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operating in the Rand gold mining dis- of all. But this does not exclude the over and above working expenses. That | for the opening of new outlets for their the supply is practically inexhaustible surplus population. And certainly province except Ontario and Prince Edward Island. By provinces the figis shown by the estimate of 35,000,000 Australia is the most tempting that ures horse power attributed to the engineers, offers itself or is likely to be found. five times more than the possibilities

Water-generated electricity will ultinately compel a readjustment of the sition of the nations as entres of industry. Hitherto that has epended on their wealth of coal de- fleet has accordingly become for Austheir rivers. A summary of the available water powers of the world was recently given in the Revue Electrique and shows that Russia heads the European powers with 11,000,000 horse power, of which only 85,000 has been developed. France and Italy are each credited with 4,500,000 horse power, the former utilizing 800,000 and the latter only 300,000. Norway has 900,000 and Sweden 760,000 horse power, already large-ly developed. The estimate for Switzeniand is incomplete, but 300,000 horse consequences. No one now believes with 4,500,000 horse power, the forcertainly served its turn, better indeed that the government party secured 54 seats to 11 for the opposition. The Conservatives expect to make a gain of from 4 to 9 seats in Quebec. If they should gain the 4, that would be 50 Liberals to 15 Conservatives, a government party secured 54 seats to 11 for the opposition. The Conservatives expect to make a gain of from 4 to 9 seats in Quebec. If they should gain the 4, that would be 50 Liberals to 15 Conservatives, a government majority of 35. the many developments which are shaping to Machinery of New York, where an abstract of the French article appeared, has either developed or is in process of developing 4,500,000 horse power, out of an available 10, 500,000. Canada does not figure in the roster, but its water power must at at the many developments which are shaping the lines of evolution of the supporters. Should these calculations be borne out the overwhelming majority may almost, if not entirely, disappear. The following might be accepted as a fairly conservative estimate of the standing of the parties after the next elections, that is if the Conservatives are not paying too much attention. roster, but its water power must at least rival that of the United States.

The question for all the countries possessing these vast power resources is how they are to be utilized. Are they the United States in the matter of its was attached to the regular army rifle. coal measures, there should be no difficulty in supplying an answer. A proper mining law regulating the hours of working and preventing the creation of monopolies would have altered the present situation vastly for the better. 1500 yards. That the capitalists and high financiers who have been looting the public resources and services have been laying their plans for the capture of the water powers is evident enough on every side. As Francis J. Heney of California said in a recent address at San Jose:

Now, the same class of men are at work getting into their posses-sion as fast as possible, the wonderful water power of this state. Already more than half of this is in the hands of one company, which will be anything but light task-masters when their control is complete. The water power of California is now the greatest force we have It is received the second of have. It is greater than the for-ests of all the Rockies, greater than all the coal now owned, as I said, by a single company, and that a railroad company, which lies east of the Rocky Mountains. Unless laws are passed to prevent it, this greatest of all forces will soon pass into the hands of those to whom it should never go, and be forever lost to posterity as a natural resource.

The speaker went on to commend Canada for its way of handling Canaefforts made to conserve Niagara for the people having apparently reached to be done here before our water re- suburbs for 5 cents per copy. sources are thoroly protected from spoliation. With these safeguarded, Canada will hold the highest place among the individual nations and no greater task rests on our statesmen and politicians than to see that this is

EAST AND WEST

Australia's reception of the United States' fleet made that given by New Zealand tame by comparison. The mental differences, in part to the contrast in extent between the common-Zealanders, the not yet numbering a million, possess a territory all more or less settled and well within the compass of their powers to handle and Fitzgerald develop. Australians contrariwise are dotted round the fringe of an immense island continent and congregate chiefly towards the south where the climate, if sub-tropical, is not fatal to the physical energy of a white population. As it is Australia offers close on square mile of surface for each innabitant and it is generally admitted that the tropical north cannot

foundly influence the future of Austract, the force available in the falls lia and has already modified its policy. and gorge of the Zambesi in each year By increasing the white population equals that of all the coal presently and by adopting a policy that will mined in the United States—approxi- unite all countries directly involved in the issue of Pacific supremacy, Australia is but preparing itself against what it believes to be the inevitable

SILENCER WORKED WELL,

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Aug. 25.-The to be wisely administered by the gov- first official test of Hiram Maxim's ernments for the general good, or are gun silencer was made by officers stathey to pass into private hands and tioned at the United States armory be exploited for the profit of a few? If here to-day. The test, it is said, proved warning is taken by the experience of the claims of the inventor. The device

which is manufactured here.

