

CHARLOTTE SELECTS A WINNER

ALESWORTH'S READY TO QUIT

Sir Allen is Anxious to Retire from the Cabinet.

Laurier Wants Him to Hold on -- Other Cabinet Changes Delayed by Earl Grey's Absence from Ottawa.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Aug. 7.--Sir Allen Aylesworth is not to run in North York. He has offered his resignation which has not yet been accepted, but it is to be the official explanation is that Sir Allen, in addition to his aural trouble, is suffering from neuritis and wants a rest and treatment. He will probably leave the government at once, leaving E. C. Robbette to go after the North York seat. Who will succeed the minister of justice is not yet clear. Hugh Guthrie, of South Wellington has been training hard for the position, but A. H. Clark, of Windsor, is also looking up as a possibility. Mr. Clark has been threatening to retire and has been restrained so far with difficulty.

Hon. L. P. Brodeur goes out and Dr. Beland goes in, sometime this week, and these other matters being more or less held up by the absence of the governor general. It is announced that Lord Strathcona is to be made a peer, and will probably be made a baron, and will be made a peer in October. In the meantime he is resigning the submission of his formal resignation.

A proclamation was issued today, calling for federal revision of the laws in Winnipeg and Brandon, the provincial revision not having taken place as required by law within a year.

Adeiard Lanctot lost his convention today at Sorel. The Liberal party in Richelieu thus rather the resignation, which Sir Wilfrid Laurier ordered from and obtained from the Liberals of the House of Commons.

CABINET CHANGES. Ottawa, Aug. 7.--The entry of Dr. Beland to the government and the succession of Hon. L. P. Brodeur to the supreme court which were expected today, have been deferred. It is understood that the absence of His Excellency Earl Grey, from Ottawa, at this time makes the transaction of business awkward and causes a good deal of delay. Everything had to be transmitted to Murray Bay for his ratification and signature. It is understood that the cabinet changes will take place later in the week. The report that Sir Allen Aylesworth is about to retire, is again obtaining publicity. It is understood that Sir Allen has offered his resignation, but that it has not been accepted and the premier does not want to accept it. Sir Allen for a long time, has been inclined to retire, owing to the embarrassment which his deafness causes. Recently he has been troubled by neuritis and this has caused him to press for the acceptance of his resignation, so he can have leisure to take a holiday and treatment. Should he obtain acceptance of his resignation, Hugh Guthrie, M. P. for South Wellington and A. H. Clark, M. P. of Essex, are spoken of as likely successors.

Whatever other cabinet Sir Wilfrid may decide upon before the elections in addition to the replacing of Hon. L. P. Brodeur by Dr. Beland and the appointment of a Nova Scotia successor to Sir Frederick Borden is not among the immediate probabilities. Sir Frederick and E. M. MacDonald, who is to be the new minister of militia, are to be candidates, the former in Kings and the latter in Pictou, N. S. It is understood that Lord Strathcona has reserved the submission of his formal resignation as High Commissioner until he comes to Canada, which may be in two or three weeks. After the elections, should Sir Wilfrid be returned to power, his intention is as has been known for some time, to appoint Sir Frederick Borden to succeed Lord Strathcona in London.

The Duke of Connaught will arrive early in October, and is expected to open the next parliament. Sir Wilfrid returned Saturday evening from Montreal where he spent a busy day conferring with prominent Liberals in regard to the conduct of the Quebec campaign.

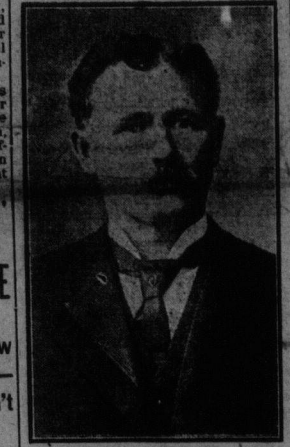
MR. BORDEN'S TOUR. Sherbrooke, Aug. 7.--All arrangements have been completed for R. L. Borden's visit to the east townships. The leader of the Opposition will deliver his first address at Farnham on Tuesday afternoon, August 29th, at two o'clock. He will then go to Granby, where he will speak at five, at eight o'clock he will address a

CHARLOTTE COUNTY OPENS THE BATTLE BY CHOOSING VERY STRONG CANDIDATE

Thomas A. Hartt, M.P.P., the Man to Redeem His County for Borden.

Enthusiastic Convention and Public Meeting Held Yesterday, in St. Stephen.

Mr. Ganong III and Unable to Run, but Has Worthy Successor in Mr. Hartt--The Nomination Unanimous.



THOMAS A. HARTT, M. P. P.

Special to The Standard. St. Stephen, Aug. 7.--The Liberal-Conservative campaign was opened in Charlotte county today with the possible 131 attended, and with them were as many more enthusiastic adherents. Every polling place and three was represented.

G. W. Ganong was elected chairman and Ralph Burns secretary. While the committees were at work G. W. Ganong addressed the convention, recalling the fact that the campaign of 1908 had left his health in a precarious condition, and he had never been in good health since. For this reason he felt compelled to decline any nomination at this time, a fact that caused him as deep regret as anyone present could feel. The party has the right to fight for, and no man would sooner enter such a contest than would he do his health permit. He would use every effort in his power to secure the election of the party's candidate from now to the close of the fight. He made the pleasing announcement that R. L. Borden would visit the constituency during the campaign, speaking at St. Andrews and at St. Stephen.

G. W. Ganong was elected president and Ralph Burns secretary of the county organization with an executive committee consisting of F. C. Murchie, P. G. Hanson, N. Menting, J. C. McLeod, P. H. McCallum, H. W. Smith, W. J. Commins, W. C. Osborne, Grosvenor Cook, A. H. Hussey and A. I. Ganong. A finance committee was appointed composed of J. E. Ganong, M. N. Cockburn and R. W. Grimmer.

The following were appointed a committee to nominate a candidate: Hon. W. C. H. Grimmer, F. C. Murchie, M. N. Cockburn, S. Lawson, C. S. Goodwin, A. Hussey, J. C. McLeod, N. Menting, F. Thomas and P. H. McCallum.

During their absence from the convention room, an inspiring address was made by Hon. Geo. J. Clarke. G. W. Ganong brought greetings from Almon I. Teed, a former county president and valued worker now confined to his home by illness, and later a resolution of sympathy with Mr. Teed was passed unanimously.

Don't Let the Farmer Have a "Turn Down"

Will the pro-reciprocity advocates who are shouting "Let the Farmer Have His Turn" venture replies to these questions: 1. What boots it if a wider (?) market be opened in the United States, if our farmers--as is the case--do not need it? 2. What benefits will accrue to the Canadian farmer if Reciprocity opens his precious and rapidly developing home market to the Americans with their lower-priced and trust-handled farm products? 3. What will happen to our agriculturists if the American farmers and the American trusts--failing the sale of farm products, owing to the great depression in the United States--start to use Canada as a "dumping ground"? 4. Why should the Canadian farmer be compelled to share his Home Market with the rest of the British Empire and the twelve most-favored-nations; and yet get no reciprocal access to their market? 5. Why should not the American farmer "dump" his goods as well as the American manufacturer? In the latter case we have a preventive "dumping" clause in force. But how can the farmer be given His Turn failing any such provision in the Reciprocity pact? 6. Would cheap, trust-handled American farm produce and food supplied to our Canadian workmen really benefit them, if our farmers--the great consumers of manufactured goods--were deprived of their power to purchase the usual quantities by reason of competition with "dumped" American farm produce? 7. Why should the Canadian farmer have to battle for a market now indisputably his?

Don't Let the Farmer Have a "Turn Down"

The nomination was received with hearty applause and ringing cheers. Mr. Ganong presented the candidate elect to the convention and Mr. Hartt gratefully accepted this nomination. It is necessary for duty, thinking the convention for the confidence reposed in him and predicting victory on Sept. 21.

When he had left his home in the morning he had never anticipated that his name would go before the convention and was deeply grieved that Mr. Ganong's health made it necessary for any other name to be considered. He spoke at some length on the effects of reciprocity and evidenced a marked familiarity with the subject that was a stranger to the constituency, having represented it for nine sessions in the local House. He would do all in his power to win this fight and expected, with the united support of the party, to be the representative of Charlotte in the new Parliament to be held by Borden.

M. N. Cockburn and Hon. G. J. Clarke had been appointed a committee on resolutions and the following were submitted for consideration and approved with a speech by Mr. Carvell: "Resolved: That the Liberal-Conservative of Charlotte County, in convention assembled, declare as follows: That we have noticed with approval the attitude of the Liberal Conservative party in parliament on the great questions of national importance which have been submitted for consideration at this convention last met and that we particularly commend the position taken by the party on the question of reciprocity and in its efforts to prevent extravagance in public expenditures and misappropriation of the public funds.

"That we renew the expression of our confidence in the leadership of Robert L. Borden and pledge ourselves to support, in every way possible, the efforts which he is so consistently and persistently making to secure good government for Canada.

"That we desire to express our deep and sincere regret at the condition of the health of Mr. G. W. Ganong who has been the standard bearer of the party in this constituency for so many years and the hope that he may be speedily restored to permanent health.

"That we pledge ourselves to do everything in our power to secure the election of the candidates, and in the event of our confidence in the leadership of Robert L. Borden and pledge ourselves to support, in every way possible, the efforts which he is so consistently and persistently making to secure good government for Canada.

The convention closed with ringing cheers for the candidates. In the evening a largely attended public meeting was held in the rink, at which stirring addresses were made by the candidates and by O. S. Crockett of Fredericton. It was the first appearance here of Mr. Crockett, and all were delighted with his able exposition of public affairs.

In Mr. Hartt the party has nominated a particularly strong candidate with an honorable personal and political record. He will poll a large vote in all sections, bringing added strength from the eastern end and will most certainly be Charlotte's next representative at Ottawa.

In the nomination yesterday of Thomas A. Hartt, M.P.P., as the candidate for the federal elections, the Conservatives of Charlotte county made a wise choice. Mr. Hartt has made a wise choice. Mr. Hartt has represented his county in the provin-

CHOLERA IN ITALY

Latest Advances Are to The Effect That Dread Disease is Spreading -- Many Deaths Are Reported.

