

THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1921

THE ELECTIONS AND THE TARIFF

Much Interest in Washington at Result of the Vote in Canada.

Washington, Dec. 14.—(By Canadian Press.)—The victory of Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King and his Liberal following in the recent general elections in Canada is construed here as meaning that the domain is now committed to a liberal tariff policy with the United States. The fact that the Liberal election manifesto is sympathetic in terms of reciprocity, and the further fact that the second largest group in the new parliament, the Progressives, favor reciprocity, other considerations that have made the election result of the greatest interest in the United States capital.

For these reasons, those who profess to be in touch with the trend of congressional affairs declare that this session of Congress will likely hear a great deal about the whole subject of Canadian tariff policy with the United States.

NOTICE OF MEETING.

St. John Ambulance Association annual meeting at G. W. V. A. Hall on Thursday, 15th, at 8 p. m. Speakers, presentation of awards and certificates. Public invited to attend.

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Big preparations being made for the big Xmas sale which begins Friday, 16th, at Brager's, 185 Union street. 12-15

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Grand sock social in St. Phillip's vestry. Thursday evening, 8 o'clock. Jubilee and literary programme. Don't miss this event.

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THE ONTARIO VOTE

Nine Cities Liberal, 15 Conservative—Lead of 35,000 Over Liberals in Cities of Province.

Nine out of Ontario's twenty-four cities went Liberal on Dec. 6. Returns which are not in every case official, but which may be taken as approximately correct, are published by the Toronto Star and show the following votes in the city municipalities:

Conservatives	181,511
Liberals	146,244
Labor and Progressive	82,784
Other candidates	10,247

It will be seen from these figures that the Conservatives had by no means a majority over opponents. They were, in fact, almost 28,000 behind. The Conservative vote, as tabulated above, includes that polled for Thomas Foster, Independent Conservative, in East Toronto, while the L. P. Liberal candidate in St. Catharines is counted as Liberal. The 'other candidates' include two Independent soldiers, Hunter and Bayfield, in Toronto, and a sprinkling of sundry Independents.

On this basis the Conservative vote in Toronto doubled that of the Liberals, although it must not be forgotten that strong Liberal support was given to the Independent soldiers there. Toronto's unofficial record is as follows, these figures including the sections of York ridings which are within Toronto's limits:

Con.	Lib.	Other.
N. Toronto	12,448	8,412
S. Toronto	4,056	3,475
E. Toronto	9,019	1,895
W. Toronto	5,938	1,728
C. Toronto	5,824	6,008
W. York	3,584	3,958
E. York	10,450	4,888
S. York	5,211	3,476

56,726	28,355	8,051
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In addition, the Independent Soldiers polled 4,400 in East Toronto and 4,933 in West Toronto ridings; total, 9,333. In three other cities a portion of the city electorate voted in rural ridings, the figures for these being as follows:

Con.	Lib.	Other.
H. Hamilton	6,807	4,758
O. Hamilton	6,294	1,654
S. Wentworth	4,624	2,671

17,550	4,704	12,832
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In addition, Booker, Ind., polled 2,773 votes in E. Hamilton.

Ottawa.	Con.	Lib.	Other.
	30,258	40,888	5,830
	976	440	
	1,389	2,284	438

81,475	44,248	10,199
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An independent candidate in the Carleton county section of Ottawa polled seventy-nine votes.

London.	Con.	Lib.	Other.
	10,267	8,218	4,825
	708	927	235

10,728	8,745	4,890
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The record for all Ontario cities follows, these figures including only the votes cast within the city limits in each case:

Bellefleur	2,976	2,012	632
Brantford	4,712	6,727	374
Chatham	2,469	4,007	374
Pt. William	3,920	1,920	
Galt	3,987	2,574	284
Chatham	4,236	4,498	1,493
Hamilton	17,850	4,735	12,283
London	5,707	8,577	1,117
Chatham	4,236	4,008	1,165
Kentville	10,728	8,745	4,890
Niagara Falls	1,923	2,107	1,079
Ottawa	31,673	42,618	10,199
Owen Sound	2,681	2,293	974
Peterborough	3,663	4,219	1,165
Port Arthur	1,988	3,088	269
St. Catharines	4,284	8,028	269
St. Thomas	2,684	1,673	711
Stratford	2,841	3,546	448
Woodstock	2,510	3,958	801
Welland	800	1,807	400
Windsor	4,938	7,157	1,165
Woodstock	2,510	2,206	396

Total: 181,511 Liberal; 146,244 Conservative; 82,784 Labor and Progressive. These figures include only the votes polled for candidates other than Conservative, Liberal, Labor and Progressive.

OBRIEN CASE VERDICT.

A verdict of 'guilty of simple theft' was returned by the jury in the circuit yesterday afternoon in the case of the King vs. Edward O'Brien, indicted on a charge of stealing a bottle of liquor from the person of Albert Norris. The case arose out of the recent Norris manslaughter case in connection with which Thomas Spellman was sentenced recently to twenty years in the penitentiary.

EVERYBODY SHOULD SEE WITH CLEARNESS.

If anyone tells you he sees clearly an object that looks blurred and indistinct to you, come to us for glasses. You need them.

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Lucky ticket drawing tonight. Somebody will win the grand new bill. Don't miss it. At 8:30. Square and Popular Dance.

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A Chesterfield Suite

Never has there been showing in Eastern Canada, such a large display of luxurious Chesterfield suites as are now on view at our showrooms. All have the loose spring cushion construction and the variety of coverings are a tribute to our buyer for good taste. A Chesterfield or Suite for Every Purse.

J. Marcus

30-36 Dock Street

—GIFTS— For each member of the family

CHRISTMAS FOR THE UNEMPLOYED RETURNED MEN

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 14.—(Canadian Press)—Dominion-wide plans of the G. W. V. A. for the care of unemployed returned men and their families in Christmas include arrangements for the distribution of hampers of food, clothing and necessities and even appropriate toys to the younger children. An effort is being made by all the branches to make the gifts meet the needs of the recipients. A large sum of money will be expended in addition to contributions of food and clothing from merchants. The details of the arrangements in each city and town, under the jurisdiction of the local branches.

BIG MUSICAL HIT THIS WEEK

Vocal Recital of Merit Will be Given in St. Vincent's Auditorium.

A delightful musical treat will be given in St. Vincent's Auditorium Thursday evening by Guy Taylor and Mrs. L. M. LeLacour, assisted by Bayfield and Mrs. A. C. Jones. The recital will be one of the musical hits of the season. Dr. Leneux will be in charge of the orchestra. The program includes songs, piano, violin and vocal solos, and by members of the society.

LATE SHIPPING PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived December 14.

Coastwise—St. John: Bear River, 70, Woodworth, from Bear River; Ruby L. 2, 117, Baker, from Port Williams; scur Nita C. 21, Curry, from Harbordville. Arrived December 14.

St. John: St. Nicholas, 1868, Sharpe, for Halifax.
Ottawa—St. John: Keith Cann, 177, McKinnon, from Westport; Empire, 612, MacDonald, from Digby; Bear River, 70, Westworth, from Digby; Ruby L. 2, 117, Baker, for Margareville.

MARINE NOTES.

The Locomo, from Avonmouth, is due in port on Friday. She will load up for Glasgow and Avonmouth. The Manchester Fort arrived at Halifax from St. John this morning. The Cornish Point was expected to sail from London for this port on December 5. The Canadian Trooper sailed from London for this port on December 7. She is due at this port about December 30. The Canadian Navigator sailed from London for this port on December 8. The Canadian Squall sailed from Glasgow for this port on December 9. The Canadian Supper sailed from Matanzas for this port on December 9, with a cargo of sugar.

BURIED TODAY.