The test was made on the regular

WOMAN, PANIC STRICKEN, Threw Child From Window and Jumped

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Panic seized Mrs. Mary Abruzzo of Brooklyn when a gas stove exploded and set fire to the clothing of her three-year-old son Joseph and a baby carriage in which was her infant son Charles. Mrs. Abruzzo threw the baby from the third storey window and then leaped after it. The box Joseph, left in the burning apartment, was burned to death, and Mrs. Abruzzo and her baby were mortally injured by the fall.

Firemen quickly extinguished the blaze.

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> Dominion Baptist Union.
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> ST. JOHN, N. B., Aug. 25.—The Maritime Baptists, in convention here, have decided to adopt the report that the Baptists of Canada organize into the Dominion Baptists' Union. The first meeting of the union will be held in Ottawa in October, when details of the organization will be work-

> Evidence is Not Strong. CHICAGO. Aug. 25.—Geo. W. Fitz-gerald, arrested in connection with the theft of \$173,000 from the United States sub-treasury some time ago, was admitted to bail by Judge Chetlain.
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> Assistant United States District Attorney Davis stated this afternoon that the federal authorities had concluded not to take part in the prosecution of Fitzgerald unless further evidence. Fitzgerald unless further evidence against the defendant is unearthed.



## POLITICAL INTELLIGENCE

body, therefore, expects an election by the first of November, and it is not likely that the dissolution will take place for two or three weeks yet.

of an election immediately.

The chief Liberal organ points out that the government has an overwhelming majority, drawn from every province except Ontario and Prince

Prince Edward Island..

Liberal majority 66.

tives are not paying too much atten-tion to outward signs:

 
 Quebec
 50

 Nova Scotia
 13

 New Brunswick
 5
 Manitoba Saskatchewan ..... Yukon .....

Conservative majority 3.

This accounts for 11 seats taken from the Liberals in Ontario. Every from the Liberals in Ontario. Every seat taken from one party makes a difference of two in the majority. Whitney took over 20 from the Liberals in 1905 and in the last election he took nearly 20 mere, making a net gain of nearly 40, after allowing for some losses the party made. If Borden can take a dozen seats from the enemy in Ontario he ought to come pretty close to winning.

Arrangements have been concluded with the Niagara Navigation Co, for those in Toronto and the surrounding with the Niagara Navigation Co. for those in Toronto and the surrounding districts who wish to take part in the opening meeting of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's tour, which will be held in the open air in Queen Victoria Park, Niagara Falls on Tuesday, Sept. 15. The meeting will be preceded by a procession for which five bands have been engaged. The date, Sept. 15, is in the week following the close of the Toronto Exhibition. The regular excursion season will then be over, but the Chippewa leaving Toronto at 7.30 and the Corona at 11 a.m., will still be in commission. The trip by the Chippewa is recommended as passengers by the 11 o'clock boat are not due to arrive at the park until after 2 p.m. The meeting will conclude by 5 o'clock, at which hour the last electric car will leave for Cueenston Tickets for the test. hour the last electric car will leave for Queenston. Tickets for the trip can be obtained at the regular excursion rates from F. G. Inwood, general-secre-tary of the Reform Association for On-tario, 36 Toronto-street.

A special despatch from Sydney, N. A special despatch from Sydney, N. S. says: A writ has been issued against The Sydney Daily Post by Dr. Arthur Kendall, ex-M.P., charging that paper with criminal libel in articles published on August 17th and 18th which contained the accuration 18th, which contained the accusation that the doctor had received "consideration for supporting Alex. Johnston

in the federal election of 1904."

