything that hinted of possessing a ready cash value. They spent a week in looting the house. The morning milk and bread rolls were regularly gathered from other porches.

MAY AVERT CRISIS

Japan Nears Solution of Trouble Over the Financial Problem

Tokio, Nov. 22 — The cabinet crisis threatened by the finance minister's demand for wholesale cuts in the budget will probably be averted. Although the ministerial council reached no decision yesterday and the ministers refused to comply with Yamamoto's demands, it became known today that some progress has been made, and the disputed points in the budget are now reducible to a matter of a few million yen.

It is hoped that a decision will be reached on Friday.

SERIOUS OUTLOOK FOR CANADA

Country to Be Buried Under Ice And Snow, But Some Thousands of Years From Now

Toronto, Nov. 22—While optimistic patriots exhaust their vocabularies in painting the glorious future of Canada, Prof. A. P. Coleman, an eminent geologist, grimly predicted in the course of a chatty address before the Business Women's Club last night that this future might, indeed probably would, be wiped out by another glacial period, when the country would be covered with bleak reaches of ice and snow as it had been twice before in the dim past.

"If the ice came twice, it might easily come three times," said the professor. "However, I think it is probably several thousand years away."

BURIED TODAY.

The funeral of Mrs. John Shannon was conducted this afternoon from her late residence, in Leinster street to the cathedral where Rev. M. E. O'Brien officiated at the services. Interment was in the old Catholic cemetery.

AUSTRALIA WANTS WHAT CANADA HAS REJECTED

(Canadian Press)

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 22—Neil Neilsen, a member of the Australian parliament, empowered by his government to negotiate the primaries of a reciprocity treaty with the United States, arrived yesterday and will proceed at once to Washington.

Other missions will engage Mr. Neilsen while in this country. One of them is to study irrigation in the western states.

"Australia feels the need of stimulation of trade with the United States," said Mr. Neilsen. "We have wool and hardwoods and other things that this country needs, and which will furnish a basis of reciprocal trade.