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In Statement Issued to Voters of United States, He Calls For a "Progressive" Party Convention To Be Held in Chicago on August 5th.

business;

"To all in accord with these views,

a call is hereby issued by the provi-

sional committee under the resolution

senators and representatives in Con-

gress, to meet in mass convention at Chicago on the 5th day of Augut, 1912,

for the purpose of nominating candi-

tions of president and vice-president

sports. Dinner was served at 12 by caterers from Lucan, the tables being arranged "L" shape. Supper was serv-

about 75. Many of the guests from a distance motored to the reunion.

It does not happen to many families

children, for the circle to remain in-

tact, but such is the case of the Mc-

Lurg family, being composed of seven

The following are the names of the

ward McLurg and wife, Poplar Hill;

Craig; Dr. McLurg and wife, Detroit;

Dr. McLurg, wife and son, Bay City;

Allsa Craig; Mr. and Mrs. Siddall and

family, Siddallsville; Mr. and Mrs.

Connor, London; Mr. and Mrs. J. A.

McLurg and family, Pottersburg; Mr.

and Mrs. Hanson McLurg, Devises;

Mr. and Mrs. J. Cochrane and family, Duncrief; Dr. and Mrs. Bice, Dela

ware; Mr. and Mrs. Parker, London

family, Strathroy; Mrs. Millican, Pittsburgh; Mrs. Lowery Watford;

son, Pittsburgh; Mr. and Mrs. Stew-

art Marshall and family, London; Mr.

LISTOWEL FUNERAL

Mr. Featherston Smith Was a Widely

Known Implement Agent.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

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was for many years in the implement

Mr. Ellsworth Bolton, P. L. S., acompanied by A. C. Bricker, of town,

G. Gray, of Meaford, and Mr. R. Paul,

of Sebringville, leave on Monday for Port Arthur. Mr. Bolton has obtained from the Ontario Govern-

Listowel, July 6-The funeral of

business in this district.

and Mrs. Finlay Marshall, London.

Mrs. Hunter, Teeswater;

William McLurg and wife,

boys and four girls.

on, campaign manager.

The party will probably be called the Progressive National party. The convention will decide as to that. Eight states, Maine, North Carolina, Delaware, South Carolina, Arkansas, Mississippi, Idaho and Nevada, are not more equitable diffusion of prosperity; legislation which shall promote the economic well-being of the honest farmer, wage-worker, professional man and business man alike, but which shall at the same time strike in efficient fashion—and not merely pre-

crooked political bosses and of the privileged classes behind them is so strong in the two old party organizations that no helpful movement in the real interests of our country can come

for a national progressive movement—of the mass meeting held in Chicago on June 22 last, to send from each state a number of delegates whose votes in the convention shall count for Who believe that the time has come ganization unfettered by obligation to as many votes as the state shall have

conflicting interests;
The Sordid Control. "Who believe that government the few tends to become, and has in fact become, government by the sordid dates to be supported for the posiinfluences that control the few; "Who believe that only through the of the United States."

HURON OLD BOYS VISITED WINGHAM ed at 6, those sitting down numbering ed at 6, those sitting down numbering ed at 6, those sitting down numbering

Were Given a Very Enthusiastic in which there are as many as eleven Welcome By the Town Officials.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Wingham, July 7.—The delegation guests who were in attendance: Ed-of the Huron Old Boys' Association of ward McLurg and wife, Poplar Hill; Toronto arrived here this afternoon on their auto trip round the county. They were met between here and Gorrio by a deputation from the town in Dr. McLurg, wife and family, Sault three autos headed by Reeve McDon-ald, ex-Mayor Dudley Holmes and less and family, London; Mr. and Mrs. Ship-ald, ex-Mayor Dudley Holmes and less and family, Crosswell, Mich.; Mr. others, and were given enthusiastic welcome. The delegation arrived in Goderich yesterday, and were met at the station by a large number of citizens, including E. N. Lewis, M.P.; W. Proudfoot, M.P.P., and many others. In the afternoon they left for Bayfield, where they were received by the reere of the village, and were met by Zurich residents, including J. J. Mervey, M.P.; Dr. Campbell, Dr. McKinnon, and Reeve Hess.