Washington, Aug. 7.--The epidemic of cholera in Italy is spreading. Already it is extending to Genoa and Leghorn, according to advices received today by Surgeon General Wynman of the Public Health and Marine Hospital Service. During the period from July 22 to 26 there were 68 cases of cholera in Naples, with 29 deaths, while in Naples province there were 148 cases and 75 deaths. Throughout the remainder of continental Italy there were 130 cases and 51 deaths. In Palermo province 75 cases with 35 deaths.

SHOT IN MISTAKE FOR MOUNTAIN LION

Western Sportsman Shot Dead While Camping Out With His Wife in Mountain Wilderness.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 7.--A sportsman and sportsman of Anarotes, Washington, was shot and instantly killed by John Rogstead, a logger, who mistook him for a cougar. The doctor and his wife were camping in the wilderness of the Olympic Mountains. Rogstead, who was working near the camp heard a noise in the bush and suspecting it was made by a mountain lion, fired.

The Grit press supporting Mr. Pugsley are trying to narrow the issue down to reciprocity, but it will not do. Before this campaign closes, Mr. Pugsley and the others supporting the Laurier government must take their full share of responsibility for the many scandalous transactions of that administration.

MR. CARVELL CHOSEN IN CARLETON COUNTY

Head of Dark Lantern Brigade will Lead Forlorn Hope on September 21st -- Liberal Convention Yesterday.

Special to The Standard. Woodstock, N. B., Aug. 7.--The expected happened. At the Liberal convention in the Hayden Gibson Theatre this evening, F. B. Carvell was nominated as the candidate in the ensuing election.

F. R. Shaw of Wakefield, was in the chair and H. F. S. Paisley of Sackville, the new editor of the Sentinel, acted as secretary. The proceedings opened with a speech by Mr. Carvell to a small house, but before he finished there was a fairly large crowd, the most of them coming from upriver points along the line railway, all car fares having been paid out of the funds. There were very few in attendance from town.

A prominent Liberal worker was accented by your correspondent as he returned from a golf game, with the query why he was not out at the meeting and the reply was that he would sooner play golf. Many like the man mentioned are not so keen for Mr. Carvell as they were last election.

The candidate referred in his remarks to reciprocity and admitted as he formerly did at the Guthrie meeting for Chicago tonight to make arrangements for his proposed flight from Milwaukee or St. Louis to this city. This selection of Milwaukee as announced for Chicago tonight to make arrangements for his proposed flight from Milwaukee or St. Louis to this city. This selection of Milwaukee as announced for Chicago tonight to make arrangements for his proposed flight from Milwaukee or St. Louis to this city.

British Liberals Had Majority of 119 in Commons.

London, Aug. 7.--A vote of censure of the government for having obtained from the King a pledge to create, if necessary, sufficient peers to pass the veto bill, was rejected by the House of Commons tonight by a majority of 119. The motion was introduced by Arthur J. Balfour, leader of the opposition and its defeat is considered to have failed to improve the Unionist cause. The gravest of the opposition charges against the government was that Premier Asquith had taken advantage of the King's inexperience to bring about an abuse of the royal prerogative by securing the guarantees before the last general election.

Vote of Censure of Government for Having Obtained King George's Pledge to Create New Peers.

Mr. Asquith easily disposed of this charge by showing that ministers had pursued a proper constitutional course. The result was that after the premier's speech the debate on the Unionist side virtually collapsed.

Frederick E. Smith, and others of the Die Hards, made brave attempts to fan the flames against the government, but were compelled to fall back on the well worn argument that the members of the government were being driven by their taskmaster, John Redmond and that their whole object was to secure the easy passage of Irish home rule.

Walter Hume Long, ex chief secretary for Ireland, challenged Mr. Asquith to reveal his conversations with King George, but Winston Spencer Churchill, the home secretary, who was present, the debate declined to consider for a moment such an unusual request.

An incident of the sitting was the strong disapproval shown by the main body of the Unionists with the reflections made against the leadership of Mr. Balfour and Lord Lansdowne by Mr. Smith and other representatives of the Halsbury revolt. The debate was characterized by numerous interruptions, but there was no disorder.

Premier Asquith appeared in the form when he stood up to reply to Mr. Balfour. Jeeringly he thanked Mr. Balfour for "this opportune should unexpected motion, suggesting every thing that the government wanted."

In a few sentences the prime minister dispensed the fog by which the circumstances under which he had obtained the guarantees from the King had been persistently obscured by the opposition. "It was my strong hope and belief," he said, "that the Lords would accept the bill, and only when that hope was frustrated as it was last month, was His Majesty asked and consented, if it was necessary, to exercise his prerogative. We took the only course consistent with honor and a true regard for the dignity of the Crown. The course was correct, considerate and constitutional and in my own name and in those of my colleagues I am perfectly content to accept the decision of the House and of my fellow countrymen in regard thereto.

Mr. Asquith told the House that it was the King's express desire that he disclosed the circumstances which had passed between them so there should be no mystery and no misunderstanding of a perfectly simple and correct transaction. He stated that his intention to ask for guarantees in certain eventualities had been communicated to King Edward first on April 24, 1910.

Mr. Asquith concluded by maintaining that the only method of dealing with the situation was through the use of the royal prerogative. "I hold my office not only by the favor of the Crown but on behalf of the people, and I should be guilty indeed, of treason if at this supreme moment of a great struggle I were to betray their trust."

After various other speakers had re-chorded the sentiments of their leaders, Winston Spencer Churchill, the home secretary wound up the debate in a slashing speech on behalf of the government. A vote was then taken and the motion to censure the government was defeated 365 to 246.

Canada expects that on September 21st every man will do his duty. To patriotic Canadians the duty is plain and the message clear. They will have no part in a treaty which aims to weaken British Connection.

Charlotte and Northumberland Conservatives have named winners. The other counties will follow suit.

ASEPTO PREMIUM PLAN ADVANTAGES

Talk No. 4.

Why a cash discount is not equal to our premium. We do not make any money on premiums. We give a \$5.00 premium when you have purchased \$25.00 worth of goods from us. It would be an impossibility for us to give \$5.00 in cash off of \$25.00. Yet the premium you select from our store cannot be bought for less than \$5.00 at any store. We buy that premium direct from the manufacturers and save all the profits of the jobber and retailer, a profit that they are justly entitled to, and by that method give you the greatest discount ever known and in addition acquaint you with our Asepto Soap and Soap Powder and over 100 other articles of our manufacture.

The plan is worth investigating.



Corner Mill and Union Streets - St. John, N. B.

THE CAMPAIGN

KINGS COUNTY IN LINE.

Special to The Standard.
Lower Millstream, August 7.—The Conservative Association of the West End of the Parish of St. John, Kings County, held a largely attended meeting here today, elected delegates to the convention to be held at Sussex on Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock, and discussed arrangements for the campaign. J. E. Fenwick was elected chairman, F. D. Grant, secretary, and J. A. Rabburn, E. R. Folkins, and J. E. Maclean were added to the executive committee.

The meeting was very enthusiastic, and everybody was confident that the Conservatives in this part of the County would be able to make a fine showing at the elections. A gratifying feature of the meeting was the large number of young men in attendance, and the lively interest they displayed in the proceedings.

There is no doubt that the people in this district are wrought up to the dangers of the reciprocity pact, and determined that no supporter of it shall be elected from this county. There is also a strong feeling in the country that the man who has shown his inability to deal with public questions by declaring he does not know reciprocity will affect the country.

IN RESTIGOUCHE COUNTY.

Campbellton, Aug. 5.—Echoes from the Liberal camp in this historic old county, indicate that all is not well in that vicinity; factions have arisen where harmony should prevail.

DIED.

POTTS—Suddenly at Davenport, Iowa, Aug. 6th, Howard C., the late son of Joseph W. and the late Eunice Potts.

Funeral from the residence of his brother, 172 1/2 Duke street, Tuesday afternoon, Aug. 8th, 1911. Service at 2:30 o'clock.

CLARK—In this city on the 6th inst., at the residence of Geo. W. Day, 35 Millidge Avenue, Earl Woodman, only son of Jennie and James Albert Clark, aged six months.

Funeral on Tuesday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock.

LOOK WELL

Don't wear ill-fitting or unbecoming glasses. Every face can be fitted with a style and shape of glass that will not be unsightly. We have the latest style in eyeglasses and guarantee our eye tests.

D. BOYANER, Optician,
38 Dock Street.

LATE SHIPPING.

Glasgow, Aug. 7.—Ard. Stmr Cassandra, Montreal.
Montreal, Aug. 7.—Ard. Stmr Furness, New York for Glasgow.
Quebec, Aug. 7.—Ard. Stmr Lake Erie, Randall, London; Mount Temple, Moore, London.
New York, Aug. 7.—Ard. Stmr Kenneth C. from Eatonville, N.S.; Myrtle Leaf from Advocate Harbor, N.S.; Wanderer from Ablopa, N.S.; Percy J. from Port Herbert, N.S.; Crescent from Stonehaven, N.B.

The row is between the friends of James Reid of Charlott and William Murray, barrister of Campbellton. Mr. Murray and his friends have stepped aside to oblige the Reid faction, on former occasions, but now are making a big noise, and refuse to be comforted.

Another faction, calling themselves Independent Liberals, are attempting to bring Antoine Fortin, of Point La-Nin, into the lime light, as a candidate. A merry time is expected next week, when all three factions get together at the convention to be held here.

In marked contrast is the confident, optimistic spirit, pervading the Conservative ranks. Never for years have they had such cause for confidence.

In all probability the Conservatives will nominate W. S. Montgomery at their convention to be held shortly.

Mr. Montgomery is a successful business man and a forceful public speaker. He is mayor of Dalhousie, the shipping town of the county.

The feeling here is that the Laurier government has brought about its own downfall through the reciprocity deal.

GLoucester Conservatives LINING UP FOR BATTLE.

Bathurst, Aug. 7.—The executive of the Gloucester County Conservative Association is called to meet in Bathurst on Tuesday evening, August 8th, when the date for calling a convention will be settled.

The parish organization is rapidly progressing throughout the county and everywhere the feeling is buoyant and confident. Both the upper and lower ends of the county have been visited and the situation carefully looked over and never did chances look brighter for a big Conservative sweep in Gloucester.

