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### The Indicated Lineup Includes Mr. Hazen

PORTFOLIO NOT KNOWN.

Following Laurier's Resignation Mr. Borden Accepts Task of Forming a Government and Asks for Customary Delay to Select Cabinet.

Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, Oct. 6.—The Laurier administration is no more, and Canada tonight is without a government. At three o'clock this afternoon Sir Wilfrid Laurier left his office in the east block, drove out to Government House and formally tendered his resignation.

The next step was a message from His Excellency to Mr. Borden's secretary asking the leader of the Conservative party to, come to see the Governor General. Mr. Borden drove out to Rideau Hall, and from six to seven o'clock was closeted with the representative of the Crown. He was asked to form a government and undertook the task.

There was little of the dramatic about the final scenes. The members of the Liberal cabinet met at 10.30 this morning and remained in session until 1.30. It was the final meeting, and at its close Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his colleagues left the council chamber for the last time.

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### AN \$8,000 FIRE IN

Blaze Started High in Acid Tower and Could Not be Reached with Streams from

The sprinkler system finally subdued the fames above and the burning orn-bers were put out by streams in the hands of firemen.

For a time the situation was very dangerous, as a high wind was blowing and the embers were carried a long way. About 4 o'lock the fire was subdued. The damage will probably reach \$8,000.

Toronto, Oct. 6.—Statistics relative to "Resources in men and means in Methodist mission fields" as given today by Rev. James Lewis, of Cambridge. England, proved interesting to the delegates from seventeen countries who attended today's sessions of the Ecumenical Methodist conference in this city.

From the detailed reports presented it appeared that during the last edit of the content of the state of the doctors being women.

Native workers numbered 20,847; missionary stations and sub-stations, 6,762, representing 708,105 baptized Christians, and 1,444,294 adherents, of whom 458,165 were Sunday school as teachers and scholars.

The ordained ministry of Ecumenical and Hethodism at the beginning of 1910 was 52,978, of whom but 2,322 or five per cent., counting foreign and native were in the mission fields.

"Of our total number of ministers throughout the world, said Mr. Lewis "the average is one to every 174 Methodist church members. In head the distinguishment of the state of the 8,715,434 Methodists."

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### A. WIRELESS MESSAGE FLASHED 6000 MILES

## PEOPLE AND SCENES IN TURCO-ITALIAN WAR



Italian Sailors Buried Turkish itary Honors - British Steamer Seized.

Italians Buried Turkish Dead.

METHODIST

Rome, Oct. 6.—A wireless message from Tripoli says that the Italian sailors buried the Turkish dead, rendering military honors to those who chose death rather than to surrender. Twenty wounded Turks were placed in the hounital wards of the Italian combet in the hounital wards of the Italian and to those who were very serious. Others who were slightly wounded 'researchied away in the residual processes. The Turkish civilian prisoners held were very serious. Others who were slightly wounded 'researchied away in the recovered contract a the smaller war craft available, have been ordered to chase the few old gundents to the smaller war craft available, have been ordered to chase the few old gundents that Turkisy has in the Red Sea to protect Italian combet of the barries without effect. The Arctusa replied with her guns. The wounds of those were very serious. Others who were slightly wounded 'researchied away in Italy will receive do cents a day by their comrades.

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City-Few Ready to Fly.

AEROPLANE WRECKED.

place, leaving him minus three cylin-ternoon.
Further inquiry, which will be held at Coudersport, was adjourned to an indefinite date. After the adjournment District Attorney H. W. Nelson said that the inquest would not be the sumed for at least two weeks, because of the necessity of securing expert testimony and consulting points of law.

EAVY STORM FORCED

AVIATORS TO LAND.

Buffalo Centre, Iowa, Oct. 6.—The ennsylvania pilot balloon in James ordon Bennett cup race has land ordon Bennett cup r HEAVY STORM FORCED

### **Buildings Wrecked** By Bursting Dams

TWO PERSONS MISSING.

Repetition of Austin Disaster on Smaller Scale Reported in Wisconsin Towns-Buildings Wrecked and Railway Tracks Washed Away.

Lacrosse, Wis., Oct. 6.—From 25 to 30 business houses comprising all the stores on both sides of two streets, and as many residences, have been wrecked by the flood at Black River Falls, Wis., resulting from the washing out of the embankment around the Lacrosses Water Power Company's dam at Hatfield. Two persons are missing and thought to be drowned. Chippewa Falls, Wis., Oct. 6.—Two dams went out in this city today and one at Bloomer. The country is flooded. The Chippewa river has risen eight feet in the last ten hours and is overflowing its banks. Water is running in the streets as a result of an 18 hour downpour of rain.

Two thousand feet of the main tracks of the Minneapolis, 5t. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Railway, west of this city are washed out and there is also a bad washout near Colfax and landslides at Cuts.

### SIR ROBERT PERKS

Says Georgian Bay Canal Scheme Will Be Laid Before Incoming Government as Soon as Possible.

# The Duke of Connaught On His Way to Canada the Ground. \*\*MESONS\*\* \*\*Interpool, Oct. 6.—The Empress of Ireland, bearing the Duke of Connaught and his party, sailed from this port at 4.55 this afternoon, flying the Royal Standard by order of the Kink. The Royal standard by order of the Kink The Royal standard by order of the Minaught and his party, sailed from this port at 4.55 this afternoon, flying the Royal Standard by order of the Kink. The Royal standard by order of the Minaught bade farewell to London this nearly beat and not one to wish him God-speed on this port at 4.55 this afternoon, flying the Royal Standard by order of the Kink. The Royal special train arrived at Riverside station at 3.53 o'clock and rolling the Duke of Connaught in simple house of Connaught in Standard by order of the Minaught bade farewell to London this nearly beat afterwell to London this nearly beat afterwell

the Foreign Field — Work the officers of the Ireland. The party of Ireland for Quebec.

The Duke himself wore a plain morning coat with a sprig of white

MR. FIELDING WILL RUN IN YARMOUTH

B. B. Law Will Retire to Make Way for Former Finance Minister Whipped in Queens-

Halifax, Oct. 6.—The Chronicle, (Liberal) announces that the seat for Yarmouth won by Mr. Law by 1200 majority, will be vacated to afford Mr. Fielding a chance to get back into Parliament.

The Halifax Heraud will tomorrow publish an article suggesting that the Conservatives of Yarmouth nominate C. H. Cahan, of Montreal, to oppose the ex-finance minister. Mr. Cahan is one of the ablest men in Canada, a speaker of the first order, and is a native of Yarmouth county, and the Heraid asserts that he would be a much more formidable opponent to the Liberal leader than was Mr. McCurdy in Shelburne-Queens.

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## WOULD NOT TAKE STAND

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