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Canada is Not Ready for Imperial

in a trenchant way, our national sta- their disposal. tus and empire organization. It bemaking of a constitution for empire per cent. of the city's population.

the Liberal party in Canada. It says:

There are, we should say, few fzed than Mr. Mackenzie King to in the matter of our future status.

The present parliament and the existing government have no authority, in the opinion of The Free Press, to speak for Canada as to empire organization. Our future status and relationship to the other countries of the empire should be the subject of public discussion, and that discussion. it says, must precede not follow the conference. Heretofore public men by common consent have agreed to sidestep the question of Canada's future as a nation, but The Free Press beleaves the time has now come to have open and fearless discussion. The people at large have paid little attention to the question and no one probably can speak for them with knowledge and authority.

The debate at the last session of parliament on the peace treaty are coming to be regarded as almost among the members of parliament. The prime minister and the president of the privy council made announcements which, if interpreted literally, the danger from swift changes of service branch, D.S.C.R., at 45 West heat for would mean national independence. temperature, more frequently due to King street, Main 3501, so that they if all else fails, there might be a by-Hon. W. S. Fielding laughed at their artificial than to natural conditions,

as much for Canada as Sir Robert Borden did at the peace conference. night, should be insisted upon. The middle ground was occupied by Ernest Lapointe, W. F. Maclean and others who pointed out that Canada ASK LOCAL BOARD lacked many of the attributes of sovereignty, but commended the prime minister for having secured for Canada the status of a nation at the temerity to suggest imperial federa-

neither desires to cut the painter nor council to order compulsory vaccinato be drawn into a confederation in tion because the board of health was which Canada would be outvoted. He cided that H. M. Mowat, representhas great faith in the political evolu-tion which has done so much for the should ask the local board of health British empire. He can see by what if they would allow themselves to be added as applicants for a mandamus has happened in Canada that as time and that the court of appeal would goes on the central power becomes more predominant and the constituent noon, the local board of health destates less and less important in Canada a nation within the empire, health, which is a corporate but is unwilling to have her a mere should permit themselves to be addstate or province in a nation, however ed, he would still have a great deal

The Toronto World in Britain to put something over him when he is busy on some domestic concern. There are busy bodies of in the year by The World Newspaper Company of Toronto, Limited.

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Sunday World—5c per copy, \$2.50 per year, by mail. his hands, pays any attention to his duty or takes any interest in the affairs of the city he lives in. A large number of these non-voters complain about the city government and criticize what is done, but they never try to The Winnipeg Free Press discusses remedy matters with the means at

Mayor Church got 340 fewer votes lieves there is no hurry about adopt- this year than last in a total which ing a naval program for Canada and exceeded last year's by about 4000 still less hurry about rushing into the votes. His poll of 25,680 is about five

If there be a failure of democracy It is pointed out that for some years here is the secret. The people do not past the dominion premiers have spent most of their time in London.

During the war frequent visits to the During the war frequent visits to the capital of the empire were necessary; after the war it was found necessary democracy cannot be said to have a

Provincial Health Statistics.

In the health returns for the province for December pneumonia ranks as the most dangerous disease with met 180 deaths. Tuberculosis follows deaths. Tuberculosis follows with 95 deaths and diphtheria next with 65. Typhoid fever follows a long with 65. Typhoid fever follows a long given to him.

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pneumonia to the number of 3, influ- plemented out of the fund. enza 5, and infantile paralysis and smallpox two each. With the largest which is reasonably suitable for him little fee that they will be treated to culosis continues to make the stead-

equally dangerous. But pneumonia the climate, bracing and vitalizing as it is, municate with the information makes it necessary to take every pre- employment. British foreign office could have done caution. No "cold" should be neglected and fresh air, especially at

TO SEEK MANDAMUS

Provincial Board of Health Want peace conference. No one had the Help in Compelling Vaccination.