In 1908 Mr. T. M. Burns reduced the Liberal majority from 1,286 to 487. The Conservatives in Gloucester don't feel much worried about making that 487 of a majority look like an American thirty cent piece with an anti-reciprocity imprint on the face of it.

The coming convention will be a rally of Conservatives and old-time Liberals, such as has seldom been called together in the county, and the choice of that convention will be the choice of the people and for the people, and sure victory awaits him.

IN CARLETON COUNTY.

Woodstock, Aug. 7.—This week the campaign will open up. Outside speakers are expected to assist the local candidates in their meetings.

Hon. H. F. McLeod will address a series of meetings in the interests of the Conservative candidates. E. Frank Smith, of East Florenceville, was in town Saturday. He has been through the county the last week. He found a great number of electors opposed to reciprocity who will cast their votes for the Conservative candidate. The outlook throughout the entire county is excellent for the Conservatives.

This evening the Liberal convention was held in the theatre. As expected F. B. Carvell received the nomination.

The Liberal-Conservative association of Carleton is called to meet in the Hayden Gibson theatre on Thursday afternoon, August 17th, at 7 o'clock for the nomination of a candidate for the House of Commons and the transaction of any other business that may come before it. All parish associations should meet at once and make arrangements for a large representation from their respective districts.

The campaign has opened with great enthusiasm and the prospects were never so bright as now for the election of a Conservative candi-

date and the redemption of Carleton from Civarvillism. A Conservative headquarters has been opened in the law office of J. N. W. Winslow, Winslow Block, Main street in charge of Mr. Winslow, where visitors from the county are welcome, and where all information in connection with the campaign can be secured.

Public meetings in the interests of the Liberal-Conservative party will be held as follows:—Clearview, August 11th, Glasville, August 12, Holmesville, August 13, Bellefleur, August 15. The public in general are invited to attend. Speeches will be delivered by prominent party leaders.

MAKING INSPECTION OF GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC

Portland, Me., Aug. 7.—A dozen officials of the Grand Trunk Railway including Albert W. Smithers, of London, chairman of the board of directors and President Chas. N. Hays today began a tour of inspection of the entire system and the Grand Trunk Pacific line, which will carry them over 10,000 miles of track and occupy six weeks. This tour is to be annual event hereafter as Chairman Smithers is to come to this country each year for the purpose.

TESTING MOTORCYCLE FOR MILITARY WORK

Ottawa, Aug. 7.—Capt. W. F. McCarty, 34th Ontario Regiment, and Percy McBride, of Toronto, are here after a motor cycle trip from Toronto, made for the purpose of demonstrating the utility of the machine for military work. The route measured about 350 miles and was covered in about sixteen hours, after several mishaps. McBride's machine was smashed by going over an embankment at Port Hope, and a new one was sent on for him from Toronto. He also ran over and killed a dog at Gananoque. Otherwise the trip was successful.

FIREMEN INJURED IN MONTREAL FIRE

Montreal, Aug. 7.—Damage to the extent of \$20,000 was done by fire which broke out in the Montreal Fur and Expensé Society today. Six horses were burned to death and a number of carriages, a large quantity of hay and all the furniture were totally destroyed. The house of George Smith adjoining was also consumed. Fireman Charette and Fireman Brien were hurt, the former being struck on the head by falling beams and having his eye injured by fire. Brien was also burned about the back and shoulders.

PITTSBURG MAN VICTIM OF BLACK HAND OUTRAGE

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 7.—Because John Shurano, a wealthy Italian merchant of Allegheny, Pa. refused to comply with the demands of a Black Hand letter and place \$2,000 where it could easily be found, the three story building in which his store was located was blown to pieces by a heavy charge of dynamite today. The loss is about \$25,000.

COMMITTEE COUNCIL MEETINGS; DISCUSSES WATER MATTERS

Postpones Consideration of Land Tax, and Sends Green Head Matter Back to Safety Board—Mayor and Ald. Scully Have Heated Argument—Trouble Over Ferry Matters—Patrol Wagon Still Homeless.

An evening as well as an afternoon session of the Common Council was held yesterday, and some of the City Fathers were as unusually loquacious as to suggest the idea that they had been bitten by the campaign bug and were taking for the stump. But they dealt with a good many questions and had to postpone consideration of the report of the committee on the land tax. There was also a special meeting will be held. An application for an option to purchase the Green Head property from R. M. McCarty induced the council to withhold assent to the recommendation to grant an option to H. S. Keith, and the matter was referred back to the Safety Board. There was also a special meeting, and see which of the applicants would give the best guarantees to develop the property.

A recommendation to authorize the Recorder to appeal the Sleeth-Quinlan case, involving a dispute as to the payment for improvements in taking over the lease of the property owned by the Gordon Nail Works, to the Supreme Court of Canada, caused a lively passage between the Mayor and Ald. Scully, but with the usual row over ferry matters, and all the recommendations to increase salaries in the ferry service were carried over. There was also a row over the problem of finding a home for the patrol wagon. The council decided to accept the offer of J. A. Pugsley and the Motor Equipment Co. to place two motor trucks at the disposal of the Salvage Corps for three months in order to determine their usefulness. Ald. McLeod succeeded in getting the council to ratify his proposal to establish a salvage corps on the West Side at an initial outlay of \$400. The appropriation for the new corps was increased by an additional \$5,000. Many other matters were dealt with.

Besides the Mayor there were present Ald. Smith, Elliott, J. B. Jones, Christie, Hayes, Scully, McLeod, Russell, Wilson, Eldin, Potts, McGoldrick, Wigmore, C. T. Jones, Green, Kierstead, Coder, and the Grand Trunk Pacific, the city engineer, and the ferry superintendent.

After the adoption of the minutes the report of the Treasury Board was taken up. The accounts were passed and the recommendation to grant \$100 to the fruit show in November was adopted.

As to the section recommending that Wm. Cotter be permanently employed as a clerk in the assessor's office at a salary of \$600, Ald. Hayes moved that the question be referred to the order-in-council requiring all salary matters to be brought up at the first meeting of the year.

The Mayor said it seemed to him to be a question of confirming a temporary appointment, or creating a new office.

C. T. Jones opposed the section. He thought the clerks did not work long enough at City Hall. Some went there at 10:30 o'clock and quit at 3 o'clock.

Ald. Scully said he was surprised to hear that the clerks at City Hall went to work at 10:30.

Ald. Smith opposed the adoption of the section.

Ald. Potts thought they should take the advice of the heads of departments, and find out in whom they had very confidence.

Ald. McGoldrick said the assessors had a great deal of work to do.

Ald. Christie said that Cotter was not a half-past ten man. Everybody went to work at 9 o'clock, except those who worked at night.

A motion to let the matter lie over was adopted.

A Civic Advertisement.
Ald. C. T. Jones moved that the recommendation that the city take a two page advertisement in the "Sovereign of St. John," a pamphlet being issued by Joseph Knowledge, be not adopted. He thought it was not a good advertisement.

However, the recommendation was adopted by a vote of 10 to 6.

The balance of the report was adopted.

Ald. Hayes gave notice of motion to issue debentures to the amount of \$41,400 on account of new ferry boat, and \$90,000 on account of permanent pavement, making a total of \$131,400.

Board of Works.
The report of the Board of Public Works was then taken up. In regard to the section recommending that the tender of D. Clark for paving the alleyway, Ald. Potts wanted to know how many square yards were to be plank and the total cost.

The chairman of the board said he did not know.

Ald. Potts moved that the section be referred back to the board for further particulars.

Ald. Scully said the city had to do the work anyway and the number of yards were immaterial.

Ald. McLeod—Contractors told me there were about 3,000 yards to be planked. That would make the cost \$1,800.

After some further discussion the recommendation to accept the tender of D. C. Clark was adopted.

After the adoption of the section recommending that Marg & Co. be given contracts for laying asphalt sidewalks on Autumn, Marsh, Spence and Goodrich street for 45 cents per square yard, an appeal was made by Ald. C. T. Jones for a communication from Messrs. Barnhill, Ewing & Sanford on behalf of the representatives of the Estate of the late George G. Gilbert notifying the city to discontinue trespassing on the piece of land lying between Westmorland Road and the old Loch Lomond road, and they find that the land was purchased by the city from Mary A. Sullivan and Elizabeth Martin for a gravel pit and the engineer states that the deposit was very small and has now become exhausted and they recommend that the pit be abandoned.

Ald. Potts said the recommendation was peculiar. Why should the city abandon, at the behest of lawyers, land it had paid for and held a title to? The Gilbert estate would claim the whole city. He moved that the section be referred back and this was adopted.

More Light on Streets.
The section recommending that E. J. Isaacs be allowed to erect an electric sign at 97 Union street, also caused some discussion.

Ald. Elliott said a sign had been put up at the Hub on Mill street without permission. He complained that the council had not much routine business to do. The officials did not see that his orders were carried out.

The Mayor—Some day the city will wake up and vest some powers in the Mayor's hands. Then he will be able to do something and see the council's orders are carried out.

Ald. Elliott said the idea in allowing the erection of such structures was that they should be kept lighted still a reasonable hour. He moved the matter be sent back to the board and this was adopted.

A West Side Trouble.
The board recommended that the Recorder be instructed to appeal to the Supreme Court of Canada from the judgment of the Supreme Court of this province in the matter of Gordon and Sleeth & Quinlan, in the matter of arbitration, West Side.

Ald. Scully said the city had appealed the case five times, costing money and money than if it had settled the matter on business principles in the first place. The city seemed bent on exterminating everybody connected with the case.

Continuing, Recorder Skinner and three judges had died and Major Gordon had been driven from the city. The city should consent to arbitration. The board had been enough fooling. Continuing, Ald. Scully said he wanted to hear the opinion of the recorder.

The Mayor ruled that it wouldn't be proper for the recorder to be asked to state the city's position with the representatives of the other party outside of the council.

Continuing His Worship said the object of the resolution was to enable the Recorder to make arrangements to have the case heard at an early time for an appeal lapsed. It did not follow that there would be an appeal, if the other parties wanted to arbitrate.

Ald. Scully contended with some heat that arbitration was the proper thing. He had a personal interest in the question, but did not want to put people to post and make it impossible to do business here.

