

OFFICIAL REPORT HAGUE AWARD

Mr. Aylesworth's Presentation of Result of Tribunal Well Received by Both Sides of House Government Satisfied That Canadian Interests Have Been Well Looked After--Address Passed

Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, Dec. 2.—There was just one event in the House today. The address passed, after Mr. Aylesworth had made a statement upon The Hague arbitration award. This was an important pronouncement, somewhat marred perhaps by the minister's inveterate verbosity, but grave, moderate and marked by a spirit of sobriety and a sense of responsibility, and the hearty reception given to it by the Opposition, exhibited the Canadian House of Commons at its best, just as two or three incidents of the last ten days have shown the House at its worst.

By far the most important feature of the speech, which must rank as the official pronouncement of His Majesty's Canadian government on the subject, was the following notable passage: "I would wish only to say this further, not with reference to that particular treaty alone, but with general reference to all the various international arrangements and agreements which during the last 130 years have been entered into between the statesmen of Great Britain and those of the United States, that while it seems to be rather the fashion, or to have been the fashion in this country to take the view that in the greater number, if not of all these international arrangements, the United States has succeeded in getting the better of it, and that there has been in perhaps most instances on the part of British statesmen some sacrifice or some failure to recognize sufficiently the rights and interests of the British colonies in North America, I am myself disposed to certainly after considerable study of the matter and with some knowledge of it, do not in the least degree share these views. I think it is no more than simple justice that I should say with respect to the arrangements which from time to time have been entered into with regard to the various matters of difficulty which have arisen between the United States and Great Britain, that the general interests of the Empire at large have been well conserved by the representatives of the British Crown in those negotiations."

Change of Tone.

What a change the last few years has wrought. Seven years ago Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Mr. Aylesworth himself and many others were cursing the British government for the fact that it had sold Canada over the Alaska affair; whereas the fact was that Sir Wilfrid Laurier, realizing in advance that the result would not be to his liking, had insisted upon having Lord Alverstone, a member of the tribunal, for the premeditated purpose of throwing the blame upon him.

Perhaps the new desire to wave the British flag over English Canada has something to do with the change. Much of Mr. Aylesworth's explanation has appeared before, he having delivered several addresses upon the subject but there were some fresh and interesting points.

Mr. Aylesworth stated that the Canadian authorities had deliberately set up as a nation that they asserted the same doctrine—as witness the case of Delaware Bay, thus international law is different as regards bays in Europe and bays in America.

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Praise for Robson.

Mr. Aylesworth specially praised Sir William Robson's masterly argument on the question of bays. In Europe bays were regarded as international waters, but Sir William Robson proved that from the earliest treaties of the 17th century onwards the European nations which colonized North America coast lines, from the first, and uninterruptedly, had treated them as territorial waters.

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SEA OF AZOV IS RECEDING

St. Petersburg, Dec. 2.—It is reported from Taganrog in the territory of the Don Cossacks, that violent gales in the Sea of Azov have driven the water from the coast and that the sea in some places has receded as much as three miles, leaving many ships stuck fast in the sand.

ESTIMATES IN EXCESS OF 1910 EXPENDITURE

Total Of \$138,863,200 Provided For In List Brought Down In House—St. John Gets Usual Vote.

DRILL SHED GRANT AGAIN REPEATED

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Dec. 2.—The estimates were brought down today. They provide for a total expenditure of \$138,863,200, an increase of \$6,955,575. Of this the consolidated fund expenditure amounts to \$109,674,627, an increase over the current year of \$5,095,717.

The expenditure on capital account is \$28,188,573, an increase of \$339,858. It must be borne in mind that the supplementary estimates will materially increase these sums.

The items of the capital expenditure: Railways and Canals, \$23,845,573; public works, \$2,763,000; marine, \$1,580,000. Of the capital expenditure on railways and canals, \$1,504,960 goes to the Intercolonial; \$183,863 to the P. E. I. Railway; \$27,600,000 to the Transcontinental; \$2,000,000 to the Quebec bridge, and \$3,166,750 to the canals.

With regard to consolidated fund expenditure the principal items are:

Table with 3 columns: Public debt, Public works, Railways and Canals, etc. Amount and Increase.

I. C. R. Expenditures. In the capital expenditure on railways, the following expenditures appear for the I. C. R.:

Campbellton—Increased accommodation, \$20,000.

Chatham—Division of line and branch to wharf, \$300,000.

Fredricton—Increased accommodation, \$25,000.

Moncton—Locomotive and car shops freight yard, etc., \$200,000.

St. John—Increased accommodations \$25,000.

The capital expenditures on the P. E. I. Railway include \$150,000 for a branch line from Harmony to Elmira.

The capital expenditure on canals include \$2,250,000 for the Trent canal. The Newmarket canal is included in this.

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WOMAN TELLS JURY SECOND THAW STORY

Wife of Man Charged With Murder Tells Of Persecution By Victim—Object Of Persistent Attack.

Vincennes, Ind., Dec. 2.—In support of her husband's plea that he shot and killed Charles Gibson, a wealthy oil field operator, in a period of madness induced by her confession that she had been intimate with Gibson, Mrs. Menlo Moore related her story today to the jury before which Moore is being tried for Gibson's murder.

Mrs. Moore said that Gibson had pursued her persistently and told her that her husband was not true to her, and offered to prove it by taking her to a country place last July, where, he said, her husband had an appointment with a woman. She accompanied Gibson to the place, but her husband was not there.

Mrs. Moore testified that Gibson attacked her and thereafter forced her to continue the relations by threatening to expose her to her husband.

She made trips with Gibson to Cincinnati and St. Louis during her husband's absence from home. She said on the morning of Oct. 3, Moore met Gibson at the railroad station and without warning shot him four times, Gibson fell dead.

LIBERALS AS PARTY HAVE REPUDIATED PROPOSAL AND CONSERVATIVE SUCCESS SEEMS ASSURED.

London, Dec. 2.—The few days of discussion in the general election campaign leaves it clear that the Liberals, as a party, will have nothing to do with a referendum on tariff reform. All the Liberal leaders, from Premier Asquith and Lord President of the Council, John Morley down in their public speeches since the pronouncement of A. Balfour, the opposition leader, of his willingness to leave tariff reform to a referendum have freely deprecated the referendum as being unsuited to Great Britain, and as tending to destroy the responsibility of representative institutions.

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Meantime, however, further familiarity with the idea has had the effect of uniting the whole Liberal party and press in its favor, and Mr. Balfour's courage in adopting it is hailed now as having secured for his party an excellent prospect of victory at the elections.

It is a curious fact that at the time of the rupture of the recent veto conference an inspired statement in the "Times" asserted that both sides to the conference had rejected the idea of a referendum. If that be the case, Mr. Balfour's decision must have been an after thought, and it is asserted in well-informed quarters tonight that he first consulted Joseph Chamberlain and secured his acquiescence before proceeding temporarily to shelve tariff reform by urging recourse to the referendum. Campaigning was again in full blast tonight. Mr. Balfour in the course of a speech at Gimsby declared that no Irishman would thank the people for an independent Irish parliament unless it were accompanied by a British subsidy.

Redmond's Idea in Canada. Sir Edward Grey, the foreign minister, in a speech at Berwick, said: "The great measure of devolution is necessary to save the House of Commons from perishing in the congestion of business, and to save its reputation as an Imperial authority. There is nothing in John Redmond's home rule proposals, which is not in full force in the Canadian Provinces."

Among the amusing episodes of the campaign was one that at Ipswich, where David Lloyd-George, chancellor of the exchequer, repudiated the assertion of the Unionists that he had sold his estate in Sussex for \$150,000 and invested the proceeds in American securities.

John Burns, president of the local government board, in an address at Finsbury, expressed the belief that "Mr. Balfour is a cunning old freetrader at heart."

Polling will take place in 63 boroughs tomorrow, principally in London.

More Help From America. Boston, Dec. 2.—On the eve of the British elections, tomorrow, the United Irish League of America, through its treasurer, Thomas B. Fitzpatrick, of this city, forwarded today to the Irish National party, another remittance of \$10,000. This makes a total sent during the past six weeks of \$30,000 of the "American dollars" which have caused adverse comment from a section of the British press.

Announcement of the sending of the money, "to help Mr. Redmond and the Irish National party to fight the general election contest" was accompanied by the following statement from National Treasurer Fitzpatrick: "Not for many years has there been such a generous and prompt response to the request of the Irish leaders for help in an electoral struggle, that which has been forthcoming on the present occasion. The denunciations of America and Americans by the Tory press has acted as an incentive to Ireland's friends here to help the cause along, such as nothing else could have provided. As instancing how widespread is the feeling, which has been aroused by the attacks of the British press, the National Treasurer yesterday received from the friends of Ireland in Chicago \$4,200, from Toronto, Canada, \$2,215; from New Orleans, La., \$1,900; from San Francisco in addition to a contribution of \$2,900 ten days ago; from Seattle, Wash., \$2,652; from Toledo \$700; from Mobile \$600; and from Birmingham, Ala., \$1,206.

Telegraphic advices from points as far distant as Vancouver B. C., Pueblo Colo., Charleston, S. C., and Halifax, N. S. indicate that the Irish spirit in each place has been aroused by the ferocity of the attacks made by the British Tory press and statesmen on those in this country and Canada who have been upholding the hands of the Irish party.



John Bull is Thinking of Getting a New Outfit for the Coronation.

RESPONSIBILITY FOR CROSSINGS

Judge Mabee Makes Important Ruling—Decides Municipalities Must Pay Share Probably One Third.

Montreal, Dec. 2.—Chairman Mabee, of the railway commission, this afternoon laid down the ruling in no uncertain terms that in future municipalities would have to bear a proportion of about one-third of the cost of level crossings and in other ways which were made necessary by the progress of urban and municipal growth. This share he broadly outlined at about one-third of the cost of special arrangements for special conditions. But he made it plain that the railroads were not to be saddled with the whole cost of the protection of the public which often had to be protected from itself.

"If," said Chairman Mabee, "we make an attempt to load upon the railroads the whole cost of all these safety appliances we should either have the railways out of business in a short time or else they would be compelled to make sharp increases in freight and passenger rates."

"The municipalities themselves contribute to these dangers. Municipalities, towns and cities are growing in every direction and why should they because they have got to pay. We are living in a more enlightened age and the public must pay for decent protection. The march of civilization demands it and we must go down in our pockets and pay for it. The question is whether a third is too much for the municipalities' share or not, or whether the railroads should pay three-quarters. That is a matter to be decided."

IN DORCHESTER.

TRURO, N. S., Dec. 2.—E. J. PERRY, the convicted slayer of Mrs. Maud Wright, was taken to Dorchester this morning by Deputy Sheriff Smith and Officer Ellis to enter on his twenty-year sentence. Perry still says that he is innocent of the crime for which he was sentenced and says that some day his innocence will be proven.

NIAGARA POWER.

Toronto, Dec. 2.—The last length of cable on the Hydro Electric Commission's lines will be in place by the 15th of this month. This means that 233 miles of the transmission line will be ready for operation including the line to London, St. Marys, Stratford and St. Thomas. The wires have been strung on all but thirteen miles of the line.

"John E. Redmond, John Dillon, T. P. O'Connor, David Lloyd-George, Winston Churchill, and other leaders, both Irish and English, in the fight against the Lords have struck back with good effect because of the attacks of the Unionists. Lloyd George defending the right of Ireland's friends in America to aid their kindred in a speech at Mile End, London, a few nights ago said: "Many a noble house tottering to its fall has had its foundation underpinned and its walls buttressed by a pile of American dollars."

VILE EPITHET APPLIED TO HER HUSBAND

Attorney For Hattie LeBlanc Meets With Success In Effort To Throw Suspicion On Mrs. Glover.

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 2.—A noise was distinctly heard in the home of Mrs. Lillian M. Glover the night after that on which her husband, Clarence F. Glover, came to his death, by shooting, according to testimony given today, in the trial of Hattie LeBlanc, charged with the murder of Glover.

