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Dec. 6.-A meeting was at which it was decidkibosh on the plan connection with it, printed matter nor do The railway the carnival might be for Montreal, and that few dollars to the companies, but they ding to recreate the once notion that Canada of snow and ice. Without the carnival idea will

Scott Act Violator.

Dec. 7.—The issuance of a as corpus on behalf of N otel-keeper at Moncton, N. d by Chief Justice FitzpatOTTAWA'S WELCOME

Tuesday, December 10, 1907

nthusiastic and Flattering Reception to Conservative

Ottawa, Nov. 27.—Seldom has a poleader received such a magnifi-ovation as that which was tender-night to Mr. R. L. Borden, leader opposition in the House by the Conservatives of Otons, by the Conservatives of OtIt was a fitting climax to a simparalleled in the political and the country. The members of orden Club gathered at their hall en o'clock and proceeded in about priages to Mr. Borden's residence untumberg street, where many leader's supporters in the Comhad already assembled. A proha was formed in two divisions, tarted for the Russell theatre, ed marshals leading. As the marshals leading. As the west will previal with me. the of torches came down Rideau the scene was a most effective the bugle band of the 43rd Regi-

After the cheering had subsided, Mr. Fripp, in a brief speech, expressed the thanks of the association to the citizens of Ottawa for their magnificent reception to the leader. He then invited Mr.

doubt that at the earliest opportunity this great province would record by an overwhelming majority its apprecia-tion of the good government which it had received under his administration.

ous one in the western portions of this Dominion. At the present time the question is not racial, but economic, which have disgraced Canadian history, and to which I shall continue to have different standards of living, and the laboring man of Canadian birts, accustomed to Canadian habits and standards of living, cannot possibly compete with men whose habits and tandards of living are absolutely dissimilar. I do not say this to the disse or of the Chinices possess qualities of great merit which we might well emulate, but it s a condition, and not a theory, which he people of the west have to face, and the considerations which I have mamed, do not make the economic uestion less vital. The recent viooffered to Japanese subjects peacefully residing in Canada under treaty rights cannot be condemned too strongly, and every reasonable repara-

People of West Best Judges

"The Japanese are a very great people and we can learn many lessons from them. I understand that they arefully restrict, if not prohibit the influx and employment of foreign tabor in their own country. I believe that the people of the Canadian west, face to face with this great problem, are in a better position to judge of it, and to advise as to its solution, than People of West Best Judges

to know that that great western countries of the remembered that it protection is required for our industries, it must equally be accorded to be laboring portion by whose toil liberal-Conservative statesmen of bytes industries are built up. This is correly carrying out the principle for which the Conservatives fought in perliament in 1903, when they declared that our fiscal policy should be so that that great western countries to know that that great western countries to the to one of the western countries to know that that great western countries to know that that great western countries to know the know that that great western countries to know that that great was brought into this Confederation by the faith and foresight of the great know that that great western countries that the properties of the western countries that the properties are provided to the form which the confederation by the faith and foresight of the great was brought into this Confederation that the properties are provided to the properties are provided to the properties are provided to the great know that the properties are provided to the great know that the provided that the properties are provided to the provided that the provided that the provided that

"I for one am prepared to maintain that the western provinces of Canada ought to be, and must be, dominated and inhabited by the same great colonizing races which have occupied and developed the eastern provinces of this great Dominion. Sir Wilfrid Laurier has uttered some words of reproced, with respect to my attitude inproach with respect to my attitude up-f on the Japanese question. He has ac-cused me of appealing to passion and prejudice. I am at a loss to under-stand what it is that he alludes to. I

"I have pointed out that the Japan he of torches came was a most effective he bugle band of the 43rd Regieaded the first division, and the pipe band the second. Hunfor people lined the route to the and at different points Mr. was frequently cheered.

Thave pointed out that the Japan well be read to parliament upon the assurance of the Prime Minister himself, and the previous assurance of Mr. Fisher, that immigration from Japan would be restricted to a small nominal number each year, and that no persons of the laboring class would be restricted to a small nominal number each year, and that no persons of the laboring class mall nominal number each year, and that no persons of the laboring class would be permitted to emigrate to sanding room only" was the sign at the auditorium long before the hour appointed for commencing the proceedings. When the curtain rose it revealed a stage crowded with the representative men of the Conservative party throughout Canada, and leading citizens of Ottawa, over forty senators and members of the Commons being included in the number. Mrs. Borden and a number of lady friends occupied boxes, and there was great cheering when little Miss Sherwood, daughter of the president of the Borden Club, presented the wife of the Opposition leader with a beautiful bouquet. When President A. E. Fripp, of the local association, who was chairman, came on the stage, followed by Mr. Borden, Hon. J. P. Whitney, and Mrs. J. G. H. Bergeron, M. P., the vast audience grose and cheered frantically. The party was small nominal number each year, and that no persons of the laboring class would be permitted to emigrate to scanda. Emigration was to be restricted to students, travelers and the merchants. I have pointed out that in 1903, informed the house that he possessed written assurances to a possessed written assurances to this effect from the government, of Japan, and as a logical conclusion, I have said that either the government, through the Prime Minister and the Minister of Agriculture, have deceived parliament, or else the government is in a position to call for the abrogation of the recent treaty. That is a position from which I am prepared to maintain in face of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his government." (Applause.)