Leaving Bayfield, the party pro-ceeded via the lake shore road to St. Joseph. Zurich was reached at 6 p.m., where a public dinner was held. The party reached Exeter about dusk, where they were met by the citizens and Orange bands, and a number of chtizens, including Reeve Heacock.

The party came up the Londo road, through Hensall and Kippen to Seaforth, where a call was made on Mr. James McMichael, the oldest man in the county. This afternoon the party visited Walton Brussels, Wroxter, Gorrie and Bluevale. Tonight they are domiciled at the Queen's Hotel, and tomorrow will take in Bel-grave, Blyth, Londesboro and Clinton. The old boys of Toronto here were. Mr. W. W. Sloan, president; Mr. H. Clucas, vice-President; Mr. E. Floody, cincas, vice it is a constant of the constant

The reunion of the McLurg family, held at the home of Mrs. Siddall, Siddallsville, near Falkirk, was one of the most interesting events of the season. The beautiful grounds wore a season. The beautiful grounds wore a festive appearance, and swings and tennis were provided in the line of the line of tennis were provided in the line of the line of tennis were provided in the line of the line of tennis were provided in the line of the li

CANADIAN POSTAL DE-PARTMENT TAKES AWAY BOOKS; BRINGS BACK THANKS

No Let-Up in Demand

"Publishers of The Advertiser:
"Respected Sirs—I received the Dictionary this morning and I want to thank you for it. I am more than pleased with it. I am delighted.
"I showed it to two of the ministers in our village. They both say it is fine and should be in every home. One of them is going to embrace your of them is going to embrace your most liberal proposition, and secure one for his son. I have it on exhibi-tion in my office, and know you will

profit by it. It's simply fine.

"Very respectfully,
"ANNIE M. CAROTHERS,
"Postmistress." Canadian Government employees are busy carrying away copies of the Webster's New Illustrated Dictionary and bringing back letters of thanks. This particular communication is selected for publication because it shows that one of the Canadian Government's representatives has not only found time to express her unsolicited appreciation, but has placed her copy of the dictionary on display in order

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FARMERS ARE BUSY WITH FINE HAY CROP

Harvest Is Proving Much Better Than Was Expected After Hot Spell.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ingersoll, July 8 .- The rush of farm New York, July 7.—Col. Roosevelt's movement proposed can we obtain in the falling off in the market attendance the party convention will be held in the nation and the several states the legislation demanded by the modern legislation demanded by the modern legislation which shall favor honest business and yet to past of the United States, without regard to past of the whole people of the United States, was issued to the interest of the whole people of today through Senator Joseph M. Dixon, campaign manager. work was responsible for a marked prosperity and at the same time secure past couple of weeks it has matured the better and more equitable diffusion under the most favorable conditions. Considerable hay was cut last week, and most of the farmers are now busy

storing it. Amongst the offerings at Saturday's mississippi, idaho and Nevada, are not represented in the provisional committee which signed the call for the convention. Senator Dixon explained that in all these states the Roosevelt faction controls or has a chance to control the regular Republican organization, hence the omissi is. The call follow:

"Who believe that only this type of wise industrial evolution will avert industrial revolution."

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"To the people of the United States, without regard to past political differences, who through repeated betrayals, ences, who through repeated betrayals, realize that today the power of the re delivered at Sinai, 'Thou shalt not spected and widely-known resident. steal, applies to politics as well as to He had resided here for many years, business; and his genial disposition won him numerous friends. He had been ill since January, but had only eritically for the last two weeks. He was 68 years of age, and is survived by a widow, two sons and a daughter.

The service in St. Paul's Church yesterday morning was conducted by Rev. Mr. Barker, pastor of the College Avenue Methodist Church, Woodstock. Rev. Mr. Christie, of the Methodist Church here, officiated at the evening service.

