

ROOSEVELT THE STARBURST CENTRE OF WINDY WAR

Bitter Controversy Over Vatican Incident Shows Little Signs of Abatement—Re- pudiation of Interpretation.

RECEPTION AT EMBASSY IS CALLED OFF

Rome, April 5.—The chief material development in the Roosevelt-Vatican incident today was Mr. Roosevelt's repudiation of an attempt of the Metho- dist organization here to interpret his action as an endorsement of their work.

This repudiation took the form of calling off a reception to the mem- bers of the American colony, which was to have been held tomorrow night at the Embassy, and it resulted direct- ly from the issuance of a statement yesterday by the Rev. B. M. Tippet, pastor of the American Methodist church, in which he severely arraigned the Roman Catholic Church.

Mr. Roosevelt continues to deprecate in the most vigorous fashion, the fierce religious turmoil caused by the inci- dent, which he regards as personal to himself and continues entirely confi- dent that his countrymen, Catholic as well as Protestant, when the facts in the case are clearly and dispassion- ately examined, will sustain his posi- tion.

When the Vatican statement, likene- ing the situation to what might occur in Germany if he visited the Polish Separatists after seeing the Emperor, was called to Mr. Roosevelt's atten- tion, he said:

"If the German Emperor should place as a condition to an audience that I should not see the Poles, I should make a similar reply. Upon that condition, I shall be compelled to forego the pleasure of an audience."

A phase of the situation which is attracting more and more attention here is the open disparagement of the Vatican's action, expressed by numer- ous Catholics. This is not confined to laymen, but extends to the hierarchy and even to the sacred college itself. Some of the cardinals have privately expressed dissent from action which places the church in a position in any way hostile to Mr. Roosevelt.

Catholics dwell on the many evi- dences of his friendship while he was the occupant of the white house and declare emphatically that the church is being placed in a false position to- wards the ex-president and America. Responsibility generally is placed per- sonally on the shoulders of Cardinal Merry del Val, the papal secretary of state. An eminent ecclesiastic is re- ported to have said:

"It is not the church, but the private act of the Spanish secretary of state against the colonel of the rough riders in Cuba."

Merry del Val's father, formerly the Spanish ambassador to the Vati- can, who is now in Rome, and who of- ten complained of the haughty and disdainful attitude of the United States in the days of Spain's defeat, said to a friend:

"It seems providential that my son should be the man to humble a Yankee president."

Mr. Roosevelt has received many messages not only from friends in the United States endorsing his action, but from people through Europe, many of whom he does know.

Hundreds of telegrams from both Catholics and Protestants in America congratulating him on his stand re- lative to the conditions imposed by the Vatican, have reached him and this afternoon when he returned to his hotel he found an American priest, now located in Rome, who warmly felicitated him upon what he had done, say- ing he believed that American Catho- lics would endorse his action.

The ex-president, however, declines to give out any of these telegrams, on the ground that they would en- veyn the controversy he seeks to abate.

King Victor Emmanuel visited Mr. Roosevelt this morning and following a pleasant social chat, they motored to the barracks of the cuirassiers, where they witnessed a series of man- oeuvres.

A Methodist Heard.

Westfield, Mass., April 5.—Rev. Dr. Charles Parkhurst, editor of Zion's Herald, who is here in attendance upon the Methodist Conference, made the following comment upon the Roosevelt incident in Rome tonight:

"I do not care to enter into the con- troversy, the Methodists have talked too much anyway. For Mr. Tippet to crow over the incident, if he did, was extremely unwise. Mr. Roosevelt did not wish to wound anybody's feelings and the matter should have been allowed to rest where it was. Mr. Roosevelt's refusal to accept dicta- tion was a splendid example of Ameri- canism but was not occasion for pre- cipitating a controversy."

MONOPLANE AT BADDECK

Successful Flights Made Yes- terday By Gardiner Hubbard In Blériot Type Of Aeroplane—First Of Kind In Canada.

Baddeck, April 5.—A monoplane flight was made here today, the first in Canada. The Hubbard drome accom- plishing nine successful flights over the ice of the bay. The aviator was the designer of the machine, Gardiner Greene Hubbard, of Boston. This drome is of the monoplane type and resembled the machine with which Blériot crossed the English Channel. The flights this morning were at an elevation of 15 feet and were one and a half miles in extent. Much diffi- culty was experienced in removing the drome home, as the ice gave way beneath its weight and it was half submerged in water.

TWO MEN KILLED IN BANK ROBBERY

Daring Hold Up Of Bank Offi- cials At McKees Rocks Has Fatal Termination—Robbers Escape.

Fittsburg, Pa., April 5.—A bank robbery with wild-west features was pulled off by four desperadoes in McKees Rocks tonight, with the slaying of two men and the possibly fatal shooting of another. The robbers themselves covered their escape with volleys of revolver shots, got safely away with at least \$400 in cash from the offices of the Victor Banking Com- pany.

Samuel Friedman, general manager of the company, was killed; his assistant, Isaac Schwartz was wounded in the head, dying later at a hospital here. Robert King, a passerby, was seri- ously shot in the groin.

Friedman and Schwartz were alone in the bank, which does foreign ex- change business on the outskirts of McKees Rocks, counting the day's cash which was spread upon the coun- ter, when four foreigners, invaded the place with revolvers.

Friedman was shot in the chest, falling to the floor. Schwartz was shot twice while one of the men scooped up the money, but as they ran, the wounded man, Friedman, fol- lowed to fall with another volley from the robbers. A policeman's face which appeared around the corner just at that moment, was grazed with a bullet.

TORONTO IS PLANNING BIG MARATHON DERBY

All The Stars Included In List Of Entries For Big Event Scheduled For May 7—An- other For May 24.

Special to The Standard.

Toronto, April 5.—The Island Stadium will be the scene of a twenty mile derby on May 7. This will be the most important of the circuit races promoted by Pat Powers, President McCafferty of the Toronto Baseball Club will handle the Toronto end of it. In the string will be Ljungstrom, Johanson, Sellen, Holmer, Meadows and Last and John D. Marsh wired from Fort William asking permission to enter the race on May 24. With a full Marathon will be run with all the stars in line.

MISSIONARY CONVENTION HELD AT MONCTON

Interesting Addresses Deliv- ered By The Bishop Of Freder- ickton, Mr. Caskey, And Others.

Special to The Standard.

Moncton, April 5.—There was a representative gathering present to- night at the opening session of the Laymen's Missionary convention, led by Mr. R. N. Wyse. Mr. Caskey, gen- eral secretary of the movement in Can- ada, delivered a very able address on "The Bible the Missionary Book," after which Rev. Donald Macdonald of Moncton spoke on "The Church, the Missionary Society," showing that while other bodies might do much the church was or should be the prime factor in missionary enterprise. Bishop Richardson of Fredericton was the next speaker, his theme being "Christ the Universal Saviour."

About 200 attended the banquet in St. John's church vestry this evening. Capt. Masters presided and addresses were made by Bishop Richardson, Fredericton, R. H. Buchanan, Mon- treal, and General Secretary Caskey. The local committee reported that Moncton's contribution in 1909 was over \$4,000, against \$2,500 received in 1908.

New York, N. Y., April 5.—To de- termine just what is the limit of Theodore Roosevelt's strenuousness in the way of a welcome home is the question occupying the committee named by Mayor Gaynor to arrange the reception in honor of the former president. The plan is to give him just as big a reception as he can stand a great deal and the pro- ceedings on page 2.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN FOOD CONSUMERS

How The One Is Discriminated Against To The Disadvan- tage Of The Other By The Ottawa Administration.

HOUSE DISCUSSES MEAT AND FOODS ACT

Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, April 5.—The House of Commons spent four hours today in discussing some of Mr. Fisher's legisla- tion. What was before the House was an amending bill to effect some improvements in the administration of the meat and canned goods act; but the members with a little delay got into a discussion of the whole subject of inspection. Two or three rather inter- esting features of the general situa- tion arose.

