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ARCHBISHOP McEVAY DIED AT EARLY HOUR THIS MORNING

Distinguished Prelate Had Been Seriously Ill for a Year Past-Was a Native of Lindsay -Translated from Diocese of London in 1908-Of Striking and Dignified Personality.

After an illness of more than a year, Most Rev. Fergus Patrick McEvay. Archbishop of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Toronto, passed away peacefully at 12.25 o'clock this morning at the palace, 510 Sherbourne-street. Those present when the end came were his nephew, Father McGuire, Rev. Father Burke, editor of The Catholic Register and Extension; Father Kidd, Father Whelan, Dr. R. J. Dwyer and a number of sisters of the church.

While it became evident some months ago that his grace was suffering from an acute form of pernicious anaemia, which threatened to end faimprovement in his condition, which gave rise to hope of ultimate recovery. He visited Mount Clemens, Michigan, and Atlantic City in quest of health, and appeared to be considerably benefited, but of late it became be stayed: On frequent occasions both thru pulpit and the columns of the Catholic Register special prayers of the faithful of the diocese were be-sought on his behalf. Yesterday it was known that he could survive for only a few hours, and the announcement officially made that he was sinking caused deep distress not only in the diocese, but thruout Canada, and particularly so in the diocese of London, from which he came about three years ago to assume the larger responsibility of archiepiscopal duties.

His Grace Possessed vitality which enabled him to retain his hold on life in spite of mortal weakness. One of his last and most important official acts was performed on October 23, when he laid the corner-stone of St. ugustine's Theological Seminary at Blantyre Park on Scarboro Heights, donated thrue the munificience of Eugene O'Keefe. On that occasion it was remarked that the Archbishop was far from enjoying robust health, but he

upon the retire of Archbishop O'Connor three years ago, was a native of this province, hav-ing been born in Lindsay in 1856. His earlier education he received in the county schools and afterwards continued his studies in St. Michael's College and the University of Toronto. He took his theological course at the Grand Seminary in Montreal, and was subsequently ordained at Trenton in 1882 by the late Archbishop Cleary.

Combined with a thoro classical training, the late archbishop possessed to a remarkable degree business acu-men, which was evidenced by the development in every parish with which he was associated. His ministrations ferent clerical responsibilities were per-haps more varied than those which fall

First Charge at Kingston. At Kingston he assumed his first the duties, but shortly afterwards, on the formation of the Peterboro diocese, he geon, Galway and Fenelon Falls, In 887, when Bishop Dowling succeeded Father McEvay was appointed rector of St. Peter's Cathedral at Peterboro. In his, ministry there, the zeal, enthus-lasm and activity of the young cleric found ample scope. Bishop Dowling entrusted the renovation of the cathliocesan houses erected.

While in the midst of these labors, Father McEvay went to Hamilton, where he occupied the dual position of secretary to the bishop and rector of the cathedral. During his stay in Hamilton, honors came to him from He was appointed private late and vicar general of the diocese.

Followed Bishop O'Connor. Archbishop McEvay seemed destined to follow in the wake of his then Bishop O'Connor was called from London to the larger diocese in Toronto. Father McEvay was elevated to May, 1908, his further elevation to the Toronto see, the first appointment being that of the Right Reverend Mich- across the northern portion of the city.

Archbishop McEvay was of a striking and forceful personality. He carried the dignity of his high office well. A profound scholar and clear thinker, he was nevertheless just and firm. Popular with all classes, his advent to Tor-onto was hailed with much pleasure, and among a wide circle his face will

Monuments He Leaves Among the different buildings in connection with his parochial work that have been erected thru the instrunentality; of Archbishop McEvay, are: Extensions to Our Lady of Lourdes and archbishop's palace, Earl-st. Anthony's Church, formerly part



THE LATE ARCHBISHOP MCEVAY.

Toronto, The Canadian Northern, and Transcontinental Services.

from enjoying robust health, but he had expressed a determination to be present despite physical disability under which he labored:

The Laurier government has introduced legislation to guarantee the bonds of the Canadian Northern from Montreal to Port Arthur, thus making provision for the completion of their line from Edmonton to the Atlander which he labored:

Fielding May Resign No arangements for the funeral have yet been considered.

