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WOULD DIVIDE SURPLUS AMONG THE PROVINCES Sir James Whitney's Scheme For Aid From Dominion Government

OPENS HIS CAMPAIGN Says Dominion Premier Has Indicated Action on Line Incorporated—To Deal With Bilingualism in Schools No Matter Whose Corns Are Trodden On

(Special to Times.) Colouze, Ont., Nov. 16.—Sir James Whitney, premier of Ontario, opened his provincial campaign here last night, before a large gathering of electors.

For several years the late dominion government had been piling up surpluses until last year the surplus amounted to something like \$25,000,000. Sir James believed that this money should be given to the provinces for immigration, practical instruction in agriculture and the improvement of the permanent roadways of the province.

NEW BARRISTERS More St. John Men in the Number—Harry Blair May Succeed D. B. Winslow

Fredericton, N. B., Nov. 16.—(Special.)—The supreme court this morning heard arguments in several cases adjourned until Thursday next.

Weather Bulletin Issued by authority of the department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stupart, director of meteorological service.

Forecast—Southwest to northwest gales, local snow flurries, but mostly fair and colder.

NEW STEAMER LINE NOT UNDER C. P. R. London, Nov. 16.—The Times' Amsterdam correspondent telegraphs that the proposed new steamship line between Europe and Canada, is not being financed by the C. P. R., but by Dutch and French bankers, who have purchased two ships from the C. P. R.

Montreal Banquet to Borden Montreal, Nov. 16.—It is probable that a banquet will be tendered to Hon. H. L. Borden in this city during January, under the auspices of the Liberal Conservative Club.

SARDINE FACTORY FOR CARLETON BEING PLANNED Company With \$100,000 Capitalization Proposes Making Start Next Summer

Sardine packing will be added to the list of St. John industries next summer. A company capitalized at \$100,000 is being organized for this purpose by Charles E. Colwell of West St. John, who said this morning that his plans are progressing very favorably.

Nothing definite has been decided as to whether it is probable that the industry will be carried on at the Old Fort in Carleton where Mr. Colwell's present business is carried on and where he holds considerable property.

MILLIONS ARE IN WANT Crops in Twenty Provinces in Russia Filled and 8,000,000 People Need Help

St. Petersburg, Nov. 16.—Eight million persons are in need of immediate relief owing to the failure of the crops in twenty Russian provinces. This startling announcement was made in the duma last evening by Premier Kokovzoff in reply to interpellations concerning reports that famine threatened a wide area.

CARS IN COLLISION Street Railway Accident on The Lancaster Road Late Last Night

Two cars were quite badly damaged last evening in Lancaster and the motor man and passengers in one were given a severe shaking when a collision occurred between the cars on the other track with the suspension bridge and one which had become stalled on the track and whose lights had gone out.

NEGRO MAKES TEST OF HIS THEATRE RIGHTS IN NEW YORK New York, Nov. 16.—Harry A. Levy, assistant manager of the Lyric theatre, has been held in \$200 in New York, Monday, for examination Thursday on the charge that he had refused to a negro the privileges of the theatre extended to white patrons.

AGAIN A FLAG QUESTION New York, Nov. 16.—The New York city board of education has given out a public expression of regret for the action of Dr. Stuart H. Rowe, principal of the Walden high school, ordering his pupils to salute the British flag at exercises held last June in support of the proposed Anglo-American arbitration treaties.

RAILWAY MAN SERIOUSLY INJURED IN SACKVILLE Sackville, N. B., Nov. 16.—(Special.)—While coupling cars this morning Elmer Allen, an employe of the N. B. and P. E. Railway, had his head badly injured by being caught between two cars. It is hoped that his injuries will not prove fatal.

SPEECH FROM THRONE IS READ BY DUKE OF BRITANNIA

Ottawa, Nov. 16.—On the re-assembling of parliament this afternoon, the speech from the throne was read by R. H. the Duke of Cornwall, as follows: Honorable Gentlemen of the Senate, Gentlemen of the House of Commons: It is with much satisfaction that I meet for the first time the Parliament of Canada and avail myself of your advice and assistance in the fulfillment of the important charge which has been entrusted to me by His Majesty, the King.

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COW KILLED WOMAN Usually Docile, Turns on Mrs. Hart and Teases and Tramples Her

Melbourne, Nov. 16.—Although she sought desperately for more than an hour with what little strength was left in her frail body, Mrs. Labor Hart, wife of a farmer living at Lloyd, near Possumskope, was killed by a cow. The family had owned the animal for several years and she had never before shown any signs of viciousness.

WIFE IS ACQUITTED Had Killed Her Husband in Home of a Negress

North Worth, Tex., Nov. 16.—Mrs. Lucy Matheson, a prominent Abilene woman, charged with murdering her husband in that city on Oct. 5, in the house of a negress, is acquitted.

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SAYS SHE IS NOT OGRESS SHE HAS BEEN PICTURED Mrs. Vermilya Makes Statement to Chicago Newspaper Men—Denies Poisoning

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AUSTRALIA DISTURBED Object to Merchant Vessels of Foreign Nations Being Equipped for War

Melbourne, Nov. 16.—Grave concern is felt throughout the commonwealth over the assertion that all overseas vessels supplied by foreign countries are easily convertible into commerce destroyers in war.

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"MOULDER OF PUBLIC OPINION, BUT THE CAST WENT COLD" But a Recast Will Come, Says Hon. Mr. Graham at Banquet in New York—Talks on Reciprocity

New York, Nov. 16.—"Until a few weeks ago, I thought I was a moulder of public opinion, but the cast went cold on me," said Hon. George F. Graham, former minister of railways in Sir Wilfrid Laurier's cabinet, speaking last night to more than 200 members of the National Founders' Association at their annual banquet.

ONTARIO TEMPERANCE MEN WANT MORE Disatisfied With Conservative Action and Liberal Intentions

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 16.—Social and moral reform questions claimed the attention of the Ontario Sons of Temperance at their annual convention yesterday. The organization is waging a vigorous campaign for the elimination of the white slave traffic and other vices, as well as for the total abolition of the liquor traffic.

TAR AND FEATHER TRIAL Nine Men Must Answer For Attack Upon Girl School Teacher

Lincoln Center, Kan., Nov. 16.—Preliminary to calling the criminal cases against nine men for tarring and feathering Miss Mary Chamberlain, nineteen years old, a school teacher of Shady Bend, Judge E. L. Grover, in the District Court, quashed indictments against three of the defendants on technicalities, but the three were immediately re-arrested on new information.

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ABNORMAL RUN OF TIDE THAT NIGHT Court Martial in the Niobe Case Resumed Today in Halifax

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SOME NEW EVIDENCE Lieut. Campbell Gives Results of Reckonings—Commander McDonald Called—Thinks He Should Have Been Told of Tides When Near Blonde Rock

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MORE WHAT BEING MCV D Montreal, Que., Nov. 16.—Grain transportation figures show that the C. P. R. has far exceeded more than 400,000 more bushels of grain than at this time last year.

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