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**CANADA'S ATTITUDE AT
COMING CONFERENCE**

Britain Awaits Some Declaration From This Colony

A Feeling That the Suggestions of 1902 for Preferential Trade Should be Re-Affirmed—The Times Comment

LONDON, Feb. 23.—The publication of the official agenda for the colonial conference gives special importance to the proposal in Montreal last Monday at the banquet of the insurance institute that the time had come for Canada to make some offer to the British Empire.

The official agenda shows how decisive the attitude in all other self-governing colonies. In the Australian commonwealth the government which has just returned to power after the general election, re-affirms the resolutions of the 1902 conference in favor of preferential trade and adds "it is desirable that the United Kingdom grant preferential treatment to the products and manufactures of colonies."

The Cape Colony government while re-affirming the resolutions of 1902 and adhering to the principle of reciprocity for British manufactures "desires to impress upon His Majesty's government the opinion that a continuance of such preferential treatment as is afforded producers and manufacturers of Britain is largely dependent upon the granting of some reciprocal privileges to the British colonies."

The government of New Zealand while also endorsing the preference to British goods considers it essential that British manufactures should be granted some preference to colonial products which are now taxed under the existing British revenue tariff.

Canada alone makes no suggestions though, as the Times says in an editorial today, "When form they took the ideas of that great colony, which is foremost among the states of the Empire, would be received with interest and attention second to none."

It is felt that Canada's position at the conference would be greatly strengthened if she came into line with these other colonial utterances by re-affirming by resolution of the Dominion Parliament her desire as was formally expressed by Canadian ministers at the 1902 conference, that in the interests of Canada and the whole empire "The Imperial Government should accept the principle of preferential trade generally and grant to the food products of Canada exemption from the United Kingdom from the duties now levied or heretofore imposed."

Other colonial governments feel it necessary without any way interfering with British politics and speaking solely in the interests of their own colonies and empires at large to reaffirm their attitude of 1902. Re-affirmation by Canada on similar lines would formally bring before the conference the attitude of the Dominion Government as explained by Mr. Fielding's budget speech last November.

WOMEN DON'T WANT VOTES.
Thousands of all Classes Busy in Anti-Suffragette Movement.

LONDON, Feb. 23.—The women's anti-suffrage movement, an account of which was carried by The Sun a few days ago, is growing in strength. The secretary of the London branch says it is having extraordinary results. An enormous number of women are giving their adhesion to it.
Thousands of letters have been received expressing the view that when women obtain the right to vote they will lose their status and influence. The first petition to the Prime Minister men will have 30,000 signatures, among them being some of the best known names in the country alongside those of factory girls, who are enthusiastic anti-voters.
The promoters of the movement cite the letter of an educated New Zealand woman, deploring the effect of enfranchising women there and begging the motherland to pause before embracing the error.

WRANGLE OVER STAMPS.
Fifteen Thousand Dollars Spent in Suit Between Man and Wife.

PARIS, Feb. 23.—M. Lebon and his wife have spent \$15,000 on law in Paris in a wrangle over the possession of a collection of postage stamps.
The two decided to procure a divorce, and everything was arranged amicably as regards the division of their money and household effects. But both were ardent philatelists, and when the stamp collection was mentioned M. Lebon claimed it, because he had started the collection when a boy at school.
The courts decided today that an expert should be engaged to divide the collection equitably.

**INDIANA OFFICIAL
IMPRISONED IN SAFE**

Had Entered Vault to Get Some Papers and Door Swung To.

FORT WYNNIE, Ind., Feb. 23.—Ed. G. Wilson, president of the Board of Trustees of the Indiana School for Feeble Minded Youth, had a harrowing experience today as a result of unwittingly locking himself in the vault in his office. Mr. Wilson had entered the vault to get some papers, and while thus engaged the door swung to and he heard the lock click behind him before he realized that he was a prisoner.
The imprisoned man resorted to every kind of outcry that he could invent, but no one was attracted by it. He was conscious that the sound of his voice hardly reached the office through the thick walls of the vault, but he continued his efforts to attract attention for more than an hour. After being imprisoned for what seemed an age, he heard some one enter the office. He renewed his cries for help, and as soon as the sound of his voice could be definitely located the door was unlocked and the imprisoned man was set at liberty.

EVELYN THAW'S ANCESTRY

English Newspapers Discover Various Facts About Her Father.

