

(From Saturday's Daily.)  
**CAPITAL AND LABOR.**  
A mass meeting for men will be held in McDougall Methodist church, Sunday, October 1st at 3 p.m. to be addressed by Mr. F. W. Cox on the subject "Capital and Labor." Mr. Cox will present some of the problems of the employer. An open discussion will follow the address. The chair will be taken by Mr. Cecil E. Rice.

**CENTRAL ALBERTA ENQUIRIES.**  
Porty cards were received yesterday and thirty-eight men have been in attendance at the state fair in Detroit where they saw the exhibit of grains and grasses from Central Alberta, and were so favorably impressed with the great products of this section of the country that they wanted the Board of Trade to send them catalogues and other descriptive matter. Nearly all of the inquiries were from farmers residing in Michigan and adjoining states.

**CANNOT VISIT QUARRIES.**  
Owing to the low level of water in the Saskatchewan river it is likely that the mayor, commissioners and aldermen will be unable to make the trip which had been arranged for Monday to the stone quarries thirty miles up the river.

The charter of "Edmonton" had been chartered for this purpose and the party was to have left on Monday morning at nine o'clock, returning on Tuesday afternoon. The purpose of the trip was to examine the stone at the quarries which it is thought might be suitable for use in the construction of roads in the city. In addition, however, it was discovered that the water in the river was so low that it was likely the steamer would not be able to make the trip. This will be finally determined in two or three days on Saturday morning. If when this fear proves to be well founded it is scarcely possible that the trip can be made this year.

**CATTLE THIEF SENTENCED.**  
The dish of a case in which an investigation had been pending for over two years came in the district court at North Edmonton yesterday when Steve Cobelack and Dr. Divivincenzi were found guilty of stealing cattle and sentenced by Judge Noel to a term of one month in jail at Fort Saskatchewan.

The prosecution and final conviction grew out of the loss of some stock by Frank Smith, a farmer residing near Spruce Grove. This happened three years ago and at the same time a number of articles belonging to railroad contractors had been missing at Stony Plain. A part of the stolen property was subsequently located at Smoky Lake.

Investigation was instituted a year later, Constable Schreyer of the mounted police being detailed on the case. His work resulted in the arrest of several members of a railroad section crew, all of whom were convicted. Cobelack and Divivincenzi were the last to be convicted and responsible for the disappearance of Smith's cattle, having shot the stock and thrown the bones and heads to a slough. They ate the beef.

**ANOTHER MOVE IN THE CASE.**  
Another move has been made in the now celebrated case in which Edward Evans, an English lawyer, is the son and daughter-in-law in the courts of this country over the ownership of four Haystacks. The supreme court of Canada has now rendered its judgment, rendered in the lower courts.

Counsel for Mr. Evans Sr. has filed motion with the higher court at Ottawa to suspend legal "hostages" in the case until such time as a commission has been appointed to go to England, where the higher court will ascertain the alleged facts with reference to statements of the defendant.

It seems that the horses in controversy were owned by the wife of the younger Mr. Evans. When the latter came to Canada two of the Hockneys were left with the younger Mr. Evans who claims they were subsequently seized under foreclosure proceedings of some sort. The younger Mr. Evans and his wife then instituted action against Mr. Evans Sr. and it has gone through a variety of proceedings in the courts here. The plaintiffs have secured judgment in the lower court and an appeal from one court to another, finally getting the case up to the supreme court of Canada at Ottawa.

**ISSUE TAX NOTICES.**  
Notices of the land taxes for the east end of the city will be mailed today and those for the remainder of the city will be issued in the course of the next week or two.

The gross assessment for the present year was \$45,012,120. The exemptions amounted to \$1,000,000, leaving the net assessment at \$44,012,120. One of the features of the tax for this year has been the large increase in the assessment and the reduction of the rate from 17 mills to 13.70 mills.