George J. Freeman, of Newton, a friend of Mrs. Glover, who with his wife, stayed at the Glover home for two or three days, after the murder, told of hearing this noise, but said he did not investigate it. This testimony was developed in cross examination by Melvin M. Johnson, the LeBlanc girl's attorney, but he was unable to induce either Freeman, his wife or Mrs. Glover himself to admit that they had seen any traces in the house of the presence of Hattie LeBlanc, who was found hiding under a bed in the spare room three days after the shooting.

Mrs. Freeman admitted to Mr. Johnson that she had placed some furniture in front of the door of the spare room, but said she could not explain her motive. She and her husband told the three searches of the house made by the police, saying that the house was thoroughly examined on the first two which were futile. She said that the outside doors of the house were not guarded while the searches were going on.

Attorney Johnson spent considerable time trying to get Mr. and Mrs. Freeman to testify that Mrs. Glover had used profane and indecent expressions in denouncing her husband, Mrs. Freeman said she never heard Mrs. Glover speak in that manner, but her husband admitted that he had heard Mrs. Glover apply one vile epithet to her husband.

Throughout the day Mr. Johnson continued the method which he has pursued in the trial of Mrs. Glover.

Minor Witnesses.

In the late part of the day's session minor witnesses were called. Samuel D. Elmore, attorney for the Glovers for many years, was on the stand when the court adjourned for the day. He told of visiting the laundry the day after the shooting and seeing an overturned chair there.

George H. Tuttle, employed by a Boston shoe store, stated that he delivered a pair of shoes to Mrs. Glover at her house at 9:20 p. m., on the night of Nov. 20th. The Glover house is some distance from the laundry, where the shooting is claimed to have occurred shortly before 9 o'clock.

Clarence Schofield, a young man employed by Mr. Freeman, said he heard some talking on the telephone about 9 o'clock on the fatal night and thought it was Mrs. Freeman's.

The next day he went to the laundry and found a comb, cap and pin which were afterwards identified as belonging to Hattie LeBlanc.

LADIES' TAG DAY GRAND SUCCESS



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Bank Of Montreal Loses Case Against Wife Of Former Chatham Man—Receives Under Double Liability.

Special to The Standard. Toronto, Dec. 2.—A private cable from London today brought word of the ending of one of the most important private actions in Canadian litigation. As a result of the decision of the Privy Council given today the Bank of Montreal must pay to Mrs. Jane Jacques Stuart, of Toronto, wife of John Stuart, a former president of the Bank of Hamilton, and a well known business man, about \$250,000.

Mrs. Stuart's claim was based on guarantees given by her on behalf of the Maritime Sulphite Company, Limited of Chatham, N. B., of which her husband was president.

The company owed the bank and Mr. Stewart obtained his wife's guarantee as security for the company's debts to the bank and for further advances.

The company went into liquidation, and the bank got from Mrs. Stuart transfers of all her property including "Inglewood, the Stuart home at Hamilton, and where the present King was at one time a guest."

The receipts by the liquidator of the Ontario Bank yesterday from contributors under the double liability slightly exceeded expectations. The collections through the day were \$50,000, bringing the total receipts up to last night to \$611,000.

Those who had not paid up last night will have to pay interest at the rate of six per cent. Quite a number have secured extensions, and James Bicknell, solicitor for the Royal Trust Company, the liquidators, thinks he will be able to collect in the neighborhood of \$800,000 in which event the creditors, of whom is the Bank of Montreal, will be paid in full.

N.T.R. BUILDINGS TO GO UP IN SPRING

Engineer Foss Says Commissioners Are Only Waiting For G. T. P. To Provide Plans.

Fredricton, Dec. 2.—The provincial government members concluded their meeting here this afternoon and this evening, Premier Hazen and the others left for their homes.

In addition to Premier Hazen and Hon. Dr. Landry, commissioner for agriculture, the New Brunswick government will be represented at the Maritime Winter Fair at Amherst, by Hon. John Morrissey, chief commissioner of public works.

City Well Covered by Energetic Workers Who Enjoy Unwonted Experiences.

Contents of 176 Banks to be Counted This Morning--Rev. T. H. Boyd's Message.

While the financial results of the Tag Day yesterday for the benefit of the anti-Tuberculosis movement in this city will not be known until this morning when the receipts are counted, it is believed that it was the most successful financial of the kind ever held here.

From early to late the taggers were out in force with their banks and, they met with a generous response. Every one approached heartily agreed with the purpose of the campaign, and as a result of the day's work the funds of the anti-Tuberculosis society of the city will be greatly augmented. Not only this, but it is believed that as a result of yesterday's work the campaign will be placed on a footing where it may in time become a part of the budget of work of charitable nature which should be undertaken by the city.

Much of the credit of yesterday's campaign is due to the indefatigable energy and ability of Mrs. E. A. Smith who was at the head of the movement and was assisted by a corps of ladies who labored with zeal and well directed energy for the good of the cause.

When it was all over the general committee of ladies met in one of the rooms of the Nickel Theatre building and passed resolutions of thanks to those who had assisted them.

Generous Responses. A particular feature of the day was the generous responses to the appeals of the taggers. The largest sum received in one donation was handed in by Mrs. Smith who received \$50 for a single tag. This sum was contributed by a lady, Mrs. E. L. Eising. There were also several contributions from outside of the city, including \$2 from Miss McLaughlin of St. Andrews, Rev. T. Hunter, corresponding secretary of the N. W. Brunswick Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis also sent \$1.

While the meeting was in progress yesterday afternoon a telephonic message was received from Bishop Casey at Silver Falls in which he directed the ladies to draw upon him for a contribution of \$5 toward the funds as his personal contribution.

With the Taggers. The day was full of incident and refreshing experiences for many of the workers, particularly with those who invaded manufacturing establishments by and with territory in the outskirts of the city. It was hard work for those who were confined exclusively to street canvassing, and it was noticeable that many of the older ladies of the pressmen of his duty. Those who were given residential streets spent an almost delightful day. Everywhere they were courteously received and hardly ever did they fail to receive contributions. In one of the proudest homes of the city the young lady collector was invited to lay down her hat and have luncheon with the family.

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GREATER BERLIN FORMED BY LAW

Prussian Government Makes Consolidation Of Suburbs With City Compulsory—Will Be Copied After London.

Berlin, Dec. 2.—The Prussian government has drawn a bill compelling Berlin and the suburban municipalities to combine in a greater Berlin. The population of the Metropolitan area is close to 2,500,000.

The measure provides for an administration of the greater city similar to that of London's County Council the authority of which would be confined to matters of transportation, a supervisory control over building plans with a view to uniformity of desirable architectural effect, and the acquisition of suburban lands for a permanent forest and meadow grounds about the whole.

The council will have 160 members.

NEW YORK HUSH TOWN.

New York, N. Y., Dec. 2.—Police Commissioner Truhey has decreed that New York must be a noiseless town, and today issued an order for the police to put a "hush" on flat wheeled trolley cars, new fangled auto horns and other disturbers of the city's peace.

LAND RESCUED CREW.

Weymouth, Eng., Dec. 2.—The British Sun arrived here tonight and landed the captain and his wife and six members of the American schooner Cox and Green of Boston, who were picked up at sea when the vessel foundered in 29-59.

"I Had One Raging Headache"

When I First Used "Fruit-a-tives"

Shanley, Ont., Sept. 23, 1910. You certainly have the Great Cure, the world before. "Fruit-a-tives" came before the public...

WM. PITT. "Fruit-a-tives," and insisted on my trying them. I did so, with what I would call amazing results. They completely cured me and since then (nearly six years ago) it is only necessary for me to take one occasionally to prevent me from having another.

HONOR AND WEALTH DOES NOT SATISFY

Dr. Torrey Exerts His Hearers to Save Their Souls at the Expense of Worldly Things

Dr. Torrey preached last night from the text: "What shall it profit a man if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his own soul?"

The two things put in contrast are these, the world and the soul, or life—the world, that is, the tangible world and all it contains, wealth, honor, power, pleasure, everything that appeals to the senses, the lust of the flesh and the lust of the eye, and the vanity of the world.

To lose the soul is to lose your real manhood, to fall short of that for which God created you, to miss the Divine image, to have the Divine image blotted out and the image of the devil stamped in its place.

To lose the soul is to come short of the knowledge of God, to lose communion with God and likeness to God, to "fall short of the glory of God."

Now the question is this, What shall it profit you to gain all that this world has, all its wealth, all its honor, all its pleasures, all its power, and lose your true self, lose that for which God created you, lose communion with God and likeness to God, and the glory of God?

For any man to gain the whole world, the cost of forfeiting his soul would be a bad bargain. If one could get the whole world by forfeiting his soul, it would be an idiotic exchange. Why?

First of all, because the world does not satisfy. The world never satisfied a human soul. Take wealth. Was ever any man satisfied with wealth? Did any amount of money ever bring satisfaction and lasting joy to any man or woman on earth?

Did honor ever satisfy any man? Have known men who were in the highest positions of honor in politics and social life, and in all spheres of life, but I never knew a man or woman who was satisfied with honor. Was any king, or emperor, or czar, no matter how large his power, satisfied with the possession of his power? Do the pleasures of life satisfy any man? Does the ballroom satisfy? Does the race course satisfy? Does gambling satisfy? Is there any form of the world's pleasures that satisfies the human soul? How mad then to forfeit your soul to gain money, honor, power, position, glory, pleasure or anything that this world contains, when we know that they never satisfied anybody.

But in the second place it is a bad bargain to forfeit your soul to gain the world, because the world does not last.

Exmouth Street Church. Rev. M. B. Tomer will occupy the pulpit in Exmouth street church at the morning service.

TAYLOR'S BACON USE TAYLOR'S BACON USE TAYLOR'S BACON

CROWN LAND RECEIPTS SHOW INCREASE OF \$100,000

As Result of Honest Administration Territorial Revenue Has Reached Half Million Mark as Predicted By Surveyor General Grimmer—Comparative Statement Tells Story in Effective Fashion.

Fredericton, Dec. 2.—Surveyor General Grimmer this morning gave the first statement of the territorial revenue of New Brunswick for the past fiscal year. The statement shows an increase of \$99,208.96 in the receipts, and the Crown land department has received \$425 from instalments on lots in the Blue Bell tract, which was placed in a sinking fund as a payment on the cost of the purchase of the tract, and an unassessed account of stampage amounting to \$5,000 for 1910 is also not included.

The increase has been largely in the stampage collections, which increased from \$46,742.77 to \$53,280.28 and in game licenses which increased from \$33,161.00 to \$41,010.19 while from mining leases and applications there was an increase of 50 per cent.

Teachers For Pensions. The following is given out as the list of those who are eligible from a large list of applicants for pensions for school teachers under the act passed at the last session of the Legislature: Charles M. Caswell, Milltown; Thomas Stohart, St. John; Jerome Boudreau, Petit Roché; Eliza Cripples, Woodstock; Alfred S. Baxter, Norton; Alfred McDonald, McDonald Point; Olivia J. Moore, Albert county; Susie S. Gerrard, Restigouche Co.; Margaret S. Cox, Queens county.

Comparative Statement of the Receipts from Crown Lands for Years ending October 31st, 1909 and 1910.—

Table with 3 columns: Item, Year 1909, Year 1910. Includes Sale of Timber Licenses, Sale of Timber Licenses, Stampage, Land Sales, Labor Fund, etc.

ESTIMATES EXCEED 1910 EXPENDITURES

Continued from page 1. Usual Vote to St. John. In the capital expenditures for public works, the estimate of \$450,000 for improvements at St. John harbor.