1.—The Opposition pressed strongly the anomaly that the Government takes every care of the foreign con- sumer and takes no care of the do- mestic consumer.

Not inspected. Meats which are to be exported are inspected, meats intended for the lo- cal trade are not inspected and the Government refuses to do so when ex- ported. The inferior stuff is thrust upon the Canadian buyer, the seller not being allowed to offer it to the out- sider.

Mr. Fisher's reply was that it is the duty of local and provincial authorities to inspect the local trade. The whole subject was debated at length.

2.—A rather serious hardship cropped up. Who is to be the loser when animals are condemned?

Two or three conflicting views were put forward. One, for which Major J. A. Currie is mainly responsible, is that the drover is ground between the up- per and lower parties. He buys an animal which to all appearance is sound; when slaughtered it proves infected; the packer comes down on him and he has no recourse against the farmer. It was asserted that many packers issued their cheques to the drovers subject to reversion and there is a word of a formidable agitation among the drovers.

Another view which Mr. Claude Madson urged was that the packer is the man who has no recourse against personal characteristics and when number of them have succumbed to the fatal knife it is impossible to tell where it was which sold him to the firm. Cattle have a little more individuality, but it is hard to trace a tubercular carcass back to the man who sold it to the packer losses.

400,000 Loss. Whichever is correct, there is a considerable loss to be assessed some- where. Major Currie put it at \$400,000 a year. All sides asked the Govern- ment to help defray the losses, with no intention of doing anything of the sort. The furthest he would go was to recall the fact that in England and Germany a system of insurance prevails. Also in one Toronto stock- yard drovers pay a small premium to cover losses.

Mr. Stratton advocated compensa- tion to packers on condition that they compensate farmers. Mr. McColg dealt with the case of farmers who breed their own stock and sell them. They often suffer losses.

3.—Dr. Sproule brought up the mat- ter of cold storage and advocated the taking of steps to put a limit on a time that goods be kept in cold stor- age. His objections were two: One was that the goods should not be kept so long as to deteriorate, and the other to frustrate manipulation of the market.

The Annuitants Act. After four hours of this bill got through. Then Mr. Pledger with neatness and dispatch secured the as- sent of the House to Sir Richard Car- right's senate bill to amend the gov- ernment annuities act. It provides for three or four changes. One is to allow one person to buy an annuity for another; for example, it will allow a missionary society to provide for the old age of its missionaries in this manner. Another is to allow the issuance of policies which will guaran- tee the payment of an annuity for a given number of years, whether the original beneficiary dies before the ex- piry of the term or not. A third raises the age limit to 65 and a fourth allows a wife to transfer her annuity to her husband, on suitable actuarial conditions.

T. C. NORRIS HEADS MANITOBA LIBERALS

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Winnipeg, Man., April 5.—The Lib- erals of the province in convention to- night elected T. C. Norris, N. P. F., for Griswood, leader of the provincial party. One of their planks is com- pulsory education and a provincial uni- versity. Attempts to place in the plat- form the total prohibition of the lic- quor traffic was defeated.

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NEW ROYALTY BY SCOTIA

Final Rout Of Forget Forces Arrived At In Act Which Re- quires President To Reside In Nova Scotia.

REPORTS OF ASSAULT FROM GUAYAQUIL

Washington, D. C., April 5.—Not- withstanding the warlike demonstra- tions which are taking place daily in the Ecuadorian cities of Guayaquil and Quito, as well as in Lima, Peru, which admittedly are of the gravest character, there still is hope of an amicable adjustment of the difficulties between the two countries.

From inquiries at the state depart- ment and elsewhere, there is reason to believe that the government of Ecuador has expressed an inclination to attempt the adjustment by direct negotiations with Peru at Washing- ton, but Peru's attitude is not yet known. Ecuador, it is understood, al- ready has designated Clemente Ponce and a prominent citizen by the name of Lopez, and the Ecuadorian min- ister here, to act in her behalf in case an agreement is reached to in- stitute negotiations.

Alarming Reports. A despatch from Lima, dated last night, says that the Peruvian gov- ernment had received alarming re- ports from the consulate at Guayaquil giving the details of the assault upon the consulate buildings. The report declares the police of Guayaquil and the government troops were present during the assault but did not inter- fere.

The Peruvian government the des- patch stated, was pessimistic as to the outcome of these hostilities and would immediately demand reparations from Ecuador.

As soon as the news reached Lima, guards were at once placed over the Ecuadorian legation, but notwith- standing this precaution a mob of stu- dents attacked the Ecuadorian lega- tion and consulate buildings and tore away their shields. The president of Peru addressed the crowds, advising patience, but the mob was widely ex- cited and further trouble was feared.

From recent reports it is learned that the Peruvian army contains about 10,000 men and has a total of 20,000 men. The Ecuadorian army consists of a torpedo launch and transport.

The trouble between Peru and Ecuador began with a boundary dispute which is still before King Alfonso, the mutually selected arbitrator. Ill feel- ing has continued and there has been demonstrations in both countries against the representatives of the other. Columbia has expressed a popular sympathy with Ecuador and as Chile also has dispute over the province of Tacna and Arica with Peru, the latter faces the unpopularity of three sister republics.

Quayash, April 5.—In the face of the popular excitement and rioting it is officially announced today that Ecuador and Peru propose to settle their boundary dispute directly at Washing- ton. Ecuador's special envoy is Cle- mente Ponce and he will proceed to the American capital.

It is assumed that the relations be- tween Columbia and Peru are strained and war at an early date is believed probable.

GERMANY FACES INDUSTRIAL UPHEAVAL

300,000 Bricklayers, Carpen- ters And Masons Ready To Strike If Demands Are Not Acceded To.

Berlin, April 5.—The prospect of the most extensive strike in the building trades, which ever has occurred in Germany is held out by the decisive action of the Socialist Federation of Trades Unions, comprising 300,000 bricklay- ers, carpenters, masons, builders and laborers, at a meeting this evening, at which they unanimously rejected the proposed wages tariff which the master builders' union had drawn up. Such a strike would affect at least 350,000 men, spread over the entire country.

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EQUADOR AND PERU FIGHTING FOR STRUGGLE

Belligerent Latin Republics May Yet Scrap—Ecuador Wants To Submit Issue To Wash- ington For Settlement.

ASQUITH HAS MAJORITY

Guillotine Method In Dealing With Lords Veto Authorized By British House By Safe Majority.

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Quebec, April 5.—About 11 o'clock last night as two young men were walking along the I. C. R. railway track west of the city, a freight train body lying alongside the track. They immediately notified some of the neighbors and the body which was badly cut up was removed to Molson's garage, where an inquest will be held tomorrow.

Nothing is known about the unfor- tunate victim, who was probably struck by a passing train and dragged along a couple of yards, judging from blood marks. The only means of identifying the victim was a card found in one of the pockets bearing the name of Chas. Edward Gallagher.

Moncton, N. B., April 5.—Mr. Patrick Gallagher, of the Hotel here, has received word this evening that his son Charles Edward had been killed at Levis, Quebec. It has since been learned that the body was found on the track last night but it was not identified until this evening.

The deceased had been for some years in the United States army but this summer returned to Canada with his wife and two children. His family had a letter recently saying that he intended leaving the service and it is thought he had fallen from the train while on the way home. The father of the deceased left tonight for Levis to bring the body home.

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Civic Legal Department Holds That Evidence Advanced Before Judge Cannon Does Not Go Far Enough.

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DISCLOSURES POSTPONED

Men Higher Up Still Unnamed In Pittsburg Graft Investigation—Evidences Of Wholesale Corruption.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 5.—The promise of District Attorney Blakeley, that the grand jury's presentment naming men high up in the graft scandal would come this afternoon, was made good, but the county prosecutor tonight said it seemed a "dead certainty" that this awaited stage in the graft probe, would be reached tomorrow.

