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GIFTS FROM HIS ADMIRERS

Cheque For Large Amount and an IIluminated Address - Presentation Made by Hon. George A. Cox-The Splendid Work of the Former Premier of the Province of Ontario Fittingly Recognized.

Ontario Fittingly Recognized.

Toronto, Dec. 29.—Men who unselfishly devote themselves to the public welfare have often good cause to complain of the lack of appreciation by the public of the personal sacrifices which such devotion entails.

It not infrequently happens that the great mass of people whose lot in life is made easier and brighter by the efforts of public men awaken too late to a sense of the hard work, untiring effort, and loss of opportunities for personal advancement which those efforts demand. Then they voice their regret that they did not realize earlier the worth of those who strove for their good, and record their feeling in some fitting manner.

But there are exceptions to every rule; the people are not always slow to express appreciation of great public services nobly planned and ably carried out. This was abundantly manifested yesterday afternoon at the home of Hon. Geo. W. Ross, Elmsley place, when the former Premier of the Province was made the recipient of a check for \$35,000, and an illuminated address, in which was expressed approval of all that he has done in his long public career on behalf of this Province and the Dominion.

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long public career on behalf of this Province and the Dominion.

The amount mentioned was made up by subscription from admirers of Hon. Mr. Ross all over the country, regardless of politics. The presentation was made by Senator Cox, Chairman of the committee having charge of the subscriptions, who also read the address. Those present included several who is Those present included several who is Those present included several who is the with Hon, Mr. Ross in hard-fought political campaigns, and in the carrying through the Legislature of measures of great importance. The former Premier's reply was comparatively brief and quite appropriate.

The illuminated address, the work of Miss Shaw, is excellently done. It bears as part of the border design "A little red schoolhouse," and excellent plotures in colors of the Parliament buildings at Ottawa and Toronto, all commemorative of Mr. Ross' long connection with educational and legislative affairs.

Faithful Service Appreciated. the Hon. George William Ross, M. P. P., LL.D., etc.

"To the Hon. George William Ross, M. P. P., LL.D., etc.

"Sir.—A number of personal as well as political friends in Canada here address you, desiring to express their appreciation of your services as a public man to your country, and especially to the Province of Ontario, and to beg you to accept the accompanying check as showing a gratitude which cannot be expressed in verbal compilment alone. Sir, for years you have set aside your private interests and avocations and given with lavish hand of your talents and energies to the public service, and we beg you to accept a free and spontaneous gift which can be turned into a form to be chosen by yourself rather than by us.

"Your rise from public school master in Ontario to be a member of Parliament and then Premier of your own Province was due to your own ability and your own unaided effort and capacity for hard and honest work, and your career has been viewed with pride and affection by your political friends, and with respect by your opponents.

"We desire to express our acknowledgment of the manner in which you have been able to place fiscal and educational legislation upon the statute book to the great advantage of the "We have also to thank you for the

people.

"We have also to thank you for the many occasions upon which you have publicly and with great eloquence expressed for the people of Canada their just aspirations as to national concerns, and their deep-grounded beliefs upon the essentials of democratic government.

ment.

"For yourself and your nearest and dearest, sir, we wish long life and continued health, happiness and prosper-

"Dated this 20th day of December,

"On behalf of the givers,
"(Signed) G. A. Cox, chairman of the
committee; S. C. Wood, secretary of

Reply of Mr. Ross

The committee."

Raply of Mr. Ross.

Hon. Mr. Ross said in reply:
"It is no very easy task to find words in which suitably to express my appreciation of your kindness as manifested by the address and testimonial flust presented. Notwithstanding the vanity incident to human nature, I can hardly bring myself to believe that I merit either the one or the other. It is true that for nearly my whole life—certainly the most effective part of it—I have given myself entirely to the public service. Such service demands in most cases the sacrifice of -personal ease and comfort, as well as the loss of opportunities for the acquisition of wealth, and often of a simple competence for declining years, Through your kindness, this latter contingency has been to a large extent averted, needless to say to my great relief and the comfort of my family, those dependent upon me.
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comfort of my family, those dependent upon me.

"It is gratifying to be assured hat my public career has met with the approval of my personal and political friends. To take an active part in the strife and conflict of party politics, keeping in mind at all times the public interests rather than mere transient success, is not an easy task, and when opinions differ as they necessarily do not he issues which divide parties, it is not unreasonable to expect that opinions will also differ as te the motives by which the actors in such conflicts are moved and the objects which they are endeavoring to attain. I am pleased to think, however, that during this long period, in which there was perhaps no more criticism than circumstances warranted, you are able to say

I have wen the affection of my solitical friends and the respect of my opponents. Much more than this does not fall to the lot of the most successful men in the political arena, and beyond this there is little to desire.