At the opening hearing yesterday yesterday, in denying that the G.W. of the appeal by the provincial board V.A. were opposed to a further Quite possibly the average Cana- of the appeal by the provincial board dian is not lying awake at nights wor- of health against the refusal of Mr. rying over the status of Canada or Justice Sutherland to issue a mandaour future relations to the empire, He mus compelling the Toronto city Against Gratuity, every federation. He is willing to have

COLD BUT HOPEFUL



for the assistance of men who have decorations, and are in no manner served overseas and are now, with- be expected for throwing out blasts of out fault of their own, out of employ- warm air.

assistance unless he can give clear company operating the cars are not proof that by reason of special expenses or burdens, his earnings or But, gentlemen, in the also occurred from acute influenzal penses or burdens, his earnings or But, gentlemen, in the winter time expected earnings, ought to be supthered out of the number of 2 ind. Nothing for Quitters.

"4. The man who refuses a job and registers as unemployed, is to get no assistance.

disease and scarlet fever and meas'es every possible opportunity for men required in any branch of industry. It forming nature's cure for frost bites of much of their time, obtained a is in the interest of all parties that and frozen limbs. continues to be the most deadly of continues to be the c labor of any kind, are urged to comsitions instead of certificates for un-"Unauthorized and inaccurate state-

ments as to the scope of the relief intended, which have appeared in the press, have caused much unnecessary work and disappointment, and it is the hope of the Canadian Patriot! Fund, which is endeavoring to deal speedily and effectually with the esses coming before it, that the points above mentioned will, for the future, be kept clearly in mind."

G. W. V. A. POSITION.

District Secretary Conroy, G.W.V.A published in The Toronto World 30, 1919, 'G W.V.A. Alone is Against Gratuity, is altogether leading. The G.W.V.A. have still are and will continue to be favor of gratuities for re-establishment as presented to the parliamentary committee on re-establishment. The G.W.V.A. endorse the principle of petition and have a Dominion-wide petition in preparation. Ther local branches cannot commit iocal branches cannot commit the G.W.V.A. as a whole to a purely local

A NOTABLE IRISH VISITOR.

Very Rev. Paul Cullen, C.M. of Dublin, Ireland, is a guest of Rev. Dr.

ance which is essential to the fair and or the car for the purpose of producbeneficial carrying out of the purpose ing heat. In the case of the street car company, and its vehicles, those "1. The fund is to be used, except same little rust-coated chunks of order very special circumstances, only sheet, or pig iron, are used merely as

Citizens pay the required sum the pleasure of a plain ordinary street "3. So also a man who has work, or car without frills, and which by the fever with 17, measles with 14, and can get work, will not be given any sweet by and by, also means that the

their friends who do not pay taxes to give the public complete and speedy job they board the cars and pay their information. The assistance of the number of cases, 1414, smallpox had and the man who wilfully quits his at least enough heat to keep their feet and two officials, J. B. Erskine, Tofrom freezing to the bottom of the car. On the holiday a little child with its Crowley. Canadian district secretary. "5. Employers of labor are urged to mother who had gotten on the car at tabulating returns from all sales." iest drain on the life of the province, make use of the department of soltiers' civil re-establishment, West time that the car reached Yonge was crying pitifully by the tabulating returns from all polling sub-divisions.

With the assistance of the press. tran in December, 1919, the re-establishment, West than in December, 1918, when 138 were of men quitting employment; to give notice there of positions or jobs available, and above all to apply there on the press time that the car reached Yonge street, and the whole trouble was caused because the wee kiddle was cold. Its little face was pinched and blue looking, while at the same time that the car reached Yonge was treet, and the whole trouble was caused because the wee kiddle was cold. Its little face was pinched and blue looking, while at the same time that the car reached Yonge street, and the whole trouble was caused because the wee kiddle was cold. Its little face was pinched and blue looking, while at the same time that the car reached Yonge was treet, and the whole trouble was caused because the wee kiddle was cold. Its little face was pinched and blue looking, while at the same time that the car reached Yonge was treet, and the whole trouble was caused because the wee kiddle was cold. Its little face was pinched and blue looking, while at the same time that the car reached Yonge was treet, and the whole trouble was caused because the wee kiddle was cold. Its little face was pinched and blue looking, while at the same time that the car reached Yonge was treet, and the whole trouble was caused because the weekiddle was cold. Its little face was pinched and blue looking while at the same time that the car reached Yonge was treet, and the whole trouble was caused because the weekiddle was cold. Its little face was pinched and blue looking while at the same time. Diphtheria is another dangerous able, and, above all, to apply there on the poor youngster tried to keep its Adding and Calculating Machines

> Those, therefore, who are in need c: it upholds our contention that the forms for the collection of voting figstreet car company should be forced ures. Each of the 461 polling booths and by the city of Toronto to provide some was visited by one of these messenwill be in a position to distribute po- law passed which would force them compiled in the voting booths. to pack the bottom of the cars with That would partially help the various booths were flashed on screens situation, which at the present mo-

MEN'S FORMAL WEAR

The New Dress Suits and Tuxedo Jackets on Exhibition.