The day, however, was not without its new sensations, for "Chas. W. Friend, vice-president of the Clinton Iron and Steel Company, pleaded that he had no defence to make to the charges against him. Friend, who is a son of the late J. W. Friend, of the Pressed Steel Car Company, had been indicted for the payment of \$500 to former counselman, Chas. Stewart, in admitting the payment of this money to Stewart. Friend explained that a bridge ordinance favorable to his company had been brought up in council and killed. He and his father, however, were still anxious to see the bill passed and "in order to stop any newspaper talk" about the resurrection of the bill, he had, at Stewart's suggestion, he said, paid \$500.

The purpose of the money was not, according to Friend, a bribe to councilmen, but to newspaper men. Instead the money was given to councilman Stewart's version of the affair was wholly contrary. He claimed the money was paid by Friend to influence the passage of ordinance which would reconstitute National and Farmers' Deposit National Banks as city depositories. Friend recently was a director of each of these banks. Stewart thought the amount Friend paid was \$500.

There was another victory for the prosecuting officers today in the confession of Morris Elstein, a member of the grand jury, who had been receiving \$30,000 from the Workingman's Saving Bank and Trust Company, of Allegheny, for distribution as bribes.

BUSINESS RUSHED IN KINGS COUNTY COURT

Hampton, N. B., April 5.—The April term of the county court of Kings county opened this morning at 11 o'clock. Mr. Justice Wedderburn presiding. The Scott Act appeals cases left over from last term were again before the court. The King vs. George Doherty, conviction for second offence, continued by consent to next term.

The King vs. George Doherty, first offence—the same.

The King vs. George M. Fairweather—the same.

The King vs. Frank Myers—the same.

In all these appeals Messrs. Jonah and McIntyre for the appellants and Mr. J. A. Frazier for respondents. On the civil docket the case of the McCall Company vs. W. H. Culbert, an assessment case, was ordered to stand over until the next term. Messrs. Fowler and Jonah for plaintiff, J. M. McIntyre for defendant. The case of Fowler and Jonah vs. L. M. Trank, an action to recover \$81.45, amount of a bill of exchange made in January, 1908, in the absence of Mr. R. G. Murray, counsel for the defendant, the record was withdrawn. Mr. W. D. Turner appeared for the plaintiffs. The court then adjourned, sine die.

NEWCASTLE BOARD OF TRADE IN SESSION

Officers Elected at Annual Meeting Held Recently—Patrick Hennessy Chosen as President.

Newcastle, April 5.—At the Board of Trade annual meeting last night the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Patrick Hennessy; vice-president, John Ferguson; secretary, E. A. McCurdy; treasurer, H. Williston; additional members of executive, J. D. Creighton, D. Morrison, S. W. Miller, W. A. Hickson, John Clarke, W. H. Belyea, Thos. Russell and J. D. Panlin.

The following were appointed a committee to revise the bye laws and report at the next meeting: Rev. P. W. Dixon, E. A. McCurdy and John Clarke.

A committee was appointed to interview the business men of the town about forming a company to run a ferry boat between here and Nelson. Douglas-Lamb Division S. of T. will tonight install the following officers: W. P.—Richard Atkinson, W. A.—Robert Kirkpatrick, R. S.—Thomas Yee, A. R. S.—Miss Rena McKenzie, F. S.—R. H. Jessamin, Treasurer—Harold Stothart, Cash—Robert Currie, A. Con.—Percy Henderson, P. W. F.—Miss Maude Wood, Chaplain—Miss Zeldis Johnson, J. S.—Chester Bleeth, O. S.—Donald Henderson, S. Y. P. W.—Sterling Wood. Three Graves—Misses Beattie Wood, Stella Morrison and May Simpson.

OWEN MORAN WINS FROM BALDWIN

New York, April 5.—Owen Moran outpointed Matty Baldwin of Boston in a fast round before the Fairmont A. C. tonight. The English boy scored Baldwin in the fourth with a right uppercut and held his advantage throughout. Baldwin was strong in the last two rounds, but the popular decision was Moran's by a good majority.

The Schoolboy's Burden



"JUST YOU WAIT 'TIL VACATION."

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Continued From Page 1. gramme will be arranged with this idea in view. Most of the members believe more than 200 members of the committee met today to consider this question, but decided to postpone outlining the scope of the reception until the sub-committees are named.

Archbishop Ireland.

St. Paul, Minn., April 5.—Archbishop Ireland, after reading the report from Rome concerning the Roosevelt-Vatican incident, made the following statement to the Associated Press: "Before passing judgment on the Roosevelt incident in Rome, we should be thoroughly conversant with all attending circumstances, more so indeed, than the perusal of the quickly prepared despatches appearing in meeting papers seemingly permit. Or one thing I am certain—the Methodist propaganda in Rome is so vile, so calumnious in its assaults upon the Catholic faith, so dishonest in its methods to win proselytes, that the father, the supreme guardian of the faith, is compelled by the principles of his high office to avert, at all cost, the slightest movement on his part that might, directly or indirectly, be interpreted as abetting the propaganda, or approving, even by implication, its purposes and tactics. Since the Fairbanks incident I have received from Rome most reliable data that have not been made or at any other time prepared to make, with regard to this Methodist propaganda. Indeed, the Methodist propaganda in Rome, Rev. Mr. Tipple, in his address the Sunday after the Fairbanks incident, is an all-sufficient indication of its raucous and un-Christian character. It is as clear as noon-day to those who know the facts in connection with the Methodist Roman propaganda that any man, however otherwise worthy and illustrious, giving or likely to give public recognition of any kind to its work, even to the extent of being received by the holy father, is guilty of a grave sin."

Merry De Val.

"How far Cardinal Merry del Val had reason to suspect from the movements of the Methodists themselves, or otherwise, that there was peril lest Mr. Roosevelt, even unwittingly, be entangled in their meshes I am not in position to say. The cardinal is a wise, judicious statesman, and must have well weighed the whole situation before he acted. His words to me before he acted, were to the effect that he was suspected that intended to go to the Methodist church in Rome, which is carrying on a most offensive campaign against the pontiff. He said that he had been received by the pope over on the same day. But he could not be received when it was suspected that intended to go to the Methodist church in Rome, which is carrying on a most offensive campaign against the pontiff. He said that he had been received by the pope over on the same day. But he could not be received when it was suspected that intended to go to the Methodist church in Rome, which is carrying on a most offensive campaign against the pontiff."

"Now did my friend, Mr. O'Laughlin, help out the situation, when to the cardinal's question, 'can you guarantee that Mr. Roosevelt will not visit the Methodists here?' he replied, 'I cannot. Indeed I believe Mr. Roosevelt is just the man to go there. He will do as he pleases. For my part I differ with Mr. O'Laughlin. I believe that brought face to face with the situation in Rome as created by the Methodist propaganda, Mr. Roosevelt would not have addressed the Methodists. He wrote his telegram in Rome, away from the seat of war, and refused to bind himself to his movements before he was on the ground. But once in Rome, face to face with the situation, such as his quick intuition into things would have soon revealed to him, he would not have thought of leaving the Vatican to repair to the camp of its virulent foes. That is Mr. Roosevelt, as I think I know him. At the

Continued From Page 1. place on record appreciation of his great ability, steering integrity, and untiring efforts in the interest of good government and expresses its sympathy with him in his affliction and the hope that he may speedily recover and re-assume his parliamentary duties.

A resolution was also passed on motion of R. W. Henson, seconded by Antoine J. Leger, urging parish or organization throughout the county and on motion of Captain J. E. Masters, seconded by W. E. Humphrey, a resolution was passed expressing sympathy with Mr. F. W. Sumner in his illness.

Some of the speeches of the afternoon roused the audience to a high pitch of enthusiasm, Mr. John C. Landry, a rising young barrister, specially coming in for much applause.

Bishop McIntyre.