- Campbellton—Public building, \$20,000. Chatham—Public building enlargement, \$12,000. Fairville—Public building \$15,000. Richardson—Public building, share of pavement cost \$1,816. Grand Falls—Public buildings, \$15,000. Hamilton—Public building, \$2,000. Hampton—Public building, \$15,000. Hillsboro—Public building, \$15,000. Moncton—Army, \$7,000. Moncton—Public building addition, \$7,000. St. John—Public building improvements, \$4,000. St. John—Drill hall, \$100,000. St. John—quarantine station water supply, \$25,000. St. John—Quarantine station repairs, \$7,000. Tracadie—Lazaretto house, \$5,000. For Harbors and Rivers. The harbors and rivers vote for New Brunswick total \$634,140 in about 40 items. The most important of these are: Miramichi—Dredging \$150,000. St. John—Wharves, \$50,000. St. John—Harbor improvements, \$25,000. Bathurst—Harbor improvements, \$25,000. Campbellton—Deep water wharf, \$25,000. Dalhousie breakwater, \$27,000. Dipper Harbor breakwater, \$24,000. Lorneville breakwater and wharf, \$26,000. Mison wharf extension, \$17,500. New Mills wharf, \$15,500. Richardson Cape breakwater wharf, \$15,000. Richibucto wharf construction, \$25,500. Richibucto Beach breakwater piers, \$25,000. River St. John wharves in tidal waters, \$20,000. Sackville wharf, \$25,000. Shediac wharf, \$14,000. The dredging vote is \$2,576,500, of this \$675,000 goes to the Maritime Provinces—\$146,500 goes to the new dredging plant in the Maritime Provinces, and \$200,000 belongs to dredge jugs vessels.

There is a vote of \$8,000 for the Marsh Road at Courtenay Bay, 13 the cost of rebuilding the abutment on the road. There is \$22,000 for an international bridge across the St. John at St. Leonard, the State of Maine to contribute an equal amount. There is a vote of \$18,500 for the International Commission on the St. John river.

The naval service vote proper is \$2,000,000, the same as during the current year. The I. C. R. vote is \$9,500,000, as against \$9,000,000 last year. The P. E. I. Railway gets \$450,000, an increase of \$25,000.

Ottawa, Dec. 2.—Dr. Daniel is asking if the government has arranged for dredging at Port Dalhousie since March 31, 1909, if tenders were called, and if so, for the names of the tenderers and amounts of the tenders.

Hon. J. D. Hazen and Hon. Robert Maxwell arrived in the city on the Boston express last night from Fredericton.

ALL NOT PLEASED WITH CHOICE OF ALDERMAN ELKIN

Some Heart-Burning in Grit Camp Over Appointment of Alderman as Government Wharfinger.

In the appointment of Alderman Elkin to the position of wharfinger on the new government pier on the West Side, the minister of public works, no doubt, with the best intentions in the world, has managed to add fuel to the fire of the feeling animating between two factions of the Liberal camp in St. John.

A meeting of the executive of the Strathcona Trust will be held at Ottawa on Dec. 9th for the distribution of the additional \$200,000 recently given by Lord Strathcona for physical and military training in the schools. Chief Superintendent of Education Carter is a member of the executive but will not attend.

Legislature February 16. The Provincial Legislature is expected to meet about the middle of February, probably on the 16th.

Alles Robson, manager of the Misses Young's millinery business here for Brock & Paterson, has learned of the death of her eldest sister at Peterborough, Ont. Miss Robson resolved upon Saturday evening and left for home, but reached there too late to see her sister alive.

Premier Hazen and Hon. Dr. Landry, Commissioner of Agriculture, will represent the government of New Brunswick at the formal opening of the Maritime Winter Fair at Amherst on Monday, while the Premier and Hon. Mr. Fleming will attend the interprovincial conference at Ottawa Dec. 9.

Then to give pungency to the situation, there is a feeling among certain of the aldermen that Mr. Pugsley has deliberately determined to slight the claims of one of their favorites for promotion—but that is another story.

LADIES MAKE GREAT SUCCESS OF TAG-DAY

Continued from page 1. Probably the party having the most unique experience was the levy of six young ladies, chaperoned by Mrs. McAlister, who visited Partridge Island and all the dredges in the harbor. The party were given the use of Dr. Ruddock's launch and were very successful. On the dredge Cynthia alone about \$25 was collected.

The couple assigned to Mount Pleasant found their way along the golf links and got as far as the plant of the St. John Ice Company, Lily Lake, taking tribute from the teamsters and office staff. A hurry call to the conveyance committee brought an auto to the hungry workers, and amid all the gaiety and good cheer with which the ladies were greeted as a rule there crept in some pathetic incidents. A blind man being led by a lad with one arm, the latter informed the helpless man what was going on and he insisted in giving his mite. He gave twenty-five cents for himself and ten cents for his boy.

An aged man was employed repairing a building on the outskirts of the city and when approached pulled out one pocket after another until all were turned inside out. Then he offered the remark that it was not worth a tag, but he got the tag.

Fun for Children. Children entered into the spirit of the day with zest. A party of taggers who visited Leinster street school at noon, then they were mobbed, as the children were prepared with pennies and demanded tags by the wholesale. One of the workers had just returned home in the afternoon when the door bell rang and a very small and very dirty boy was ushered in. "Please, I want a tag," he said, and he handed over a cent. He was liberally supplied with tags which the lady's husband had brought home and told to spend the cent for candy.

Yesterday's meeting was presided over by Mrs. E. A. Smith who organized the movement. After congratulating the workers on the success of the day and thanking them for their efforts, she read a letter from Rev. T. Hunter Boyd as follows:—

The Maize, Wawel, St. Andrews. My dear Mrs. Smith—My revered professor, the late Henry Drum, said "The measure of a man is not in the measure of our responsibility." As I recall his words I cannot refrain from assuring you how delighted we are to hear that your campaign has been entered upon with such zest, comprehensiveness and promptness. It will have value beyond the financial aid for the present needs and I hope such widespread interest will be awakened that the lasting result may be the placing of such provision for preventive work upon the budget of the city. This will, I trust, soon be recognized as an opportunity for every citizen to discharge a responsibility for the general good.

The old idea of an appeal as an act of (so called) charity is fast giving way to careful consideration of protective measures for the good of all. Yours sincerely, T. H. BOYD.

After reading the letter Mrs. Smith again referred to the work done by the workers, and especially by Miss Travers, the convener of the ward committee, to whose excellent organization it was possible to thoroughly enter into it without any confusion of directions.

Votes of Thanks. On motion of Mrs. Geo. West Jones, seconded by Miss Travers, a vote of thanks was passed to the newspapers of the city for the assistance given to the workers, and especially by Miss Travers, the convener of the ward committee, to whose excellent organization it was possible to thoroughly enter into it without any confusion of directions.

On motion of Mrs. E. A. Smith, seconded by Mrs. F. E. Sayre, a vote of thanks was tendered to Schofield Bros. for 68 balls of twine. Mrs. Carrite, seconded by Mrs. J. H. Dooly, moved a vote of thanks to those who had contributed refreshments. All the refreshments which have been left over have been donated to the Protestant Orphans' Home and the Home of the Good Shepherd.

It was moved by Mrs. Carrite and seconded by Mrs. Scully that a vote of thanks be tendered to Mrs. E. A. Smith, Mrs. G. M. Campbell and Mrs. J. J. McCaskill.

PERSONAL. Ralph Paterson, formerly of the West End, but who has been in Seattle and Tacoma for the past six years, is here on a vacation. He returns west in about a week.

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Mrs. Stewart Skinner, seconded by Mrs. W. W. White, moved a vote of thanks to the Bank of New Brunswick for the assistance given.

Mrs. Carrite, seconded by Mrs. E. J. Harding, moved a vote of thanks to Barnes and Co. for assistance given toward the provision of the tags.

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With the passing of St. Andrew's night went one of the best of times, until the next. The first assembly which will be held on the 8th of January, will mark another anniversary in fact these assembly dances which have been held for a number of years, are the most delightful affairs of the season. Sales, teas and parties made the week busy. They all seem to crowd in upon each other until it is impossible to patronize all. The amateur play in the Opera House was indeed worthy of the applause it received. To Mr. Bird nothing but the greatest praise is due. That the tuberculosis society is well in the public eye is shown by the great co-operation which was shown by the King's Daughters and the La Tour Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire. This week Rhetay welcomed back many of the summer visitors. There are rumors of several dances to be held during the Christmas season, so the gay world will certainly appear at its brightest when the standard play is presented at dinner at the club city in Ottawa on Monday evening, in honor of her guest, Miss Marion Ross, of Montreal. Society the world over is greatly interested in the debut of Miss Helen Taft, the daughter, of the United States president. An American debutante always attracts great attention. Several dances to be held during the Christmas season, so the gay world will certainly appear at its brightest when the standard play is presented at dinner at the club city in Ottawa on Monday evening, in honor of her guest, Miss Marion Ross, of Montreal.

Canada are heard of everywhere. This week Miss Kathleen Parlow, the eminent Canadian violinist, will deliver a recital at the Grand Hotel. Mrs. H. H. McLean and Miss Elsie McLean, have returned from a delightful trip across the continent. Vice American Consul and Mrs. Carrigan have returned from a pleasant holiday trip and are at Mrs. Fleming's, Garden street, for the winter months.

It is now Lt. Col. Dr. Thomas D. Walker. Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Lord will sail from Boston on Dec. 6 for England and on Dec. 20 will embark for Australia, where Mr. Lord is being sent on a business mission in connection with the firm with which he is connected. Mrs. Lord was before her marriage Miss Jessie Wallace, daughter of Dr. Thomas Walker, and many friends are interested in this trip that she and her husband are to have to the far away continent.

Rev. A. P. Robb and family, of Korea, who have been visiting relatives in St. John, left on Tuesday to visit relatives in Westville, N. S. The engagement is that of Arthur Neville Chamberlain, second son of Rt. Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, M.P. and Miss Annie Vere Cole, daughter of Mrs. Herbert Sturt and of the late Major W. U. Cole.

Lord and Lady Aberdeen celebrated the golden anniversary of their wedding day this month at the vice-regal lodge, Dublin. Mrs. Percy Thomson, who is in Ottawa last week, has returned home. Mr. Allan Schofield and daughter are spending several days seeing the sights of Montreal and Ottawa. Mr. and Mrs. George E. Fairweather, of this city, celebrated the 60th anniversary of their wedding this week. Both are enjoying excellent health and received the congratulations of their many friends in the wish for many happy years to come.

There was a meeting of the Loyalist Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire on Tuesday at the residence of Miss Mabel McAvity, the second vice-regent. The results of the bridge were very satisfactory. It was decided to limit the membership to fifty in the hope that new chapters will be formed. Several new members were elected. A good deal of business was gone through at the meeting.

Mrs. Rutter, of Woodstock, was in this city this week the guest of Mrs. George Wetmore, Summer street. Rev. A. A. Graham, pastor of St. David's Presbyterian church in this city, has been asked to accept the principalship of the new Presbyterian college at Moosejaw, Saskatchewan. Mr. Graham has not yet decided which course he will pursue, but it is believed he will accept the call. Mr. Graham's many friends realize the responsible position he has been offered.

The annual service of St. Andrew's society on Sunday last was held in Calvin church. The Rev. Mr. Anderson and Rev. Gordon Dickie, assisted in the service and the sermon was preached by the chaplain, Rev. L. A. McLean. Rev. Gordon and Mrs. Dickie have taken rooms at Mrs. C. W. Bell's, Coburg street for the winter months. Mr. Jack Pugsley and Mr. Kenneth Raymond, who have been visiting in Ottawa and Montreal, returned home on Monday.