Land taxes are due and payable forthwith. Cheques for taxes must be accepted by the Bank on which drawn and made to the order of the City of Edmonton. New York and other foreign drafts and cheques must include exchange or payable at bank in Edmonton.

A discount of five per centum will be allowed on current year's taxes paid on or before the 20th day of October next, and three per centum on those paid from said date to 30th November following. Land taxes accepted at par for month of December. Current year's taxes will not be accepted until all arrears are paid. No discount will be imposed on all taxes remaining unpaid on the first of January next, and an additional five per centum imposed on all those remaining unpaid on the first day of July following. An amount of five cents per lineal foot is charged all properties abutting the water mains and is included under Special Taxes. Lands in arrears of taxes for one year are liable to be sold.

**NEED OF SANITARIUM.**  
New impetus will probably be given to the movement to establish a sanitarium for tubercular patients in Edmonton, when Dr. George D. Porter, of Ottawa, arrives here to deliver a lecture on the subject that is now claiming world-wide attention. The need of a sanitarium will be further deepened by the reports of the provincial authorities, and if they accept the views of those deeply interested in the subject, it is expected that little delay will follow in starting the erection of a suitable building for this purpose.

The matter is being agitated quite thoroughly in different parts of Alberta, the larger cities especially taking more than ordinary interest. This is particularly true of Calgary and Edmonton, where not only the physicians

but the public generally, have been creating sentiment right along favorable to the proposed sanitarium. In Calgary a large organization of club women has taken the matter up and helped to stimulate interest and activity in the proper direction. Every effort is being made to increase the interest in the province where patients suffering from the "white plague" may receive the right kind of treatment and more in line with up-to-date methods of caring for them in various stages of the disease.

Dr. Whiteley, medical health officer, has given the subject considerable thought, and he is in hopes that the coming visit of Dr. Porter will have the effect of increasing the interest already aroused in behalf of the movement.

Dr. Porter, who is secretary of the Canadian Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis, is at present touring Saskatchewan, where he is giving lectures similar to the one he will deliver in this city. He is working under the direction of the Dominion government and it is believed that much good will result. In addition to his free lecture in the First Presbyterian church on the evening of October 1st, Dr. Porter will speak to the pupils of the public schools during his visit in Edmonton.

**EDMONTON LIBERALS ELECT OFFICERS**

Enthusiastic Meeting of Local Association Held Last Night—Address Delivered by Hon. Frank Oliver, W. T. Henry Chosen as President.

An enthusiastic meeting of the Edmonton Liberal Association was held last night at nine o'clock, returning on Tuesday afternoon. The purpose of the trip was to examine the stone at the quarries which it is thought might be suitable for use in the construction of roads in the city. In addition, however, it was discovered that the water in the river was so low that it was likely the steamer would not be able to make the trip. This will be finally determined in two or three days on Saturday morning. If when this fear proves to be well founded it is scarcely possible that the trip can be made this year.

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Mr. Oliver maintained that Liberal principles were the same in defeat as in victory. His secret wish was that the Conservative party was that they should be able to give to the Dominion of Canada fifteen years of prosperity such as the country had enjoyed under the Liberal administration of Sir Wilfrid Laurier. For his part he believed that the Conservative party was not one which would induce progress or prosperity. He congratulated the electors of the west for the solid front which they had opposed to the attack of the interests upon their welfare and for the "decisive answer" which Western Canada had given in favor of a lower tariff. It seemed to him that such an answer must of necessity cause the Hon. R. L. Borden to hesitate before acceding to the demands of the west for a higher tariff. It was no humiliation for the Liberal party to go down to defeat in a lower tariff, it was a triumph when the last election had been fought.