The Mayor said he could understand Ald. Scully's position. But the fact was the city had arbitrated the matter in the first place, and Sleeth & Quinlan had appealed from the award.

Ald. Scully said that the matter could be settled by arbitration now, and that the city had acted very unfairly.

The Mayor said such a statement was uncalled for.

Ald. Wigmore moved that the matter be referred to the general committee of the council. If what Ald. Scully said was correct the city had been unfair to Sleeth & Quinlan. Major Gordon and the new members of the council should be given an opportunity to learn the facts of the case.

Finally the recommendation to authorize the Recorder to appeal the case was adopted without a division.

Sugar Refinery Site.
The board recommended that the city take steps to straighten out the matter of getting back the lands turned over to Mr. Durant as a site for a sugar refinery.

Ald. Kierstead said there were men who were prepared to take up the property and establish an industry which would give the I. C. R. as much freight as a sugar refinery would have done.

A motion to refer the matter to a committee was adopted and Ald. Potts, Kierstead, Russell and McGoldrick were appointed to deal with the government and Mr. Durant.

Widening Mill Street.
A supplementary report asked that the Board of Works be given power to deal with the question of widening Mill street.

Ald. Scully said he could not understand the laxity displayed in this matter. The question should have been settled long ago.

In reply to Ald. Scully the Mayor said he saw no need for anybody getting panicky over the question of widening Mill street. The C. P. R. for its own convenience would probably be willing to execute the lease. The request of the Board for power to act was granted.

Before the adoption of the report as a whole Ald. McLeod moved that the frost-proof warehouse on the West Side be rented to Clements & Co. for \$600 as soon as the city is in a position to execute the lease. This was adopted.

Ald. Potts said no attention had been paid to the order of the council and the Board to provide 50 new seats for King square, and to furnish a detailed account of the expenditure on the curbing on Market square. He complained about the way the oil was put on the streets, and said money was being wasted everywhere. He moved that a vote of censure to the Board of Public Works be passed.

Ald. C. T. Jones seconded this. A detailed account of the expenditure on the curbing on Market square. He complained about the way the oil was put on the streets, and said money was being wasted everywhere. He moved that a vote of censure to the Board of Public Works be passed.

Ald. McGoldrick made a spirited reply, defending the Board of Works. The seats had not been placed because they were waiting for castings.

Water and Sewerage Board.
The report of the water and sewerage board was then taken up. The section recommending acceptance of tenders for sewer water extension in a number of streets was adopted.

The Mayor remarked that it was strange to see so much money being spent in water and sewer extensions in localities where the revenue was doubtful, when one of the best sections of the city was neglected. He referred to district along Douglas Ave. towards the Suspension bridge.

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Only Ald. Potts and C. T. Jones voted to censure the Board.

The Safety Board.
This report of the Safety Board was taken up. In reference to the section recommending that Heber S. Keith and associates be given an option to purchase the Green Head property within one year for \$20,000, Ald. Russell said there were other parties making application for the land, and he understood they had sent communications to the Common Clerk.

Ald. Potts thought the Keith proposition should be accepted.

A letter was read by the Common Clerk from R. Max McCarty, asking an option of \$1200 to purchase the property inside of ten months for \$20,000.

Ald. Potts said the offer of Mr. McCarty should not be considered at the meeting. He thought it was a small piece of business, making such an offer.

Ald. Hayes moved that the city call for tenders on the property, each tender to be accompanied by a certified check of 4 per cent of the amount of the offer, the check of the highest bidder to be held by the city as an option on the purchase of the property.

Ald. J. B. Jones said Mr. McCarty had been working on the idea of forming a company to work the Greenhead properties for months.

Ald. Wigmore said that Mr. McCarty had practically been promised an option months ago. On that understanding he had gone ahead. The other parties had shown no interest until his plans were practically completed.

Ald. Potts asked for a ruling on the question of whether Mr. McCarty's letter, having only been handed to the common clerk that morning, was admissible.

The Mayor—I rule that the letter is admissible. The interest of the city is of more importance than a rule of order.

After some further discussion the recorder was heard. He said under Ald. Hayes' resolution some party might hold up the development of the property for a year for a small amount. He suggested that the matter be referred back to the safety board to find out what guarantees either party would make to develop the property.

Finally the matter was referred to a special meeting of the safety board.

West Side Salvage Corps.
At this stage Mayor Frink left the chair which was taken by Deputy Mayor J. B. Jones, and the section recommending the establishment of a salvage corps on the West Side was taken up.

Ald. Hayes said no indication of the expense had been given.

Ald. Russell said Chief Korr approved of the idea and they had \$400 available.

Finally the motion to establish the salvage corps at an initial expense not to exceed \$400 was adopted.

That Patrol Wagon.
Ald. Elliott said that a sub-committee of the safety board had dealt with tenders for handling the patrol wagon. They recommended that W. J. Stackhouse's tender for \$74 a month be accepted.

Ald. Potts said M. E. Grass had submitted a tender for \$65.

Ald. Elliott said they had thrown out M. E. Grass' tender because they did not think that he had the proper equipment.

Ald. Potts said the proceeding was a high handed one.

The matter was referred back to the safety board.

As it was then after 6 o'clock the council adjourned till 8 p. m.

EVENING SESSION.
At 8 o'clock the council resumed. The first matter taken up was a supplementary report of the safety board recommending the acceptance of the offers of J. A. Pugsley and Co. to furnish motor trucks for the salvage corps on trial for 3 months, entirely at the expense of said companies.

After some discussion the report was adopted on the understanding that the agreement between the city and companies in regard to the trial should satisfy the recorder and that the city was placed under no obligations.

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The Ferry Committee.
The report of the ferry committee was then taken up and recommendations for increase of pay should not come up this time of year.

Ald. Smith moved that the section recommending an increase of \$10 per month in the pay of the collectors, be stricken out. The new boat had cost more than expected, and expenses of the services had mounted. He did not think they could afford the new boats for the ferry service.

Ald. Potts said the men in charge of the ferry finances were not getting as much money as scavengers on the streets. They had been there 5 years or more and were only getting \$50.

Ald. Hayes said the ferry service was unprofitable and recommendations for increase of pay should not come up this time of year.

No Salary Increases.
Ald. Elliott thought there should be a fixed rate of wages for every employee of the ferry service. The recommendation to increase the collectors' pay was turned down.

A recommendation was brought in to increase the salary of the ferry superintendent by \$15 a month, but this was struck out.

Another section recommended that the rates for the ferry be raised from \$50 to \$60.

Ald. Smith and Kierstead supported this, but it was also struck out.

The section recommending that the approximate estimate of the superintendent for expenses in connection with the Governor Carleton be increased from \$35,000 to \$42,500, caused a heated discussion.

Ald. Smith's Confession.
Ald. Smith said he did not think the expenses had amounted to \$37,000, and he did not know what the extra money was needed for. He did not know the duties of the ferry committee. All they had done was to meet last month and consider the report of the superintendent.

Ald. Wigmore—That is quite an admission.

Ald. Potts said he was not surprised to hear Ald. Smith confess that he did not know what his duties were. None of the members of the committee knew that they had exceeded the \$35,000 limit, till the comptroller began to protest. By the time they were finished with the Governor Carleton she would cost \$55,000. That came not taking the superintendent's advice in the first place.

Ald. Kierstead said he was sure the superintendent had not squandered any money.

Ald. Hayes said he was much astonished at the admission of the chairman that the work had gone on without his knowledge or that of his committee. They had no business to exceed their estimate without permission of the council. The ferry committee would have to brace up, or they would have to get a new committee.

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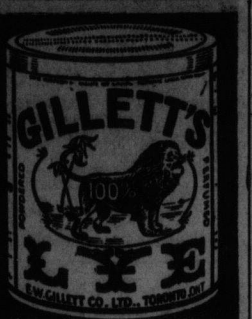
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Despite the professed expressions of friendship and goodwill which are frequently appearing just now in the press of the United States in the hope that Canada may be persuaded to hand over her natural resources to the 90,000,000 across the border, the cloven hoof is still occasionally in evidence. The people of the Republic have no love for Great Britain and her world-wide Empire, and when occasion serves the press of the country is ever ready to pander to this spirit of antagonism.

The accounts of the Coronation as sent over by American correspondents and served up to suit the taste of their readers in the States, should not be without their lesson at a time when Canada is "at the parting of the ways." For instance, the Pittsburgh Gazette Times is responsible for a page dealing with the Coronation ceremony headed "Coronation Season Brings out British Greed and Snobbishness." Again, "London Like a Village that is Expecting a Circus." The concluding sentence of the article is typical of several columns which the International News Service's correspondent dished up to its readers: "The Coronation has called forth nothing but the most despicable traits in the English character—greed and snobbishness. London in these days is not a great city, it is like an obscure American village, whose inhabitants are excited at the news that 'Barnum and Bailey or Sells and Forepaugh are to have a great circus parade through its main streets a few days hence.'"

An editorial concerning the Coronation of the King which appeared in the Detroit Free Press, one of the most ardent advocates of Continentalism, is full of sneers and insinuations of disloyalty on the part of the British people, which the writer evidently knows is the style his readers require. The following is an extract: "The Coronation has been a bonanza for the metro-polis, and Gog and Magog have shouted themselves hoarse in loyal cries. How long will it last when the fine June days are gone that make even London a pleasant place, and the ordinary fogs and chills of autumn and winter make it hell on earth it normally is? When the American millionaire has left it with his millions; when the foreign prince, who for the most part spend mighty little, but add to the decorations, take their departure for their own beggarly courts; when the streets are muddy and muggy, and the wretched Cockney can scarce pick his way through the gloom; when the nobility and gentry have gone to the Continent or their country homes, and when, as the saying is, 'there is nobody in London,' it may be a different story."

How feeble all this British "tommyrot looks!" The London mob will shout for the "King when it feels so disposed, but it will not fight for him." Cheap jibes and sneers at everything British at a time of National rejoicing seem to be a congenial pastime across the border. And the dislike for the Empire and all that it stands for goes deeper. It is with no desire to benefit Canada that President Taft holds out the bait of Reciprocity. He has been candid enough to tell us that he has planned the scheme to separate Canada from the Motherland, as a deadly blow to a United Empire and British interests. The people of the United States are at his back. Canadians should not forget that with them lies the decision whether or not Taft shall "finish his work."