Mrs. Thomas Malcolm and Miss Malcolm, of Campbellton, are at the Windsor, Montreal. Mr. Guy Thomas, of Montreal, is in the city. Miss Grace Fisher, Orange street, has invitations out for the ladies' bridge on Tuesday afternoon next. On Friday of last week Mrs. I. E. G. Armstrong, Queen Square, gave a large and enjoyable tea. Mrs. Armstrong received her guests in a black and white silk dress, white net yoke and sleeves; her ornaments were amethysts, and she carried a beautiful bouquet of violets. The drawing rooms, mantles, etc., were tastefully decorated with Southern smilax and yellow and white chrysanthemums. Mrs. Harry Puddington, gowning in Alice blue silk, hat in velvet and pink, the guests into the dining room. Mrs. Sayre in a blue and white foulard with large black hat trimmed with feathers, and Mrs. Walter White, in mauve and white with lace trimmings and large black hat presided at a very handsomely appointed tea table. A basket of pale pink carnations was in the centre. The ladies assisted were: Miss Sadler in apricot embroidered silk dress, black velvet hat, large apricot bow; Miss Nan Barnaby in white silk and lace waist, white serge skirt, blue velvet and terra cotta hat; Miss Puddington, mauve and white muslin, large black hat; Miss Jean Daniel, pink silk dress, black picture hat; Miss Dorothy Pugsley, white muslin dress, black and white hat; Miss Nan Fairweather, fawn shantung dress, large brown hat; Mrs. Royden Thomson, dress green velvet, large white hat with pink roses; Miss Currie in pink silk trimmed with black velvet, black hat with pink roses; Miss Johnston in blue and white foulard, white foulard, white foulard, cream serge skirt, white waist, plaid shawl, and Miss Edith Skinner in old

Miss Lou McMillan, white lingerie dress, plaid shawl.
 Mrs. Douglas Hazen, white satin gown, overdress white chiffon, sequin trimmings.
 Mrs. L. G. Crosby, black crepe de chene.
 Mrs. Harold Schofield, pale blue satin gown.
 Mrs. Sayre, apricot satin, fur trimmings.
 Mrs. James Jack, black and white striped voile, jet trimmings.
 Mrs. Merrill, grey satin.
 Mrs. Verne McLennan, black sequin gown.
 Mrs. Charles McDonald, black voile dress.
 Mrs. Pope Barnes, plum colored silk dress, chiffon overdress.
 Mrs. Andrew Jack, black lace dress.
 Mrs. Edwards, cream lace gown.
 Mrs. Edkin, pink mignon satin, silver sequin trimmings.
 Miss Minnie Girvan, blue mignon satin.
 Miss Kathleen Hazen, white satin with black chiffon overdress, old rose trimmings.
 Miss Bertha MacAulay, white crepe de chene, white chiffon overdress.
 Mrs. Daphne Crosby, black velvet dress, lace collar and cuffs.
 Miss Lydie Kimball, white lingerie dress.
 Miss Campbell, pale blue silk dress.
 Miss Elderkin, white-satin gown.
 Miss Frances Hazen, pale blue silk dress.
 Miss Fannie MacAulay, white satin gown, silver sequin and bugle trimmings.
 Miss Lillie Raymond, white silk dress, cream chiffon overdress, yellow satin bands a bodice and sleeves.
 Miss Jessie Lyle, natter blue gown.
 Mrs. Murray MacLaren, black lace gown.
 Miss Bessie Knight, white silk dress.
 Miss Emily Teed, white silk dress.
 Miss Jean White, pink muslin.
 Miss Lillian McGowan, white silk dress.
 Miss Janie Stone, black lace gown.
 Mrs. Homer Forbes, black silk dress, chiffon overdress.
 Miss Grace Fisher, pink satin dress.
 Miss Jean Leavitt, fawn colored silk.
 Mrs. Alex Wilson, black sequin dress.
 Miss Edith Skinner, black sequin dress.

Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cruikshank, Mr. and Mrs. Holly, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. MacLaren, Mr. and Mrs. David Ledingham, Miss Grace Fleming, Miss Helen Church, Mrs. Percy Thomson, Mrs. George F. Smith, Mrs. Merrill, Mrs. Gordon, Mrs. McLean, Mrs. W. E. Raymond, Mrs. R. T. Leavitt, Mrs. Baxter, Mr. and Mrs. Reed, Miss Jean McDonald, Mrs. Norris Hazen, Miss Marion Hazen, Mrs. Barton MacAulay, Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey, Miss Jessie Murdoch, Miss Alice Murdoch, Miss Barnes, Miss Mary Robertson, Mrs. C. A. Bell, Miss Alice Walker and daughter, Hugh McKay, Fred Fraser, Percy McAvity, Allan Thomas, Cyrus Inches, Frank Duddy, Roderick McLaughlin, McArthur, Errol Inches, Francis Burpee, Verne McLennan, George Keefe, Stanley McDonald, Stuart Bell, Gordon Kerr, John White, Jack Pugsley, Fred Taylor, Alex. McMillan, Charles Ady, George Miller, E. E. Church, Will Church, Blake McInerney, George MacKay, Will Cameron, Dick Barnes, Mac MacKay, Guy Thomas, Kenneth

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The fifth Folk Lore lecture was given on Thursday afternoon at the Natural History Association, Union street. The rooms were filled to overflowing. The lecturer was Miss Jean Leavitt, one of the junior members of the association. She read a paper on the "Folk Lore" which was the story of the Opera William Tell, which was greatly enhanced by the different motifs by Miss Mary Gilchrist, who gave them a beautiful rendering. The music was all well rendered. Miss Mary Gilchrist and Miss Gladys Bullock gave the overture. Miss Louise Knight sang "Reel and Air" in the only way. At the close of the lecture, Mrs. Denister gave a violin solo, Ballet Music, which called forth much applause. A cordial vote of thanks was given to the lecturer by the audience. The close of the lecture to Miss Leavitt, and those who assisted her by Mrs. Fiske and was seconded by Miss Leavitt.

Scottish "mills" was, as usual, celebrated in the great way that only Scotchmen can celebrate. A brilliant gathering in Keith's Assembly rooms marked the occasion, and the affair lasted until the early hours of the morning. The decorations were in evidence, and a feature of the decorations in the ballroom was the white thistles and St. Andrew's crosses mounted on the blue background of the pillars. The invited guests included Lt. Governor Tweedie and Mrs. Tweedie, Hon. and Mrs. R. J. Ritchie, Mr. and Mrs. John O'Keagan, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Anderson, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Morrison, Miss Marion Hazen, Mrs. R. M. Hazen, Miss Marion Hazen, Mrs. Lillian Hazen, Mrs. Robert Milligan, and Mrs. J. C. Anderson. The business part of the evening was finished, a short but very enjoyable programme took place. The speech of the evening was delivered by the Reverend Dr. J. A. Morrison of Chicago. After Dr. Morrison's eloquent and masterful address, the ceremony of "the passing of the mill" was observed. The floor was then cleared for the dancing. The programme included in addition to the usual dances the reel and strathspey, the Highland Schottische, and the reel of Tulloch. There were twelve numbers and three supper extras. In the supper rooms as elsewhere blue and white predominated, the color scheme being carried out in the decorations of the chandeliers, the flowers, and the table decorations. Real Scotch fish haggis and short bread imported for the occasion from the Old Country were leading features of the menu. Will ye ne come back again? Auld Lang Syne, and God Save the King brought the evening to a close.

The souvenir programme was of a very handsome design. Some of the then and there to attend at the said Court, this tenth day of November, A.D. 1910.

(Signed) J. R. ARMSTRONG, Judge of Probate.
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POLITICAL ISSUES IN GREAT BRITAIN.

The British election campaign opens today with contents in sixty-three constituencies, including some of the London boroughs. The fight is on; a fight, the most momentous in the history of the British constitution. Protection for the moment becomes a side issue, and the struggle centres around the acceptance of one of the two alternative proposals for the reform of the House of Lords, and the old but burning question of Home Rule for Ireland.

Of the alternative veto schemes now before the British people, the Conservative platform provides:— That no man can inherit a seat in the House of Lords.

That the Lords of Parliament shall comprise three groups: one elected by peers from among themselves, one holding seats by virtue of office or position in the nation, and one elected by the outside people in some way to be provided.

That the chamber so reformed shall forego the right to deal with money bills, in which the provisions are purely financial.

That in respect to other legislation, if the two chambers are unable to agree in two successive sessions, they may meet together and determine the issue on a joint vote, providing that in grave questions the issue may be submitted to the electors by a referendum.

No method is suggested to determine whether a question is grave enough for a referendum, but it is proposed that a joint committee shall decide whether money bills have other and foreign matters concealed on their premises.

As opposed to this programme the government submits no readjustment or change in the constitution of the House of Lords. But Mr. Asquith proposes:—

That the House of Lords shall not interfere with money bills, and the House of Commons shall determine whether a measure proposed is a genuine financial measure.

That all other measures shall become law if three times passed by the House of Commons in successive sessions in the course of two years or more, though the House of Lords should reject it on every occasion.

Mr. Asquith also proposes that no parliament shall continue more than five years. Incidentally he promises to introduce a measure for the payment of members.

Lord Rosebery who more than any other British statesman in recent years has come to be regarded as a free lance in politics, speaking at Manchester thus pointedly, defines the issues at stake:—

"This is just what lies before you. A reformed Upper Chamber without hereditary right, with largely popularly elected elements, with its relations with the House of Commons strictly defined by an agreement by which the Commons must be preponderant; that is on the one hand. On the other hand is the House of Lords kept as it is, hereditary principle and all, a great, helpless body, restrained as lunatics were restrained in the eighteenth century, chained, muzzled, impotent either for good or evil, side by side with an omnipotent salaried Chamber, with every power to add to its own power and emolument absolutely unchecked. I defy anybody wherever he may speak or wherever he may be, to deny that this is the option before the electors."

In answer to Lord Rosebery's plea for a strong and efficient Upper Chamber, Mr. Churchill at Dundee asks: "Strong against whom? Efficient for what purpose? Strong to resist the people, efficient to mutilate and destroy Liberal legislation." Mr. Churchill retorts the Liberal battle cry "Shall the people rule?"

The question of Home Rule is prominent in this election more by reason of the fact that the Nationalists hold the balance of power and are in a position to force the issue. The Unionists are taking every advantage of the situation. "Irish dictation"; "Will you be ruled by American dollars or the British sovereign?"; "Unionism means safety" are expressions which figure conspicuously in campaign speeches. Unless the temper of the constituencies, outside of the Home Rule provinces in Ireland, has undergone a wonderful change, the Unionists with the revival of this issue have a strong weapon of attack. Their challenge to submit the question of Home Rule to a referendum is a master stroke in political strategy. The Nationalists and their allies are well aware that the electors would not grant the type of Home Rule they would be compelled to demand, and, in the alternative, by refusing a referendum they are opposing democratic principles to which the Unionists confidently appeal.

On this side of the Atlantic, owing to the periodical visits of Mr. Redmond and his friends, who paint pictures of a united and happy Ireland under a national government, the uncompromising attitude of the inhabitants of Ulster in opposition to Home Rule is liable to be lost sight of. In England the stand taken by the Irish Protestants has always been a strong argument for opposing the Nationalists' demands.

The recent demonstration in Belfast, attended by delegates from every Ulster constituency, at which a resolution was adopted to draw up a solemn declaration refusing to pay rates or taxes imposed by a Dublin parliament or obey its decrees, while \$50,000 was subscribed on the spot to organize the Ulster men into regiments and purchase arms, will have its effect against the government.

To anyone familiar with the uncompromising and aggressive Protestantism of the North of Ireland, this declaration will not be merely "sound and fury signifying nothing," as Nationalist orators prefer to regard it. Irish Protestants believe, rightly or wrongly, that Home Rule would mean the undue influence of the priests and the Church in the political system, with consequent danger to Protestant freedom. The Belfast resolution will carry weight in British constituencies, and is already being made the most of by political speakers. To quote Lord Milner, "Home Rule is an abominable measure, certain to produce civil war."

It is only necessary to suppose the House of Lords abolished or muzzled, and Home Rule an accomplished fact to come face to face with the problem, What would England do in case Ulster should appeal to the arbitration of the sword? How could she compel a part of the Irish people to pay taxes to a Government in which they would refuse to be represented? How could she lend her soldiers to suppress the very men who have fought to maintain her supremacy on Irish soil? These are questions, which, in the past have forcibly presented themselves to the electorate, and will again in the present crisis.

The British House of Commons at the recent dissolution was constituted as follows:—

Table with 2 columns: Party and Seats. Liberals 275, Conservatives 273, Labor 40, Nationalists 71, Ind. Nationalists 11, Lib.-Lab. Majority over Cons. 42, Lib.-Lab.-Nat. Majority 124.

This was the result at the close of the pollings last January; and the seventeen by-elections, held since then, failed to bring about a single change in the representation of the constituencies.