Sketch of His Career.

The Right Reverend Fergus Patrick McEvay, who succeeded to the archivelence of Toronto and Edmonton via Winnipeg, and there will be two or more expresses daily leave this city for the great Canadian west via the Canadian Northern.

The people of Toronto, therefore, would like especially to see this portion of the system rapidly completed, as it will be of immediate service to Toronto, and ultimately to the whole castern portion of Canada.

There is no reason, now that the government has guaranteed the bonds why this unbuilt link of 500 miles should not be completed within two years or less. There is not so much rock cutting as there was in the case of the Canadian Pacific; indeed, a lot of the line runs thru the clay belt of Northern Ontario, and is not only of reasonable construction, but will open up a valuable portion of the country. Nor are there the same difficulties that there formerly were in the matter of getting in supplies and material for construction purposes.

The World, therefore, trusts that the management of the road will tending the imperial conference and he was associated. His ministrations be in a position to rush this portion of construction, both on account of the coronation, the resignation of Mr. had many ramifications, and his difthe railway's own interests, on account of the interests of Southern OntaFielding is expected. Ever since the rio, and, most of all, on account of the interests of New Ontario, which will receive a fresh impetus in the way of settlement and development premier changed his mind about not of her natural resources by the establishment of railway communication going to London, the finance mintsthru the great clay belt.

In the matter of another transcontinental line from Toronto to Win- it would be a fatal sign of weakness was moved to that jurisdiction and nipeg, the Grand Trunk Pacific is also in sight, and there is no reason if the hand of the government was took charge of the missions at Bobcay- why the road from Lake Superior Junction to Cochrane should not be taken from reciprocity plough and completed in about 12 mouths from now, thereby giving Toronto what that he was quite capable of pushing will probably be the shortest route between this city and Winnipeg; and, the agreement thru, even without the Bishop Janot of Peterboro, the then outside of the line from North Bay to Toronto, certainly with the least assistance of Sir Wilfrid Laurier. grade.

The World understands that the Canadian Pacific is also contemplating the establishment of a day train from Toronto to Vancouver. In frid and his cabinet colleagues that Trowell and Harry Gardner, secretary, frid and his cabinet colleagues that are club house on the present tempts. case this is done, it will mean two transcontinental trains leaving Toronto it was highly desirable that the fin- ary club house on the present site on edral to him, and thru his executive daily, and in less than two years it will mean two transcontinental trains ance minister should take a complete ability the property for St. Joseph's out of Toronto of the Grand Trunk Pacific, and two of the Canadian North and the property for the complete ability the property for St. Joseph's out of Toronto of the Grand Trunk Pacific, and two of the Canadian North and the property for the complete ability the property for St. Joseph's out of Toronto of the Grand Trunk Pacific, and two of the Canadian North and the property for the complete ability the property for St. Joseph's out of Toronto of the Grand Trunk Pacific, and two of the Canadian North and the property for the complete ability the property for St. Joseph's out of Toronto of the Grand Trunk Pacific, and two of the Canadian North and the property for the complete ability the property for St. Joseph's out of Toronto of the Grand Trunk Pacific, and two of the Canadian North and the property for the Canadian North Andread North Andread out of Toronto of the Grand Trunk Pacific, and two of the Canadian North- rest for two months. This has been to be made of wood and stucco. Hospital was secured and parochial and ern; or six great trains between east and west from Toronto, where now urged for some days past without rethere is only one! What this will mean to Toronto and New Ontario cannot suit, and Mr. Fielding is credited with well be imagined at the present moment, but it is what will make Toronto declaring to his colleagues at the a city of one million people. a city of one million people.

In this connection, all the indications go to show that North Toronto will be the centre of the transcontinental passenger business in and out factory conclusion so far as he is con-of this city. The Canadian Northern are to-day busy joining their Parry cerned, and that he is prepared to of this city. The Canadian Northern are to-day busy joining their Parry stay here all summer to attain that chamberlain to his boliness Pope Leo Sound line and their Toronto-Ottawa line (which will be running in a few XIII., and later became domestic pre- weeks) with a short cut-off from a point one mile this side of Duncan weeks) with a short cut-off from a point one mile this side of Duncan as a public man is at stake.