The Liberal party should be returned to power in the next election, whether it was or not, that party had a duty to perform as well in opposition as in government. Land in the hands of the Liberal party under all circumstances in its power to secure the support of the people in favor of a lower tariff. The meeting, on the conclusion of the address by the Hon. Frank Oliver, then elected the following officers of the Edmonton Liberal Association: Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the Hon. A. L. Sifton, honorary president, the Hon. Frank Oliver, president, W. T. Henry, at vice-president, William G. Gentry, 2nd vice-president, J. M. Macdonald, secretary, W. H. Wilson, assistant secretary, W. J. Melrose, treasurer, J. M. Macdonald, secretary, W. H. Wilson, assistant secretary, W. J. Melrose, treasurer, J. M. Macdonald, secretary, W. H. Wilson, assistant secretary, W. J. Melrose, treasurer.

It was referred to the officers to select an executive and to draft by-laws, and to report to the next meeting of the association on Tuesday, October 3rd.

Geo. B. McLeod moved and J. W. Deeks seconded a resolution which was unanimously carried, expressing the confidence of the Edmonton Liberals in Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the Hon. Frank Oliver and the extreme satisfaction felt by all Liberals when it was announced that Sir Wilfrid Laurier would lead his party back to victory. This resolution was warmly welcomed by Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

Mr. Oliver left the meeting to catch the ten o'clock train for the east, the meeting rose en masse and gave three rousing cheers for the Hon. Frank Oliver and accompanied Mr. Oliver's departure with the singing of "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow."

**Liberal for Calgary.**  
Calgary, Sept. 27.—The Liberal Association in Calgary has been casting about in search of the best candidate to place in the field in the coming Calgary by-election. Stanley Jones has been discussed and also T. J. S. Skinner.

**Toronto Youth is Thief.**  
Chicago, Sept. 27.—Meredith Nightingale, said to be a son of a wealthy Toronto family, is under arrest here accused of taking a thousand shares of mining stock and a valuable diamond ring from the safe of his brother, Harry Nightingale, a Toronto banker. Nightingale, who is 19 years old, came here from Detroit, Michigan, two weeks ago.

**Women's Auxiliary Meeting.**  
Winnipeg, Sept. 27.—The triennial meeting of the Church of England Woman's Auxiliary was continued today in Holy Trinity church. All sessions were spent in the hearing of reports from secretaries and treasurers of various branches of the work. Oficers will be elected tomorrow.

If you have young children you have borrowed money from one Culbertson, giving a mortgage as security. One witness stated that Culbertson, who was present at the sale and confirmed Smith's representation that the horses were free of encumbrance.

**BOTH CITIES ARE FOR UNION**

Every Poll in Edmonton and Strathcona Gives Majority for

(From Wednesday's Daily.)  
By overwhelming majorities the electors of Edmonton and Strathcona endorsed yesterday the agreement under which the two cities will join hands and go forward as one into the bright future which awaits them. Early in the next session of the provincial legislature a bill will be introduced in the House of Commons which will amalgamate the two cities into one Great Edmonton.

In every poll on both sides of the river yesterday amalgamation was endorsed by an overwhelming majority. Sixty-seven per cent of the voters in Edmonton voted in favor of the proposed amalgamation and only 33 per cent gave a majority of 471 in Strathcona, where it was understood that increased passions were worked up by the attempt to divide the city. The result was scarcely less decisive, 618 positions expressing themselves in favor of only 12 in Strathcona.

As might have been expected the most active interest was manifested on the south side of the river, where, despite the smaller population the vote was almost as large as in Edmonton. On both sides of the river, however, the Liberal Commission, which received with unqualified satisfaction for several hours after the polls closed, the result of the vote. The Liberal Commission, which received with unqualified satisfaction for several hours after the polls closed, the result of the vote. The Liberal Commission, which received with unqualified satisfaction for several hours after the polls closed, the result of the vote.

Mayor Armstrong expressed himself as delighted with the result of the vote. "It ushers in a new and brighter day," he said, "fraught with great possibilities for the development of a Greater Edmonton, a city in which no one on either side of the river will have reason to regret."

Mayor Davidson, who was present in the expression of his pleasure at the result of the vote, "I believe that the union cannot fail to benefit both cities," he said.