The Liberals, Laborites and Irish Nationalists, who are supporting Mr. Asquith's programme, present a formidable coalition, but reports indicate that the sentiment in favor of the attitude of the Unionists is gaining ground. It is significant that "even" money is now offered that the government's coalition majority will be reduced from 124 to below 50, which would mean a gain of 32 seats for the Unionists. Should the Liberal Government with its allies be returned with a greatly reduced majority, it is freely predicted that Mr. Asquith would resign and that Mr. Balfour, the leader of the Opposition, would be invited to form a cabinet.

This would be followed by another appeal to the people with enhanced prospects of a Unionist success. The result of today's elections in constituencies which are scattered throughout the United Kingdom, should furnish a fair index of the feeling of the country.

THE HOME AND THE SCHOOL.

School authorities in Washington, D. C., are seeking to bring about co-operation between home and school. The first step toward that end is in the form of an invitation to parents to visit the city schools in which they are individually interested several times during the school terms; not formally or on specific days designated for that purpose, but as they may find time and inclination, so that they may know something of the actual, every-day routine of school work. Upon such visits, made in such manner, there can be no special programme arranged nor any showing of the children, above that which is customary in the daily conduct of the schools. The value of this movement, the Vancouver World points out, will depend, as a matter of course, upon the general acceptance of the invitations, and upon the interest which parents will take as a result thereof. There is no doubt, however, that in its intent, the movement is wise enough, and that, to say the least, it will be productive of some good both to pupils and teachers.

It is rather a curious fact that, taking city schools throughout the country, there is not probably more than a fraction of one per cent. of the parents whose children attend them who know anything from personal observation of the way they are conducted. In the country districts and in the smaller towns there is a more intimate acquaintance between the home and the school; although it may be questioned whether, even there, it is so intimate as it was at one time. The school touches the home, and the responsibilities that the home is charged with, more intimately and more generally than any other activity which we consider as performing a public function. The character which it is the duty of the home to build is influenced by the training of the school, and, on the other hand, that which the school would impart is taught with greater or less facility according as there is home interest in the process. There is every logical call for co-operation between the two.

The more observant and intelligent teachers are always able to pick out the pupils whose parents take a real live interest in their school work and their school problems; who are sympathetic as to their school joys and sorrows. The mark of distinction which enables the good teacher to tell who those pupils are is the fact of the greater progress they make in their school life. In other words, it is simply the fact that union, as between home and school, although it be imperfect, produces beneficial results that are self-evident. If there could be cultivation of more general interest by a system of parental visiting, such as that proposed at Washington, it would be a most simple means of effecting a much-desired advance in the culture of the child. And that, after all, is the chief end for which parents and teachers strive.

Current Comment

(Detroit Free Press.) Hanging up in front of one of the downtown shops yesterday morning we saw two deer, evidently the trophies of the trusty rifle of the proprietor. One was a fall-grown deer and a fine specimen, but the other was a fawn, no bigger than a goat. We may be over-sensitive, but even if we did shoot such a little, inoffensive thing by accident, we'd never bring it home to brag about it. It strikes us that there must be just as much sport in killing a deer of that age and size as there would be in beating a baby with a club.

(Toronto News.) "Reciprocity within the Empire rather than with foreign countries is today the aspiration of the Canadian people. It is my profound conviction that its early accomplishment is not only desirable but in even essential to the future solidity and welfare of the Empire." This is Mr. R. L. Borden's message to the British people and it accurately sums up Canadian public opinion.

(Pittsburgh Dispatch.) A South Carolina surgeon has at last discovered a use for the appendix. He finds it makes "an excellent tube for the irrigation of the intestines with antiseptic solutions" in the treatment and cure of pellagra. It will be kept in the appendixes if on "catching" pellagra they are told there is no hope because their appendix is gone.

(Vancouver Province.) Edison is hopeful of perfecting a device which, if successful, will be in the opinion of many married men be considered the crowning achievement of his life. It consists of an automatic arrangement that will fasten the back row of buttons on a woman's dress without assistance.

HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK

Continued from page 3. Raymond, Andrew Malcolm, Homer Forbes, Charles McDonald, Douglas Haynes, Henry Jack, Colin Mackay, Mr. Roy, Dr. Malcolm, Mr. Heaps, Dr. Sancton, Mr. Gobson, Dr. Addy, Col. Humphrey, Dr. Merrill, Mr. Teed, Dr. Inches and Mr. McLeod, Mrs. H. A. Powell, Orange street, entertained at the tea hour on Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Powell received her guests in a blue poplin dress with touches of black silk on the bodice, the yoke and sleeves were of point d'esprit. The mantels were decorated with wreaths of southern smilax, and vases of pale pink carnations. The tea table was decorated with yellow chrysanthemums, and yellow shaded lights. Mrs. L. R. Harrison made the tea and coffee and Mrs. Teed helped the tea cream. The waitresses were Miss Powell in brown velvet dress; Miss Laura Hazen in pale blue eolienne grebe hat; Miss Winnifred Barber, white mull dress and large black hat and Miss May Harrison in a white crepe de chene dress, white hat, with apricot satin bow. Among the guests were Mrs. Tippitt, Mrs. Wm. Hazen, Mrs. Stetson, Mrs. George F. Smith, Mrs. Winslow (Woodstock), Mrs. W. O. Raymond, Mrs. James Jack, Mrs. E. L. Jarvis, Mrs. Murray MacLaren, Mrs. H. H. McLean, Mrs. Keator, Mrs. Sweeny, Mrs. Barker, Mrs. Outram, Mrs. McLeod, Mrs. Matthew, Miss McLean and Miss Daisy Outram.

Senator Domville left for Ottawa on the Montreal Express Thursday evening.

St. Frederick Bowen passed through the city this week on his way to Ottawa.

Miss Lou Parks, who has been in Montreal, returned home on Tuesday. Miss Jessie Likely, Garden street, entertained at a girls' tea yesterday afternoon.

In Keith's Assembly rooms last Saturday evening, Mrs. E. A. Smith gave a very inspiring lecture on Canada from Gean to Ocean. There were over 200 present. The address of Mrs. Smith marked the first of a series of lectures to be given during the winter months. Mrs. Smith's fame as a lecturer is so well known that no space need be taken up in describing the lecture. Miles E. Agar the president of the Men's Canadian Club, in moving a vote of thanks to Mrs. Smith, paid her a high tribute for the address which she had so ably delivered. The motion was seconded by Mr. C. B. Allan, and put by Magistrate Ritchie and enthusiastically carried. After the very pleasant and informal reception took place. The reception was in charge of Mrs. H. A. McKeown, Mrs. Theodore Estabrook, Mrs. A. R. McLeod and Mrs. C. B. Allan, assisted by a number of young ladies. Mr. S. McGowan sang O Canada during the evening. It was announced that during the month of December Rev. A. Cody would give his lecture on Alaska and the Yukon.

Mr. A. D. Shortt of Halifax was in the city this week.

Mrs. R. W. Hannington of Vancouver, a number of her friends and friends on November 22nd at a tea in honor of her sister, Miss Beatrice Skinner, of St. John, who is at present staying with her.

Mr. McNaughton of McGill university, who will lecture before the Canadian Club on Wednesday, December 14th, will take as his subject the experiences of the Governor General and his party on their recent trip through Hudson Bay. Mr. McNaughton was a member of the party.

Mrs. D. J. Brown, of St. John, is in Montreal.

The annual sale of the Rotheray Ladies' Sewing Society was held on Thursday afternoon and evening at St. Paul's school house, Rotheray. The day was opened at 2 p. m. and at six o'clock a turkey supper was served. The Rotheray ladies are famous caterers and those who partook of their hospitality confirmed this verdict. The fancy work, candy and apron tables were all well patronized. Among those who went out from the city were Mr. and Mrs. Morris Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Cuthbert, Mr. and Mrs. Kay, Mrs. Will Allison, Mrs. Flood, Mrs. McAvily, Mrs. E. T. Sturdee, Mrs. MacKenzie, Miss McKenzie and Master Neville McKenzie. Misses Emily and Kathleen Sturdee, Miss Annie McGivern, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Tilley, Mr. Mac MacKay, Miss Clair Hamilton and Mr. Harold Cruikshank.

A social function took place on Wednesday afternoon and evening at the home of Mrs. W. A. Henderson, King street East. About 250 guests were present. During the afternoon tea was served and in the evening there was bridge and dancing. Mrs. Fred E. Hanington and Mrs. Merrill presided at the tea tables. Miss Ethel Sales led the ice cream and Mrs. Fred Nelson and Mrs. Morrison had charge of the dining room. Those who waited were Miss Bertha Fales, Miss Winnie Fairweather, Miss Lillian Anderson, Miss Nora Stewart, Miss Roberta Wisely and Miss Alice Smith. Mrs. Robert Jarvis and Mrs. Ernest Smith ushered. It was a very delightful affair.

A very pretty wedding took place on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. D. Lewis, Horsfield street, when her sister, Miss Mildred Isaacs, was united in marriage to Mr. I. M. Rubniovich of Montreal. Mrs. S. D. Lewis was the matron of honor and Mr. Sydney Isaacs was the groomsmen. Mr. and Mrs. Rubniovich will reside in Montreal.

Premier to Mr. Aitken. A London despatch to the Montreal Star says: Hon. J. D. Hazen has sent W. M. Aitken, a warm message, wishing him as distinguished a British political career as New Brunswick's great son, Bonar Law.

Faith in St. John. The Fenton Land and Building Company has purchased from the Thomas R. Jones estate the large block of land on Seely street near the Gardens, formerly used as tennis courts. This is one of the largest vacant lots in the city, and its purchase is another evidence of the faith the company has in the development of St. John.

Liquor Violation Case. The case against the Royal Hotel, charged with having two doors to their bar, was taken up before Magistrate Ritchie yesterday afternoon. A. A. Wilson, K.C., appeared for Rev. W. R. Robinson, who laid the complaint, and W. A. Ewing for the Royal Hotel. Inspector Jones was the first witness. He stated that on the occasion of his last visit to the hotel on Nov. 15, there were two doors to the bar. A similar charge against the Dufferin Hotel will be heard on Monday, and that against the Park Hotel on Tuesday.

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G. E. FAULKNER, Secretary.
Halifax, N. S., Nov. 25th, 1910.

People's Pulpit.

Sermon by Charles T. Russell, Pastor Brooklyn Tabernacle
*Did We Give Thanks?
To Whom Did We Do So?*
The Celebrated Brooklyn Pastor Back from Britain

Oklahoma City, Nov. 27.—Pastor Russell of Brooklyn Tabernacle addressed large audiences here twice today in our principal auditorium. We report one of his addresses from the following text:

"O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good; for His mercy endureth for ever."—Psalm civ. 1.
Thanksgiving Day appears to all of us, and we are glad that the Pilgrim Fathers long years ago started the custom. They placed it at the end of the harvest and in recognition of the same. The keeping of such a day appeals to all civilized mankind in a considerable degree, because our Great Creator so organized us that the quality of reverence, or thankfulness, lies prominently on the top of our heads. The man or woman, rich or poor, educated or ignorant, bond or free, who has not this organ of devotion developed in a reasonable measure cannot be appreciative and deferential toward his Creator, and hence would not enjoy Thanksgiving Day. We are glad that these are comparatively few. We are glad to suppose that the majority of this great nation of civilization looked up to God with grateful hearts, and thanked Him thanks for blessings manifested.

Hindrances to True Reverence.
Nevertheless, the numbers increase yearly of those who are losing their reverence for the God of the Bible and vaguely turning towards a God of Nature, of whom they profess to know comparatively little. These irreverent and unthankful fellow-creatures are not generally the least favored of our race, nor the least favored in temporal mercies and blessings. Among them are many learned, wealthy, influential. Their condition is well represented by that of a young woman who called at my study recently. In substance she said "I have lost my God. I am unhappy. I am hoping that you will be able to assist me in finding Him again." Thank God, we were able to assist her in this, and she is able to give thanks to God in all sincerity.

I am not speaking to the irreverent in this audience, nor to those of this class in my larger audience of millions all over the world, to whom I speak through the public press. I am speaking to others who, while not yet fully in the faith, are still disposed to give thanks. I speak to these because I realize that the world greater intelligence, more independent thoughtfulness, in a wider use of reason. I speak because my experience tells me that the least those best armed with the Truth and awakened to independent thought, they are almost certain to fall into unbelief—Evolution, Higher Criticism, and mere form of godliness, which denies the real power thereof.