St. Paul, Minn., April 5.—Following the publication of a statement from Archbishop Ireland regarding the Roosevelt-Vatican incident, Bishop McIntyre, at a meeting of the Minnesota Episcopal church, which is visiting in Saratoga Springs, N. Y., tonight telegraphed the following to the Pioneer Press: "A telegram from my home city shows that Archbishop Ireland has again attacked the Methodist-Episcopal church and dragged it into the Roosevelt episode in Rome when it had no part or share in the matter. He called my people vile, dishonest and calumnious. I bore the Fairbanks slander from him without reply but my patience is now exhausted. I hereby brand John Ireland as a double-faced hypocrite and a cowardly accuser of men better than himself, who are offering Italians the free grace of God without any terms of piety or monopoly."

"I also challenge him to debate the question in American fashion in the open forum when I reach St. Paul. I have great Christian love for the Roman Catholic people, but the papal machine has a blood-red record that stains centuries of history. "Ireland seems to have long known and with good reason. It stands for justice, liberty, open-minded brotherliness and equal gospel privileges to all."

Archbishop Ireland when shown the statement of Bishop McIntyre tonight, prepared a statement which said in part: "The message received from Bishop McIntyre is beneath my notice. He need not trouble himself about a debate with me on his arrival in St. Paul. I stand for facts, or arguments, I run away from mud-slingers. "From what I know of Bishop McIntyre and what I have long known of Methodist methods in Rome, I am ready to say that he would be at home preaching in the Methodist hall on any street in Rome. I have long known that Roman organ, the 'Evangelist' and its recognized ally, the 'Apostle' much more so than lecturing in temples, Methodist or non-Methodists in America."

Bishop McIntyre ought to go to Rome. Judging from his present message, he is an expert in the lingo of the Roman Methodist preacher. It is just such low, insulting words, addressed to Catholics in Rome as those now addressed to me by Bishop McIntyre that arraign decent people in Rome against the Methodist propaganda."

WESTMORLAND DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN FOOD CONSUMERS

Continued From Page 1. Then came the bill respecting the conservation commission. In itself the measure is unimportant, being simply to allow the commission to meet elsewhere than in Ottawa, and to permit the payment of travelling expenses to members. But an interesting discussion arose over a proposal of Mr. Armstrong's. This was to insert a clause in the act prohibiting members or servants of the commission from using knowledge gained in connection with it for their own personal advantage. There is a strong provision in the geological survey act.

Mr. Sifton.

Mr. Sifton took part in the discussion; this is the first time this session in which he has opened his mouth in the House. He opposed the amendment. He said that the members of the commission, from using knowledge gained in connection with it for their own personal advantage. There is a strong provision in the geological survey act.

Amendment Passed.

Finally the Armstrong amendment was altered to apply to employees only and was passed and the committee rose. Mr. Fisher said that by next session the government might get drafted a clause which would apply to the commissioners.

Mr. Oliver's bill respecting South African scrips was passed and the house adjourned at 11:45 p. m.

His yesterday morning the Pover Transmission Company bill occupied the house, Mr. Pugsley once more appearing as the general of the company's forces. Mr. Blair charged that the minister of public works was making the bill his own and committing the government to it. Mr. Pugsley denied that the government was committed to it and averred that he did not know how the other members of the government would vote. He would vote for the bill. "The minister was just as willing to pass the bill before it was amended as he is now," said Mr. Blair. "More so," said Mr. Haughton Lennox. "I was in favor of it," said Mr. Pugsley, "because by passing his bill parliament was in no way committed to the damming of the St. Lawrence." Further he expressed antagonism to the Hydro Electric commission report. "I stand for the fact that I should be protected from competition. Tomorrow the house will take up the Miller race track bill. Friends of Mr. Foster and the Conservatives generally will be glad to know that his health is improving, and that he hopes to be able to take his seat in the house in a few days."

It's a Girl.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Frank I. McCafferty will congratulate them on the arrival of a daughter at their home, King street, East, last evening.

MURDERED BY NOT GUILTY TO CORRAL TEACHER FOUND SAYS WOLTER

Bartram G. Spencer, a Clerk, Identified As Assailant Of Springfield School Teacher—Other Charges Alleged.

Springfield, Mass., April 5.—The "murder" of the evening of Thursday last of Miss Martha B. Blackstone by a masked burglar was tonight formally charged against Bartram G. Spencer, a clerk, aged 25 years who was arrested earlier in the day. Following his identification by Mrs. Sarah J. Dow and Miss Lucy Dow and other residents of the vicinity of Miss Blackstone, Dow, who was seriously wounded as the invader of Miss Dow's home, where Miss Blackstone was a guest, several people positively identified him as the man responsible for the career of local terrorism of a year ago, during which their homes were broken into and robbed.

A search of Spencer's home in West Springfield immediately after his arrest this morning resulted in the finding by the police of two black silk masks such as the victims have described the burglar as wearing, several loaded revolvers and a small amount of miscellaneous articles including jewelry. In the identification of some of these articles as being portions of the loot taken by the burglar in his several raids that had much to do with Spencer's positive identification. Wearing a mask, as he always did the victims could not certainly identify his features.

Spencer had been detained at the police station all day, but it was not until late in the afternoon that Mrs. Dow and her daughter stated their conviction as to his identity. They said they were sure he was the man who had burglarized that house and threatened the inmates.

During the evening half a dozen persons whose homes had been entered by a burglar during the past claimed to have identified Spencer as the man.

Spencer has borne a good reputation among those who know him here. He is married and has one child. His wife maintains that he was at home at a cocktail from a trip to Springfield after groceries.

Battleboro, Vt., April 5.—The finding among the jewelry taken from the home of Mrs. E. B. Oslar in Springfield, today, of a gold ring which was taken from a house here during a burglary on July 29, 1908, led to the belief that Spencer's alleged operations have not been confined to Springfield. The local police tonight were working to determine whether he might have been one of the burglars which took place in Battleboro during the summer of 1908.

GRATIS ADVICE FROM LAIRD OF SKIBO

Steel King Takes a Day Off To Discuss Marriage—Ballroom Beauties Not the Best for Wives.

Pittsburg, April 5.—Neither Mr. nor Mrs. Andrew Carnegie have much sympathy for the cause of woman's suffrage. "Pick for your wife the girl who takes care of her mother, the girl who is useful in the household, and does not make the most show in the ballroom," counselled the Laird of Skibo to the young men at his technical school.

"The highest work for woman is to help and encourage man, the Margaret Morrison schools do more good than all the fight for women's rights," said Mrs. Carnegie in addressing the girls department of the technical schools. "The steel master also gave the boys this epigrammatic counsel:—"Woman raises man to the highest standard. "My mother and wife made me all I am. "All depends upon the proper mating of man and woman. "The ambition to become a millionaire is low. "To be of service to your fellow man is the greatest ideal. "Honest paragon is the most valued heritage. "Don't let money be your god. "I don't expect to do any natural things around my milliners. "It is good to develop the body as well as the mind."

UNIQUE BANQUET HELD IN LONDON

London, April 5.—A unique banquet at which Lord Coleridge presided, was held in London tonight, the gathering being composed of 200 descendants of British poets. The occasion was the anniversary of the birth of Algeon Charles Swinburne.

NOT GUILTY TO CORRAL TEACHER FOUND SAYS WOLTER

New York Youth Accused Of Fiendish Murder Maintains His Innocence—Shifts The Blame To Employer.

New York, N. Y., April 5.—The murder was committed by a man with whom I had a business understanding and who had me act as his secretary in getting girls for the school of stenography. We were to establish, I am innocent of the crime. This statement made tonight by Albert W. Wolter, the youth accused of the murder of Ruth Wheeler, outlining in substance the defence he will offer in reply to a direct question whether he knew who killed the young stenographer, the prisoner said that while he could not be positive, as he was not in the house at the time, he felt that he knew the man. This friend, he asserted, had access to his apartment. Wolter produced a letter which he said he had received the evening after his arrest.

SIR ROBERT PERKS IN OTTAWA NOW

English Promoter Declares He Is Not in Canada This Time To Push Georgian Bay Canal Scheme.

