

DISTINGUISHED SON OF NOVA SCOTIA DEAD

Sir Frederick W. Borden, Former Minister of Militia, Died Saturday—Was First Cousin of Premier Borden.

Canning, N. S., Jan. 7.—Sir Frederick W. Borden, K. C. M. G., Minister of Militia in the Laurier administration from its organization in 1896 until it went out of power in 1911, a period of



SIR FREDERICK W. BORDEN. Fifteen years, died at his home here Saturday. Sir Frederick was well known in St. John.

Born at Canning in 1847, Sir Frederick completed his education at Kings College, Windsor, where he was graduated B. A. in 1866, and then took up the study of medicine, spending two years at Harvard Medical School, where he was graduated in 1868.

He entered on the practice of his profession at Canning and also was agent for the Halifax Banking Co. then in existence. He went into politics early in life. A Liberal, he was returned by Kings County to the House of Commons in 1874, when only 27 years of age, but he was defeated when he offered in 1878. In 1882, however, he was again elected, and all subsequent efforts to dislodge him failed until 1911 when Mr. A. DeWitt Foster captured the constituency. Sir Frederick represented the county altogether for 33 years.

TORONTO RAILWAY COMPANY'S EARNINGS SHOW INCREASE.

Special to The Standard. Toronto, Jan. 6.—The gross receipts of the Toronto Railway Company for 1916 amounted to \$5,827,907.28, an increase of \$212,008.68, while the city's percentage amounted to \$210,000.96, an increase of \$92,436.24, as compared with 1915.

MARQUIS OF HARTINGTON ENGAGED

Eldest Son of Duke of Devonshire to Wed Lady May Cecil, Grand-daughter of Former Premier of England

Ottawa, Jan. 7.—The engagement is announced between the Marquis of Hartington, eldest son of the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire, and Lady Mary Cecil, second daughter of the Marquis and Marchioness of Salisbury.

TRADING QUIET IN MONTREAL SATURDAY

(McDUGALL & COWANS.) Montreal, Jan. 6.—Trading was quiet today with a firm tendency throughout the list. There was no over-night news to affect the market. Public participation was small owing to reluctance of traders to come in over the weekend. German stamps C. P. R. certificates are selling in New York at a concession of about fifteen points. The sale of the stock and the purchase of these on peace talk was another reason given for the weakness yesterday.

N. B. MEN IN LIGHT CASUALTY LIST

Ottawa, Jan. 7.—Casualty list: Infantry. Lance Corporal L. C. Robertson, Tabusinta, N. B. Killed in action: W. O. Parker, Avonport, Kings Co., N. S. A. MacRae, Black Brook, N. S.

Wounded: Artillery. Gunner R. M. Parker, 27 Goodrich street, St. John, N. B. Mounted Rifles. Severely wounded: L. W. Haley, Nixon, N. B. C. Bennett, Port Egin, N. B. Wounded slightly: H. A. R. Dayton, Edmundston, N. B. W. Stapleton, 44 Stair street, Halifax, N. S.

DIED.

LARKIN—Suddenly, in this city, on the 4th inst., George M. Larkin in the sixtieth year of his age, leaving his wife, five sons and one daughter to mourn.

CURE CATARRH, BRONCHITIS BY SWIFT CERTAIN METHOD.

Thousands of drug fiends have been started on their downward course through Catarrh sniffles containing some habit forming drug. If you suffer from a cold, sneezing or catarrh—don't use a snuff—use a sensible treatment like Catarrhose. It heals and soothes, brings relief at once, cures thoroughly. In bronchitis and throat trouble no doctor can do better than prescribe Catarrhose. Try it—see what wonders it works—what power it possesses. Different from the old way—you inhale Catarrhose. Get the dollar outfit which includes the inhaler and is guaranteed. Smaller sizes 50c. sample size 25c., ut all dealers.