The Truth Shall Make You Free.
The Great Teacher prayed for His followers "Sanctify them through Thy Truth Thy Word is Truth (John xvii. 17). To be freed from the error of the world, to be safeguarded against the error. To be ignorant of the Truth is to fall a prey to the error—especially in this evil day when a hundred and thirty thousand at thy right hand" (Psalm cxl. 7). The difficulty with us has been that many have supposed that the conversion of the world and its sanctification can be accomplished by misrepresentation of Divine Character and Justice. Unconsciously we have learned to twist and interpret our Bibles to fit the erroneous creeds which were handed to us by our well-meaning forefathers. The Day of Judgment upon these false creeds is upon us. We learn that the Bible, when we will interpret the Bible when we reject the creeds—and that must be very soon for all thinking people. "To the testimony which they speak not according to this Word, it is because there is no light in them" (Isaiah viii. 20).

Causes For Ingratitude.
"Come, let us reason together, saith the Lord" If our creeds tell us truly that we were all born damned, either to Purgatory or to eternal torment, should we give thanks to God for our sins? If our creeds tell truly that a select handful of saints will escape the torture, how do we know whether or not we belong to that select handful? Have we sufficient information on this subject to give thanks therefore? If our creeds tell truly that nearly all of the members of our families, nearly all of our neighbors and friends, but not "sanctified in Christ Jesus," not followers in the footsteps of Jesus, not those "who walk not after the flesh, but after the spirit," are doomed to more horrible torture than the worst earthly sufferings we could possibly imagine for them, and are doomed to these for centuries in Purgatory, according to the Catholic; or for all eternity, according to our Protestant theories, can we honestly thank the God for any of these conditions, if we believe them to be true? Can we "worship in spirit and in truth" a Creator who would make such an atrocious plan? And could we respect His honor if He should tell us "good tidings of great joy to all people?" Assuredly we could not!

If the foregoing things which have come down to us from the Dark Ages be true, of what consequence, in comparison would be the material harvests of earth, which would merely encourage and stimulate the longing of the hearts of larger numbers of us into being to experience those tortures? If these things be true, rather should we give thanks for famine and pestilence, which would obliterate our race, and thus save future thousands of millions from the horrors of eternal torture. These thoughts will come to all intelligent beings, so long as they are brought forward now, in order that we may offset them with the Truth—that we may show the fallacy of these "doctrines of devils," as St. Paul designates them (Ephesians ii. 2). We bring them to your attention so that we may not only demolish them, but give you instead the true, satisfactory portion.

Brood that came down from heaven to give life eternal, not merely to the saintly few of the Church, but to mankind in general. Those who get the proper view of our Creator and of His

lifting of those of Adam's race who will become the children of Christ through obedience and adoption.

The trials and testings of all those who will become the children of Christ must be similar to those of the Redeemer. They must suffer with Him if they would reign with Him. As He sacrificed His earthly life and His life and interest, so must they. He exhorted them, "Present your bodies living sacrifices, holy and acceptable to God, a reasonable service" (Romans xii. 1). True, there is a difference between these followers of Jesus and the Captain of their salvation. He was brought into the world holy, harmless, undefiled and separate from sinners; hence His sacrifice is a perfect one. Those accepted as His members, as His Bride, belong to the race of sinners. They were "children of wrath even as others" (Ephesians ii. 3). Their acceptance as sacrifices, therefore, was not possible except as the great Captain of their Salvation imparted to those sacrifices a sufficiency of the merit of His sacrifice to compensate for their defects and to make their sacrifices acceptable to the Father with His and as a part of His being counted in with Him as "members of His Body."

My dear friends, those of us who have the eye of faith and the hearing of faith to appreciate this message of God's Word, may surely be thankful to the last degree. What more could our Heavenly Father do for us, inviting us by the way, and making us sharers in the Kingdom glory of the Son? More than this, He has been blessing our friends, our children, our parents, our neighbors, the heathen—all of mankind, of our family.

Thanks Because God is Good.
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In the Psalm from which our text is taken the Prophet David repeats the thought of the ever-continuing of His mercy, 26 times. Our English translation does not give us the exact thought. Properly translated it would read, "O, give thanks, for His mercy endureth ever." The word evermore nearly represents the thought of the Hebrew, "herodically not forever, but to completion. As long as there is any use for mercy, God's mercy will continue. When the great Divine programme shall have been accomplished, when "every creature in heaven and in earth and under the earth, shall be heard saying, Praise and glory, and honor, dominion and might be unto the Lamb forever" (Revelation v. 13) then there will no longer be need for mercy; mercy will have accomplished its work.

Justice signifies the setting aside of justice in some manner, for some reason. Justice is the foundation of God's government. Justice had control of Father Adam and offered him eternal life in an Eden home, as a reward for obedience; or death, as a penalty for disobedience. As Divine wisdom had foreknowledge, man disobeyed and the penalty of justice, "Dying thou shalt die" was executed. Through hereditary all of Adam's race became involved—all inherited sinful tendencies and dying constitutions.

For more than 2,000 years death reigned upon the race as a whole, and our race as a whole were subjected to it. A little later the law covenant was made with Israel—one nation out of many. It seemed to offer mercy, but it was merely offered eternal life if they could keep the law, which they could not keep because of inherited blemishes, moral and physical.

It was over 4,000 years from the time justice struck the fatal blow, until Divine mercy stepped forward to help him. Herein was manifested the love of God, in that He sent His only begotten Son into the world, "that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life" (I. John iv. 9; John iii. 16). But meaning the darkness of sin and the misrepresentations of Divine character to the adversary had so operated upon the fallen race that—eyes had they, but they saw not; ears had they, but they understood not; hearts had they, but they comprehended not; the presence of Divine mercy, they fulfilled the Scriptures in slaying the One sent for their relief. And they have misunderstood and misapplied the Scriptures—destitute the true church of God, including the Apostles and all the faithful throughout this age—the household of faith. "The church of the first-born," whose names are written in heaven, (Hebrews xii. 23.) These constitute the little flock, to whom it is the Father's good pleasure to give the Kingdom, and shortly thereafter the Kingdom of glory, and to uplift the world, operating through natural Israel.

Mercy Rejecteth Over Justice.
Man's necessity became God's opportunity for the display of His glorious character—Justice, Love and Power. While love could not clear the guilty, it could provide a Redeemer to suffer, "the Just for the unjust." But Divine Justice would not allow this, unless with the consent of the sufferer. Hence we read that God set before His only begotten Son a glorious Plan and invited the co-operation therein. The Son assented, left the heavenly glory, was made flesh and "offered Himself" an acceptable sacrifice, "the Just for the unjust and his race. The Father honored Him by raising Him from the dead to a still higher glory and honor than He had before, from His glorious station. He is empowered to be the Mediator between God and men between Divine Justice and fallen humanity. He is enabled to give the earthly rights which He sacrificially laid down for Adam and his race—to so many of human nature and its rights and privileges upon terms in harmony with the Divine Law—the remainder He will destroy, annihilate "as beasts" (I. Peter ii. 12; Acts iii. 21). As though all this were not sufficiently wonderful, as though with all the Heavenly Father's Wisdom, Justice, Love and Power would not have sufficiently illustrated, exemplified, God added another feature. Before beginning to deal with the world as a whole, to give back to the world an object of the race human perfection and an earthly Eden Paradise and eternal life; before commencing this work of restitution (Acts iii. 21), the Father made known to the Son and to the Son a Bride, a class selected from amongst the fallen race—called chosen, faithful overcomers. These are the Joint-Heirs of the Second Adam, will share with Him in the up-

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Brenan—In this city on the 2nd inst., after a short illness, Ernest Alfred, son of N. W. and the late Charlotte T. Brennan, aged 30 years, leaving a loving wife and five children to mourn.
Funeral on Monday, the 5th inst., from his late residence, 88 Spring street, on Monday, Dec. 5 at 2 p. m. Brethren of Sinner Courts are invited to attend.

I. O. F.
The Officers and Members of Court Rockwood, No. 1470, are requested to attend the funeral of our late
BRO. E. A. BRENNAN,
from his late residence, 88 Spring street, on Monday, Dec. 5 at 2 p. m. Brethren of Sinner Courts are invited to attend.

Sunday School Meeting.
Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock a mass meeting of Sunday school children and workers will be held at the Waterloo Street Baptist Church.

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MANCHESTER LINERS From Manchester Nov. 10—Manchester Commerce.

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N. B. Southern Railway On and after SUNDAY, October 9, 1910, trains will run daily.

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Montreal, Dec. 2.—Flour is in better demand on local and country account and millers report an improvement in business.

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 2.—Ontario wheat is coming out a little more freely, probably as a result of better condition of the roads.

WHEAT—Ontario wheat, winter wheat, No. 2, 84 cents to 85 cents.

WHEAT EXPORT SHOWS BIG DECREASE

New York, Dec. 2.—Wheat, including flour exports from the United States and Canada for the week ending December 1st, as reported by the United States Department of Agriculture.

Trade throughout the greater part of Canada is active although in the east, following the closing of navigation, business at wholesale has remained quiet.

From London Steamer From London Oct. 26—Rappahannock.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

(Quotations Furnished by Private Wires of J. C. Mackintosh & Co. Members of Montreal Stock Exchange, 111 Prince Wm. Street, St. John, N. B.)

Table with columns: Shares, Price, High, Low, Close. Lists various stocks including Amalg. Copper, Am. Bell Telephone, Am. Car and Ferry, etc.

Mercantile Marine

DAILY ALMANAC. Saturday Dec. 3 1910. Sun rises 7:52 a.m. Sun sets 4:34 p.m.

PORT OF SAINT JOHN. Arrived Saturday Dec. 2. Stmr. Victoria, 1544, Outram, from Liverpool via Halifax, Wm. Thomson & Co. pass and mdse.

Reports and Disasters. Baltimore, Nov. 30.—Schr. White Wings, hence for Savannah, with coal, drifted ashore below Seven Foot Knoll.

Shipping Notes. St. John schooner Lavonia left New York last Wednesday for St. John.

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OCTOBER BAD MONTH FOR RAILWAYS

New York, N. Y., Nov. 2.—The reactionary movement with which the week in the stock market began, was continued today, material losses being registered throughout the list.

In various lines of trade, more particularly the steel industry, these conditions are not calculated to inspire confidence and the ease with which prices have crumbled away, offers strong proof that recent efforts to create bullish sentiment have been abortive.

As an offset to adverse factors, rumors were current today that the market had long depended for sustenance on the operations of professional traders, many of whom have now grown discouraged at the general trend of conditions.

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FIREMEN MAKE BRILLIANT EVENT OF NO. 7 OPENING

West Side. En Fete Last Evening at Entertainment of Visiting Companies--Fine Gift for Retiring Chief--Pleasing Speeches and Good Music--Old Engine on View.

It was a big time in the West End last night when the new No. 7 Fire Station was formally opened.

Chief John Kerr with men from the East Side Department with hose and ladder companies, along with the officers and men from the two salvage corps companies were present in large numbers.

There were also present--Aldermen McGoldrick, Vanwart, Sprout, Potts, White, Scully, Smith, McLeod, Wignone, Jones, and Russell; Engineer J. B. M. Baxter, Director Murdoch, Rev. J. O'Donovan, Rev. T. F. Scovill, Capt. McNeil of Glasgow; George T. Waring, superintendent of the ferry, and other prominent gentlemen.

The West End firemen were on hand in uniform and as the visitors entered the door by District Engineer J. Alfred Ring, Capt. Wm. Howard, of No. 2, Hook and Ladder; Foreman Isaac Amos, of No. 7, and Foreman George Fawcett of No. 6 Company.

The station was gayly decorated with flags and bunting. The apparatus shone as brightly as polish and "elbow grease" could make them, and a real feature, which was the centre of attraction, was old No. 8 hand engine called the "Prince of Wales."