Ottawa, April 5.—Sir Robert W. Perks, one of the chief promoters of the Georgian Bay Canal scheme, is spending a short time in the capital. Sir Robert is not in Canada this time for the purpose of pushing the canal scheme, but when seen said that his visit was entirely in connection with his private interests in various parts of the country. It is unlikely, though, that he will have an interview with the prime minister and other interests connected with the canal project, before he leaves the city. Sir Robert does not seem very hopeful of seeing the project started this year.

When asked what progress had been made, he replied: "I cannot discuss that matter at all."

RECORD CATCH OF SEALS THIS YEAR

Total of 300,000 Seals Taken by the Newfoundland Fleet Smashes All Previous Records—Another Stm. Reports

St. John's, N. F., April 5.—That the seal fishery this season will be the largest ever known in this colony is believed to be assured by the report received today from the sealing steamer Labrador that she has a catch of 15,000 seals. This will make a total catch for the season of 300,000 seals, breaking all previous records. The Labrador arrived today from the sealing grounds in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, at Portneuf, Belle Isle Straits. Until she was heard from today, it was supposed that she was returning with empty holds.

MRS. E. B. OSLER DEAD AT TORONTO

Special To The Standard. Toronto, Ont., April 5.—The death occurred at noon today of Mrs. E. B. Oslar, wife of E. B. Oslar, M. P., for West Toronto. The deceased had resided in this city for nearly forty years. She was born in Scotland and was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. L. Cochrane of Aberdeen. Her husband, three sons and three daughters survive her.

MCCOOMBES-DOHERTY NUPPIALS CELEBRATED

Amherst, April 4.—A pretty wedding took place in St. Charles church, Monday morning, when Rev. Father Mehan united in marriage Ellen Agnes Doherty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Doherty, formerly of St. John, but of late years residing in Amherst, to Mr. John McCoombes, a popular employe of the Robb Engineering Co., Amherst. The bride wore a handsome travelling suit of asbes of rose diagonal cloth, with a large picture hat. She was attended by her cousin, Miss Mary Dunleavy, of St. John, who wore a becoming princess dress of champagne voile with hat to match. The groom was ably supported by Mr. John Doherty, brother of the bride. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple left on an extended wedding tour.

DYNAMITE SAVES VERMONT VILLAGE

North Fownal, Vt., April 6.—When it seemed certain that this village was going to be destroyed by fire early today, the dynamiting of two houses and the arrival of outside help brought under control the flames which had raged for four hours. At 1:30 a. m. shortly after it was announced that the fire was in hand, a fresh breeze sprang up, and it was still feared that

NOT GUILTY TO CORRAL TEACHER FOUND SAYS WOLTER

Department Of Militia And Defence Issues Order Requiring Bandmen To Eliminate Union Laws In Service

Ottawa, Ont., April 5.—Militia general orders contain the following notice:—"The attention of the Department of Militia and Defence has been called to the fact that in certain instances, military bandmen have refused to take part in engagements with members of other military bands solely for the reason that they are not members of a recognized union of musicians. While the department does not intend to interfere in any way with the right of musicians to join unions, yet as such bandmen are provided with uniforms, quarters, light and heat, and, in addition, grants of money from public funds for the maintenance of their uniforms, it is not considered in the interests of the discipline of the force that military bandmen, while in uniform, should be permitted to act in an unmilitary and improper manner.

No Exception Taken.

No exception is to be taken on the score of membership or non-membership of military bandmen in any union or society, and no discrimination shall be made in consequence of such membership or non-membership provided that such memberships or non-membership is not allowed to interfere with the performance of military duties; or to prevent bandmen, when in the uniform of their corps taking part in public or private engagements with other members of the militia in uniform, whether they are or are not members of any like union or society. A man who disobeys this regulation is not to be permitted to serve as a bandman, but must perform his military services in the ranks of his corps. The allowances mentioned in article 301, pay and allowance regulations, shall not be paid to, or on account of any band members of which raise any objection to playing, when in uniform, with non-union members of the corps.

Officers Responsible.

Commanding officers will be held responsible that this regulation is read to members of their units before they are detailed as bandmen.

A number of military changes are announced in the Canadian Engineers, the organization of the new telegraph detachment to be attached to each field company is authorized.

A field company of engineers is to be raised at Kingston. It will be numbered as the 4th.

An 8 company regiment of rifles to be known as the 54th Carabiniers de Sherbrooke will be raised at Sherbrooke.

No. 13 Company, Canadian army service corps, will be raised in Montreal. The organization of a field ambulance at Montreal, to be designated "No. X X field ambulance" is authorized.

The organization of a regiment of infantry consisting of eight companies, to be designated the "70th Colchester and Hants Regiment" is authorized.

COTTON LEGISLATION UP AT WASHINGTON

Washington, D. C., April 5.—A sweeping anti-option bill, the product of exhaustive investigation by the house committee on agriculture and of three weeks executive department subcommittee, restricting the operation of the proposed legislation to cotton instead of applying to all farm products, was introduced in the house today. The new bill, substantially the lines of the old Scott bill, the principal change being in the elimination of application to grain exchange.

ESCAPING CONVICT KILLED BY MOB

Centerville, Tex., April 5.—In an attempted escape from the Centerville jail yesterday, Frank Bates, sr., charged jointly with his sons Frank and Dolly with killing Benjamin Moot, last December, was shot and killed by citizens and Dolly Bates was captured and hanged in a cell in the jail. He was cut down before life was extinct, however.

Deputy Sheriff St. John, who attempted to frustrate the escape of the prisoners was shot in the neck by them. Frank Bates, jr., did not leave the prison and he was unhurt. St. John and Dolly Bates will survive.

The smouldering embers might break out afresh.

A loss of about \$75,000 was caused up to that hour by the burning of the Congregational church, in the vestry of which President James A. Garfield and Chester A. Arthur had taught school during their college days at Williams, and the destruction of other buildings.

WADDELL MARRIED.

St. Louis, April 5.—George Edward Waddell, pitcher for the St. Louis Americans and Miss Madge Maguire of Mattesburg, Minn., were married last night. Waddell recently obtained a divorce from his first wife a Boston woman.

Liverpool, April 5.—Ard: Sir Manchester Shipper from St. John, N. B.

Earl Grey Has Praise For The Boy Scouts of Montreal



Boy Scouts "making camp"—The lower part of the tent is basketwork quickly made out of strips of bark—Thus the canvas top is made to cover twice as much space as it would if used alone.

Montreal, April 5.—Once more the Boy Scouts have come in for words of approval and encouragement and their future importance has been recognized. Once more the Boy Scouts of Montreal have led in new tactics so far as any Canadian corps is concerned.

His Excellency the Governor General recently inspected the members of the local corps and at the ceremony he spoke warmly to Colonel Gardiner, who was in command of the works of the corps and of the efficiency which was everywhere noticeable.

At the grounds they were inspected in every detail, manoeuvres were gone through, the march past was given, and, accompanied by his aides and Col. Gardiner, Earl Grey went over the entire corps. Before the inspection began the royal salute was given

the Governor General as the buglers played. There were about 100 Boy Scouts in parade, and in addition to its being the first instance of a parade of Boy Scouts before His Excellency it was the first case of a patrol of Scouts marching on bicycles appearing in connection with any Canadian unit.

With Earl Grey came Lady Grey, Lady Sybil Grey, Lady Alison Roberts, daughter of Field Marshal Lord Roberts, "Jocks"; Lord Lansborough and Earl Grey's aide-de-camp. All were pleased with the military spirit and bright appearance of the Montreal Boy Scouts in their natty green and white sweated uniform.

Excellency remarked that this was the beginning of another territorial army. The boys fell in at 4 o'clock in front of Col. Gardiner's house on Chomedey street, and with a detachment of buglers from the 6th Regiment leading the way, and a bicycle patrol bringing up the rear, these youthful fellows of Baden-Powell marched to the grounds in rear of Lord Strathcona's house.

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THE DEFICIT IN ENGLAND

British Finances Responsible for a General Apathy—Three Elections Predicted in One Year.