**Results of the Voting.**  
The vote was as follows:—  
Edmonton—  
Poll No. 1. For Amalgamation 138  
Poll No. 2. " " 245 15  
Poll No. 3. " " 166 45  
Poll No. 4. " " 188 39  
Total amalgamation 618  
Total anti-amalgamation 96  
Total valid 714

**IN THE POLICE COURT.**  
Six separate charges of non-payment of water rates against the West Lumber Co. will come up for hearing in the police court yesterday.

Four similar charges against P. C. Swan were withdrawn.

**ACCOMMODATION IS TAXED.**  
Typhoid cases which are being treated at construction camps and other places outside the city have become so numerous of late that the accommodation at the hospitals is sorely taxed. Dr. Whiteley, medical health officer, stated that the hospital for the accommodation of these patients. This, however, cannot be done for some time as the building is now undergoing necessary repairs. There are only six infectious cases in the isolation hospital at the present time, and as the building is divided into four sections, it is possible to set apart one section for the accommodation of typhoid patients.

**EASTWARDS ARE INTERESTED.**  
C. G. Harrison, manager of the Edmonton Exhibition Association, who has just returned from the Toronto and Detroit fairs, says that people in the East are becoming more and more interested in Alberta and especially the country adjacent to this city. Everywhere he went people were asking him all kinds of questions about the soil and climate of the province.

Mr. Harrison says the Toronto fair was one of the best he ever saw, and he enjoyed his stay there immensely. The attendance was the biggest in the history of Toronto's splendid exhibition, which he had never seen anywhere. They also had a good fair in the Michigan metropolis.

**CASE OVER HORSE DEAL.**  
The hearing of charges against Clyde Smith, an auctioneer, for alleged complicity in a fraudulent transaction at the mounted police barracks at one yesterday for counsel for the defendant announced that testimony in his behalf would be reserved for the present. Smith was held for trial in the district court, his bonds being fixed in the sum of \$400 which he furnished.

J. P. Williams, complainant in the case, testified that recently he purchased a team of horses at a sale at which Smith was the auctioneer, bidding the property in at \$200. Williams declared that Smith gave him to understand that the horses were free of encumbrance, but that he had learned a short time after that such was not the case. He and now he is out both ways and money.

According to Williams' evidence and the statements of other witnesses called by the prosecution, it seems that the horses were owned by a man named Dembrocki, and that he had borrowed money from one Culbertson, giving a mortgage as security. One witness stated that Culbertson, who was present at the sale and confirmed Smith's representation that the horses were free of encumbrance.

**EDMONTON BULLETIN**

**SIR ANDREW FRASER TO SPEAK IN EDMONTON**

Former Governor of Fifty Million People in Bengal, and Whose Life Was Attempted in 1906, Is to Address an Amalgamation Meeting on October 11th.

(From Saturday's Daily.)  
Sir Andrew Fraser, former governor of Bengal, and for 37 years in the Indian Civil Service, will be a visitor to Edmonton in October. Sir Andrew, after governing for five years the fifty million people of the biggest district in the British Indian Empire, has retired, and is coming to Canada to help. He will make his home in Winnipeg, and it is his intention to devote all his time to the work of the Indian Missionary Movement.

He was born in India, at Bombay, in 1848, the son of the late Rev. A. C. Fraser, D.D. He was educated in Edinburgh University, and was graduated M.A. in 1872. He was called to the bar of the Middle Temple in 1874. In 1883 he was appointed secretary to the Indian Home Department, London. He entered the Indian Civil Service in 1871, and in 1877 was appointed assistant secretary to the Indian Home Department, London.

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**STRATHCONA SEEKS ONE COMMISSIONER**

Mayor and City Solicitor Will Report at Next Meeting of Council on Its Feasibility—Further Negotiations With Manley Construction Company.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)  
A provision in the new city charter for Greater Edmonton, whereby one commissioner should be from the south side of the river, was mooted at last night's meeting of the Strathcona city council, and as a result the mayor and city solicitor will report at the next meeting of the council on the question of the advisability of making such a proposal to Edmonton. The suggestion came from Alderman Calder in the form of an inquiry, but at the request of the other aldermen he embodied the idea in the motion calling for a report from the mayor and city solicitor.

