

BUSH FIRES RAGING ALONG THE CANADIAN NORTHERN RAILWAY ARE DOING ENORMOUS DAMAGE

Special to The Standard. Dauphin, Man., June 3.—One of the worst bush fires in years has been raging for the past thirty-six hours along the Prince Albert branch of the Canadian Northern Railway. The fire extends for 100 miles between Crooked Pass River and Bowman and from Hudson Bay Junction almost to the pass. No loss of life is reported yet, but it is feared that some of the farmers back from the track suffered. It is estimated that about \$75,000 worth of property has been destroyed so far. The entire plant of the Ruby Lake Lumber Company's saw mills on the Hudson Bay branch was wiped out last night. A four span bridge on the C. N. R. east of Erwood was burned to the water's edge, passenger traffic being delayed about six hours. Passengers and baggage of today's eastbound train No. 4 were transferred on planks. The C. N. R. has had a train patroling the entire extent of the fire for the past 36 hours watching the bridges. The flames are being fanned by a twenty mile an hour gale.

DECISION IN EXPRESS CASE IS RESERVED

Special to The Standard. Toronto, June 3.—The argument in the express inquiry before the board of railway commissioners was concluded at noon today. Messrs. Laflour and Chrysler, for the Canadian Express and the Dominion Express Companies replied to the arguments of the counsel for the board at some length, and they contended that the profits of the companies were reasonable, as well as the tolls they charged, also that the figures produced yesterday by Mr. Bull, as to the large profits on the amount invested in the business formed a fallacious argument. The commissioners reserved decision.

MONCTON WILL HAVE LABOR DAY PARADE

Special to The Standard. Moncton, N. B., June 3.—A delegation of the local theatre managers waited on the city council tonight and protested against the recent increase in the annual license from one to two hundred dollars. No action was taken. Moncton's Labor Day celebration is now assured. The council will discuss and all the labor organizations of the city as well as some from outside points are expected to participate.

MR. C. L. PECK REGISTRAR OF DEEDS IN A.C.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, June 3.—The Provincial Government will complete their business here this afternoon or evening. On Tuesday, next, in St. John there will be a meeting of the commissioners of the Provincial Hospital and an adjourned meeting of the Executive Council. Ald. J. King Kelley of St. John, has made his report as commissioner to the government on the charges brought against Alexander Rogers, registrar of deeds in Albert county. His report showed that Mr. Rogers took an active and partisan part in the general elections of March 3, 1908. Acting upon these reports an order-in-council has been passed and signed by the Lieut. Governor removing Mr. Rogers from office and appointing Mr. Charles L. Peck registrar of deeds in Albert county.

ONTARIO WILL ISSUE A BIG PUBLIC LOAN

Special to The Standard. Toronto, June 3.—The Provincial Government has decided to issue another public loan the amount of the issue being \$3,500,000 in four per cent. thirty year bonds dated June 1, 1909. The subscribed price will be 102 up to the end of this month, after which date it will be 102 with accrued interest. The bonds are payable in Toronto and Montreal both as regards principal and interest and by arrangement with the bank of Montreal, although this does not appear upon their face as par in New York, no exchange being charged. All the new issues will be made in Canada and is now open for public subscription. None of it is underwritten.

IS MINISTER WITHOUT PORTFOLIO.

Toronto, Ont., June 3.—I. B. Lucas, M. P. Centre Grey, was today sworn in as minister without portfolio in the Ontario Cabinet. Since the return of the Conservatives to power Mr. Lucas has been one of the most active and able of the Government supporters.

DEATH CAME SUDDENLY TO MR. PRESCOTT

Further particulars of the death of Mr. Joshua Prescott, reached his friends in Sussex, last night. Deceased left there a few days ago and went to Goose Creek to look after his extensive lumber interests there. Yesterday morning he was about in good health, and went to the store. Later he returned to the house and was noticed sitting on the platform in a reclining position. He was assisted to the house and died shortly after. Deceased went to Sussex from Pennfield, Charlotte county, thirty years ago. He was a merchant there, but engaged in lumber business at Sussex, and great success attended his operations. He was head of Joshua Prescott and Son, and owned one of the best lumber properties on the Bay Shore. At one time he had interests in lumber operations conducted by his son, Isaac C. in Albert and was at one time head of the lumber firm of Prescott-Gillespie & Company at Shuley, N. S. Mr. Prescott was a man of large means. He was one of the best known residents of Sussex, and was very highly respected. He was a strong temperance advocate and leading member of the Main street Baptist Church at Sussex. In politics he was a strong Conservative. The remains will arrive at Sussex today, and services will be held at his late residence, Church Avenue this evening. On Saturday morning the body will be taken to Pennfield via St. John and South Shore line and the funeral will take place from the Baptist Church there Friday afternoon. Prescott leaves five sons, Jesse T. and Crandall, Sussex, Isaac C., Albert, Glendon of the Nova Scotia Lumber Company, and John, who was a partner in his father's firm, John of Calais and Jesse Prescott of Pennfield are brothers.