London, April 5.—The impending political crisis is approached with apathy by men of parties. Even the astounding deficit of over £21,000,000 fails to make a deep impression on the calculation that over £201,000,000 must be provided in the two budgets this year does not appear to frighten anybody. It is not because the partisans are bent on fastening the responsibility for the financial disturbance on the other party, nor because the Radical party is calling the Tory kettle black. It is because the result of the general election, when it comes, is expected to be indecisive and because a third appeal to the country is regarded as a foregone conclusion.

The prospect of having three elections in a single year without a definite assurance of authority for levying an income tax tends to create a disgust for politics of every kind when the expenses are heavy, and the results are uncertain. The candidates are tired and are disposed to abandon public life for the superior excitement of the rubber market or the Rhodesian boom. The whips of both parties are sounding a warning that an election is very close at hand, and every week candidates are falling out. Meanwhile, stock speculation is rampant and turmen are forecasting heavy plunging on the horses as a consequence of the suspension of the income taxes.

One important change likely to be effected by the elections is in the relations of the Irish faction on each other and to the two main parties. William O'Brien's action in founding the All for Ireland League points to a coalition with the Conservatives and the Protestants. Starting originally with opposition to the whiskey and land taxes imposed by the budget, and with a 3rd party of the ring man, he has already taken an advanced position in favor of reconciliation with the Unionist lords and the Protestant minority.

An expansion of Mr. O'Brien's movement seems almost inevitable. It is dependent on overseas contributions, but on subscriptions from the Conservative lords and the good will of the Protestants in the districts which have been neglected for many years. Land revolution is being organized in Ireland by the creation of a large body of small owners with a Conservative bias. Sir O'Brien appeals to the same advocates to dispel the distrust of the Protestants by assuring them that their property rights and religious liberties will be safe under the new rule. His welcomes assistance from Lord Castletown, Lord Rosmore and Lord Dunraven, and denounces Messrs. Redmond, Dillon and O'Connor for setting up a system of Roman Catholic oligarchy more detestable than Protestant Orangism.

In Power. If Mr. O'Brien largely increases the number of his supporters in Parliament at the next election there may be a faction strong enough to keep the Unionist ministry in power. The Nationalists, in that event, will be divided into two groups, one with Conservative and the other with Liberal sympathies, and each intensely hostile to the other. The strangest anomaly of all in this topsyturvydom is that the less tolerant and more embittered Roman Catholic faction is in alliance with British Liberalism and Nonconformity.

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MARRIED IN BELGIUM IS PROUD OF FAR TO COME FIRST

Unique Ceremony Witnessed at Madison Square Garden—Clown Takes Sweetheart of Schooldays to Wife.

New York, April 5.—In the center of a sidewalk covered ring in Madison Square Garden yesterday afternoon, Henry La Pearl, one of the clowns with the big Barnum & Bailey show, clad in the costume he wears when he appears before audiences, took for his bride Miss Frances Magindley of Chicago, a childhood playmate.

It was an unusual spectacle. Overhead flying rings, trapezes and ropes dangled, each streaming with vari colored ribbons. On a platform on which the bride party was seated, as a huge effigy of the head of a clown, the features constantly twisted into almost every human expression.

Just outside of the center ring tables were arranged for the guests of the occasion, and their guests to the number of several hundred were seated.

At the signal for the opening of the ceremony the clowns paraded into the ring in single file, each in his fantastic garb, and a moment later the bride party entered as if coming out of a tunnel under the great hills of uncoupled seats.

Grease Paint. Mr. La Pearl's countenance was smeared with white grease paint, with smudges of red on his cheekbones and forehead, and his costume was a combination of green and red. He presented an odd appearance beside the little women he was about to wed.

When the clergyman finished the ceremony there was great cheering and handclapping, which aroused the animals in the quarters below, and the elephants, lions and tigers trumpeted and roared as if in approbation of the wedding.

The bride and bridegroom and their attendants took seats at the table reserved for them on an elevated platform. The bride was summoned to the front and received a bride as a gift. The bridegroom also got something, but he didn't like it and threw it into the ring.

RECALLS DAMS OF HOLLAND

The Netherlands section includes in its concession an elevated roadway, recalling the picturesque dams of the mother country. At the end of this roadway is the Dutch pavilion. This is designed after the architecture of the end of the sixteenth century in Holland of which the town halls of The Hague and Naarden, with their rich sculpture work, towers and spires, are specimens.

One of the most striking features of the French section is the palace of agriculture and horticulture, with five graceful pylons and a frontage of trellis work decorated with oxen heads and sheaves of wheat. The main characteristic, however, is the prominence given to the columns of France, which never before have been so well represented in an exhibition of this nature, special pavilions devoted to Tunis, Madagascar, Algeria, Western Africa and Indo-China.

The Spanish pavilion offers a remarkable reproduction of the Alhambra. The Court of the Lions and several of the rooms of state are represented, wherein the Spanish government is exhibiting some of its national treasures, such as tapestries, paintings, armor and jewels of the old time royal families. One of the most interesting features of the fair is the House of Rubens. This is the official pavilion of Antwerp, which has endeavored to realize a perfect reproduction of the old master's house.

Modern fine arts will also be seen at the Jubilee Palace, where an international exhibition of paintings and sculpture is to be held, in which many American artists and sculptors will take part.

DOUBLE TRAGEDY IN NEW JERSEY

One Man Accidentally Shoots Another and Then, Seized With Fear, Turns Gun On Himself.

Trenton, N. J., April 5.—A tragedy in which a man was accidentally shot dead followed by the suicide of the man who fired the fatal shot occurred early today on the platform of the Philadelphia and Reading station at Trenton, N. J., about five miles from this city.

The man shot dead was Frank Fracello, a cab driver and the suicide was John Connolly, employed as a watchman by the railroad company at Trenton, N. J. These men were on the platform when the station telegraph operator was standing on the station platform when the shooting occurred.

IMMIGRANT RUSH STILL CONTINUES

30,000 Booked for Canada During April—Australia's Effort to Divert Exodus a Complete Failure.

London, April 3.—The rush of British emigrants to Canada continues unabated. Thirty thousand people are booked to sail from Glasgow, Liverpool and London during the present month, filling the steamers. The Canadian agents report that only the best class of men are sailing. Tomorrow the steamer Virginian sails for Canada with 1,500 passengers. Saturday the Heperian sailed with 2,000. All the emigrants have money to take up land in Canada. The efforts of the Australian officials to divert some of the emigration to Australia is failing because that country has served notice that it prefers emigrants without children.

NO SECOND-HAND STEAMERS

Moreover, Mr. Hays continued, "there are such developments in ocean steamers in progress—for example, in connection with turbine-reciprocating engines—that we shall lose nothing by waiting. We do not intend to buy second-hand vessels or to have under our flag any but the most perfect craft available when we are ready to handle more completely than we can now the passenger traffic from East to West."

CHATHAM COUNCIL IN CLOSING SESSION

Present Board Holds Last Meeting—Considerable Business of a Routine Nature is Disposed of.

Chatham, N. B., April 5.—The last meeting of the present town council was held last evening. All were present but Ald. Gallivan.

A letter from Geoffrey Stead, C. E., resident engineer was read by the clerk, stating that he would call the department's attention to need of dredging at the ferry wharf.

Victoria Hotel

FURNISHINGS, LEASE, GOODWILL OF BUSINESS, ETC., EN BLOC BY AUCTION.

I AM INSTRUCTED BY D. W. McCormack, Esq., to sell by Auction at Chubb's Corner on Saturday the Ninth Day of April (1910) at 12 o'clock, the well and favorably known hotel, No. 87 and 89 King street, consisting of 55 bedrooms, dining rooms, writing room, barber shop, electric elevator, and light, and all modern improvements. This hotel has been successfully managed by the present proprietor for upwards of 25 years, and is on plan of Chipman property, 55x64 feet more or less. Nos. 87, 89, situate on the north side of Union street, in the City of Saint John, with four storey brick building thereon, known as the Oddfellows' Hall, building in good repair and fully occupied by excellent tenants.

Part payment will be taken in approved paper.