"But whether your estimate of my services is too high or not, I think, I may say without affectation, that they were the very best, with such talents as I possessed, that I was capable of rendering.

rendering.

"As Minister of Education, my ambition was to place the school system, in all its departments, in the very front of the school systems of the world, and as Premier later, I was anxious to give such an impetus to the development of the natural resources of the province as: would increase the comfort and happiness of the whole people, and at the same time maintain for Ontarlo her position and rank among the other provinces of the Dominion.

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"You are good enough to say that I have rendered some service in expressing the aspirations of the people of Canada and their confidence in the essentials of democratic government. Canadians have, in my opinion, been far too slow in claiming for themselves the standing as a people which they have rightly earned, both as to enterprise and statesmanship. What country, having regard to its population, has done more in developing its natural resources than we have done; what country has settled as many perplexing questions in politics and governments. tural resources than we have done; what country has settled as many perplexing questions in politics and government, and at so little cost, as we have done, notwithstanding the restraints of our colonial relationship? And looking to the future, what country affords better opportunities for the highest order of statesmanship than Canada now offers? And if I have done anything to deepen the aspirations of my fellow-countrymen for a future worthy of our opportunities, in a future in which the actors for the time being will not consider public service a personal sacrifice, nor the most generous toleration of differences of race or creed or political convictions, a disqualification for the confidence of state, then I shall consider I have not dissipated my energies in claiming for Canadians a place among the most enlightened and progressive exponents of the essentials of democratic government to which you have referred.

"Permit me in closing to thank you most sincerely for your good wishes for myself, for my family, who appreciate your kindness as freely as if it were expressed to each of them individually."

Among those present at the ceremony

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Among those present at the ceremony were: Messrs. F. R. Latchford, Ottawa; G. P. Graham, Brockville; Robert Jaffray, N. W. Rowell, K. C., P. C. Larkin, E. R. Wood, Hugh Blain, G. G. S. Lindsey, H. M. Mowat, K. C. Miss Ross assisted her father in receiving the deputation. vidually.

GIRLS DRINK AMMONIA.

Were in Owen Sound Cells Awaiting Removal to the Mercer.

Owen Sound, Dec. 29.—While confined in the police cells here, previous to being taken to the jail, Annie Nelles and Oille Bowle, two girls who had just received a sentence of a year each in the Mercer Reformatory, attempted suicide by drinking a quantity of liquid ammonia.

The pair had been confined in jail for

cide by crinking a quantity or inquid ammonia.

The pair had been confined in jail for some days, awaiting trial, and it is not known whether the small bottle of am-monia was concealed on them during that time, or whether it had been given to one of them on the quiet by some one in the crowd through which they passed in leaving the court room.

When cries were heard it was at first thought they were merely lamenting

thought they were merely lamenting over the sentence, but on their continis an officer investigated and round the of them in terrible agony. Doctors re summened, and after some hours' ork the pair became well enough to

Although the Bowie girl is now al-ost well, the Nelles girl will suffer for

Woman Attempts Suicide Woman Attempts Suicide.
Kingston, Dec. 29.—Mrs. Coleman
of Gananoque, at present in British
Columbia, attempted suicide by placing
a cloth saturated with chloroform over
her face and wrapping her head up
closely. A neighbor going into the
house found the woman in an unconscious condition. She has been in poor
health.

Sir Henniker Heaten Here.

Montreal, Dec. 29.—Sir Henniker Heaton (Sir Henniker in spite of himself) arrived in Montreal yesterday on his rush to England for the general election. He was astonished on looking over the files of The Times at the St. James' Club to find that he had in his absence been knighted by the King on the retirement of the Balfour Government. He was decidedly indignant, stating that he had thrice refused the honor before and had immediately cabled King Edward asking that he be permitted to decline the honor he had unwillingly had thrust upon him. He left England on October 9, and traveled via Colombo, Australia, the Fiji Islands, Honolulu to Vancouver and arrived in Montreal yesterday. He intends sailling for England on Saturday from New York.

Struck Down by Farm Hand.

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Kingston, Dec. 29.—Saad, the Syrian peddler, will recover. He has regained consciousness and accused Thomas Newport. an English immigrant, as his assailant. Last Friday he left Luke Whelan's, near Enterprise, for Parham. He was over taken by Newport, he says, who carried an axe. Newport struck him on the head with the axe, and Saad said to him, "Don't hit me, Tommy, and I will give you a present." The man again struck the peddler, who knew no more till he awakened at the Hotel Dieu.

POLAND CENTRE NOW

News Indicates General Strike Is Extending There.