"We are engaged in a Inancial fight with New York and other American points at present," said Jim Ma-thewson of the new Semi-ready store up near Bloor, on Yonge. "They say our dollar is worth 91 cents, and we maintain that it's worth more than their greenbacks, and we'll just naturally quit playing with them unless they change their tune.

social season interests us more than for five years before. I am show-Semi-ready Dress Suits and Tuxedo Dinner Jackets in the very latest models. They cost more than they used to do, but they have finer silk linings and better tailering. It is in dress suits that Semi-ready stands the in its superiority," continued Mr. Ma-

JUVENILE JUDGE SWORN IN.

H. S. Mott, formerly principal of Fern Avenue School, was sworn in J. P. Treacy, pastor of St. Cecilia's, tor, of the Children's Aid Society, West Toronto. The noted visitor is and took his place as judge for the yesterday by W. B. Raymond, solicigreat. And, most of all, he does not tices Lennox, Latchford, Middleton Australia and was formerly president quarters in the basement of the registry building.

tions in many progressive cities of To-

To one who has witnessed the handling of elections returns elsewhere, the as they were confirmed by the messpeed and accuracy with which resengers' returns. turns were compiled and given to the brought in, had first to pass thru the velous. It is hardly likely, however, here either, except for the magnificent co-operation rendered by the and staff of the Burroughs Adding the adding machines, where the oper-Machine Company ators added up from the forms

The results as received from the

in different parts of the city, thus giving the people sub-division returns as oon after the last ballot had been cast as it was humanly possible to assemble them Without Hitch.

Immediately results began to arrive at the city hall the organization ability of the two Burroughs managers, and the wonderful efficiency of the Burroughs Adding and Calculating Machines were at once obvious. Without hitch or delay the returns from the various booths went thru a regular routine that obviated both delay and error. In the main corridor of the first

floor of the city hall was grouped a pattery of 24 Burroughs Adding Maeach operated by an expert female operator. Near this battery were two Burroughs calculator operators with Burroughs Calculating Mahines, more accurate than humans in figuring ingenuity, and scores of times Close by these were six young men, who finally checked the returns

Ward 5 Electors

I thank you for the way you sup-ported me at the polls Thursday, Assuring you that all my promises for reform in social service and assess-ment will be lived up to, lawish you all a bright and prospercis New Year.

James Phinnemore (Successful Citizens' Candidate.)

ronto's size, and seldom were results known before noon of the day following the elections.

Instead of working independently, as is usually done in other cities, the ronto sales manager, and Bart

roughs selling and office forces of Toronto. Vast Figure Problems. For more than a week prior to the election, Burroughs executives and staff worked on the preliminary details of handling the election returns, and the successful termination of the task is a tribute to their ablity to handle vast figure problems, and is a demonstration of the thoroness with which they take hold of such propositions. To have accomplished tabulation of the great volume of figures without the aid of Burroughs machines would have been a nervewracking and brain-fatiguing job, to say the least, and would have required force of men and women many times greater than what was then the final results probably would not have been compiled for

> When the last return had been tabulated and the final results of the election determined and made known to the people, one of the city officials remarked with a gladsome smile that he didn't know just how it had been done, but that the work just seemed to slip thru and get done A Good Foundation.

We build a good foundation on E. which to work. That is, we take care said the advance was due to the risof all the preliminary work as thoroly as we do the actual figure work. Overcoming figuring problems is our 9 cents a bar and others at 10 cents, business. Naturally we know how to Prices now, it is predicted, will rue mo about it, and rather enjoy the do- around 10 and 11 cents a bar. cities that keen the public

waiting from 18 to 48 hours for election returns could take an obless task is handled in Toronto, To begin receiving information an hour or seafter the last ballot has been dropped into the ballot-boxes, and to have complete information a few hours later would be a treat indeed to the people of most metropolitan cities.