LONDON, Feb. 23.—The newspapers print stories from Glasgow and Edinburgh to the effect that the discovery has just been made that Evelyn Nesbit, the wife of Harry Thaw, now on trial in New York for the killing of Stanford White, was born in a toll-house on the Queensferry road near Edinburgh.
The stories say that her father, who is a railway plate layer, still lives in Edinburgh. Her mother was an American ten years ago, taking Evelyn with her. Before this Evelyn attended Davidson Main's village school, whose teacher remembers her as a bonnie, fair haired child, with beautiful features. The villagers remember her also.
Another version is that Evelyn's mother left fifteen years ago, and that her father is now working in an oil producing village in the Scottish Midlands.

**GHOST TO SPEND MONEY
HE LEAVES CHURCH**

KOKOMO, Ind., Feb. 23.—Accompanying a bequest of \$50,000 to the Swedish Lutheran Church of this city by George W. Deffenbaugh, a wealthy, but eccentric citizen, is the condition that his spirit shall be elected a member of the board of trustees of the organization, which shall be allowed to spend the money in the church of his faith, Mr. Deffenbaugh leaves goodly sums to his wife and children. They are not satisfied with his bequest to the church, and take the ground, in a contest recently filed, that he was not of sound mind.
Mr. Deffenbaugh was not a spiritualist. His decree that his spirit should participate in proceedings incident to carrying out the bequest.
Details for the dissemination of the "heavenly doctrine," as he terms it, are given in the will. He names the board of trustees, two of whom are his sons. In addition to providing thus for the church of his faith, Mr. Deffenbaugh leaves goodly sums to his wife and children. They are not satisfied with his bequest to the church, and take the ground, in a contest recently filed, that he was not of sound mind.
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MORMON EMIGRANTS BARRED.
Swiss Police Department Restricts Exodus to Salt Lake City.

GENEVA, Feb. 23.—The police department of Bern and the cantons of Thurgovie have issued warnings and threats to the people not to emigrate to Salt Lake City.
Mormon missionaries have obtained many converts, almost exclusively young girls, in these two cantons, and letters which have been received from some of them are now published by the police.

From this it appears that the girls were tempted away by the most glowing accounts of life in Utah, but that when they arrived and had spent what money they possessed they were turned out on the streets.
An interpellation on the subject is shortly to be made in the Swiss Parliament.

RECTOR AS A STEEPLEJACK.

CARDIFF, Feb. 23.—The rector of St. Michael's church, Bath, who is an enthusiastic mountaineer, climbed the steeple of his church with a scaling ladder recently to satisfy himself concerning its safety.

RELIC OF THE ROMANS FOUND.

LONDON, Feb. 23.—A beautiful tessellated Roman pavement was discovered at Colchester yesterday during the levelling of a new green for the Colchester Bowling Club.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

ONE CENT PER WORD per issue is all it costs to insert advertisements like those appearing below in the lively columns of THE SUN or STAR. This ensures them being read in 6,500 St. John homes every evening, and by 7,000 people during the day. SUN and STAR Classified ads. are veritable little busybodies.

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TO LET—Some self-contained flats from seven to six rooms, with modern improvements. Apply to WILLIAM HUMPHREYS, 118 St. James street. 23-11

TO LET—Flat 207 Duke street, third house from corner of Carmarthen. Apply on premises. 13-6

TO LET—Flat of five rooms. Apply to GEORGE MITCHELL, 223 Brussels street. 27-2-6

STORE TO RENT—Now occupied by McLaren Belling Co., 189 Prince Wm. street. For particulars apply to F. J. LYNCH, 141 Paradise Row. 27-2-11

TO LET—From May 1st, self-contained flat No. 177 Duke street, now occupied by P. G. Hall, containing 3 rooms and bath room, hot and cold water. Electric light and gas. Can be seen Monday and Friday afternoons. Apply C. E. HARDING, Tel. 949. 23-2-07

TO LET—From May 1st, premises now occupied by Dr. J. S. Bentley, 207 Charlotte. Can be seen between 5 and 6 p. m. Apply R. S. CRAIG, 142 Princess. 27-2-6

TO LET—May 1st. That desirable suite of offices on ground floor Ring Building, Germain street, hot water heating and modern conveniences. Present occupant Metropolitan Insurance Company. Apply NORMAN L. MCGLOAN, 45 Princess. 23-2-6

TO LET—House 38 Garden street, eight rooms and bathroom. Can be seen Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3 to 5. Apply M. G. ADAMS, 164 Sydney street. 15-2-11

TO LET—On Carleton street. Upper flat in house, 42 Carleton street. Can be seen Mondays and Tuesdays from 3 to 5. 23-2-11

TO RENT—From now, the three story building, 32 Dock street, now occupied by the Flood Piano and Organ Co. Apply on premises. 23-2-6