The station was also presented with a handsome picture of King George V.

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CHAMPION OF 14 TEAMS IN BOY MANAGER GETS THE CASH

Pick of International Riders from Australia, Europe and America Enter for Annual New York Contest.



Ted Murphy.

New York, N. Y., Dec. 2.—Entries for the six day bicycle race in Madison Square Garden, which begins one minute after midnight Sunday night, closed yesterday with 14 entries from Australia, Europe and America, as follows:

Coast to coast team—George Cameron, New York city and Alfred Halstead, San Francisco.

American-Swedish team—Frank Galvin, New York city and Norman Anderson, Copenhagen.

German-Holland team—Walter Rutt, Germany and Johann Stiel, Holland.

French-Belgian team—Achille Gorman, France and Francois Verlinde, Belgium.

Kangaroo team—Patrick O'Sullivan, New Zealand and Alfred Convent, Australia.

Western team—W.E. Milton, Devonport, In and Lloyd Thomas, San Francisco, Cal.

Pony team—George Willey, Syracuse, New York and Percy O. Lawrence, San Francisco.

French team—Leon Georget, France and Julian Ponchola, France.

Australian team—E. A. Pye, Australia, and Gordon Walker, Australia.

International team—Floyd Macfarlane, San Jose, Cal and Jack Clarke, Melbourne, Australia.

Irish-American team—"Eddie" Root, New York city and James Moran, Chelsea, Mass.

Dixie-Mormon team—"Bobbie" Waltons, Atlanta, Ga., and Iver Lawson, Salt Lake City.

Boston-New York team—"Joe" Fogler, Brooklyn, New York and "Fred" Hill, Boston, Mass.

Hub team—Peter Collins, Boston, Mass. and Elmer Drobach, Boston.

The best military rifle shot in England is Corporal Radice, who won the King's Prize, the most sought for trophy of English marksmen, at the annual match at Bisley, with a record score of 340 out of a possible 350.

Thirteen Italians Rounded Up By Secret Service Men Believed To Be Pupils Of Famous "Lupo."

New York, Dec. 1.—The notorious Lupo gang of counterfeiters, whose members were implicated in at least one murder and countless blackhand cases, was put out of existence, today by 13 Italian and one American, who were arrested in the seizure of a large amount of counterfeit bills. Nine of the prisoners are believed to be the remaining members of the gang, the leaders of which were arrested last winter and are serving terms aggregating 150 years in the federal prison at Atlanta for counterfeiting.

Today's arrests were made by Richard H. Taylor, head of the secret service in this city, his agents, and members of the Italian bureau of the Metropolitan Police.

Nine men were held to be turned over to the federal authorities tomorrow, the other four were paroled as witnesses. The Lupo gang was headed by "Lupo, the wolf," who received a sentence of 30 years, and Giuseppe Barrelo, sentenced to 25 years. The "barrel murderer" was laid to membership of the band of counterfeiters.

Not Covered by Insurance. Although the chairman of the Board of Public Works stated Thursday that his advice was that the \$12,000 insurance on the McLeod warehouse would cover the cost of making the structure as good as new. It is believed that the city's loss will exceed this sum by about \$3,000. The warehouse cost \$18,000 in the first place, and including repairs probably represents an investment of over \$20,000. Most of it will have to be rebuilt, and it is doubtful if with the present prices of lumber the insurance will suffice to do the job in a satisfactory manner.

Rev. Mr. Cody to Lecture. Rev. H. A. Cody, the popular St. John pastor, will deliver a lecture before a meeting of the Young Men's Club on Monday, December 12, in the Keith's Assembly rooms. He will speak on "Life in the Yukon and give an account of his personal experiences while in that region. The lecture will be illustrated. A large attendance of members of the club is anticipated.

Fine Lecture Course. A series of meetings and lectures of unusual interest and educational value has been arranged by the Temple of Honor, and one will be held each Thursday evening during the winter in their hall, Main street. The list of speakers include the names of Hon. J. D. Hazen, Recorder Baxter, Mayor Frink and H. A. Powell, K. C. Rev. D. Hutchison will give a series of talks on Temperance, speaking next Thursday evening on the Genesis of the Movement.

Shall West Side Terminals be Sold. The annual meeting of the Board of Trade will be held on Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock for the election of officers, etc. His Worship the Mayor will address the meeting on the question of selling the West Side terminals to the Federal government.

In Aid of Society. For several weeks a Hand Circle of the King's Daughters have worked to make a success of their Moving Picture entertainment in the Opera House Monday and Tuesday. If the public will generously attend both afternoon and evening the Circle hope to have a good sum to hand over to the Anti-Tuberculosis society.

Socialist Meeting. On Sunday at the Socialist Hall, 141 Mill street, at 3:15 p. m., P. Hyatt will speak on Socialism and Prohibition. All are invited. Questions will be answered and discussion is encouraged.

Lord Northcliffe On Seasickness. Gentlemen—Your letter of the 14th of September reached me on my return to England from a journey to Newfoundland and back, during which I have seen and heard abundant evidence of the fact that Mother's Seasick Remedy appears to be, in nineteen cases out of twenty, an absolute cure for sea-sickness, and also for what Americans call "Car-Sick."

Northcliffe's Remedy Quickly Cures Sea or Train Sickness. Guaranteed safe and harmless. 50c, and \$1.00 a box at all Drug Stores and Drug Departments. If your Druggist does not have it in stock he can get it for you from any Wholesale Druggist in Canada. Mothers' Remedy Co., Ltd., Detroit, Mich., U. S. A.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 2.—Barney Oldfield, the automobile speed driver, who is at present under suspension by the A. A. A., today received a letter from Tom S. Andrews of Australia, offering him \$10,000 to appear at ten meets in the Antipodes.

Oldfield says he will decline the offer for as, because of his difficulty with the A. A. A., he wants to stay in America and fight it out. He is to hold a meet at Ascot Park on Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 10 and 11, independent of the A. A. A. This will be Oldfield's first fight against the organization that controls automobile racing in America.

Chatham, Dec. 2.—A large crowd saw the bout in the Temperance Hall last night between Hastings Bill Kolb of Philadelphia and Joe Mahone of Boston. The bout went for ten rounds and Kolb had much the better of it. Mahone being compelled to spar for time in several rounds.

Mahone came up better in the tenth however, and both men were at it hard when the gong sounded. Frank Winslow refereed. No decision was given, but Kolb really won on points. He weighed about ten pounds heavier than his opponent.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 2.—John J. Mitchell, president of the Illinois Trust and Savings Bank has closed a deal at the live stock show for three English hackney horses, paying \$5,000 for the trio. The horses are to be sent to the Mitchell country home and stock farm, near Lake Geneva, where the financier plays golf during the summer.

The purchase was made from J. G. Truman, of Whittlesey, England, who also owns the Pioneer Stud Farm near Bushnell, Ill. Mr. Mitchell has brought to this country more than 100 draught horses of the Shire breed.

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New York, N. Y., Dec. 2.—The American Automobile Association elected the following officers for the year 1911: President, Robert P. Hopper, Pennsylvania; Secretary, John N. Brook, Connecticut; Treasurer, H. A. Bonnell, New Jersey.

Opera House Show. Those who attend the entertainment in the Opera House Monday and Tuesday will do three things. They will enjoy first class music and pictures, will learn better how to protect themselves and their families against the society whose endeavor it is to banish this disease from the city. Besides the pictures there will be entertainment by the following: Gershon S. Mayes, Barton Wetmore, Miss Kathleen Hogan, Prof. D. Arnold Fox and Mrs. D. P. Chisholm. Miss Foster will be the accompanist.

Pilots Are Safe. The good news of the safety of the pilot boat James D. Thomas, contained on a postcard from Rockland, Me., was gladly received by the families of the men and the citizens of St. John yesterday. There is no further word.

Mr. Gerrard's Promotion. George B. Gerrard, manager of the London branch of the Bank of B. N. Canada, has been promoted to Montreal shortly to fill an important position. Just what the position is will be made known shortly. Mr. Gerrard will be succeeded in London by H. E. Sykes.

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

New York, Dec. 2.—Another crop estimate published this morning by one of the accepted statistical authorities compared to the general consensus of ideas with regard to the season's yield. Miss Giles, who, on the average of past reports, has been approximately correct, estimated the current crop at 12,092,000 bales exclusive of Inters. These supposedly bearish figures were supplemented later in the day by the heavy Inters figures, for the season totaling over 627,000 bales against 374,000 last year and 629,000 for the record crop year of 1908-09. This brings the total for the season 690,000 bales ahead of last year and less than 200,000 bales were reported as 78,000 bales for the day, or 60,000 bales in excess of the same day last year. Considering the bearish nature of the day's news but set the decline of 14 to 20 points during the day did not indicate any fundamental weakness in the market. As a matter of fact, the situation one week before the government report reveals as wide a divergence of crop ideas as existed a month ago. News developments from day to day continue to blow hot and cold by turns precluding any fixity either of opinion or market position. In the past the great majority of operators and ranging a highly nervous and irregular movement of prices. Unless it develops that the crop is considerably larger than the mean average of current estimates we do not expect to see any serious decline from the going level until at least current crop options near maturity.

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TIGERS AND I. C. R. LEAD BLACK'S BOWLING LEAGUES

Last evening at Black's in the City League the Imperials defeated the Yanagans three points to one and in the Commercial League Waterbury and Rising won from Macaulay Bros. by a small margin.

Table with columns for League, Team, and Score. Includes Imperials, Yanagans, and Commercial League results.

Waterbury and Rising. Stillwell, 72 72 68 212-70 248; Bagberry, 70 82 77 229-70 143; Featherstone, 81 80 76 237-79; Chesley, 81 66 80 227-75 252; Labbe, 79 108 88 275-91 252.

The league standings: City League. Won Lost P. C. Tigers, 13 3 812; Yanagans, 12 4 759; Y. M. C. A., 10 6 425; Imperials, 9 9 457; National, 5 7 416; Insurance, 6 10 375; Pirates, 4 12 250; Ramblers, 3 9 250.

Commercial League. Won Lost P. C. I. C. R., 14 2 875; McAvity, 16 4 800; Brock and Paterson, 15 5 750; M. K. A., 14 6 700; Macaulay Bros., 14 6 700; C. P. R., 11 5 687; Emerson and Fisher, 10 10 500; S. Hayward and Co., 6 14 200; Waterbury and Rising, 5 15 250; O. H. Warwick, 4 12 250; Canadian Oil, 2 18 100; T. S. Simms, 1 15 662.

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IN ROPED ARENA. Al Kaufman is going to England in February. Champion Jack Johnson has planned to spend \$1000 in buying Christmas presents for his relatives and friends.

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Advertisement for Skates! Skates! Skates! and Scribner's Sporting Goods House. Text: 'We are newly equipped with the best Method of Grinding Skates. Price 15c. We have a fine assortment of Whelpley's Skates on hand. SCRIBNER'S Sporting Goods House, Cor. King Square and Sydney Sts.'

Advertisement for a company, likely related to the skating advertisement. Text: 'Company', 'Close', 'Bld', '14.98 15.00', '14.96 98 99'.

18 MORE SHOPPING DAYS BEFORE CHRISTMAS
THE WEATHER.

Fresh westerly and northwesterly winds, fair and colder, local snow flurries.
Toronto, Ont., Dec. 2.—Snow has fallen today in most parts of the western provinces and snow flurries have occurred from the Lake region to the Maritime Provinces. Another pronounced high area accompanied by cold weather is moving into Alberta.

City	Min.	Max.
Atlin	4	12
Victoria	46	60
Vancouver	47	50
Kamloops	36	42
Edmonton	8	12
Battleford	8	12
Prince Albert	8	12
Calgary	8	10
Moosajaw	2	14
Quappelle	2	14
Winnipeg	4	20
Port Arthur	4	12
Ferry Sound	14	22
London	17	29
Toronto	17	29
Montreal	22	28
Quebec	24	32
St. John	22	28
Halifax	32	46

Washington, Dec. 2.—The record of the kite flight at Mount Weather, Va., on Friday showed the absence of temperature fall above the one weather station. This condition, coupled with the comparatively low surface temperature was responsible for the general, though very light, snows over New England and the Middle Atlantic States, which the surface conditions indicated clear weather. Low temperatures persist over the eastern half of the country. Fair weather will prevail Saturday and Sunday. The temperature will rise on Sunday in the Atlantic states.
Forecast for New England:—Fair Saturday; Sunday increasing to moderate; moderate westerly northwest winds, becoming variable Sunday.