"BLACK HUNDRED" IS FEARED

End of the Revolt In Moscow May Be a Horrible Massacre of the "Reds" -Revolt Is Practically Over In the City, Only a Few Fanatics Continuing the Struggle-The Peo-

ple Are the Chief Sufferers St. Petersburg, Dec. 29.—Yesterday's news from Russian Poland indicate that the general strike is extending Wholesale arrests have been made in the cities. At Sosnovice, near the Emperor's hunting lodge, an attempt has been made to blow up the barracks with dynamite. The employes of the Riga-Orel Railroad have again struck, but the majority of the railways are still running.

The Novoe Vremya reports that a meeting of railroad men at Rostoff-on-Don was bombarded by artillery, and that 300 of those present were killed or wounded. The paper also says that all the Russian officials in Courland, except those at Mittau and Libau, have been driven out of that province.

A telephone message from Moscow to The Molva says the Town Council has denounced the indiscriminate firing on the troops and the organization of the Black Hundred under the direction of the police.

According to advices received by the Government last night, the rebellion at Moscow is entering on its final stage. The same guerilla warfare was continued yesterday, but on a smaller scale.

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scale. Governor-General Doubassoff is acting with great energy and hundreds of members of the "Drujina" are aiready behind the bars. The strikers have lost heart and the Workmen's Council is considering the question of calling off the strike.

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The principal danger now seems to be that the "Black Hundred" will complete the work begun by the troops, and end the revolt with a horrible massacre of the Reds. The lower classes are represented as enraged at the attempt of the revolutionaries to overthrow the Emperor, and, even with the best intentions, it may be impossible for the authorities to restrain the fury of these classes once the opportunity is offered them. The attacks made an striking railroad men at wayside stattons sufficiently shows the temper of the peasant classes.

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Four thousand strikers marched out of Moscow, and completely destroyed several miles of the railroad track between St. Petersburg and Moscow, thirty miles outside of Moscow, in order to prevent the arrival of troop trains bearing the Seminovsky battalian of

bearing the Seminovsky battains of the Horse Guards and the trains backed twenty miles to Clyne, whence it is understood the troops will proceed to day on foot for their destination.

In the Baltic provinces the Lettisk insurgents, in carrying out their plans for preventing the arrival of reinforcements, sawed through the timber bridge at Kansilla, forty miles from Panal and ments, sawed through the linder bridg at Kausika, forty miles from Reval, an caused a frightful accident to a pas senger train, which fell through int the water. The numbers of dead an injured have not yet been established A troop train containing a squadron of the Horse Guards has also been wrecked and two other trains have been de railed near Narva.

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Moscow, Dec. 29.—The revolt is practically over and the strike will be called off Monday. Comparative quiet prevalled yesterday, only a few fanatic continuing the struggle.
The centre of the city for the first time to-day showed signs of life, the stores re-opening, and the inhabitants, who had been cooped up for five days, were venturing out for a breath of fresh air.

The troops began operation yester-

fresh air.

The troops began operation yesterday morning at the Triumphal Arch, bombarding and demolishing an immense barricade near the car stables of the Belgian company which had been built behind overtuened tramcars. Thence slowly pivoting from the arch the columns swept eastward, clearing all the streets of the Tverstata and north of the boulevard which separated the battlefield from the centre of the city.

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Sometimes the artillery fired a shot. The work of destroying the entanglements and burning the material from which they were constructed was slow. Occasionally when the troops were fired upon from the roofs the houses were bombarded but the occupants had ample time to escape.

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It is not possible to venture an estimate of the casualties which, however are not heavy, either in the case of the troops or of the "Drujina." The population of the po lace have been awful sufferers. Crowd have been mowed down by rifle volleys the fire of machine guns and the grap and shrapnel of the artillery. Innocen persons even fell dead before the bul lets of the revolutionists while inspect ing barricades, perhaps owing to the impression that they were spies.

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Revolutionists Big Steal.

Warsaw Russian Poland, Dec. 29.—
The general strike is weakening. The shops are open and cabs are circulating in the centre of the city. The employes of the factories and street railroads are still on strike.

The revolutionists during the night of Dec. 27 dynamited the safe of the district treasury of Wysokie-Mazowneckie, Government of Lomzha, and carried off \$250,000.

Odessa, Dec. 29.—Martial law has has been proclaimed here. Hundreds. of arrests have been made.

Bas-Relief of E. F. Clarke.

Toronto, Dec. 29.—The Government has purchased the bas-relief of the late E. F. Clarke, the work of Miss Kathleen Robinson, which will be placed in a conspicuous place at the Parliament buildings.

Two Years at Kingston. Stratford, Dec. 29.—Charles Black, partirement. at Crown Attorney McPherson's resiturg on Gax on Kingston Penitentiary by Magistrate
O'Leans.

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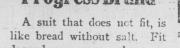
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