NEW METHODS; BUT THE OLD MOTIVE.

It is always well when a bargain is proposed to ask what the other party is after and why. In the present instance and when essential National interests are involved, we should neglect our plain duty if we failed to seek an answer to that question, and in good faith the answer is not difficult to find. The lightning change in the attitude of the United States government and policy with regard to Canada in 1910 lets in a whole flood of light.

Since the war of the revolution persuasion, menace, actual invasion, and tariff pressure had characterized the attitude of the United States towards Canada, and all with the avowed object of forcing Canada to become an integral part of the former. The one sole trade treaty negotiated between these countries in 1854 was denounced at the earliest possible moment by the United States, and since that date not one of our overtures was met with sympathy, some concluded agreements were promptly declined by the Senate, and persistent enhancements of the United States tariff on Canadian exports were enacted year after year. The last tariff measure of 1909 contained a clause by which Canadian goods could be penalized at the will of the President if Canada, for a consideration, made lower duty rates to any other country. And in 1910 this penalizing clause was actually used, and Canada, under the threat of its imposition, lowered her duties on a large list of United States exports to the detriment alike of home producers and the public treasury.

Then all suddenly a change was wrought in the United States attitude and policy. Apparently the aims of a century were abandoned and for open menace, persistent trade refusals and tariff compulsions, there were substituted professions of great regard, and proposals of free and untrammelled trade. Two of our confiding cabinet ministers were invited to Washington for secret conference, and were piled with all the persuasive arts of trained and hospitable diplomats. They succumbed to the influences used and perpetrated the secret agreement which was to bind the people of Canada, without their consent, and to divert the lines of policy which had guided their development for nearly fifty years.

Free trade between the two countries was freely offered and strongly pressed. In the end free trade for a large section of products was actually secured, and the offer for free trade in all products remains open to be pressed later by the United States. What is the explanation of this sudden and striking change on the part of our big neighbor? Is it a change in methods only and do the old aims remain as before snugly enshrouded behind the changed methods? In other words do the motives remain the same, and is the change simply one of means to attain the end so long held in view?

The answer is given by every frank utterance of United States politicians and publicists, by the prevail-

ing statements of their press, and the acknowledged conviction and hope of the great mass of their people which finds continual expression notwithstanding all the cautionary signals put up by President Taft and his associates. "Canada is now at the parting of the ways," which is enshrined in the President's message and cannot be erased, Champ Clark's ferrid prediction that this compact would carry the Stars and Stripes to the North Pole which is permanently embodied in the congressional record, and President Hill's declaration that the present opportunity was to decide once for all the issue of Continentalism or Imperialism in trade in North America, are but examples in higher circles of the utmost universal expression of opinion in the United States.

Give us commercial hegemony, they say, and we will take care of the rest. What we wanted in the preceding years was the over-lordship of the Northern country; we failed to get it by menace and prohibitive tariffs, let us now adopt Senator Sherman's advice, and use the leverage of commerce and trade union as the more certain means to our end. The impetus, the enterprise, the amassed skill and capital, the organization and financial devices of 90,000,000 of people, pitted against the cruder and weaker resources of 6,000,000 of people, may be treated in a partnership, once well begun, to end in a dictatorship which would be effectual for all our purposes. We shall have cut the communications with the Empire of one of its most powerful and promising sections, and joined its currents of commercial life blood with our own. What further concessions we cannot influence to our liking we can purchase outright. Little by little we can press for additions to the free list, and the logic of trade will reinforce our demand until all will be free between us, but protected against the Empire and the world. Give us a single generation of such economic working, and we shall more effectually possess Canada than if a million of our soldiers had over-run it and subjected it. What we always wanted was its vast raw resources to reinforce our diminishing ones, to feed our manufacturing industries and enrich us in the process. What we always feared was the prospect of a great Imperial British Federation with the Northern country as one of its greatest factors. If this had been effected, Continentalism would have received its death blow, and the United States would have lost every hope of the exploitation and absorption of so rich a field.

Can any thinking man doubt the probabilities above outlined, or deny that they are cherished by President Taft and his friends? Can any Canadian who has imbibed the spirit of Canadian Nationality, or seen the wide vision of the future under independent guidance and Imperial auspices, contemplate the possibilities thus set forth and not feel bound to prevent this one fateful step towards the negation of all he has held dear? Truly Canada is at the parting of the ways. We do not believe that thoughtful Canadians will, by voting for this pact, accelerate her departure from the Canadian and Imperial orbit in which she has hitherto so brilliantly moved.

PLAIN TRUTHS FOR CANADIANS.

(Detroit Free Press.)

Can Canada take part in a war between Germany and England without laying herself open to attacks by a German fleet or possible invasion by a German army? It would not require a very great force of German ships or troops to lay the country under tribute. In such an event, what would be the probable action of the United States?

The spirit and letter of the Monroe doctrine would obviously require us to protect Canada against attack from any European quarter. But Germany might well reply, "IF YOU DO NOT WISH US TO HIT YOUR LITTLE BOY STOP KICKING OUR SHINS." It would be an insult to Germany to ask her to assume any other position. WASHINGTON MUST INSIST THAT ENGLAND MUST EXPECT NO ASSISTANCE FROM CANADA; AND IN COMPENSATION FOR CANADA'S ABSOLUTE NEUTRALITY, GERMANY MUST MAKE NO ATTEMPT UPON CANADA OR HER OCEAN TRADE.

If Canada took part in a war, Germany would attack her, or at least threaten attack. In either case we would have to send our troops into the country and our feet into the waters of Canada. WHEN WOULD THEY COME BACK?

Current Comment

(Toronto News.)

While a majority of Canadian newspapers oppose Reciprocity, the press of the United States is practically a unit in its favor. The great bulk of both political parties in the United States are behind the agreement. In Canada virtually the entire Conservative party and a considerable section of the Liberal party are fighting ratification. Why this difference in the reactions accorded the agreement in the two countries? The answer is plain. The Americans see in Reciprocity a means of securing control of Canada's vast natural resources and of dominating the Dominion at first commercially and afterwards politically. For these very reasons wide-awake Canadians look askance at the project. They are unwilling to sacrifice their fiscal freedom to the republic to become commercially subject to the American trusts or to expose their national status to powerful foreign influences.

(St. Thomas Times.)

Never before in the history of Canada has this part of the British Empire been face to face with a more serious crisis—not even in 1812—than was inaugurated when the Laurier Cabinet hurriedly decided to dissolve the House of Commons and go before the people on the question of Reciprocity with the United States. The crisis lies not in the fact of going to the country, but in the fact that the Laurier Government will raise Heaven and earth, backed by all the leverage of governmental and United States means and influence, to deprive Canada of her fiscal independence forever, and to place in the hands of the government at Washington the power to dictate and regulate Canada's tariff laws for all time to come.

(Toronto Saturday Night.)

Reciprocity is unquestionably Mr. Taft's plan, but Canadians are not Mr. Taft's constituents and can make no representations to him. They should be allowed to think the issue out for themselves and express their opinions at the poll. No matter what sophistries may be indulged in by advocates of the pact, the truth is that Reciprocity is a revived corpse, and the people wish to get acquainted with it before they welcome it back into the household.

(Winnipeg Telegram.)

That is a charming prospect for Canada, the whole value of our crop sucked into American industrial processes and the fattening of American stock, a starving country here, and an iron-bound trade to sell to, without one atom of difference from present conditions as to those who will ultimately eat the food we supply.

(London Free Press.)

The man who rocks the boat has a twin brother in the fellow who pretends he is drowning. Comrades refused to go to the help of a swimmer at Winnipeg, and he drowned. It transpired he had fooled them

Liberals Breaking Away From Party

Force Disorganization of Canadian Business and Paralysis of Canadian Production in Reciprocity—A Liberal of Many Years Standing Warns His Friends.

(From the Toronto News.)

This is a copy of the post card sent out in hundreds to storekeepers and farmers all over Ontario by W. J. Marshall, a life-long Liberal and proprietor of the large wholesale produce firm of Rutherford, Marshall & Co., 68 Front Street, Toronto:

IMPORTANT TO APIARISTS.

"Do you know this fact, if reciprocity carries, extracted honey will be bought much cheaper? We are offered for sale in the States 10 cents a pound in the United States. Just before the bill passed on the other side we bought, in Ontario, a car load of fancy honey from nine to ten cents a pound. Quite a difference? It not only applies to honey but to everything in the produce and provision lines—prices will be lower. We always voted Reform, but not for Reciprocity on September 21st, 1911.

RUTHERFORD, MARSHALL, Limited.
Toronto, Aug. 2nd, 1911.

Foes of Reciprocity.

The produce and commission merchants located on Front, Church and other streets, of Toronto, are almost to a man the foes of reciprocity. The trade agreement may in a minor degree affect the profits of their business, but their antipathy arises from a knowledge of the certain injury that will be done to the large business brought to the Ontario farms. Strangely enough most of the wholesale commission men whom the News interviewed yesterday afternoon confessed themselves as strict Liberals, who had followed Laurier since '96 and his Liberal predecessors away back through the days of Sir John Macdonald's tenure. It is a statement carefully authenticated that they have almost to a man transferred their allegiance to the Conservative leader on the reciprocity issue, whatever their persuasion may be in other matters.

W. J. Marshall and Prices.

W. J. Marshall, who cannot remember casting a vote for a Conservative in his life, is president of the large wholesale produce and commission firm of Rutherford, Marshall and Co., at 68 Front Street, Toronto, and known to the province.

To back up his faith by works he has sent out over 700 printed post cards to all those with whom he has trade connections, declaring that reciprocity will bring the Canadian farmer into competition with United States rivals who in nearly every commodity can undersell him right at his own door.

The proof? Mr. Marshall took the News man into his private office and there produced files of letters received from produce firms on the United States side offering to supply him with honey, eggs, butter, and other foodstuffs at a startling reduction on the present prices paid to the farmer in Canada.

"Here is a letter from Ogden in the state of Utah," said Mr. Marshall, and he proceeded to show the News a series of communications from firms in that centre offering the finest amber honey for from 6 1/2 to 7 1/2 cents a pound with the cans and crates included and free.