TO LET—On Dorchester street, self-contained house, 55 Dorchester street. Apply 113 Charlotte street. Can be seen Thursdays. 23-2-11

SHOP TO LET—At 103 Main street. Enquire J. E. COWAN, 99 Main street. 12-2-11

SHOP FOR SALE OR TO LET—Small freehold property, 230 Prince William street. G. S. FISHER & CO. 15-2-11

TO LET—At 158 Waterloo street, lower flat, hot and cold water. Can be seen Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3 to 5. Apply M. G. ADAMS, 164 Sydney street. 15-2-11

TO LET—Three flats and shop on the corner of St. John and Charlotte streets. Flats can be seen on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons. Apply to DANIEL MULLIN, Pagsley Building. 12-2-11

TO LET—Three flats to let. One in rear and two in front of 17 St. Paul street. Apply to MRS. E. STEELE on premises. 9-2-11

TO LET—Self-contained flat, two rooms with bath, hot and cold water, hot water heating. Can be seen Monday, Wednesday and Saturday afternoons. Apply at 59 Wright street. 12-2-11

TO LET—Lower flat of house, 169 Waterloo street, corner Castle, containing six rooms, patent closet, etc. Rent \$150. Can be seen Tuesdays and Fridays. Apply to MRS. HUNT, 41 Paddock street, or Henderson and Hunt. 12-2-11

TO LET ON ERIN STREET from 1st of May, a flat of ten rooms at 45 Erin street. Can be seen Tuesday and Thursday from 2 to 5. Used for boarding house for two years. Also two flats at 45 Erin street, six rooms each. Apply to JAS. MACDONALD, 65 Elliott Row. 11-2-11

TO LET, at Croucheville, that pleasant and conveniently situated cottage (second house from Kane's corner), owned by J. H. Magee and occupied for some years by the Rev. H. E. Martineau and his family. Stable and barn privilege. Rent moderate. Apply to RICHARD G. MAGEE or F. W. BILZARD, 112-11

TO LET—From May 1st, lower flat, 10 rooms, hot and cold water, bath, etc. 48 Exmouth street. Also large building 157-161 Brussels street, suitable for factory or other purposes. Apply to ARNOLD'S DEPARTMENT STORE, 33 Charlotte St. 9-2-11

COUPLE EATEN BY WOLVES.

VIENNA, Feb. 23.—A Hungarian postman named Josef Peto and his wife were devoured yesterday by wolves, which the great cold of the last week has driven from the mountains.
Peto was returning from the post town, Putnok, to his own village of Kelemer along the high road, when he was attacked and torn to pieces. The wife, becoming anxious at her husband's absence, set out to meet him, and met the same fate.

BUTLER FOR CHANNEL TUNNEL.

LONDON, Feb. 23.—General Sir William Butler, writing on the Channel tunnel scheme, remarks that if sea power means anything it means that it means that it could knock into the land the areas in which a tunnel under the sea emerges upon the land surface. The French people are not afraid of this channel scheme, and they are right.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

FOR SALE—Grocery business in good locality. Apply to G. K., Star office. 23-2-11

FOR SALE—Grocery business, corner of Queen and Germain streets. Apply on premises. 23-2-11

FOR SALE—Driving Harness, Oak tanned, grass mountings. In good order. A bargain. B. V. MILLIDGE, Rockland Road. 23-2-4

PRIVATE SALE—Household Furniture consisting of Hall and Dining Room, Large Cabinet Organ, Roller Top, Old Mahogany Furniture. Also 45 yds. of new Brussels Carpet and other housekeeping goods. Enquire mornings and evenings, residence of MISS MITCHELL, 119 King St., East City. 12-2-11

FOR SALE—One new delivery pump one second-hand express wagon. Apply to R. DIXON, Sydney street, op Victoria School. 23-2-6

FOR SALE—At Davall's Umbrella Shop, self-opening Umbrellas, 80c. up ordinary, 50c. up L. S. Cana. We have no other in our chair-sewing. Perfectly new, ready for use, glass from coach, new trimmings, well painted, first class couch very cheap; also three second-hand carriages; best place in the city for painting and greatest facilities for carriage repairing. A. G. EDGE COMBE, 115 and 119 City Road. 12-2-11

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GASOLINE ENGINES—The Toronto Gas & Gasoline Engine Company, having consolidated with The Defence Iron Works, of Chatham, Ont., makers of the Defence Marine Engines, etc., now known under the new name of The Canadian Gas Powers & Launches Ltd., are in a position to fill orders for stationary, portable and marine engines. Stationary engines for dough mixers, cement mixers, grain grinding, threshing and other uses. Parties wishing to purchase a Marine Engine will please call and inspect our Solid Brass Engines, especially adapted for salt water. 67 Water street, St. John, N. B. "CANADIAN GAS POWERS & LAUNCHES, LIMITED."