TOTAL ECLIPSE OF THE MOON LAST EVENING

An interesting spectacle in the astronomical world occurred last evening, the event being a total eclipse of the moon. This had been pre-announced through the press, and many persons throughout the city watched the spectacular occurrence in its different stages. The moon rose totally eclipsed, and its totality lasted about an hour, and the lunar eclipse was last visible at 12.31 o'clock this morning. The first contact with the penumbra occurred at 6.36 o'clock last evening, and the first contact with the shadow occurred about an hour and seven minutes later at 7.43 o'clock. The total eclipse began at 8.58 o'clock, and the middle of the eclipse at 9.29. Between the total eclipse and the middle of the eclipse the spectacular sight was at its prettiest. The end of the total phase came at 10 o'clock and the last contact with the shadow occurred at 11.11 o'clock. The eclipse was visible until the last contact with the penumbra, which occurred at 12.21 o'clock this morning, after which the phenomenal lunar spectacle vanished.

JUDGE CASSELS COMING TO NEW BRUNSWICK

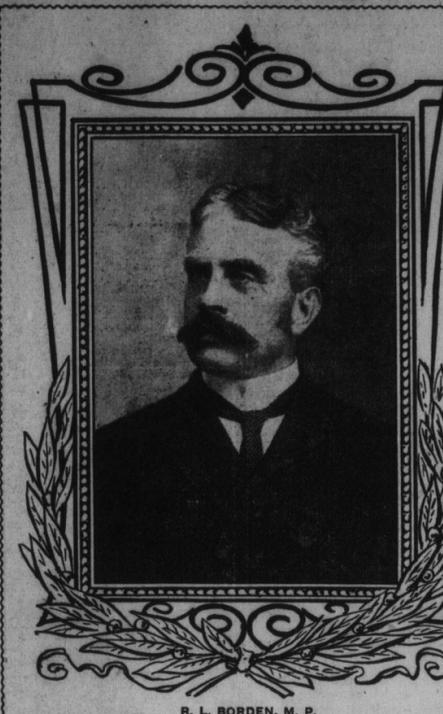
Special to The Standard. Ottawa, June 3.—Judge Cassels leaves on Monday for his tour of the Exchequer Court sittings in the Maritime Provinces. In the County of Madawaska there are 144 cases arising out of disputes over the National Transcontinental right of way. Mr. Audette, the Registrar of the Exchequer Court, may hear these, as many of the complainants use French as their mother tongue.

KING NOW CAMPAIGNING.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, June 3.—Mr. MacKenzie King has followed up his appointment to the Cabinet by a prompt departure to North Waterloo, to prepare for his election. The writ will be issued for the twelfth.

MR. R. L. BORDEN ON THE TIES OF THE EMPIRE

London, June 4.—Mr. R. L. Borden in an article in the Standard of Empire, calls attention to striking misstatements regarding Canada contained in a recent treatise entitled "The Struggle for American Independence." Mr. Sydney George Fisher, the author of the treatise, declared that English colonists are "still at best exactly what John Adams and Hamilton over a hundred years ago described as political slaves" and that the control of the British Government over Canada is far more absolute than it was before the American revolution. Mr. Borden describes these statements as "amazing misconceptions" and proceeds to outline the constitutional relations between Canada and the Motherland in reference which he writes as follows: "Founded upon the enjoyment of perfect civil and religious liberty maintained by full powers of self-government, moulded by economic conventions attending growth and development, strengthened both by sentiment and by interest the voluntary and happy ties which bind Canada to the Empire are not weaker, at least, than those which might be invoked to retain any state within the Union. "Growth and development cannot be stayed. New conditions will be evolved which must entail new duties and new responsibilities. But the great races to which the Canadian people trace their ances-



R. L. BORDEN, M. P.

try have never been prone to neglect opportunity or to avoid responsibility. And the outlook has broadened. In the consciousness of her vast possessions and wonderful resources in realizing and utilizing her wealth of opportunity for material development, Canada will not fail to turn her eyes to loftier ideals. To accomplish the wise and just solution of social and economic problems of vital concern and fundamental significance, to build up within their borders a virile population animated by an intelligent patriotism; to maintain high standards and ideals in public and private life; to stand for truth and justice and to make for peace among the nations of the earth—to march with the sister nations of the Empire in the vanguard of civilization; this will be the higher task of the Canadian people."