Canadian Price Higher.

"What does the Ontario apiarist get for his honey today?" was asked. "Mr. Marshall was not content with verbal proof. He produced price lists and invoices of the past weeks and months showing that the Ontario apiarist received from 10 to 11 cents a pound for his honey.

"We have bought 100,000 pounds a year at such prices," Mr. Marshall continued. "But with reciprocity in force that Utah honey would come over the border in thousands of gallons and put the Canadian bee-keeper out of business. Do you suppose for an instant that honey at 10 cents can sell against honey at 7 cents and both of equally good quality?"

To any apiarist who disputes such

figures, a call upon any produce and commission firm in Toronto will in a few minutes convince him. They will show the precise figures with pleasure.

"What about eggs?" asked the News.

Chicago Eggs Away Down.

For his answer Mr. Marshall produced printed price lists just received from Collyer and Co., one of the largest Chicago firms in the produce business.

"What do Collyer and Co. pay for farm produce?" Here it was printed in red ink, ready for perusal by Canadian and American alike.

"Fresh eggs—fine current receipts, northern stock, shipping cases, 15 1/2 cents."

"But what does the Canadian farmer get for his eggs on the date the Chicago list was printed?" Mr. Marshall looked up his price lists.

"I paid 18 to 19 cents a dozen," he replied. By this time several neighbors, experienced produce merchants, had accidentally arrived at Mr. Marshall's office and when the prices were read out they endorsed them as entirely correct.

James T. Madden, an Old Liberal.

"And remember, too," interrupted James T. Madden, president and general manager of the Wm. Ryan, Limited, 70 Front Street, east, "that the crates are included with these American prices and not with the Canadian. That is an important item."

Breaks With His Party.

Mr. Madden was another of those who asserted emphatically that his adherence to the Liberal party through his lifetime was now to be broken. Mr. Madden did not hesitate to say that he would vote against reciprocity.

His decision in this respect was schooled throughout the wholesale district wherever the News man called. Many merchants far removed from the produce and commission business declared very firmly that the coming election would find them supporting the anti-reciprocity platform of Mr. Borden.

RECIPROcity; ANNEXATION

Canada Facing Crisis in Her History—Why United States Desires to Bring About Closer Trade Relations.

To the Editor of The Standard.

Sir:—We believe today that Canada is facing a crisis in her history. In the year 1878 McKenzie placed before the people of Canada the question of reciprocity and called upon them to support the step which the government had taken for the establishment of trade relations with the United States. But national pride exerted itself. Shoulder to shoulder the people stood for the rights which their fathers had won, and the Liberal government of the day never flinched within the control of the great republic to the south.

Since the year 1878 the steady stream of immigration which takes its source amid the hills of southern Ontario, and flows its way across the Atlantic and finds its terminus in the new world, has been steadily pouring into the great stretches of our Canadian west. The mighty Rockies which to years ago were a barren and desolate wilderness, now yield their output of precious minerals.

Why do the people of the United States desire reciprocity? WHY WILL THE AMERICAN DOLLAR BE SPENT TO FINANCE THE GOVERNMENT CAMPAIGN? LET THE AMERICAN PEOPLE ANSWER FOR THEMSELVES. THEY BELIEVE THAT RECIPROcity CAN AND WILL MEAN BUT ONE THING AND THAT IS ANNEXATION.

Should not the heart of every true born Canadian be stirred when that word is spoken? Has the memory of 1812 faded so soon from our minds when the French-Canadian stood shoulder to shoulder with the English-Canadian and drove back the American invader? Let us one and all remember that what the States could not win by the sword in days gone by they may yet win by the pen of the statesman.

Citizens of the Loyalist City: Does your Canadian independence mean nothing to you? On the 21st of September Canada expects every man to do his duty. It is the duty of every citizen to ring the death knell of the reciprocity question and TO SUPPORT R. L. BORDEN, NOT BECAUSE HE IS MERELY THE LEADER OF THE CONSERVATIVE PARTY, BUT BECAUSE, AT THIS CRISIS, HE HAS TAKEN HIS STAND AS A TRUE AND PATRIOTIC CITIZEN, PREPARED TO THWART THOSE WHO WOULD ENDANGER CANADIAN RIGHTS AND CANADIAN HERITAGE.

Yours, etc., T.M.S.
St. John, N. B., Aug. 7, 1911.

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IN THE COURTS

PROBATE COURT.

Estate of T. Fred Powers. Under-taker. Deceased died intestate, leaving a widow and three children, all of age. On the petition of the widow, Lemra Powers, who is appointed administratrix. No real estate. Personal estate \$1,500, besides life insurance. MacRae, Sinclair & MacRae, proctor.

Estate of Geo. W. Hoben. Estate of George W. Hoben, druggist. John F. Hoben and Henry A. Estabrooks of Upper Gagetown and Leander Estabrooks of St. John, matter mariner, the administrators, file their accounts with petition to pass the same. Citation issued returnable on Monday, 15th proximo, at 11 a. m. H. H. Pickett proctor.

Estate of James H. McAvity. Estate of James H. McAvity, merchant. Return of citation to pass the accounts and for order for distribution. The accounts of Frederick J. G. Skovtlen and James Lupton McAvity, the administrators, being found correct and satisfactory, the same are passed and allowed as filed and order made for distribution of the estate among the widow and children. W. Watson Allen, K.C., proctor.

GRAYS MILLS NEWS.

Grays Mills, Aug. 3.—"The foreign missionary society of this place hold their regular monthly public meeting in the Baptist church on Tuesday evening. Among those present was G. B. Cooman and wife of St. John, and the Rev. R. N. Rand, of Kingston. This society is doing a good work, and gave a very profitable evening's entertainment.

Robert Seely, of Washington, U. S. is visiting his father, Jas. A. Seely, of this place at present. The fine hot weather is giving the farmers a chance to finish haying. Miss Lena Willis, of St. John, is the guest of Mrs. W. W. Patterson. M. Kelly was summoned and set the bones, after which the injured man was driven to his home on Adelaide road.

A Workman Injured.

Thomas Reardon was very painfully injured yesterday morning while at work at Parry & Green's limekiln quarry. A large stone became loose, and rolling down a grade by the quarry, struck Mr. Reardon on the foot above the ankle, snapping the bone. Dr. C. M. Kelly was summoned and set the bone, after which the injured man was driven to his home on Adelaide road.

ST. JOHN, N. B. ST. LAW. Empress of Lake Manitoba. CANADIAN LAND AND OTHER. ST. JOHN, N. B. From London to St. John, N. B. Aug. 6 to 8. Aug. 9 to 11. Aug. 12 to 14. Aug. 15 to 17. Aug. 18 to 20. Aug. 21 to 23. Aug. 24 to 26. Aug. 27 to 29. Aug. 30 to 31. From St. John, N. B. to London. From St. John, N. B. to Montreal. From St. John, N. B. to Halifax. From St. John, N. B. to Sydney. From St. John, N. B. to Miramichi. From St. John, N. B. to Moncton. From St. John, N. B. to Fredericton. From St. John, N. B. to Antigonish. From St. John, N. B. to Pictou. From St. John, N. B. to New Glasgow. From St. John, N. B. to Glasgow. From St. John, N. B. to Sydney. From St. John, N. B. to Miramichi. From St. John, N. B. to Moncton. From St. John, N. B. to Fredericton. From St. John, N. B. to Antigonish. From St. John, N. B. to Pictou. From St. John, N. B. to New Glasgow. From St. John, N. B. to Glasgow. From St. John, N. B. to Sydney. From St. John, N. B. to Miramichi. From St. John, N. 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STEAMSHIPS AND RAILWAYS

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY AND OTHER STEAMSHIPS. ST. LAWRENCE ROUTE. Empress of Britain, Fri. Aug. 11th Lake Manitoba, Thursday, Aug. 17.

CANADIAN PACIFIC TORONTO EXHIBITION. Aug. 26th—Sept. 11th. TO Canada's National Exhibition via Canada's National Railway.

Furness Line. From London, Steamers, St. John, N. B. Aug. 23. From St. John, N. B., Steamers, St. John, N. B. Aug. 23.

FICKFORD & BLACK LINE. ST. JOHN, N. B. TO DEMERARA. S. S. Oruse sails Aug. 3 for Bermuda, St. Kitts, Antigua, Barbados, Trinidad, Demerara.

Scenic Route. THE STEAMER MAGIE MILLER will leave Millerville daily (except Saturdays, Holidays and Sundays) at 6.45, 9.30 a. m.; 2, 4 and 6 p. m.

HAVANA DIRECT. SS. Ashmore Aug. 20 A Steamer Sept. 30. And Monthly Thereafter. For space, etc., apply to WILLIAM THOMSON & CO., Agents, St. John, N. B.

MANCHESTER LINERS. From Manchester, Man. Engineer, St. John, N. B. July 14. From St. John, N. B., Man. Engineer, Aug. 7.

Crystal Stream S. S. Co. ST. JOHN TO FREDERICTON. Majestic will leave her wharf Mon. Wed. and Friday at 8:30 a. m., returning alternate days, making SPECIAL TRIP SATURDAY evening to Oak Point, leaving St. John at 5 p. m., and returning Monday at 7:15 a. m.

International Railway. Now Open For Traffic. United CAMPBELLTON, at head of navigation on St. Charles with the ST. JOHN RIVER VALLEY at ST. LEONARDS, at St. Leonards, connection is made with the CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY FOR EDMUNDSTON and points on the TEMBECQUATA RAILWAY, also for GRAND BAY, ST. JOHN, PERTH, WOODSTOCK, FREDERICTON, ST. JOHN, and WESTERN POINTS.

Mercantile Marine

DAILY ALMANAC. Tuesday, August 8, 1911. Sun rises 5.25 a. m. Sun sets 7.45 p. m. High water 10.55 a. m. Low water 5.41 p. m. Atlantic Standard time. PORT OF SAINT JOHN. Arrived, Monday, August 7. Star Governor Dingley, 2856, Mitchell from Boston, W. G. Lee, 380 passengers and mds.