Negotiations with the Manley Construction Company broke down on the question of the liability of the bondsmen Messrs. Mackay and Borden appeared for the bondsmen and the construction company respectively, to give their opinions on the agreement drafted by City Solicitor Jamieson as the basis for the continuation of the work under the joint supervision of the city and the company. All money was to be paid by the city and the work to be performed by the company to the satisfaction of the city engineer, the profit to be meanwhile withheld, pending a faithful performance of the construction. The deadlock came on the question of the liability as contained in clauses 7 and 8. Mr. Mackay absolutely refused to allow his clients to become liable for more than the amount of the original bonds, which were for \$5,500. An adjournment was made to the mayor's office for consultation, but the council adjourned on their return and issued their ultimatum. The situation thus remains unchanged.

**Crossings on Bondevades.**  
The point as to whether crossings should be made over boulevards to accommodate business in residential sections was settled by granting permission to the Manley Construction Company to build a cement crossing on First Avenue north for the Strathcona Electric Co. The committee to the west of their studies, allowing for the width of one ordinary vehicle. The crossing is to be made over the boulevard to the west of their studies, allowing for the width of one ordinary vehicle. The crossing is to be made over the boulevard to the west of their studies, allowing for the width of one ordinary vehicle.

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**HON. FRANK OLIVER'S MAJORITY NOW 2,095**

With 21 Polls Still Unaccounted for Mr. Oliver Has Rolled up Splendid Total—Majority in Outside Polls 419 More Than in 1908.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)  
Returns have now been received by the Bulletin from all but 21 outlying polls of the total of 217. The 296 polls heard from give the Hon. Frank Oliver a total majority of 2,095 votes. Among the polls still to be reported are those of the Grande Prairie and a number of mining and construction sections west of Edmonton. The total majority by which Mr. Oliver has been elected will probably exceed the majority of 2,217 votes which he had in the election of 1908. So far, the constituency outside of Edmonton has given Mr. Oliver a majority of 2,075 votes, 419 in excess of his majority of 1,656 in the rural polls in 1908.

Twenty-two polls recently heard from are as follows:—  
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Poll No. 2. Oliver 16 16 0  
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Poll No. 10. Oliver 9 5 0  
Poll No. 11. Oliver 39 14 0  
Poll No. 12. Oliver 8 6 0  
Poll No. 13. Oliver 10 8 7  
Poll No. 14. Oliver 32 10 0  
Poll No. 15. Oliver 15 10 0  
Poll No. 16. Oliver 6 8 4  
Poll No. 17. Oliver 30 2 1  
Poll No. 18. Oliver 11 3 0

**CLEARINGS SHOW 68 PER CENT INCREASE**  
Total for Week Ending Yesterday \$882,324 in Excess of Total for Same Week Last Year—Splendid Increase in Value of Building Permits.

Edmonton's bank clearings for the week ending Thursday, totalled \$2,172,576, as compared with a total of \$1,290,662 for the corresponding week of 1910. This means an increase in clearings of \$882,324 gives a percentage increase of 68.4 on the total. Every week now for several months the increase in Edmonton's bank clearings has hovered about the million mark, sometimes above, sometimes below, and so has been its custom for over a year past the city continues to lead all other cities of Canada in percentage increase of bank clearings.

**Big Increase in Building Permits.**  
The returns of the building inspector for the month of September will show that the value of the building permits issued from January 1st to September 31st has reached the grand total of \$3,022,880. The total for the same period of last year was \$1,818,305. The total for the month of September was \$219,600. The total for September, 1910, was \$199,882. The total to date for the present year has already exceeded the total for the whole of any previous year.