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LONELINESS.

CHAPTER 78.

good—I can see you improve by hour. Tomorrow Breck says you're to play some golf with him, and Jerry, was happy. She felt as the she were only to play some golf with him, and Jerry, half herself, for Harry was still the said that Louise to play some golf with him, and Jerry, half herself, for Harry was still the said that Louise to play some golf with him, and Jerry, half herself, for Harry was still the said that Louise to play some golf with him, and Jerry, half herself, for Harry was still the said that Louise to play some golf with him, and Jerry, half herself, for Harry was still the said that Louise to play some golf with him, and Jerry, half herself, for Harry was still the said that Louise to play some golf with him, and Jerry, half herself, for Harry was still the said that Louise to play some golf with him, and Jerry, half herself, for Harry was still the said that Louise to play some golf with him, and Jerry, half herself, for Harry was still the said that Louise to play some golf with him, and Jerry, half herself, for Harry was still the said that herself herself. who has taken a great fancy to you, half herself, for Harry was still wants you to go for a spin to Pillowtop mountain in the afternoon. Are that she was thru with him did n

"Immensely," Louise said, 'but I've gotten awfully out of the frivolous

All returns, whether phoned in

hands of checkers, who had lists of all

sub-divisions, and marked off each

polling booth as the returns arrived.

From this place the returns went to

votes for the various candidates, the

bylaws and questions. At various

stages totals were taken to the news-

paper men in an adjoining room, who

sent bulletins by direct line to their

respective papers. There the results

were thrown on screens. The entire

organization was supervised by Messrs. Erskine and Crowley, who

sentatives and members of the Bur-

spirit, Carol. It's hard to manage light

conversation when I feel hearted underneath."

keep her from loving him.

Monday-A Heart-to-Heart Talk.

WOMEN LOYAL TO WOMEN CANDIDATES

An idea long entertained by no small portion of the community has been exploded by the returns in the recent election—the idea that women are not leyal to one another. In the ele for aldermanic honors, Mrs. L. A. Hamilton came third in a contest in which aine were running, and in the run for place on the board of edution three women - Dr. Brown, Mrs. W. E. Groves and Mr. Ada Court.ce-headed the poll in their respective wards. While giving du-credit that a number of men wen were ably assisted by press repre- generous enough to acknowledge weman on the council or board, at the case might be, would be a be to the community by giving them their vote, still it is a recognized fact, especially in the case of the new alder man, Mrs. Hamilton, that it was the organized work of the women of the ty that put the women candidates in the fine places which they occupied when the returns were counted.

LATE W. J. DOUGLAS' WILL

The late William J. Douglas, eral manager of the Mail Printing Co., left an estate valued at \$192,847, luding real estate, \$1,271; \$172,118; insurance and cash in 17,968. By his will the estate will be divided on the death of Mrs. Dougas, between his three sons, subject bequests of \$1,500 each to Mrs. J. E. Riordan, Mrs. M. B. Sherwin and Mrs. C. E. Townshend, and \$400 to many hours later than what they

SOAP PRICES UP.

Soaps manufactured by Lever Bris. of Toronto went up half a cent a bar wholesale yesterday and are now ing at \$9.25 a case of 100 bars. The "Easy enough." replied Mr. Erskine. Supprise and Taylor's borax soaps. orands affected are Sunlight, Comfo Ganong, president of the company ing costs of materials. Some gro-cers have been selling these soaps a Prices now, it is predicted,

A NEW SUMMER RESORT.

Information has been received Information has usen for that Can-Grand Trunk headquarters that Canada will have next year a sur resort hotel that will surpass in size resort hotel that will surpass in size any similar enterprise previously effected in the Dominion. This hotel will be in the "Lake of Bays" district of the "Highlands of Ontario," and will be known as the "Bigwin Inn." Construction work has been completed and the hotel will be opened during the coming summer. It will have accommodation for six hundred guests. Railroad authorities state that the opening of the Bigwin Inn will mark opening of the Bigwin Inn will mark notable step in the development anadian summer resorts.

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