TO BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION at Chubb's Corner, in the City of Saint John, at 12 o'clock noon, of Saturday, the 9th day of April, next, the Freehold lot of land No. 8 on plan of Chipman property, 55x64 feet more or less. Nos. 87, 89, situate on the north side of Union street, in the City of Saint John, with four storey brick building thereon, known as the Oddfellows' Hall, building in good repair and fully occupied by excellent tenants.

St. John, N. B., March 30th, 1910. A. C. FAIRWEATHER, Solicitor. T. T. LANTALUM, Auctioneer.

T. L. Coughlan AUCTIONEER

Canadian and American Express Companies Sale of UNCLAIMED FREIGHT BY AUCTION.

The unclaimed freight from the various offices of the Canadian and American Express Companies in the Maritime Provinces, as published at Express offices, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder on Tuesday, the fifth day of April, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, at salesroom, 96 Germain street, unless called for and all charges paid previous to day of sale.

H. C. CREIGHTON, Supt. Canadian Ex. Co. D. WEBSTER, Supt. American Ex. Co. F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer.

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News of a Day

LOCAL

A Uniformed Choir.

The congregation of St. Stephen's church decided at a meeting on Monday evening to establish a uniformed choir.

Memorial Windows.

A beautiful stained glass window has been installed in St. Stephen's Presbyterian church by Mrs. J. B. Gilchrist.

Improvements are being planned in Victoria St. Baptist church.

The auditorium will be widened eighteen feet and the present roof raised to make the ceiling eight feet higher.

Ball's Lake Club.

At the annual meeting of Ball's Lake Club on Monday evening, officers were elected for the coming year.

In the Police Court.

In the police court yesterday Benjamin Bant was fined \$2 for furious driving on Main street.

Fire at Golden Grove.

On Monday afternoon about four o'clock a two-story building on Golden Grove road, owned by Mr. Quigley, caught fire from the chimney.

IN THE COURTS

CIRCUIT COURT.

April Sitings. The April (non jury) sittings of the Circuit Court opened yesterday at eleven o'clock at the Court House.

Deaths.

Lynam—In this city on Monday, April 4th, Richard Lynam, aged 82 years, died at his late residence.

Funerals.

At 4 o'clock yesterday evening the funeral service over the body of Mrs. H. D. Whelpley was conducted by Rev. J. C. B. Appel.

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Meetings of the Laymen's Missionary convention held in various churches of the city yesterday were an unqualified success and the most satisfactory results were achieved.

AT THE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

The united meeting of the members of the Presbyterian and Congregational churches in the Congregational church was largely attended.

THE DUST NUISANCE.

They cited the contention of Mrs. Richards, the American house-keeping authority, that if the streets were kept decently clean, the saving in the lessened deterioration of garments and household goods, due to dust, would amount to at least \$10 per inhabitant.

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NEW YORK STOCK MARKET; YESTERDAY'S TRADING ON WALL ST.

Table with columns: Shares, Sold, Pious, High, Low, Close. Lists various stocks like Amalgamated Copper, American Beet Sugar, etc.

AMERICAN PRODUCE MARKET.

NEW YORK, April 5.—Flour—Quiet and nominally lower. Receipts, 29,654; shipments, 10,217.

Wheat—Spot, easy; No. 2 red, 1 1/2, 1/2 c; No. 1 northern, 1 1/2 1/2 nominal.

Corn—Spot, easy; steam, 6 1/2 and No. 4, 6 1/2, both asked elevator export basis.

Butter—Steady; middle west prime, 14 1/2 to 14 3/4.

Eggs—Strong; receipts, 24,834, state Penna. and nearby heavy, white, 25 1/2.

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Foreign Ports. Boston, Mass., April 5.—Arrived—Schrs Eugenia from Grand Harbor, N.S.

City Island, N. Y., April 5.—Bound south—Schrs Rewa from St. John N.B. via Bridgeport.

British Ports. Glasgow, April 5.—Sailed April 4—Strs Astarte for Port Hood, N.S.

Strs Brinton, April 5.—Sailed: Strs Mouth for St. John, N. B.

CLOSING STOCK LETTER. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

New York, April 5.—Today's market was quiet and uninteresting for most part, but prices nevertheless presented a stout resistance to adverse influences.

The announcement of virtual engagement of \$7,000,000 of gold for export during the week had but a negligible effect while on the other hand, a sharp break in the price of cotton during the afternoon as a result of the fine weather conditions prevailing over the southwest belt, caused a sharp buying movement to tendancy to advance on any small pretext.

Professionalism have been still are very bearish, basing their position on the action of a number of specialists like Federal Mining and Smelting, Granby, Bur. P.D., etc., which it must be admitted reflected a total lack of support. Until this interest has paid its reckoning there seems little likelihood of any pronounced decline while the development of any refinely good news might cause a further sharp recovery.

LAIDLAW & CO. NEWS SUMMARY. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

Americans in London firm, 1.8 to 1.2 above parity.

Belcheloan Steel meeting today. Phelps Dodge annual meeting today. Harbor pilot strike appears to be extending.

Important advances wages of locomotive engineers. Important amendments offers to administrators railroad bill in the Senate.

National Lead business in 1909 exceeded all previous years. End of bituminous coal strike in sight.

Steel orders still reported coming in at a rate close to production capacity.

National Enamelling will earn for the year ended June 30th over 4 per cent on common.

Nickel plant annual report shows balance available for common stock equal to 6.45 per cent.

Penna. Steel reports all developments in full operation. Further gold exports expected.

Substantial relief felt throughout Texas. Twelve industrials advanced .06 per cent.

Twenty active rails declined .11 per cent.

Tenders for Coal. Sealed Tenders, marked "Tenders for Coal," will be received at the Department of Public Works, Fredericton, up to and including April 7th, 1910, for 130 tons of hard coal, large size, for Legislative Building; 30 tons of hard coal, egg size, for the Department Building and 140 tons of hard coal, large size, for Normal School.

The same to be delivered on or before the 1st day of June next.

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THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Fresh to strong easterly to southerly winds, fair and about the same temperature. Toronto, Ont., April 5.—The depression which manifested itself over the western states for the past few days now exhibits more energy and is being succeeded by somewhat colder weather. Temperatures exceeding 70 degrees have been recorded today in many parts of Ontario and more locally in Saskatchewan and Alberta. Showers have occurred in British Columbia and are setting in this evening over Western Ontario but otherwise the weather has been fair throughout Canada.

New England Forecast. Washington, D. C., April 5.—Forecast for New England: Increasing cloudiness Wednesday, showers at night and Thursday; cooler Thursday moderate to brisk south to southwest winds.

AROUND THE CITY

Wm. O'Keefe's License. The decision of the liquor commissioners with regard to granting a license to William O'Keefe will not be given out until the arrival from Bermuda of Mr. T. A. Linton, who is a member of the commission.

Hotel Raid Case. In the Metropolitan Hotel case in the police court yesterday Hattie Wheaton, charged with being an inmate, was allowed to go on condition that she leave for her mother's home. The Clark brothers were also allowed their liberty on condition that they go to Nova Scotia.

A. O. H. Fair. A large crowd attended the A. O. H. fair last evening. A musical programme of a high order was given, and an hour's dancing enjoyed. In the voting contest for the most popular president, Mr. J. Lunney is still leading with Mr. J. A. Barry closely following.

In Fairville Police Court. The three Fairville boys, George Walker, Arthur Wright and Louis Mullin, charged with wilfully destroying private property was again before Justice Masson yesterday afternoon. Only one witness was heard. The prisoners were remanded to jail until Friday, when the decision of the court will be given.

Boy Dies from Poison. Ernest Riecker, of 278 Waterloo street, aged four years, died yesterday morning in the General Public Hospital as the result of drinking potassium hydrate, or lye on Monday afternoon. Dr. D. E. Berryman, the coroner, having made the necessary inquiries decided last evening that no inquest would be necessary.