TO LET.

TO LET—Nice room with two closets. Hot and cold water in house. Apply MISS HANSON, Employment Office, 193 Charlotte street. 27-2-11

TO LET—From May 1st, next, self-contained house, 6 rooms in rear, 13 Elmwood street. Rent \$9 per month. Apply to Slocum and Ferris, City Market. 27-2-6

STORES TO LET—Large well lighted stores, 65 Germain street, 13 rooms with or without floors above and large basement. G. FRED FISHER. 9-2-11

TO LET—At 23 Paddock street, from May 1st, upper flat—ten rooms—Bath, hot and cold water. Can be seen Wednesday and Friday, 2.30 to 5.30 p. m. Enquire of S. M. WETMORE, Ferry building, Water St. 23-2-11

TO LET—Large barn in rear 210 Waterloo street, formerly occupied by Sands' Express. J. E. WILSON, 117 Sydney. 12-2-11

TO LET—At 310 Princess street, lower flat, containing 6 rooms. Can be seen Tuesday and Thursday afternoons from 3 to 5. Apply on premises, JAMES J. POWER. 23-2-6

TO LET—At 343 Union street, flat of 8 rooms and hall. All modern improvements. Can be seen Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons. For particulars apply to C. BRADY & SONS, 145 Mill street. 23-2-11

SHOP TO LET—Enquire at 350 Union street. 8-2-11

TO LET—Flat of nine rooms, modern improvements. Inquire at 79 Hazen street. R. B. HOLMES. 5-2-11

TO LET—May 1st, cottage, corner of Seely and Spruce streets, near Horticultural Garden gate. New plumbing. Apply G. ERNEST FAIRWEATHER, 84 Germain street. 9-2-11

TO LET—Two small self-contained houses, 391 Haymarket Square. 9-10-11

TO LET—Flat 95 Elliott Row. Hot water heating and modern improvements. Also 101 Elliott Row, modern improvements, hot water heating if required. Seen Tuesday and Friday. Apply to MISS DEAN, Garden street. 23-2-11

REAL ESTATE.

TWO SUMMER COTTAGES—For sale or to let. Apply J. W. MORRISON, Ritchie Building, 50 Pine Street, Ring 164. 6-2-11

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WANTED—Shoemaker; steady work. Apply at SINCLAIR'S SHOE STORE, 65 Brussels street. 23-2-11

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WANTED—Young man having two or three years' experience at type setting. Apply SUN PRINTING CO., LTD. 18-2-11

WANTED—A man with good business experience, wants a partnership in an established manufacturing or wholesale business. Can furnish capital. Apply to "PARTNER," P. O. Box 17, Saint John, N. B. 5-11-11

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Position as Housekeeper.
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Position as Stenographer.
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Position as Greengrocer.
Apply at McRAE'S Employment Bureau, Globe Building, Prince William St., St. John, N. B. 23-2-11

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BOARDING—Large front room with board, at 154 King street west. Permanent or transient. 23-2-6

TO LET—Furnished rooms at Tremont, suitable for light housekeeping, at very moderate rates. 23-2-11

BOARDING—GUILD HOUSE. First class board can be obtained by day or week. Apply at 10 and 12 Charles street. 21-2-11

ROOMS AND BOARD—Comfortable rooms with or without board. No. 84 Orange street. 23-2-6

FOR EDUCATIONAL REFORM.

LONDON, Feb. 23.—The Archbishop of Canterbury, speaking at Ramsgate, suggested that the government should hold a round-table conference with the moderate and thoughtful men of all parties before deciding on its next Education Bill, and endeavor to find a solution of the difficulties which beset the question.

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MONK WRITES OPERETTA.
Work will be produced for the first time in Geneva.

GENEVA, Feb. 23.—The Abbe J. Gross, a Grand St. Bernard monk, has written an operetta, which will be played for the first time next week in Geneva.

It is named "Le Ben Vieux Valais," and is in five acts. All the songs and music are by the monk, who has also designed the ancient costumes which are to be worn.

The operetta describes the life of the ancient inhabitants of the Canton of Valais.

CAUSE OF HIS JOY.
"What are you looking so happy over, old man?"
"I am rejoicing over the birth of twins."
"Great Scott! I congratulate you!"
"Don't congratulate me. Go and congratulate Fanny. Here's the lucky man. I never did like him."