

### AN IMPORTATION OF LIVE STOCK FOR NEW BRUNSWICK

#### Mr. A. H. Thomson Bringing Out Pure Bred Cattle and Horses.

The Secretary for Agriculture, Mr. W. W. Hubbard, has been notified that Mr. A. H. Thomson, the well-known importer of live stock, will arrive in Quebec on the S. S. Athenia on the 22nd inst. with an importation of both cattle and horses for New Brunswick.

The animals are all pure bred and the importation includes Clydesdale stallions and three-year old mares, and a number of choice Ayreshires from Scotland and twelve dairy Shorthorn bulls from English breeders.

The Clydesdales will be forwarded to Fredericton immediately upon their arrival, and offered for sale here.

The cattle will have to remain in quarantine at Quebec until the 16th of June, when they will be brought to this province and offered at auction.

Further details will be given later, probably soon after Mr. Thomson's arrival here.

During the past winter Mr. Thomson brought out an importation of stock which included some very fine specimens of Percheron horses.

Agricultural societies will find this a splendid chance to get good stock for their districts. All enquiries may be addressed to the Department of Agriculture, Fredericton.

Vancouver, B. C., April 19—Answering a summons for aid by Railway Officials, Constable Lane was killed last evening by a band of hoboes numbering at least seven who had boarded the Seattle Express as it pulled out on the Canadian side of the Sumas. The hoboes were seated at their ease and defying the Conductor in the smoking car when the Constable arrived. He at once ordered them off, but his orders were met with a volley of oaths. The Constable seeing that further parley was useless resorted to force, and, with the help of the train crew grabbed two of the men and rushed them toward the door. The Constable was thrown to the floor, and the brakeman, conductor and fireman finally succeed in getting rid of the men. A hasty examination of Lane revealed the injuries inflicted by many feet. He died later. Three men have been arrested charged with the murder.

### GENERAL ELECTION IN THE FALL

#### Tory Rumor to This Effect Circulated in Ottawa

Ottawa, April 22—It is rumored in Tory circles that the Government intends to appeal to the country in the fall.

### SAW HER BABY BURNED TO DEATH

#### Mother was Powerless to Render Aid.

New York, April 23—Rigid with horror and powerless to speak or move while the tragic occurrence was in progress, Mrs. Adolph Kober saw her year-old son burned to death within her reach in his baby carriage Thursday.

Mrs. Kober was unable to speak to her brother-in-law, when he rushed in and saw the blazing carriage. Ignorant of the baby's presence, Kober dashed water on the carriage and wrapped carpet about it until the flames were smothered. Five minutes later, when he removed the carpet and saw the charred body of his nephew he uttered a cry of amazement and grief and turned to his sister-in-law. She was still there, transfixed.

It was 20 minutes before the horror-stricken mother could speak and then she immediately became hysterical and collapsed.

### Roosevelt Active In The Rain

Budapest, April 18—A heavy rainstorm this afternoon did not prevent Mr. Roosevelt from disposing of an exceedingly strenuous programme. This included a luncheon at the Parliament House and a sight-seeing tour, which comprised his visit to the unique agricultural museum, where Mr. Roosevelt was especially interested in the conversation and reforestation work of Hungary.

A portion of the day was taken up with a call on Francis Kosuth, leader of the United Opposition, who is ill, a visit to Washington monument erected by the Hungarian-American federation, an inspection of the studio of Zala, the Hungarian sculptor, a reception to the members of the American colony at the Consulate, and a reception to the Hungarian journalists at the hotel.

### LABORITES WIN IN AUSTRALIA

#### Defeat Government by Large Majority in General Elections.

Sydney, Australia, April 21—The following are complete results in the general elections of the 13th. Labor 44, Fusionists; 28, Independent; 1, Independent Liberals 2.

At dissolution the fusionists numbered 44, Labor and Independent Liberals, 5.

The Laborites captured nine seats in Victoria, five in New South Wales, two in Tasmania and one each in Queensland and South Australia.

The Fusionists captured a seat in West Australia.

In the senatorial elections the Labor candidates are leading in all states except Victoria.

Women polled largely everywhere. The unpopularity of the Fusionists in the industrial centres was demonstrated. The Laborites also polled well for the senate.

The Labor party's programme includes protection and state-regulated wages; compulsory military service; Australian navy built out of revenue; nationalization of monopolies; graduated land tax; restriction of public borrowing; government insurance against unemployment.

The Fusionists in their program announced their intention to uphold federal union; maintain a policy of protection; amend the electoral roll; establish a white Australia; develop Australian naval and military forces; assumption by the commonwealth of the states' debts; promotion of economy in public expenditure and assertion of the principle the members should be directly responsible to the people for their votes and actions.

The great question between the two parties is the government's proposal, which is bitterly condemned by the Laborites, to embody in the constitution a provision for annual payment by the commonwealth to the states of 25 shillings per head of the latter's population.

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### NEW CONFESSION OF FAITH

New Haven Conn., April 20—A new confession of faith, which drops the Apostle's creed and requires no formal expression as to the divinity of Christ, has been adopted by the deacons and will be presented for adoption by the Centre Church (Congregational) of this city. The church had strictly held to Puritan orthodoxy for more than two and a half centuries, having been founded in 1638.

New members will only have to pledge themselves to belief in a higher life and to moral purposes. The old confession of faith will be spread upon the records of the church as a historical relic.

### NEBRASKAN TOWN GETS AFTER BARBERS

Waterloo, Nebraska, April 23—An order has been passed by the city council and signed by the mayor which among other things provides: "It shall be unlawful for any barber while shaving a customer to insert his thumb or finger in the said customer's mouth. He shall not discuss the gossip of the town, and shall not use tobacco while working over a chair; shall not insist upon a customer having his neck shaved or his hair singed." A violation shall subject the barber to a fine of \$5.

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