AROUND THE CITY

Came For Prisoner.
Chief Jesse Carter, of Amherst, police arrived in the city yesterday and took pack with him Duncan Ferguson, charged with arson.

Y. M. C. A. Boys' Social.
There was a social for the High School boys in the Y. M. C. A. last evening. There was a large attendance and the affair was greatly enjoyed.

Exmouth Street Methodist Church.
Class meet, Sunday morning at 9.45. Preaching service at 11 a. m., Rev. M. B. Tanner. Sacrament at close of morning service. Sunday school and Bible classes at 2.30 p. m. Preaching service at 7 p. m. Pastor Rev. W. W. Brewer.

Insurance Loss.
Edgar Fairweather returned yesterday from Woodstock, where he was acting as adjuster for the insurance companies interested in the fire in the McConnell foundry. The loss was fixed as follows: Buildings, \$2,575; machinery, \$3,395; patterns, \$500; stock, \$1,570; total, \$7,840. The insurance carried amounted to \$21,000.

Handsome Memorial.
Mrs. Robert Reid, of Young's Cove; Mrs. A. B. Smith, of Cumberland Bay, and Mrs. B. H. Smith, of Waterborough, have erected a handsome marble slab in the church yard of St. Luke's church, Waterborough, in memory of their mother, Mrs. Alexander McIntosh.

Gospel Temperance Meeting.
Gospel temperance meeting will be held in the West End Temperance Hall Sunday evening under the auspices of Granite Rock Division. A well known temperance worker will speak and the church choir will be in attendance. The meeting opens at 8.15 and the public are invited.

On Wit and Humor.
Rev. J. B. Champion, of Silver Falls lectured last evening under the auspices of the Epworth League, of Fairville. He told of Wit and Humor as under the heads in childhood, literature, the church and politics. H. W. Stout presided. There was a good attendance and the lecture was much enjoyed.

Mrs. Agnes Phinney.
The death took place last evening of Agnes Phinney, widow of William Phinney, at her home 276 Germain street, in the 68th year of her age. The deceased leaves four sons and one daughter to mourn. The sons are Thomas of Des Moines, Iowa; Howard, William and George of this city. The daughter is Miss Louise at home.

S. of E. Annual Meeting.
The annual meeting of Portland Lodge Sons of England, was held last evening in their rooms, Temple of Honor Hall, Main street and was largely attended. The lodge has had a successful year and at the close of the expected to have a cash balance of \$1,000 in the bank. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, W. Allan; vice-president, Harry Lowe; chaplain, L. A. Belyea; secretary, Harry Sellen; treasurer, W. K. Cronk; guides, Ist. C. London; 2nd, W. Scribner; 3rd, B. Edwards; 4th, G. Macaulay; 5th, H. Taylor; 6th, S. Holder; inside guard, C. B. Green; outside guard, E. Brittain; physicians, No. 1, Dr. S. Skianer; No. 2, Dr. L. M. Curran; trustees, H. C. Green, Ald. Wigmore, St. C. McKiel; auditors, L. A. Belyea, E. Brittain, John P. McBay, Mr. Sellen, the secretary of the lodge, was re-elected for the 12th time.

Today's Matinee.
The largest audience of the engagement witnessed the production of the Pearl of Savoy in the Opera House last evening by T. H. Bird and local players. The performance was an excellent one and was greeted with hearty applause. The contests among the members of the company in which handsome gold watches were awarded to the gentleman and lady selling the largest number of tickets were closed. The gentleman's prize was won by Jack Wilson, who sold more than 240 tickets. There will be a special matinee production this afternoon at 2.30 when the play and specialties will be produced in full. On Tuesday evening next the company will visit Fredericton where the complete performance will be given. Residents of the capital will be a treat in store for them.

Try Our Maraschino Cherry Chocolate.
Time, White's, King street.

OLD POTTS THINKS

COMMENT UNJUST FOR YOUNG LIBERALS
Ferry Committee Intends to Pay Off Bills Carried Over from Year to Year—Dredging at No. 7.

The ferry committee held a meeting yesterday afternoon. The chairman censured the Telegraph and Times saying these papers wanted a bridge and were inclined to publish sensational stories about the management of the ferry. Besides Chairman Potts, there were present Ald. Wigmore and Sprout with the common clerk and Supt. Waring.

In his monthly report the superintendent stated the dredging had been started at No. 7 berth and said that it was likely to cause trouble to the approach to the West Side floats. He also reported that the Western Extension had undergone a general cleaning and was ready for use.

Ald. Wigmore moved that the attention of the council be drawn to the possibility of the dredging at No. 7 berth causing a slide that might endanger the West Side ferry floats. This was adopted.

A motion was adopted approving the action of the chairman in asking for \$2,000 extra against possible contingencies.

Ald. Potts said that bills of from \$2,200 to \$2,700 had been carried over from year to year for a long time and they should try to start the year even. Continuing the chairman read the Telegraph's lecture on sensationalism and party politics and the proposed bridge. He said that the ferry committee had for years been pursuing a policy of false economy in regard to the floats. Instead of making permanent improvements, it had been content with patchwork.

The committee then reviewed the by-laws governing the ferry service. Some slight alterations were made in the wording of a number of sections to bring them in accord with present practices. A section was added embodying the decision of the council to give the ferry employees the same authority as policemen.

The board then adjourned.

VICTORIAN ARRIVES EARLY THIS MORNING

Greater Number of Passengers Landed at Halifax—Brings Much Fruit for Christmas Trade—A Fine Trip.

On her first trip to this port this season the big Allan line steamship Victorian arrived in port early this morning from Liverpool via Halifax with 55 cabin and 24 steerage passengers—389 of her passengers landed at Halifax.

The Victorian, in command of Capt. Outram, left Liverpool on Friday last at 6.30 p. m. and docked at Halifax at 3.25 last Thursday afternoon. The trip across the Atlantic was uneventful, and with the exception of one day, the big turbine met with excellent weather.

The daily runs to Halifax were as follows: 289, 419, 425, 426, 381, 420 and 66 miles to Halifax, making a total of 2445 miles for the voyage.

The following were the saloon passengers of the Victorian all of which landed at Halifax: D. Budge, L. M. B. Bullock, Professor Carely, Mrs. Carely, Miss M. D'Eve, Mrs. E. H. Martin and maid, J. B. Mather, Mrs. Mather, John P. Stewart, Balfour Trotter, James Voight, G. Del Valle Yznaga.

James Doyle was the pilot in charge of the Victorian coming around from Halifax. The steamer had a large cargo for this port and the west. Among her freight is 356 packages of fruit and 210 cases and bags of nuts for the Christmas trade in St. John.

EMPRESS AWAY WITH 1,125 PASSENGERS
C. P. R. Steamer Takes Home Large Number of Christmas Visitors—Baggage Agent Predicts Heavy Traffic.

With a large passenger list, composed for the most part of Christmas visitors, the Empress of Ireland sailed yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock for Liverpool via Halifax with 1,125 passengers. Of these 70 were saloon passengers, 245 second cabin and 810 steerage. A large number will join the ship at Halifax making her total list about 1,400. The Empress also has a large general cargo.

When the big liner swung clear of her berth yesterday afternoon there were quite a number of people on the wharf to witness her departure. Among her passengers was R. Marpole, general executive head of the C. P. R. in British Columbia. He is accompanied by his family and will take a pleasure trip to Europe. He will also visit Egypt before his return.

FIGHT VIEWS FEATURE

FOR YOUNG LIBERALS
Policeman Took Notes While the Entertainment Was in Progress—Messrs. Robinson and Sweeney Also Assisted

The Young Liberals did not set the world on fire last night, but they raised a great smoke. Perhaps the odor of burning cigars was suggestive; at any rate the orators of the occasion, C. W. Robinson, and F. J. Sweeney did not evoke as much applause as the other entertainers, or as much interest as the moving pictures of a 20-round bout between Ketchel and Papke, which was the real attraction.

A majority of the seats were filled when the performance started, and later others came in—attracted probably by the moving pictures of the fight. Silver threads among the gold were quite noticeable in the flutters of many present.

In keeping with the occasion the speakers struck a humorous note occasionally. W. E. Foster, who presided made a hit in opening the meeting. He understood that brevity was the soul of wit. He uttered 23 words, and went back and sat down.

After an overture by the orchestra, J. D. P. Lewis, seconded by W. J. Mahoney, moved a resolution of fealty, loyalty, and devotion to their great leader, Laurier, and then J. A. Barry and Roy Skinner moved another to Pugsley who, it seemed, was also a great leader.

C. W. Robinson then spoke for an hour and a half. He said he was surprised that the Young Liberals were so good-looking. "They had conservative mothers," said a voice.

The big speaker said he was at a loss. He intimated that he had not done much for the Liberal party, but had an idea he was on the Liberal side. Later, he said, he had accepted his defeat cheerfully, believing that the people knew what was best for them.

The Fishery Award.
Certainly, he said, New Brunswick should get its share of the award of \$6,500,000 paid by the United States to Canada for the use of the fisheries. He thought the Valley Railway should be built on sound principles, immigration encouraged, a new system of representation established, and the Hazard administration turned out on the highway to oblivion.

Hon. F. J. Sweeney was the next orator. He drew an amazing picture of St. John, stagnant for many years under Tory regime, taking on new clothes and rising like a phoenix from its ashes. The magician responsible for this performance was Pugsley.

Then he made the discovery that the audience was magnificent. That the young-Libs. of St. John were the hope, the bone and sinew, yea the backbone of Canada. The orator seemed to be aware that Liberalism had fulfilled its historic mission. At any rate he kept mainly to ancient history and great and glorious traditions, though he touched the present now and then, growing pathetic over the sorrows of the people waiting for the valley railway.

At 11 o'clock the orator wanted to know why the night was increasing? No answer was forthcoming. Then he wanted to know what the public utility commission was doing? Later he said he was responsible for part of the public utility act.

At 11.20 he said he wasn't a quarter through and declared that Pugsley had done more for labor than Hatheway.

Then came pictures of Laurier, Pugsley and other great men including Ketchel and Papke in a 20 round bout. A policeman was present and took notes.

DIED SUDDENLY ON GERMAIN STREET
Mrs. Mary E. Collins Passed Away on Street Before Doctor Could be Summoned—Leaves Two Daughters

There was a sudden death on Charlotte street last evening about eight o'clock. Mrs. Mary E. Collins, the widow of Henry S. Collins, was in company with her daughter, and when near the corner of Charlotte and Queen streets she was taken suddenly ill, and before she could be conveyed to her home at 126 St. James street she had passed away. Dr. T. B. Bishop was summoned but Mrs. Collins was dead before he arrived. The deceased leaves two daughters, Misses Grace and Esther to mourn.

WINTER PORT NOTES
Allan line steamship Gramplan left Liverpool last Thursday for St. John via Halifax with passengers and general cargo.

Donaldson steamship Almora is scheduled to sail from Glasgow today for St. John direct.

Allan line steamship Tunisian, Captain Faircl, sails today at 1 p. m. for Liverpool and Halifax.

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BABY SWING, Oak, nickel trimmed, \$4.00
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The new pattern chair has narrow panel at top of back
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Other style with sloping front, 6.25
SWING HORSE, several sizes, \$4.75, \$6.75 \$8.50
GIRLS' SLED, Two sizes, - \$1.25 and \$1.60
GIRLS' FRAMER, Two sizes, - 55c and 90c
BOYS' BOARD SLEDS, Three sizes - \$1.00, \$1.20 \$1.35
BOYS' "PIG STICKERS," four sizes, 75c, 90c, \$1.35, \$1.85.
GIRLS' FRAMER, four sizes, 60c, 90c, \$1.35, \$1.85.
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