The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Lannon was held this morning from her late residence, 169 Queen street, to the Church of St. John the Baptist for high mass of requiem, by Rev. Dr. A. W. Meahan. Interment was in the new Catholic cemetery.

The funeral of John Barrett was held this morning from the residence of his brother, James, East St. John, to St. Joseph's Church for high mass of requiem, by Rev. C. P. Garrison. The pallbearers were relatives. A large number of spiritual and floral offerings were presented. The attendance at the funeral was large.

The funeral of Mrs. Mildred Elizabeth Hayward took place this afternoon from her late residence, 127 1/2 Erin street, to the cemetery. It was conducted by Rev. H. B. Thomas.

L. O. D. E. SCHOLARSHIPS.

Frederick, N. B., Dec. 14.—The war memorial scholarships of the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire are allotted upon the basis of the university which the candidate attends and not his place of residence, according to an official statement issued here today on behalf of the national education secretary of the order in answer to recent criticism which was reported in the press because a resident of Nova Scotia had been awarded the \$1,000 post-graduate scholarship for one year for New Brunswick.

TASCHEREAU FOR SUPREME COURT BENCH.

Montreal, Dec. 14.—Hon. L. A. Taschereau, premier of Quebec, declared last evening that he had no intention of leaving his post on the occasion of his nomination for the Supreme Bench in succession to Sir Louis H. Davies, who, it was said, is about to retire.

J. G. Colman was guest at dinner in London last night on the occasion of his retirement as honorary secretary of the Canada Club of London, after twenty-five years of service.

Take Your Xmas Nap

In one of the Brass Beds we are offering. They are the best values we ever gave you. They are restful in the highest degree.
Brass Beds at \$24.30, \$25.20, \$31.50 and upwards as suits.
Xmas gifts in furniture make the best gifts.
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WAS CLOSE VOTE IN A QUEBEC NOMINATION.

Wredon, Que., Dec. 14.—Exceptional interest was taken in yesterday's convention held here to nominate a Liberal candidate for Wulfe county in the provincial by-election. The first ballot gave Dr. Leneux a majority of two over Mr. Michael of Wootton. The latter subsequently retired in favor of Dr. Leneux, who was then unanimously elected.

REPORTS CONFESSION OF EMBEZZLEMENT BY OFFICIAL AT OTTAWA.

Ottawa, Dec. 14.—G. J. Arts, employee of the finance department, who was charged with embezzlement of \$39,000 belonging to the government of Canada, has made a complete confession to the authorities, according to a statement by Superintendent Walter Duncanson of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. He says that Arts had admitted he commenced his peculations in April 1917, and continued them until the time that the Victory Loans were taken from his department and transferred to the war loans branch.

NEW YORK SAILINGS TO THE IRISH FREE STATE.

New York, Dec. 14.—Circulars printed in green ink announce sailings between New York and the Irish Free State by a fleet of five passenger ships owned by the United States Shipping Board and operated by the United States line. The Cunard line announces that its steamers for Liverpool will touch at Queenstown.

MAY SAVE MILLIONS OF TROUT AND WHITEFISH.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Dec. 13.—The discovery that a normal water parasite known as hydra filices, feeds on fish hatcheries, has been made here by Dr. Nelson Graham, and it is believed will mean the saving of millions of trout and whitefish.

CALLING SOLDIERS TO PITTSBURG COAL FIELDS.

Pittsburg, Kas., Dec. 14.—Three companies of the Kansas National Guard are being mobilized for entrapment to Pittsburg for duty in the coal fields. Orders for the mobilization of the companies followed a call from Sheriff Gooden to the governor this morning.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Montreal, Dec. 14.—(10:30)—Further weakness in Lysal featured the early trading on the local stock exchange this morning. Yesterday the directors of the company cut the dividend in half and the stock opened 2 3/4 points lower today at 41. Power was up a half point at 81-2. Other issues, however, were unchanged.

ENTERTAINED DUMBELLS.

The members of the Dumblies Company were the guests of the executive of the sergeant's mess after the matinee yesterday afternoon.