The Post said to-day: "It is just possible the doctor may be serious and that this action may not be taken for political effect. If he is really in earnest the sooner he brings the case to trial the better. If he institutes his action right away the country will speedily know the whol estory. It should not be put off until after the election because delays will probably be interesting and may be of service during the campaign."

As a result of a meeting of the executive of the Calgary trades and la-bor council it is probable F. H. Sher-man, president of the District Miners' Union, will be nominated to the commons in the labor interest. With the Bank Head miners solidly behind the president and replacing of white strikers by the Japanese on the C.P.R. the probabilities are Sherman will get a fair share of the votes.

Organizer Pettypiece has been offered the nomination for Medicine Hat and has referred it to his executive. While the Liberal press are busy explaining how much harm Hon. G. E. Foster is doing the Conservative cause the Sydney, C.B., Post (Con.) observes

petus to the cause which is bound show results on election day."

the member for St. Antoine is Mr. Borden's most effective heutenant: "He has not spoken a great deal in the house, but he has been indefatigable in his researches into the administrative methods of the government; he has worked with remarkable method and care; and he has made the Liberals absolutely furious, from which the reader may deduce that he has brought to light things that they do not desire to see revealed. His methods are interesting in two respects. One is his invention of the magic lantern political address for work in the constituencies; he throws on a screen not only views of the district and places affected, but such pieces of evidence as competing tenders in the same handwriting, which have a powerful effect on the average elector in the audience. The eye being more receptive to impressions than the ear, it is a wonder that this method of campaigning has not been invented before and is not more used now."

Says The Moncton, N.B., Transcript (Liberal): Those Tories who raised a great how! in 1896 because Sir Wilfrid Laurier took the Liberal premiers of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Ontario into his cabinet apparently think it is all right for Borden, the Tory leader, to go touring about the country accompanied by the Tory premiers of Ontario, British Columbia, New Brunswick and Manitoba. Conservatives in years gone by claimed that the Liberal leader slighted his supporters in Parliament in securing the assistance of provincial premiers. If there was any justification for such criticism then, what about the case of the Tory leader who slights his colleagues in the house and announces his intention to start on a stumping tour with a quartette of provincial premiers?

P. Vilbon Savard, who represented Chicoutimi and Saguenay in the house of commons from 1891 to 1906, died on

There is some talk of cabinet re-construction in Saskatchewan. It is said the government has offered to give Mr. Motherwell, commissioner of agriculture, the deputy commissioner of agriculture, the deputy commissioner ship of the department and to place him over another member, but Mr. Motherwell does not take to this suggestion. nouse, and should the government pro-mise him strong support against A. J. Adamson in the convention and out of Adamson in the convention and out of it, he might be willing to step down.

There has been a well grounded rumor to the effect that J. F. Bole, M.L.A. for Regina City, would be taken into the cabinet either as minister of agriculture in the place of Motherwell or as minister of railways and telephones in charge of the new department.

could be counted a fairly safe riding.

A writer in The Yarmouth, N.S., Times (Conservative) throws some light on the man Bayne, who distributed money and whiskey in the Colchester by-election. Bayne, according to the story, is an "uneducated person" from the United States, who acquired some lands in the Five Islands district; has no political affiliations no knowledge of the issues before the people of this country and any part which he would take in an election here would be prompted solely by self-interest."

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Motherwell does not take to this suggestion. If he insists on staying it is likely that the district of Humboldt will be opened for him. Dr. Neely, who won the seat, will then have to be reckoned with, as he has high ambitions, had would like very well to be head of the department, with Motherwell as his deputy. Dr. Neely has also aspirations for the Dominion house, and should the government promise him strong support against A. J.

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rum and money in the hope that it would not be found out and concluded that Mr. Stanfield would look upon his efforts as disinterested and honest department,

The government does not want to get rid of Mr. Calder. He is the smoothest man in the cabinet and they have to find a seat for him somewhere. The seat of Weyburn will have to be opened again and it is rossible that he may run in there. It is more than likely that the constituency of Estevan will be opened for Mr. Calder, as the government candidate there had 300 majority and it could be counted a fairly safe riding.