Clean Elections

The subject of clean elections was next taken up. Contributions, said for the president, from corporations should very many throughout that the persons of the recent treaty. That is a position to call for the abrogation of the recent treaty. That is a position to call for the abrogation of the recent treaty. The abrogation of the recent treaty. The abrogation of the recent treaty. The abr

J. P. Whitney, and Mrs. J. G. H. Bergeron, M. P., the vast audience rose and cheered frantically. The party was preceded by Piper Andy Dunlop, playing the "Cock o' the North."

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"During my absence in the west," he continued, "certain members of the cabinet, and especially the present Minister of Justice and the new Min-Ovation to the Leader

Mr. Borden, on rising, was received with cheering which lasted for several minutes. At the outset he paid a graceful tribute to the presence on the platform of representatives of the Counties of Carleton, Russell, Prescott and Wright, and referred to the generous action of Edward Kidd, who was present, in vacating his seat for Carleton to enable him (Mr. Borden) to reenter public life.

After alluding to the successful tour of the country just completed, the Opposition leader referred to the presence of Mr. Whitney, who, he said, had given Ontario a progressive and upright

position leader referred to the presence of Mr. Whitney, who, he said, had given Ontario a progressive and upright government the best that Ontario had had for many years. (Cheers.) He had fulfilled and more than fulfilled every promise that he made while in opposition. His administration of public affairs had been such that the finger of scotth covid-never be pointed to his political record, and he had no doubt that at the earliest opportunity parliamentary countries. Let me repeat to Mr. Pugsley what I said in Winnipeg on this subject.

A Straight Challenge

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had received under his administration. (Loud cheers.) It was in that theatre a few years ago that Sir Wilfrid Laurier declared that the Ross government was his right arm and entreated the support of all good citizens in order that useful members might be preserved. Mr. Whitney performed a severe surgical operation in amputating that right arm, but the operation had been attended with the happiest possible results to all the people of this province. (Cheers and laughter.)

Mr. Borden want on to refer to his Hallfax programme, and dealt especially on the necessity for civil service reform. Brief references were made to the thorough control of public utilitites, the establishment of a national system of telephones and tele-

Mr. Pugsley Alarmed

"My challenge has evidently come to the notice of Mr. Pugsley, because I observed that in a recent speech in New Brunswick, he professed to be alarmed at the expense such a combination of the combination mission would entail upon the public treasury. (Laughter.) This is most amusing, coming as it does from a member of that government which has so wantonly and extravagantly misspent hundreds of thousands of public the most ten years. lic money during the past ten years. Some better reason must be given by these gentlemen or they must find a refuge in some other plausible excuse.

(Hear, hear.) "Certain subsidized organs, which

The Tour of the Dominion

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To visit this great Dominion from the Atlantic to the Pacific makes one the Atlantic to the Pacific makes one to the Atlantic to the Pacific makes on

framed that labor in Canada shall be paid a fair living wage, remembering always that our laboring classes, and, therefore, our producers and manufacturers cannot be expected to compete on even terms with countries in which the condition of life among the laboring classes is altogether different.

Quotes Laurier's Own Words

"I for one am prepared to maintain that the western provinces of Canada ought to be, and must be, dominated and inhabited by the same great colorable and ways striven, and striven successfully, to extend the boundaries of this great Dominion, and to increase among our people the spirit of unity and of national endeavor? Contrast the conditions of forty years ago with those of today. Remember that the West was not then known or understood. Even twenty or thirty years afterwards men had not come to realize the wealth of the heritage which was bestowed upon us by the act of the first Liberalon us by the act of the first Liberal Conservative government of Canada. The statesmen of that day were inspired with the prayer of the later

Wider still, and wider may thy bounds be set, God, who made thee mighty, make thee mightier vet.' "New problems face us today, new conditions must be met. The upbuild-ing of the nation must be continued upon the same firm foundations which were established so many years ago. The history of the Liberal-Conservative party was the history of Canada from 1878 to 1896, and splendid as was the record of the leaders and adminited the same of the leaders and adminited the same of the leaders and adminited the same of the leaders are same at the same of the leaders and sa

the record of the leaders and admin-istrations of those days, a mission not less ennobling, and not less splendid lies before that same party when once more it shall be invested with power by the free will of the free people of this great country." (Loud and pro-