(11 miles from the Union Station), to a point in Scarboro two miles east

Significant for the Calms his rate of the control of the the City of Toronto, and to bring them both into North Toronto on a line adjoining and parallel with the Canadian Pacific. This means that they propose to abandon the Don Valley as regards passenger business and as of the York and Scarboro town line. In other words, the Capadian Northregards thru freight.

What the Grand Trunk will do in this respect is not yet known, but Toronto diocese was announced by all the indications go to show that the Grand Trunk, too, must go up to statement is going round the loobies To Send Military to Coronation—Sishop Dowling of Hamilton, the ex- North Toronto with its transcontinental business if it wishes to handle it to-night that the moment the definite \$30,000 for N. W. M. P. senior bishop of the Province of Canada: Archbishop McEvay was the
sixth in the episcopal succession to the
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Toronto see the first appointment bewhich will be parallel with the Canadian Northern

placed in the hands of his leader.

From all of which it follows that the absolute essential to the railroad mind, and on his return to the capital George will be \$185,000. This is the passenger business going to North Toronto is a municipal-owned passenger to-night, from Montreal, he was anservice in the form of a tube under Yonge-street from Union Station to a proached by some of his colleagues, point north of St. Clair-avenue on upper Yonge-street. And this tube, in who pointed out to him that he urconnection with the endicipal lines of the city, will pay Toronto a hand-some dividend, as well as proving the one thing essential to rapid transit. Sir Wilfrid Laurier is not in the within the city, and to the expansion of Toronto in proportion to the bouse to-night, and he is said to be growth of its business connections with the other portions of Canada.

The transcontinental traffes and the Yonge-street tube will make The transcontinental trains and the longe-street tube will make mentas, and that in the meantime Toronto a city of a million in five years from the day of the opening of Fielding will be able to secure the rest the tube.

MR. M'NICOLL HERE TO-MORROW. ANNUITY FOR YUKON JUDGES.

Blantyre Park. Kingston-road. onto, left for Montreal last night, but tinued during the natural life of the

Mr. D. McNicoll, vice-president of the OTTAWA, May 9. - (Special.) -- Sir New church for St. Helen's parish, C. P. R., left Montreal last night to be Alan Aylesworth has given notice of corner of Lansdownc-ave, and Dun- at Victoria Harbor to-day, He will be a resolution setting forth that it is Extension to St. Patrick's Church, in Toronto to-morrow and Friday in expedient to provide that an annuity connection with the various Canadian equal to their present salary be grantst. Cecilia's Church, West Toronto, Pacific improvements and policy in ed to each of the two judges of the new).

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Mr. Oborne, superintendent at Tor-holding office, the annulty to be con-

King George's First Court

LONDON, May 9.-The first

court of King George's reign and the first big ceremonial function since the death of

King Edward was held at

Buckingham Palace to-night. Altho another court will be

that to-night was especially for

diplomatic representatives and officials, the attendance was

very large, many visitors from colonies who are here for

the imperial conference being

200 ACRES FOR HUNT CLUB

Temporary Club House Will Be

The members of the Toronto Hunt Club met at the King Edward Hotel

to be erected north of the building

which was burned. A committee has

been appointed to secure 200 acres of land at a cost of \$50,000, to which the

club will ultimately be transferred.

The problem before the Hunt Club

has been to constitute purely hunting

property, owing to the growth of the city, has become impracticable for

hunting purposes, while at the same time the increased value of the so

WILL COST \$185,000

Direct Service to New

Zealand

OTTAWA, May 9 - (Special.)

A contract was signed to-day

Erected at Cost of \$60,000.

held to-morrow evening

FOOLHARDY.