Nicholas Trudomick, who accosted a little girl on the north side of the town and attempted to entice her away, was taken into custody by Chief Fish. His case was heard before

Justices Boyse and Coleridge, and he was esentenced to one month in the county jail. GOING TO EXETER

Mr. A. G. Heywood Honored by His Friends Before Leaving Shedden. [Special to The Advertiser.] Shedden, July 8 .-- Prior to his departure for his home in Exeter, A. G. Heywood, who has been junior pas-tor in the Methodist Church here, was the guest of the Young Men's Bible Class at the home of Mr. J. H. Bainard. During the evening Mr. Hey-Dr. McLurg, wife and family, Saint Ste. Marie; Arthur McLurg, wife and Wood was presented with a handsome Ste. Marie; Arthur McLurg, wife and Wrs. Shin-volume of Roderick McKay and an address, expressing general regret at ley and family, Crosswell, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. Parker and family, London; Mr. and Mrs. McFarlane and family, his departure was read by Leonard

BADLY SCALDED

Little Learnington Boy Fell Bucket of Hot Water,

[Special to The Advertiser.] lent occurred yesterday afternoon when went to him at \$5,500. There was very South; Mr. and Mrs. Cochran and the two-year-old son of Herman Manchester, of Learnington, was left in a coom with a bucketful of hot scrubbing water. While the mother went out for some cold water the child fell into the bucket, and was so badly scalded that the doctors hold out very little hope for his recovery.

Embro, July 8.—Miss Anna Murray, of Lakeside, is visiting Mrs. J. Gilles-

lamlly residence in Elma yesterday, to preached in the Congregational Church is spending her summer holidays at the Elma Centre Cemetery. Deceased yesterday. the Elma Centre Cemetery. Deceased

yesterday.
Mr. S. R. Finlayson has left for the
Pacific coast. Mr. E. M. Doull, the new manager of the Traders' Bank, is lesley. now in charge.

Mrs. Hugh Wilson, of Chicage, is visiting her mother, Mrs. K. Stewart.
Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Fair were in

Cobbledick, F. W. Hadgson, R. Sheppard, J. Robertson, Mr. Ross (piper of obtained from the Ontario Governthe Highlanders), Mr. Heron, Mr. J. Galt of Goderich.

M'LURG FAMILY REUNION

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A Remarkable Gathering Held at Siddalisville.

The reunion of the McLurg family, The reunion of the McLurg family, Giddall, Sid
Mr. Shepobtained from the Ontario Governobtained from the Ontario Gove

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All Bordered Cotton Dress Voiles to be Cleared Tomorrow at Half Price

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The great prairies of Wisconsin and Minnesota yield a tall, tough grass of same time permit perfect circulation of the summer breeze. Widths: 4, 6, 8 and 10 red round stalks, which grew for years in its beauty, undisturbed and unrecogcolored round stalks, which grew for years in its beauty, undisturbed and unrecognized for any use until quite recently. This wonderful grass—the world's most beautiful harvest—was to be manufactured into a floor covering and ultimately serve its purpose in homes all over the world. Crex is a floor covering for everybody. It adapts itself to all surroundings, and can be used the year 'round for library, dining-room, bedrooms or halls, and for summer use it is the only correct floor covering for porches and cottages.

Plain Crex Rugs. 36x72, \$1.50; 54x90, \$2.75; 6x9, \$4.50; 8x10, \$6.50, and

Figured Crex Rugs, 36x72, \$1.50; 54x90, \$3.00; 6x9, \$5.00; 8x10, \$7.50; Japanese Mats, 27x54. 25¢; 36x72, 50¢; 6x9 feet, \$1.85; 9x9 feet, \$2.50;

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HOTEL WAS SOLD

EVERY PARASOL AT

OR COLORED, PLAIN

OR FANCY.

Arlington House at Tavistock Only Fetched \$5,500 at Sale. [Special to The Advertiser.]

Tavistock, July 6.—Henry Meyer, of Stratford, was the highest bidder for the Arlington Hotel property here yesterday afternoon, and the place

little bidding. Miss Elma Liphardt, of Waterloo was the guest of the Misses Krug,
Twelfth line, over the holiday.
Misses Nellie and Florence Holloway are home for the summer, the former from Midland and the latter from Hepworth Mr. Nell McVicar, of Saskatoon,

a former manager of the Traders Bank here, is holidaying here. Miss Brown, of Crediton, is Mrs. J. N. Edy, of Calgary, is the guest of Miss Mabel Capling this guest of her sister, Mrs. E. J. Codv. Rev. Mr. Gray, of Sebringville, Miss Rosetta Kalbfleisch, of Berlin, Rev. Mr. Gray, of Sebringville, Miss Rosetta Kalbfleisch, of Berlin, Rev. Mr. Gray, of Sebringville, Miss Rosetta Kalbfleisch, of Berlin, Rev. Mr. Gray, of Sebringville, Miss Rosetta Kalbfleisch, of Berlin, Rev. Mrs. Gray, of Gray, and Gray,

Mr. and Mrs. John Yendt spending a week with friends in Wel-Miss Leta Wilkinson, of Stratford was the guest of Miss Ethel Reid, for

a few days this week.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.