Premier of Ontario
Hon. J. P. Whitney received a tremendous evation. He commenced by saying that he had traveled upwards of three hundred miles to be present that evening, but he would have willingly traveled a much longer distance to have heard Mr. Borden's magnificent address. Mr. Whitney made but a brief reference to Ontario politic, pointing out that his government had been going along quietly, but doing much good and expending the public money to the best advantage of the people. He alluded in a *ew words to the Brockville election. Within his certain knowledge the constituency of Brockville hardly knew themselves or their own political situation. The late leader of the Ontario opposition, who was "taken up higher," was very Premier of Ontario late leader of the Ontario opposition, who was "taken up higher," was very anxious that Brockville should continue to return a Liberal, and had publicly declared he would rather the boundaries of the yards would rather the company in filling, and who was taken up higher," was very anxious that Brockville should continue to return a Liberal, and had publicly declared he would rather give up his portfolio than that Brockville should go back on the Liberals ville should go back on the Liberals. Yet the Conservative candidate (Mr. Donovan) got a majority of 300 er more. This was in a constituency which was manufactured, a constituency of the constituency with the constituency which was manufactured, a constituency which was manufactured, a constituency which was manufactured.

onged cheers.)

which was manufactured, a constitu-ency thoroughly artificial in the Lib-eral interest and which had been for 20 years a Liberal preserve.

Mr. Whitney paid a high tribute to the ability and high character, of Mr. Borden, and said he was ready at all times to go forth under his leadership, confident that anything Mr. Borden did would be for the benefit, of Can-ada. He congratulated Mr. Borden on the success of his mission through the the success of his mission through the Dominion, and predicted the time, which would probably come in a shorter period than some of them anticipated, when Mr. Borden would be returned as premier of the Dominion.

Mr. Bergeron on Leader's Tour Mr. Bergeron, M. P. (Beauharnois) who, as a French-Canadian member who, as a French-Canadian member, received a warm ovation, made only a brief speech owing to the lateness of the hour, and moreover pointed out that to talk politics in Ottawa was like carrying coals to Newcastle. Referring to Mr. Borden's tour through the Dominion, he said that the Premier himself could not have had a greater reception than that accorded to Mr. Borden at every point. He dilated upon the wonderful possibilities of the West, possibilities which great was an honest administration composed of men who had confidence in the country, who loved the country, not for themselves, but for itself, and who believed that the country did not belong to a few grafters, bu to every man, woman and child in the great Dominion. (Cheers.) The meeting closed with cheers for the King, Mr. Borden, Mr. Whitney and Mr. Bergeron.

FRUITGROWERS' MEETING Advantages of Co-operation—Officers of Association—Next Year

at Portland

Cuxhaven, Dec. 7.—The steame President Grant, with Secretary Tatt and the members of his party on board, left here at noon today for New York, via Boulogne and Plymouth.

The secretary came down from Ber-lin last night. He spoke with con-siderable freedom to newspapermen in Berlin concerning the favorable aspect of affairs in the Philippine islands, and of the improbability of any serious controversy between the United States and Japan. He also talked at great length about the wonderful economic future of Siberia, saying he had perceived surprising possibilities for the development of that country. Siberia he declared had impressed him as be-ing similar to the Canadian northwest. The first and most difficult step, that of a transcontinental railroad. had been taken, and when the world

one of the most productive lands in the world.

ground today by

STRUCK ROCK SLIDE

C. P. R. Transcontinental Express Has Narrow Escape

Vancouver, Dec. 7.—The second sec-ion of the Canadian Pacific westbound

tion of the Canadian Pacific westbound transcontinental train struck a rock slide this afternoon near Hope.

Happily the train did not go over the embankment, which is high. The locomotive jumped the track and turned on its side, while the baggage car and one passenger car were derailed. The passenger car mounted the slide

A wrecking train was sent from Vancouver, and the track was cleared by 8 o'clock tonight.

RAILWAY REQUESTS

W. & Y. Representative Makes Fur-ther Propositions to Vaneouver Authorities

also make the points less dangerous.

Ald. Heaps contended that at least one street should be open on the south

side of the creek, as there was a stretch from Boundary to Westminster avenue which was not tapped at all. It was finally agreed that the railway company would not appose any application for the construction of an overhead crossing from the hill to the city's rotidway on the south side of the creek, and that the railway company would give the land necessary for the construction of plers for any such bridge the railway commission might authorize.