Grand Trunk Railway System. Round Trip Homeseekers' Excursion Tickets. To Western Canada via Grand Trunk Double Track Route to Chicago, etc., on sale every second Tuesday until September 19th, at very low fares.

THE FINEST FARMING COUNTRY IN THE WORLD. is to be found along the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific, in the Provinces of Manitoba, Alberta and Saskatchewan. Descriptive literature with beautifully engraved maps, and giving full information about FREE HOME STEADS, and how to obtain them free, can be had at any G. T. R. Ticket Agency.

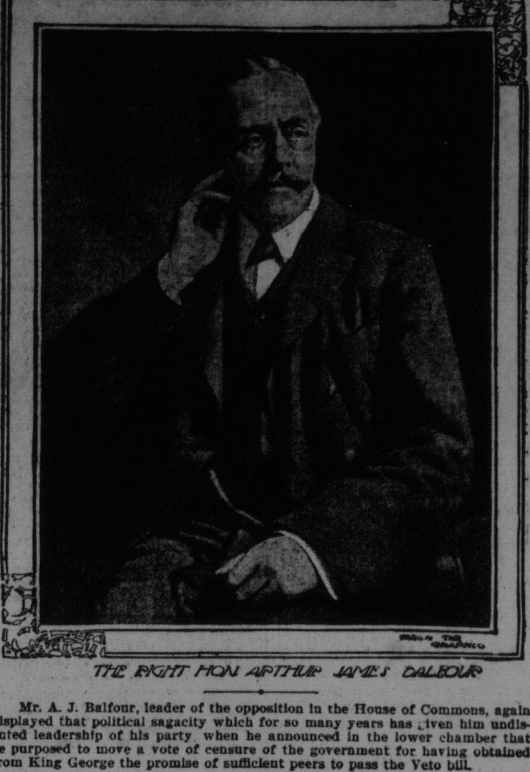
EASTERN S. S. CO. RELIABLE AND POPULAR ROUTE BETWEEN ST. JOHN AND BOSTON. FARES: St. John to Boston \$6.00. St. John to Portland \$5.50. Complete Wireless Telegraph Equipment.

DOMINION ATLANTIC RAILWAY. S.S. Prince Rupert leaves Reed's Point Wharf daily at 7.45 a. m., connecting at Digby with trains East and West, returning arrives at 5.30 p. m., Sundays excepted. A. C. CURRIE, Agent.

WEDDINGS. Russell-McMullin. A quiet wedding took place at the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. J. H. A. Anderson, B. D., 339 Union street, St. John, N. B., on Wednesday, Aug. 2nd, when William Francis Russell, of Summerhill, Queens Co., N. B., was married to Miss Minnie Gertrude McMullin, of Blaney Bridge, York Co., N. B. The couple were unattended. The bride was becomingly dressed in champagne silk with hat to match. Mr. and Mrs. Russell will make their future home in Moosewaw, Sask.

Moonlight Excursion. Wednesday Evening, Aug. 9. S.S. VICTORIA will leave her wharf at 7.15 returning in time for last cars. Harrison's orchestra, dancing and light refreshments. Fares—Gentlemen, 50 cents; Ladies, 25 cents.

BALFOUR, IN PROPOSING CENSURE, DISPLAYS OLD TIME SAGACITY



Mr. A. J. Balfour, leader of the opposition in the House of Commons, again displayed that political sagacity which for so many years has given him undoubted leadership of his party when he announced in the lower chamber that he proposed to move a vote of censure of the government for having obtained from King George the promise of sufficient peers to pass the Yeto bill.

Northumberland IS READY TO FIGHT. Westmorland CO. IS KEEN FOR FAY. Outlook There is Most Encouraging for the Liberal-Conservative Forces—Hon. Donald Morrison Gaining Daily.

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POLICE COURT. In the police court yesterday S. K. Cohen appeared in answer to the charge that he was not providing separate sanitary conveniences for the female employees. After Inspector Kenney gave evidence, Cohen explained that he had been waiting since last winter for a plumber to make repairs. The next complaint that he kept at his residence on Spring street, a cow which he believed almost continuously day and night. James Kennedy, a neighbor, gave evidence, saying that the cow bawled incessantly except for brief intervals when it is appeased by having something to eat. He also made allegations regarding Cohen's habits of Sabbath observance and amid laughter told of seeing Cohen's dog in the yard the day he had sworn that he had been sent to the country. The Magistrate commented on the sanitary aspect of the situation, on the possible hunger or disease of the animal and on the sale of milk from it. He instructed Cohen to secure a veterinary's report on the animal. Both cases were adjourned until Wednesday.

Important to Grocers and Consumers! The absolute purity and healthfulness of BAKER'S COCOA and CHOCOLATE are guaranteed under the pure food laws of Canada. Made by a perfect mechanical process, they are unequalled for delicacy of flavor and food value.

The New Mills at Montreal are now in operation and for the convenience of the Canadian trade we have established Distributing Points at Montreal, Winnipeg, Vancouver. WALTER BAKER & CO. LIMITED ESTABLISHED 1780 CHESTER, MASS. Canadian Mills at 1000 ALBERT STREET, MONTREAL

THOUGHT IT WAS CANCER

"Cured By Fruit-a-lives" Sydney Mines, N. S., Jan. 25th, 1910. "For many years I suffered torture from indigestion and dyspepsia. Two years ago I was so bad that I vomited food constantly, and I lost 25 pounds in weight. I was afraid the disease was cancer, but medicine gave only temporary relief. I read about "Fruit-a-lives" and the cures this wonderful fruit medicine was making, and I decided to try it. After taking three boxes, I found a great change for the better and now I can say "Fruit-a-lives" has cured me when every other treatment failed and I recently said "Thank God for 'Fruit-a-lives'." EDWIN ORAM, Sr. "Fruit-a-lives" is sold at 50c. box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c. At dealers or, from Fruit-a-lives Limited, Ottawa.

RECIROCITY A MOVE TO OBLITERATE CANADA. The London Strand says of President Taft's speech: "If he had desired to urge patriotic Canadians to oppose the agreement to the full extent of their powers he could hardly have spoken otherwise. He was good enough to explain AMERICA'S INTENTION TO BRING DOWN THE CHINESE WALL AND AROUND THE EMPIRE AND REBUILD IT AMERICAN, TO THE PATRIOTIC CANADIAN, TO THE NATIONALIST, TO THE IMPERIALIST, AND TO THE PREFERENTIALIST." HIS SPEECH A VERY PAINFUL SURPRISE.

YOU TAKE NO FINANCIAL RISK. We make this offer to every person in St. John who suffers from kidney disease. We want every person in this city who suffers from kidney disease in any form to have personal knowledge of the merits of Rexall Kidney Pills. To this end we offer them to everyone who has need of such a remedy with the definite and distinct understanding that, in the event they shall not prove of any benefit in the treatment of your case, we will promptly refund you the purchase price.

Appointment For Dr. Warwick. Dr. William Warwick has been named, and has accepted, the appointment of bacteriologist in connection with the quarantine station at Partridge Island, and will take up his duties immediately. He resigned from the staff of the Home for Incurables, and as pathologist at the General Public Hospital.

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RESULTS OF THE BIG LEAGUES

Table of baseball game results for American League, National League, and Eastern League, including scores and player statistics.

NO BALL GAME HERE TODAY; WOODSTOCK NOT COMING

Mix-Up of Saturday Last Results in Clash Between Woodstock and the St. John Teams - Carleton County Men will Not be Recognized by Local Teams.

CHANGES IN THE LEAGUE SCHEDULE

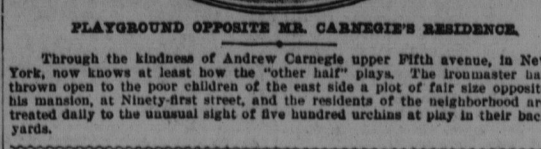
There have been some changes in the league schedule for this week. The Carleton team will play in Calais today as arranged and that should prove a great game.

"FOUR HUNDRED" SEES "OTHER HALF" AT PLAY

Through the kindness of Andrew Carnegie upper Fifth avenue, in New York, now knows at least how the "other half" plays.

PLAY OPENED IN THE TENNIS TOURNAMENT

The courts of the St. John Tennis Club were the scene of interesting matches yesterday, when the first day's events of the New Brunswick tournament were played.



WHAT THE STARS ARE DOING IN THE BIG BASEBALL LEAGUES

The pennant chasers of the American league are finding opposing pitchers in greatly improved form and the effect upon their batting is very noticeable.

Table titled 'Dozen Leading Run-Getters' listing players from various teams and their run totals.

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CURRENT SPORTING GOSSIP

Sharkey's Man Matched With Porky Next Tuesday, a Scrap With the Italian Being Promised - Test For Carl Morris Outlined - Al Palzer vs. Tom Kennedy.

Tony Ross's great strength, which enabled him to get a draw with Joe Jeannette, might have earned a victory for him if his seconds had made him go after the clever negro from the first round of the fight.

Willie Lewis announced that he had claimed the world's welterweight championship and was ready to defend the title against all comers.

AMES SHAKES OLD HOODOO.

Leon Ames, the hard luck pitcher of the Giants, seems to have shaken off some of that old hoodoo.

Langford is training up in Massachusetts for his 10 round bout with Farmer Jim Smith at the Fairmont A. C. next Wednesday night.

Carl Morris is particularly anxious to try out his new punch against the champion bantamweight in Kid Williams, a 110 pound boy who has been knocking out opponents with surprising regularity.

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Large advertisement for NIOBE Cigarettes, featuring the brand name in large letters and an illustration of a woman in a hat.

PLAYED TENNIS IN THE ROASTING HEAT

Hampton and Renforth Clubs Had an Exciting Game at Hampton, on Saturday Last.

Hampton, Aug. 7.—The return tournament between Hampton and Renforth tennis clubs was played here on Saturday afternoon and evening.

Twelve out of fifteen events were pulled off, one in ladies' doubles and two in mixed doubles being uncompleted when train time arrived.

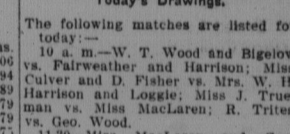
Hampton Renforth Ladies' Singles. Miss Baird 2-6, 6-0, 8-6. Miss Hooper 6-1, 7-5. Miss Wilson 3-6, 6-1, 6-3.