That Mr. Stanheld and honest ones. Any person who knows both men will dismiss at once the idea that Mr. Stanfield and this man Bayne would have anything in common."

The Montreal Star thinks what Candam and must really do is to produce a type of public men who will devote themselves to our national affairs as men of the same sort now do at Westminster, else the government will fall into the hands of professional politicians of the baser sort.

"The time is rapidly passing," it

which he would take in an election here would be prompted solely by self-interest."

It is that Bayne wished to support Mr. Stanfield with the hope of getting the latter interested in some of his schemes. We fancy he used his own

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Shape with the hope of getting the latter interested in some of his schemes. We fancy he used his own ship that it has become a great temptation to mediocre politicians with more cheap popularity than real capacity."

The Star goes on to say that we need not await the development of the class of men they have in England who are rich enough to afford to serve their country; all we require is a willingness—on the part of the right stamp of men to serve their country without gain. But this class, it says, must be prepared to fight the "pro-

willingness—on the part of the right stamp of men to serve their country without gain. But this class, it says, must be prepared to fight the "professional politician" for the possession of parliamentary seats, "for our large indemnity," and the 'pickings' which are possible for the unscrupulous member, are attracting the mercenary element in large numbers and inspiring them to a malign ingenuity and assiduity in seeking places at "the feeding trough".

Trick Bicyclist Fatally Hurt.

ROCHESTER, N.Y., Aug. 25.— A special from Hornell, N.Y., says fatally injured there this morning. Hurley was at the top of a 60 foot ladder making ready for a loop-the-loop act, when he fell to the ground. At the hospital it was found that both of Hurley's legs were broken and he is injured internally. iduity in seeking places at "the feed-

Two Men Shocked.
WELLAND Aug. 25.—The swing bridge on Main-street has been fitted to nove by electricity. move by electricity.

In rigging the wire up to connect with the motor, John Rocket of Thorold received a 12.000 volt shock. He was up the pole at the time. The shock knocked him senseless and he fell back on his safety belt. John Valley of Port Dalhousie was also shocked, but not so seriously.

Six-for-a-Dollar.

Those who have not already purchased "six-for-a-dollar" exhibition tickets should lose no time in getting them. The supply this year is 5000 less than last year, and is nearly all sold. Make application early for these tickets at Webster & Co.'s, corner Yonge and King-streets.

Good Medicine For Children

Gentle laxatives should be administered occasionally and for this purpose physicians recommend Dr. Hamilton's Pills. They cure headache, bilicusness, weak stomach—never gripe because mild and easy.

He Plays Two Parts.

OTTAWA, Aug. 25.—Henry McEvoy whose forte is ringing up clergymen and representing himself as a business man sending a deserving individual for charity or a loan and then going himself and collecting the money, appeared in police court to-day and was remanded for a week.

KILLED HIM FOR GROANING. Didn't Like the Noise and Used an Ax to End It.

CHICAGO, Aug. 25 .- Frank Bryant, 23 years old, has confessed that he mur dered Thomas Brady, an aged clerk, Sunday night, in Springfield, Ill.

Brady and Bryant slept in the store
of George L. Forsythe. Bryant said he
drank a pint of whiskey after he went to bed and as a result could not go to

to bed and as a result could not go to sleep.

After tossing for hours Bryant went into Brady's room, he says, and heard the old man groaning and moaning.

"I was not feeling good," said Bryant, "and told him to shut up. He muttered something and kept on groaning. Then I grabbed an ax lying on the floor and hit him on the head."

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GETS DAKOTA DIVORCE. Woman, Helpless Paralytic Stroke.

Hurley had just returned from Albany to see his wife who is dying from the effects of a similar accident.

Goes Back to Life in Prison.

PORT HURON, Mich., Aug. 25.—

Charles Knisley, a young Englishman, who has been in the county jail for several months while his case was being investigated by the immigration authorities at Washington, was sent back to England Monday where he is to enter a prison and serve a life sen-

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GAVE WRONG NAME.

It was not Ernest Ford, the C. P. R. fireman of West Toronto, who was arrested Sunday evening in the city for assault. The man in trouble, an acquaint-ance, gave the name in trying to shield

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