The question of the completion of The question of the completion of the works on the south side of the creek was settled, by the company agreeing to fill in such portion as immediately needed for yards, and to complete the fill to the city's line as soon as the authorities finished its improvement work on the south side. Col. Tracy said the city would probably have a large amount of dredging racy said the city would probably have a large amount of dredging which it could arrange with the company, for use in completing its work.

The question of the rental to be given by the company for the lease of the wharf at the east end of the north channel was discussed but the final decision was a general one that the rate should be "nominal."

The completed bylaw for submission to the electorate in January will be rought before the council on Monday

Drowned in Fraser New Westminster, Dec. 7.—Gus Gunderson, a well known Norwegian resident of the city, was drowned while crossing the river to South Westminster in a gasoline launch last night. Gunderson was going over with J. Jensen and Jack Knuteson in the launch and all three were sitting in the launch and all three were sitting in the front of the boat when something went wrong with the engine. Gunderson went back to fix it and in coming forward along the side of the boat must have lost his footing and fallen overboard, for a splash was heard and his head was seen sinking below the surface of the water. No trace of the unfortunate man could be found by the

time the little craft was brought around. The body has not yet been re-

made to the thorough control of public utilities, the establishment of a national system of telephones and telegraphs, the management of the I.C. R. By an independent commission, and the inauguration of a system of free fural mail delivery.

Asiatic immigration

A passing reference to the immigration of the Japanese problem. Mr. Borden remarked:

"The whole subject of Asiatic immigration to the Japanese problem. Mr. Borden remarked:

"The whole subject of Asiatic immigration importance than many people in the subject are well known, and my strict the subject of Asiatic immigration is perhaps of greater public importance than many people in the subject that unrestricted immigration we do not, want one. Let it not be forgotten that unrestricted immigration from the continent of Asia into our western provinces might very easily create such a question, and a serious one in the western provinces in the very election crook and its probable to make the present time the little craft was brought to dead and his mysterious informants, to devance when ham mentioned. And I challenge him and his friends and his mysterious informants, to devance when his friends and his mysterious informants, to devance was a single collar of any strict was brought to dead and his mysterious informants, to devance were and his body has not yet been review of the Northwest Fruitgrowers for the file part question discussed was that of co-operation among fruitgrowers for the sale of their products. The visable of t

Skeena Snag Boat

New Westminster, Dec. 7.—There are several innovations in the machinery of the new snagboat destined for the Skeena river which is being built by the Schaake Machine company. The most important of these is that there are no outside eccentric rods. This does away with the danger of snags being caught and tangled in the steering gear. This happened to the steam-er "Favorite" last year, and resulted in her being thrown on the rocks and sunk. The new boat only awaits the installation of the boiler, which is not vet finished. It is not expected that the boat will be in commission before

Insane Through Grief. Three Rivers, Que., Dec. 7.—Mrs. Dupont, whose four children perished by filtre a few days ago, is in danger becoming out of her reason, so se verely has the shock of the fatality

Labor Unions Protest.

Kingston, Dec. 7.—The labor unions are to appeal to the provincial attorney-general against the fines of \$100 imposed on two striking tailors last week for intimidation. All the unions in Ontario are to pass resolutions conclams, per lb. imposed on two striking tailors last week for intimidation. All the unions in Ontario are to pass resolutions con-

demning the judgment. Arabs Punished.

Paris, Dec. 7.—A report has been received here from Gen. Lyoutey, commander of the French flying column in Algeria, saying that the first move of Brantford, Dec. 7.—The G.T.R. station at Harrisburg was burned to the ground today by the explosion of a lamp. The building was an old land-mark

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Vegetable marrow, each.
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Chili peppers, per lb.
Squash, per lb.
Pumpkins, per lb.
Cauliflower, each
Cabbage, local, per lb.
Red Cabbage, per lb. Dairy Produce. anadian, per lb..... Veufchatel, each

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Muts. Walnuts, per lb..... Fish. 6 to

Clams, per lb.
Oysters, Olympia, per pint.
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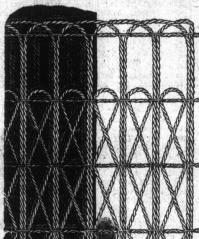
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him, as well as me, a great favor by calling his attention to this ad. or informing me where a letter would reach him. He is a Frenchman and usually works on a farm or in the woods. Was last heard of at Victoria, B.C. J. F. Alden, Hilgard, Oregon. PURE BRED LIVE STOCK

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FOR SALE—2 choice Ayrshire bulls; a number of Suffolk Down rams, and some choice Yorkshire boars and sows. All the special prizes given for swine at the 1907 Exhibition, New Westminster, were won by this herd. Fairview Stock Farm, Jos. Thompson, proprietor, Chilliwack, B. C. nl5

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