If the House Adjourns In connection with this reported sale of the Catto real estate. The World learned yesterday on enquiry on Kingstreet, east of Toronto-street, that, within the past three or four weeks, there has been in all property east of Toronto-street to beyond Jarvis street, a very since the past three or four weeks, there has been in all property east of Toronto-street to beyond Jarvis street, a very should be willing to take chances with

Cabine's Crists Said to Have Been Brought About by Finance Minister's Determination to Stick at it and Force Reciprocity Thru Parliament.

OTTAWA, May 9. - (Special.) - A cabinet crisis is in full swing, and if Sir Wilfrid Laurier persist in his determination that parliament shall adjourn for eight weeks, while he is at-Fielding is expected. Ever since the ter has strenuously opposed the adjournment policy on the ground that The situation reached the crisis stage to-night, when it became known last evening, George Beardmore, the Kingston-road, at a cost of \$60,000, in the way of pushing the arrange-ment with President Taft to a satismembers and those who sought a clul

end, on which he claims his reputation Sir Wilfrid Equally Determined. mier to the house for the past two days regarding the adjournment, but Sir Wilfrid has sat mule and the announcement of the intended adjournnation of the finance minister will be expected that the expenses of the

placed in the hands of his leader. Strenuous efforts are being put forth Canadian military contingent which mentary item brought down to-night. The North West Mounted Police por-

in conference with Mr. Flelding, try- presentatives will be \$217,000. ing to point out that no harm will resuit from the adjournment for two ne needs. The cutcome of the crisis s problematical, but it is significant that no word has been mentioned to

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between the government and Long Call on Soft Felt Hats. The English soft felt hat is in great demand this season. There is a so a line made by Borsalino of Alessandria. of New Zealand, for a direct service between Vancouver and Victoria and Auckland, 18 Italy, which is something unique and greatly in demand in London, England. days to each trip, at the rate of \$180,509 per annum. New Zealand will pay a similar and New York. Dineen Company is and New York. Dineen Company is sole Canadian agent for Henry Heath of London, Dunlap of New York, hestides handling exclusive lines by Bornatine. Call to-day and see the new amount. This cuts out Australia, which declined to include New Zealand.

Real Estate on East King St.

strest to beyond Jarvis-street, a very a great fiscal experiment. And this considerable increase in its value, particular argument is that the reciwith an early prospect of improvement in the rentals of stores, and development of a British around the the indications are that this portion of the city will take on a very considerable improvement within a very short time. The improvement is also advancing steadily up Church-street, right to Bloor- line. The Journal says: street, and, if the extension of Victoria-

Securities Co., will be all reconstructed in uniformity with the new Imperial Life co-operation of the Canadian people building. The reconstruction of the to effect his end. Canadians have a in uniformity with the new Imperial Life building occupied by the H. H. Williams right to resent it deeply. realty organization is also in touch with H., in the chair, supported by Capt. th's movement, and, as soon as the Quebec Bank at the corner of Toronto and

will take its place. John Catto last night confirmed the report that his store on East King street, advertised would have as much show running from 57 to 61, had been sold to a of progress as a cow under a railway Montreal syndicate, represented by J. train. Even the most judicial of our Lewis Thomas, and James Roaf barris- ter, who are both in the city pending Canada as unable to feel warmly on completion of the deal. The site has such subjects. They seem to be conrather for social purposes. The present been purchased for an office building, which will be erected sometime during any political susceptibilities; too dense, the next three years. It is proposed by even, to possess ordinary logic, except the next three years. It is the syndicate that the building will be at in part.

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"President Taft could not have used the syndicate that the building will be at in part.

The land is owned by the Anglican that phrase about forces here trying Synod of Toronto, but on account of to separate Canada from the United

The striking moulders held a special OTTAWA. May 9 .- (Special.) -- It is The striking moulders held a special forty years, despite the frequent pracmeeting in O'Neil's Hall, Queen and tice of some of us. It failed. They see Parliament-streets last night, and distinct that now. They are prepared now, for cussed the various aspects of the strike. The meeting was closed, and no after statement was given out, but it was apparent from the general distinction of the president cannot propose this without proclaiming the idea that sum mentioned in further supplesatisfaction that no understanding his country is the liberal-mind side with the shops had been arrived at. It and that it is Canadians, or some of was stated that the strike would prob- them, who are hell-bent on a Chinese tion of the contingent will cost \$30,000. ably be settled in about a week. Out wall against the United States. The whole expenses of Canada's reof eleven shops wherein war was de-cleared, five capitulated, but the remaining ones are holding out against

The remains of the late Archibald D. Smith will arrive from Cochrane on the 7.30 a.m. train to-day and will be to all the rest of the world?