Attempted to Board the Train. On the departure of the Montreal train last evening an unknown man had a narrow escape from serious injury. The stranger attempted to catch the train when it was crossing the yard and succeeded in gaining a hold on the Pullman. He was about to raise himself on board when he missed the step and was thrown nearly five feet. Beyond a few bruises he escaped unhurt.

A Strike That Failed. A strike of potato shippers employed by Clements & Co., F. E. Williams & Co. and De Witt Bros. Ltd., has resulted in a victory for the employers. About forty men altogether quit work because they were refused \$1.75 for a nine hour day. Mr. De Witt said last evening that he is understood to have offered to pay the men \$1.50 which the men had been getting, and that as far as he was concerned, the strike was over. It is understood that the work of shipping potatoes is nearly finished.

Fifty Years An Orangeman. A pleasant evening was spent in the rooms of Dominion L. O. L., 51 Simonds street last evening, when visitors from York Lodge, No. 3, were entertained. A prominent feature of the evening was the presentation of a handsome Morris chair to Mr. Thomas M. Corbet, the veteran treasurer of Dominion Lodge. Mr. Corbet has been fifty years an Orangeman, twenty-five of which he served as treasurer of Dominion Lodge. The presentation was made by the Worshipful Master, Harry Selken, in a happy speech. Mr. Corbet responded briefly. Among those present were Rev. J. Brown, of Deer Island, Charlotte county, who delivered a strong address. A musical and literary programme was carried out during the evening.

Sons of Temperance at Sussex. On Monday last a public temperance meeting was held in Medley Memorial Hall, Sussex. The chair was taken by Mr. W. N. Biggar. Short addresses were made by G. W. P. Hennigar, Rev. C. W. Hamilton, Grand Scribe, Rev. Frank Baird, C. W. Weyman and the chairman, setting forth the claims of the temperance cause. At the conclusion of the meeting Francis Willard Division, No. 372, B. of T. was re-organized, with the following officers for the present quarter: W. N. Biggar, W. P. Warren, Coltrits, W. A.; C. E. Spear, R. S.; O. D. Sherwood, A. R. S.; C. Mallory, F. S.; W. G. A. Bell, treas.; John Andrews, chaplain; Nelson Eveleigh, Con.; Sinclair McParlane, A. C.; E. McAdam, I. S.; Albert Black, O. S.; Rev. Frank Baird, P. W. P. The officers were then installed by the grand officers present, C. W. Weyman and Wm. Kerr. This division starts with a very active membership and will meet next Monday evening for the regular work of the order.

PERSONAL. Miss Julia Wilson returned to New York last evening, after a visit to her sister, Mrs. G. A. Kurling. Dr. Dacre Walker and wife, of Andover, Mass., are visitors with Mrs. Thomas Walker, Princess street. Mr. David Russell, of Montreal, arrived in the city yesterday to attend the wedding of his sister, Miss Louise Russell to Mr. Robert S. Ritchie this morning. Miss Edith James, of Richibucto, who is visiting Miss Winnie Dunbrack, will return to her home on Saturday. Mr. W. G. Berrigan, C. P. R. Baggage-master at Quebec, who has been relieving Mr. Murphy at West St. John for fifteen days, left for Quebec last evening. Mr. Joseph Murphy, C. P. R. Baggage-master, West St. John, arrived from Quebec on the Atlantic Express yesterday and has resumed his duties.

Training Scotch Boys In New Brunswick

Manager Arrived On Cassandra To Take Charge of Farm at Gagetown Recently Purchased For Colonization Purposes—Eighty More Settlers as Result of Provincial Government's Propoganda.

Settlers for New Brunswick who arrived by the steamer Cassandra yesterday totaled 85, which is the largest number coming by any one steamer. Mr. A. B. Wilmot and Mr. A. Bowder spent a busy day and succeeded in arranging for the forwarding of the whole party to their destinations before nightfall. There were several families for this province, ranging in numbers from the McCubbin family with two children to the family of James Gibb with seven children. Great interest attaches to the mission of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pulley, who came to take charge of the Jas. P. Belyea farm at Lower Gagetown, recently purchased by Mr. G. S. Cosar of Glasgow, a wealthy Scotch philanthropist, for the purpose of training young boys to an industrious life along agricultural lines. Mr. Cosar visited New Brunswick last fall and at that time was in consultation with Mr. Wilmot with reference to his colonization scheme.

Training Farm for Boys. He owns a large estate adjoining Lord Roseberry's holdings in Scotland and also a large farm near Glasgow where forty boys are given employment. In purchasing the Belyea farm, Mr. Cosar had in mind securing a suitable place for the continuing the training of the boys. He will pay them wages, giving them an opportunity to refund their passage money and after this is done, they will be at liberty to enter the employment of other farmers.

SUGGEST NEW INDUSTRIES

Secretary of Board of Trade Receives Many Pointers—Steel Bridge Building, Fire Brick and Motor Works.

Mr. W. E. Anderson, secretary of the Board of Trade, is busy these days sorting out suggestions made by local business men in connection with the new industries campaign, and forwarding to manufacturers abroad circulars calculated to show them what opportunities they are missing in this world.

Evidently the business men of St. John endeavor to live up to the mottoes on their blighting pads—Say something for a bigger St. John—every day. One business man advises the enterprising secretary that a steel bridge building plant could be successfully conducted here and adds the interesting information that all railways are building steel bridges instead of wood as formerly.

A plant for building steel freight cars is also said to be worth the consideration of business men. Another correspondent suggests that there ought to be a chance to manufacture firebrick and sewer pipe near St. John, along the river, as there is plenty of fire clay at Grand Lake and coal to burn the product.

Others have sent in a formidable array of arguments why automobile, gasoline, motor works and many other industries ought to flourish in St. John.

WHIST TOURNAMENT

Funds for Dispensary for Tuberculosis Patients \$350 Richer by Society Event Last Evening—Prize Winners.

There was a brilliant gathering in Keith's Assembly rooms last evening at the bridge whist tournament given under the auspices of the Society for the Prevention of Tuberculosis to provide funds for a free dispensary. Over 300 were present, which represents more than \$300 for the good cause. In all 350 tickets at \$1 each were sold.

After whist had been thoroughly enjoyed and the prizes presented, a programme of eight dances was carried out, music being furnished by the Nickel Orchestra. The success of the entertainment was due in a large measure to the generosity of the management of the Nickel theatre, who gave the use of the rooms and also to the different merchants who provided the chairs, tables, cards and other articles which were used.

The rooms were tastefully decorated for the occasion. The catering was looked after by the Royal Hotel. The prize winners in the tournament were as follows: Ladies—1st prize, Mrs. Robert Cruikshank, cups and saucers, presented by Mr. C. H. Easson; 2nd prize, Mrs. V. McLaughlin, china tea set, presented by Dr. W. W. White; 3rd prize, Mrs. E. C. Jones, silk umbrella, presented by Dr. S. Skinner. Gentlemen—1st prize, Mr. Fred Sears, golf cap, presented by Mr. J. M. Robinson; 2nd prize, Mr. J. Lively, travelling bag, presented by Mr. J. M. Robinson; 3rd prize, Mr. J. M. Flewelling, silk umbrella, presented by Dr. T. D. Walker.

St. John Baptist High Tea. There was a large attendance at the St. John the Baptist High Tea last evening, over 300 taking supper. The different attractions were all well patronized and indications point to the fair being a great success. The City Cornet Band was present and rendered a musical programme. Much interest centred in the voting contest for the most popular alderman. Ald. Lewis was leading last evening with Ald. Potts a close second.

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Women's Low Shoes \$2.50 a Pair. The announcement that Mrs. Eleanor Close has had funds placed at her disposal for the founding of a large school for girls, either in New Brunswick or Nova Scotia, has aroused much interest and it is hoped that Mrs. Close will decide in favor of this province.

MRS. CLOSE'S NEW SCHOOL. Founder of Eleanor Home Thinks Near Fredericton Would Be Suitable Location—Coming This Month. The regular meeting of the Natural History Society of New Brunswick, was held last evening, Hon. J. V. Ellis, the president, in the chair.

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