Yesterday was a day of small things at the inspector's office, comparatively few permits being issued, and these only for small amounts.

**Regular Service West to Fitzhugh**  
Line of Railway in First-Class Condition—Train Service Awaits Only the Formal Inspection by Railway Commission Official.

Regular train service will be given by the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway to Fitzhugh, 242 miles west of Edmonton, in the course of a few days' time. General Manager Chamberlain has made application to the Board of Railway Commissioners for permission to bring into operation the section of the road west from Edson, and the favorable report of the inspector on the condition of the line is all that is required for the opening up to general traffic of the line west to Fitzhugh.

The making of this report will be merely a formal matter, as the road between Edson and Fitzhugh is in excellent condition.

At the present time, the line from Fitzhugh to Edson is in better condition than the line between Edmonton and Edson was when it was opened to traffic, said Howard Douglas, Dominion parks commissioner, who has made several trips out to Fitzhugh. Mr. Douglas says that the line west of Edson is in even better condition than the line east of that point, as the grade is more solid. It is possible now for trains to make ten miles more an hour between Edson and Fitzhugh than between Edmonton and Edson, where the grade is not so solid.

So in the course of a few days, G.T.P. trains will operate all the way from Winnipeg to Fitzhugh, a distance of 1,035 miles.

**MANITOBA MEDICAL COLLEGE**  
In affiliation with Manitoba University Session commences Oct. 2nd, 1911. Five years course. Excellent clinical facilities. For full information apply to the Registrar.

**Dr. E. S. Popham,**  
Medical College, Winnipeg.

**ROBBERS GET \$15,000 IN EXPRESS OFFICE**  
Hamilton, Sept. 25.—The local offices of the Canadian Express company were robbed of \$15,000 in cash last night.

**TO VISIT STONE QUARRY.**  
Arrangements will be made by the commissioners for a visit to be undertaken in the near future to stone quarries situated thirty miles up the Saskatchewan river. It is thought that the stone there may be found suitable for use on road construction work by the city. The trip will probably be made in the course of the next week or two, the party being made up of the commissioners, the council and several of the superintendents.

**COUNCIL TO REMAIN IN OFFICE SOME TIME**

Municipal Elections Will Not Be Held Till 4 Months After the Amalgamation Act Is Passed by the Legislature.

(From Thursday's Daily.)  
The necessary bill providing for the amalgamation of Edmonton and Strathcona will be drafted in such a way that it may be introduced into the provincial legislature early in the session which will probably open on the first of November.

The agreement recently endorsed by the ratepayers of both cities provides that "in the event of its appearing that the Act hereinafter referred to is not likely to be passed before the first of November, the special supplementary Act hereinafter referred to for the purpose of extending the term of office of the present council and councillors of the present cities of Edmonton and Strathcona, that the dates for municipal elections and elections for positions may continue in office for a sufficient length of time to avoid the necessity of elections under the existing charters in case the principal Act is passed."

As the date for nominations for the municipal election is December 31st and the date of the elections is November 11th, it is more than likely that the Act will not be passed in time to hold the elections for the new council for the whole city on this date and in that event the present councils may continue in office for several months. The Strathcona council will go out of office at such time as the highest number of votes received by the council will remain in office for one month after the final passing of the act and during that period must make such arrangements for the election of the new council. The new council will be composed of a mayor and ten aldermen, not less than three of whom will be chosen from the candidates on the south side of the river who receive the highest number of votes. Of these two receiving the highest number of votes shall be elected for two years and the third for one year. The remainder of the council shall be composed of the seven remaining candidates receiving the highest number of votes in respect of their place of residence or the situation of the property for which they are elected, the one receiving the highest number of votes being elected for two years and the remaining four for one year.

In view of the fact that the Edmonton council will be the charter for the whole of the united city a committee of the Strathcona council will be called upon to confer with the legislative committee of the Edmonton city council to decide upon the amendments to be added for the forthcoming session of the legislature.

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