BRITISH CAPTURE TWO POSTS NEAR BEAUMONT-HAMEL

London, Jan. 7.—The British official communication issued tonight says: "In the capture of the two hostile posts near Beaumont-Hamel, reported yesterday, fifty-six prisoners were taken. The enemy attacked these posts this morning after heavy artillery preparation, but the attack was completely repulsed.

"We operated a very successful raid this afternoon south of Armentieres. Nineteen German prisoners were taken.

"The enemy attempted to enter our trenches early this morning southwest of Wytschaete, after a short, heavy bombardment. The attackers were repulsed in disorder, and with considerable losses. Another enemy attempt early this morning under cover of an intense bombardment against advanced posts on our front north of Ypres, was driven off by our fire.

"There has been artillery activity at various points along our front particularly south of Souchez and in the neighborhood of La Bassée Canal, Armentieres and Ypres."

SEVIGNY TO BE MEMBER OF CABINET TODAY

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Ottawa, Jan. 7.—Hon. Albert Sevigny, speaker of the Commons, will be sworn in as a member of the cabinet tomorrow to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Hon. T. Chase Casgrain. This was the official statement made tonight.

AMATEUR SPARRING.

Patrons of amateur sparring are to see one of the best interests of the Association will conduct the meeting. The selection committee has not as yet chosen the boxers who will represent Boston, but will probably do so within a few days.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Are we making the years count? As the old year wears itself out to its close there comes to nearly every man of us some irrevocable thought of what life is intended to be. We are living

Doctor Tells How To Strengthen Eyesight 50 per cent in One Week's Time in Many Instances

A Free Prescription You Can Have Filled and Use at Home. Philadelphia, Pa. Do you wear glasses? Are you a victim of eye strain or other eye weakness? If so, you will be glad to know that according to Dr. Lewis there is real hope for you. Many whose eyes were failing say they have had their eyes restored through the principle of this wonderful free prescription. One man says, after trying it: "I was almost blind; could not see to read at all. Now I can read everything without any glasses and my eyes do not water any more. At night they would pain dreadfully; now they feel fine all the time. It was like a miracle to me."

SPECIAL FUR PRICES A NICE MUFF for \$10.50

The muffs now on display in our window will be on sale at 9.30 Tuesday morning, January 9th. Every muff shown to be sold at the one price, \$10.50. The furs are Persian Lamb, Mink, Raccoon, Black Fox, Red Fox, Black Wolf, Marmot, Electric Seal, etc. The former prices were from \$12.50 to \$25.00.

H. MONT JONES 92 King St.

\$25,000,000 IN BRITISH GOLD SENT

New York, Jan. 7.—Gold amounting to \$25,000,000, one of the largest shipments received in a single day since the present movement from abroad began, arrived here today from Halifax, N. S., and was deposited at the sub-treasury.

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CANADIENS DEFEAT THE WANDERERS

Montreal, Jan. 7.—The Canadiens defeated the Wanderers by 9 to 4 in a hotly contested game here Saturday night and won their second victory of the N. H. A. season.

OTTAWA WINS OVER TORONTO AT HOCKEY

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POPULAR RESIDENT OF SHEDIAC CAPE DEAD

Shediac, Jan. 7.—Much regret is expressed throughout this section of the county over the passing of Daniel Alexander McQueen, a well known and popular resident of Shediac Cape, who died of paralysis at the home of his brother, James McQueen, the well known attorney, in this town.

FUNERALS

The funeral of John Cochran took place on Saturday afternoon from his late residence, 567 Main street, to St. Peter's Church, where Rev. Peter O'Hare, C. S. R., read the burial service. Interment was made in the Old Catholic cemetery.

CHILDREN CRY FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

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MORE CANADIAN REUNION

Large Party Reached "Fighting 26th" Party Has Militia Praise for Capt. Doing Splendid

Another party of Canadian men arrived in the city after giving their best as the Empire in her hour of men were tendered a hearty welcome by the returned soldiers' committee. The members of the party, who were the most enthusiastic of a party in all numbered 185, number nineteen are in the depot in the city and will leave for their homes today.

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