Favorite Minstrel Ballads, strels at the Princess this week are un- The animal's right hind leg was bro-usally charming and extremely popu- ken and it was shot by Policeman Mclar. The vocalists are all stars.

KICKS OVER

Had Supported Reciprocity Agreement But Taft's Speech Caused It to Recondent's Words an Insult to

OTTAWA., May 9 .- (Special.)-The Ottawa Journal, which at first was favorable to reciprocity, has gone over to the opposition, basing its change of attitude on President Taft's recent utterances. It draws attention to the emphasis which Mr. Borden laid on the objectionable nature of the president's reference to British inter-imperial trade. Mr. Borden, it says, dealt with one aspect fully. The other he did not dwell on, for certain obvious reasons. It says: "What Mr. Borden dwelt on fully and forcibly was that if Mr. Taft, a man of great ability and great public experience, believes as he does helieve and declares to his fellow-countrymen that the proposed reciprocity will block the way to trade preferences with each other between the various parts of the British Empire, it is up to Canadians who have doubted that effect, to think again. The Journal has no question, out that a good many Canadians, who, like The Journal, hope to see an expansion of trade preferences within the empire, and who have not hitherto been able quite to convince themselves that the reciprocity proposition would defeat that, must be impressed by the pronouncement of a man of the calibre of the president of the United States.

An Impartial Observer. "This is no Tory partisan, sounding a toosin of alarm from chiefly party bias. world commercial bond. To note such a view in such a quarter is impossible without disquiet to those who desire

After some fdrther remarks on this "The Journal has suggested a second st eet is completed from Gerrard-street aspect on which Mr. Borden has not touched. He could not. He is an ofto Carlion-street, a still further advance in values will be noticed.

The almost immediate completion of the Wilton-avenue bridge and of the mistake. He could not therefore say intimate that President Taft's ut-Queen-street overhead bridge will also or intimate that President Taft's utterance is little better than an insult to the people of Canada. In The Journew 8-storey wing of the Central Canada Lorin Company is finished on Victoria. Lorn C mpany is finished on Victoriastreet, the buildings immediately in front
of it, at present occupied by the Central
Canada, National Trust and Dominion
Securities Co., will be all reconstructed
in uniformity with the new Imperial Life.

"If a British prime minister were to declare in advance of a trade arrangement with the State of New York—if King-streets can get into its new quarters such were possible—that the arrange-on West King-street, the chances are that a big modern structure of some kind trade relations between New York and the rest of the United States, the American republic would be in a fury of flame in 24 hours. An agreement so fident of our having no ideas except dollars-as too thick-skinned to possess

leases this makes no difference to the purchasers. The names of the actual purchasers have not been given out.

States by 'A Chinese wall.' The Chinese wall does now exist. The United States put it there long ago. They put it there in the hope that this TO SETTLE MOULDERS' STRIKE. ging for entrance to the American Union. They kept it there in hope for country would so be starved into beg-

What Does Taft Take Us For? "What does the president take us for? Dolts who cannot realize that preferential trade within the British Empire has no thought particularly of ARCHIBALD SMITH'S FUNERAL. the United States? Who cannot see that preferential trade has no bearing with regard to the United States dif ferent from what it has with regard British preferential trade had no aniville. The funeral will take place mus against the United States, and from the family homestead at 2.30 p.m. the president of the United States should keep an adverse tongue off it.

Auto Killed Horse, There is something about the bal-lads of minstrelsy that appeals to aud'- Shaeffer, 138 Mutual-street, struck a contra-tenor or the deep bass voice. Gragg, 196 Climton-street, at St. George The songs of the "Honey Boy" Min- and College-streets at 7.45 last night.