Montreal, July & Arrived: Corsican. from Liverpool; Ausonia, from Southampton; Iona from Hull; Teutonic, from Liverpool; Lake Champlain, from Liverpool; Inishowen Head, from Eelfast; Andoni, from Barbados.

Quebec—Arrived: Knutsford, from Glasgow; Letitia, from Glasgow.

New York—Arrived: St. Louis, from Southampton: Macedonia, from Athens: Kursk, from Libau.

Liverpool—Arrived: Tunisian, from Montreal; Caronia, from New York, Caledonia, from New York, Moville—Arrived: Canada, from Montreal. Malin Head-Arrived; Cassandra, from

BISHOP AND PRIESTS IN SERIOUS CLASH

Trouble Leads to Reading of Pastoral Letter By Archbishop Bruchesi.

Montreal, July 7.—Serious trouble between the College of St. Marie, which removed to St. Johns, Que., following the disastrous fire at Marieville, and the Bishop of Ste. Hyacinthe reached an acute stage today by the reading of a pastoral letter in all the Lemieux and his colleagues to again open the college at St. John's; forbidding parents to send their children to the institution in question, and declaring that if the priests and others interested in what is designated as a revolt against the decision of the Holy See persist in their insubor-dination it will be treated as a grievous sin by the episcopal authorities.

The pastoral letter read today is couched in the severest manner, and is very definite in its denunciation of the priests who have disobeyed the mandates of the Bishop of Ste. Hyacinthe. It indorsed the Holy See.

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Mgr. Bruchesi presides, but the epis-copal document read in the churches this morning is ample proof that his grace of Montreal did not hesitate an instant when it became known that his episcopal brother at Ste. Hyacinthe was antagonistic to the change and that his lordship's stand had re-ceived the approval of the Vatican.

MOTOR CAR OWNERS THREATEN STRIKE

English Motorists in Rebellion Against Prices of Gasoline.

London, July 6.-Great Britain is owners, who are in open rebellion to the ground and smashed to kindlchurches and chapels of the arch-against the recent increases in the ing wood. No personal injuries were diocese of Montreal, forbidding Father price of gasoline. The first big rise was received. made during the transport strike of also last year, which held up the usual supply of gasoline, but with the resump-tion of normal conditions there was no corresponding reduction of price. This caused mutterings among notorists, but no action was taken unil the present dock strike, when

price again soared to such a height hat the retail cost is almost double what it was two years ago. The first definite action to give voice o the complaint of the motorists was meeting of the Royal Automobile motor spirit companies had an uncom

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The club members did not hesitate to The club members did not hesitate to the rise. Marieville to St. Johns would been an acquisition to the educational been an acquisition to the educational declare that they were not satisfied equipment of the diocese over which equipment of the diocese over which with the explanation, and they have entered upon a definite campaign to force the old interests to lower the

price of gasoline. price of gasoline.

Two reasons are given by the oil men for the increase: The first, the rules of the Port of London authority, which prohibit the storage of large quantities of the spirit in London, thereby increasing the cost of handling it, and secondly, that the steadily increasing

demand for refined spirit has left a large quantity of heavier oits on hand, which is a dead loss to the oil companies unless a market can be found

CYCLONE AT SASKATOON

Saskatoon, July 7. — A miniature cyclone passed over the north end of this city accompanied by heavy rain about 9 o'clock yesterday morning. A number of garages and smaller buildings were wrecked, but most of the damage was done in the neighborhood of the Western Canada sawmills, a large portion of the lumber in these yards being whirled up in a threatened with a strike of motor car two hundred feet before being thrown

DORA McCHESNEY DEAD.

London, July 6.—Dora Greenwell McChesney, author, died yesterday. She
was born at Chicago Oct. 1, 1871. She
had made a special study of the civil
war, and was a prolific writer.