MANAGER RESIGNS

St. Stephen, Aug. 7.—R. Earl Hyslop, who has been the efficient manager of the Thistle ball team during the present summer has resigned that position and is succeeded by Martin Cronin.

THE SPIRIT OF PROGRESS

Keeps the Underwood Standard Typewriter in the Lead.



Get our prices on rebuilt and second-hand machines.

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SMOKE BACHELOR CIGARS

THE CIGAR OF QUALITY. Manufactured by ANDREW WILSON & CO., TORONTO.

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Southerly winds, fair and warm.

Toronto, Aug. 7.—Decidedly warm weather has prevailed today in Ontario and Quebec, while in the western provinces it has been cool with heavy rains in southern Alberta and showers and thunderstorms in southern Saskatchewan. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria—52, 64. Vancouver—54, 64. Kamloops—54, 60. Edmonton—43, 60. Battleford—46, 64. Calgary—46, 48. Moosejaw—42, 61. Regina—42, 68. Port Arthur—54, 60. Parry Sound—50, 60. Toronto—54, 83. Ottawa—62, 88. Montreal—66, 96. Quebec—64, 85. St. John—60, 76. Halifax—64, 76. Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf—Very warm, some thunderstorms and southerly winds, but generally fair.

CONSERVATIVE HEADQUARTERS. The Conservatives have opened their headquarters at Rooms 9 and 11, Ritchie's building, second floor, 60 Princess street. Phone, Main 2334.

AROUND THE CITY

The Blueberry Picnic. The annual blueberry picnic at Welsford, Queens county—that is, the Forsters' picnic—will be held this year on August 19.

Trades and Labor Council. A special meeting of the Trades and Labor Council will be held this evening to consider the question of holding a picnic or parade on Labor Day.

Police Assistance Called. Policeman O'Leary was called on last night to eject an undesirable man from Spardack's pool room on North Market street.

N. B. Military Veterans. The annual excursion of the N. B. Military Veterans will be held tomorrow at Welsford. The steamer Hampton has been engaged to carry the excursionists and a good time is anticipated.

Large Building Started. Yesterday Contractor Albert R. C. Clark had a gang of men to break ground on the corner of Union and Brunswick streets. The lot is controlled by His Lordship Bishop Casey, and a large building will be erected there.

Salvage Corps Auto for Lewiston. The Lewiston, Maine, Fire Department a few days ago purchased a Salvage Corps auto truck from the Lewiston, Maine, Fire Department. This company is one of the largest manufacturers of motor fire apparatus in the world.

Tourist Travel is Heavy. The tourist travel has shown a marked increase during the past few days. The arrival lists of the hotels yesterday showed that the city is a popular resort with tourists. Traffic on the transportation lines was especially heavy yesterday. The incoming express from the east last evening was crowded. Last night's Boston train carried a large crowd, many of whom remained in the city.

Had A Narrow Escape. A man named Fraser employed on one of the scoops used to remove the mud from the scene of the dredging operations, had a narrow escape from drowning yesterday afternoon. Fraser was on the scoop at the place used to open the mud when he fell through the opening in the bottom of the scoop into the water. A large quantity of mud fell on top of him and weighed him down. Fortunately he extricated himself but sustained a painful injury to his head. He succeeded in coming to the surface and reached the scoop where he was helped out of the water by a fellow employe.

NEW YORK LADIES ARE PLEASSED WITH RIVER

Mrs. Roswell Eldridge and Party Enjoying River Trip in Steam Yacht Kehtoh -- Now at Millidgeville.

The large New York steam yacht Kehtoh, Capt. A. W. Stafford, which arrived in port on Friday last has been lying anchored near the R. K. Y. C. clubhouse at Millidgeville. There are on board Mrs. Roswell Eldridge, wife of the owner, her mother, Mrs. Skidmore, Miss Maxwell, of Boston, and Miss Morgan, of Washington, D. C. Sunday was Mrs. Skidmore's birthday and a large number of friends were received by that lady. The party have been enjoying the sights of the Kennebecasis river during the past few days and today the yacht will take the party up the St. John river. It is expected that the Kehtoh will come through the falls on Wednesday or Thursday and will then proceed to Digby. Mrs. Eldridge and party are greatly pleased with their visit here and are loud in their praise of the beautiful river scenery.

PERSONAL

Hon. J. K. Flemming, Provincial Secretary, was in the city yesterday and returned to Harland last evening. S. P. Gerow left last evening for Montreal. Monsignor W. F. Chapman was a passenger on the outgoing Montreal Express last evening. Judge J. L. Carleton, of Woodstock, was in the city yesterday. For School Time. All kinds of school footwear at the People's Dry Goods Store 14 Charlotte street.

MAJOR JOHN J. GORDON WAS HONORED BY BROTHER SCOTS

Complimentary Dinner to Departing Citizen, Tendered by Clan Mackenzie, Last Night, Proved Most Enjoyable—Addresses Presented to Guest of Evening.

There was a very large attendance last night at the complimentary banquet at White's to Clan Mackenzie J. J. Gordon, given by Clan Mackenzie No. 96, on the occasion of his leaving this city to locate in Calgary. Dr. G. G. Corbet, the chief of the clan, presided and the banquet was a brilliant one and showed the high esteem in which the departing clansman is held by his fellows. The menu card was very tastefully arranged having on the front cover an excellent picture of Mr. Gordon. The inside pages contained the menu and programme. The dinner was tempting and was served in the usual excellent manner by the caterer, G. F. Menzies. The programme opened with the toast to The King, proposed by Chief G. G. Corbet, which was followed by the toast to Our Guest and Mr. Gordon made a brief address. The toast to the Order of Scottish Clans was responded to by C. K. Cameron. Our City and Country was responded to by Recorder J. B. Baxter. Address From Clan Mackenzie. The following address from Clan Mackenzie was then read by W. P. Grant to Clansman Gordon: St. John, Aug. 7th, 1911. Major J. J. Gordon, St. John, N. B.: Clansman—

A king can make a belted knight, A marquis, duke, and a knight; But an honest man's aboon his micht, Gude faith, he maunna fa' that!

It was with feelings of great regret that we, your fellow clansmen of Clan Mackenzie, No. 96, Order of Scottish Clans, learned of your resolve to seek in the great North-west a wider field for the development of your deservedly growing business, and while recognizing that this is but in line with the force and ability which has made you such a factor in the business life of the community, yet we cannot but feel that your going from amongst us is not only a distinct loss to the City of St. John, but to us your associates in Clan Mackenzie, who in the past have profited so much by your hearty cooperation in everything Scotch, your going is a serious loss indeed. Through your enthusiastic efforts you have awakened in the breasts of those of Scotch blood here that love for the traditional dress, dances and music of Scotland that has so long been slumbering. For years past no event of a Scottish character was complete unless Major was on the programme. Your willingness to help in that way was only equalled by your open handedness when aid of a more material nature was needed. And whenever clansmen of No. 96 foregather whether it be in joy or sorrow 'till be saired minned' by the drink a cup of kindness to your memory; and we send with you on your journey west our earnest prayer that happiness and prosperity will attend you and your 'gude wife' all the days of your lives. May choicest blessings attend Each honest, open-hearted friend, And calm and quiet be his end, And a' that's gude watch o'er him. May peace and plenty be his lot, Unshak'd by any vicious blot, And may he never want a gude, That dances Tullochorum!

G. G. CORBET, Chief. J. A. MURDOCH, W. P. GRANT, Committee.



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BOY BADLY BURNED AS RESULT OF EXPLOSION

George Stanley and Young Companion were Playing with Explosives when Accident Occurred.

Frantically burned about the face and legs as a result of an explosion, George Stanley, aged fifteen years, was hurried to the hospital yesterday afternoon about five o'clock. Young Stanley and a companion named Campbell, were playing in a shed in the rear of the Stanley home during the afternoon, and while details as to how the accident occurred are meagre, the hypothesis is that the lad came across some explosive in the shed and, not knowing the nature of the explosive may have ignited it. The loud report of the explosion attracted a number of neighbors to the scene, and they found the Stanley boy's clothing in flames, and before the flames could be smothered it was found that he was badly burned. Both boys had removed their shoes previous to the accident, and Stanley's legs were terribly burned. The other had escaped any serious burns, but that both of them were not blown to atoms is little short of miraculous. At the hospital it was found that while young Stanley is severely burned, there is no serious danger of fatal results. When seen at his home last evening the father of the injured Stanley boy said that he was not at home when the accident occurred, and did not know exactly how it happened. An older brother of the injured boy was fortunately at home and hearing the explosion hurried to the shed, otherwise the result might have been much more serious. The ambulance was summoned and the injured boy quickly removed to the hospital where he was made as comfortable as possible. An older brother is also at the hospital, having undergone an operation for appendicitis a short time ago.

WEST END HOUSE WAS BURNED YESTERDAY

Mrs. Major's Home, on Woodville Road, was on Fire Twice--House Consumed by Second Fire.

The West End firemen were called out yesterday morning by an alarm from Box 118, and found the fire at Mrs. Major's house at 10 Woodville Road in flames. Despite the fact that the building was outside of the fire district the firemen stretched about 14 joints of hose and kept the fire to the well which was badly damaged. When the firemen left there were no signs of fire, but about 3 o'clock in the afternoon the fire broke out again and the alarm was sounded from Box 119. This time it had such a headway that the building was all in flames when the firemen arrived, and it was totally destroyed. It was a two story building and it is stated was uninsured. The greater portion of Mrs. Major's furniture was saved. During the burning of the Major house a couple of dwellings adjoining caught fire but were saved by the firemen.

PREPARATIONS FOR THE HAZEN BANQUET

Expected that More than Three Hundred will do Honor to Premier Hazen on Thursday Night.

The Hazen banquet committee met yesterday afternoon and completed arrangements for the big banquet which will be given New Brunswick's popular Premier in the Nickel Assembly Rooms on Thursday evening at eight o'clock. It is expected that over three hundred will sit at the banquet table. A few tickets may be procured at Nelson's Book store on King street and from George F. Menzies, the caterer, at White's Restaurant. W. H. Thorne will preside and the vice chairmen will likely be selected from outside St. John.

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