TWO EX-ALDERMEN OF BOSTON GET HARD LABOR SENTENCES

Boston, Mass., June 3.—Leo F. McCullough, president of the Boston common council last year was tonight sentenced to a year of hard labor in the House of Correction and Attorney James T. Cassidy was sentenced to serve one year at hard labor in the same institution, by Judge Schofield in the Supreme Court, both having been convicted of conspiracy to defraud the city and of the larceny of \$200 by making out a false order for a set of law books. At the same session former Alderman George H. Battis was sentenced to serve three years at hard labor in the House of Correction, having been convicted of the larceny of money from the city in connection with the purchase of prizes for the fourth of July athletic contests under the auspices of the city in the years 1906 and 1907.

THE CIRCUMSTANCES.

The McCullough-Cassidy case was the outcome of an order passed by the common council during McCullough's presidency, giving the president authority to draw on the city for \$200 for the purchase of a set of law books for the president's office use. Attorney Cassidy presented an order for the money with a receipt from McCullough that he had delivered the books to him. An investigation disclosed the fact that Cassidy had never sold the books to McCullough and that McCullough had no set of law books which the city had paid the \$200 for.

KING JAMES WINS BROOKLYN HANDICAP

New York, N. Y., June 3.—King James first, Restigouche second, Celt third, thus stands the record of the twenty-third renewal of the historic Brooklyn handicap, which was run today at Gravesend. The three other starters, Hugh Private, Frank Gill and Berkeley finished as named, but were beaten off. The time, 2:04, established a record for the race, being 1-5 of a second better than the figures hung up last year by Celt.

Coupled as the entry of Sam Hildreth, King James and Restigouche was in the betting at 3 to 1 to win and 1 to 2 a place. Restigouche running alone, was variously quoted as high as 20 to 1 being laid against him to win, 8 to 1 for the place and 4 to 5 to show. James R. Keene's Celt was 1 to 3 seemingly prohibitive odds—and greatly disappointed a host of backers and made heartick those of the "memory brokers" who had not the nerve to lay against him. Though mainly a race between three horses, the contest was an exciting one. The value of the stake today was \$5,000—\$20,000 less than that of last year. Of this amount the second horse received \$700 and the third \$300. No attempt was made today to interfere with the layers of odds or bettors.

TRURO CHIEF CONDEMNED TO PAY DAMAGES

Special to The Standard. Truro, Nova Scotia, June 3.—Chief of Police Gase was condemned by Chief Justice Townshend here in the Supreme Court this morning, to pay damages in two cases of assault on citizens. The first was Ross McLean, arrested and jailed on a charge of obstructing the officers. The judge found that McLean was improperly arrested and awarded the plaintiff fifty dollars of costs. Mrs. Engen Her sued for damages for false arrest and for physical suffering and expense resulting therefrom. The Chief Justice awarded five dollars damages. The latter case was a particularly distressing one and created much public opinion adverse to the officers. The judgment indicates that the assault was technical and committed while the officer was performing a duty under instructions from superiors. The assault was the result of accidental circumstances. No costs were given plaintiff in this case.

STRIKE MAY BE SETTLED IN 24 HOURS

Philadelphia, Pa., June 3.—The outlook for a settlement of the strike of the motormen and conductors of the Rapid Transit Company is very bright," said C. C. Pratt, leader of the strikers tonight. This declaration together with State Senator McNichol's statement that the strike would be settled within twenty-four hours, has brought a ray of hope to the thousands of footsore Philadelphians who have been plodding to and from their daily toll since Saturday, May 29.

POLICE QUELL MOB.

Early in the evening a mob of nearly 2,000 persons formed on Kensington Avenue and started for the main bar of the transit company at the Eighth and Dauphin streets for the purpose, as they declared, of destroying the structure. Their number was augmented as the march proceeded, so that by the time the bar was reached there were nearly 4,000 persons in the mob. The company had been warned of the approach of the men and when the crowd reached the bar it was met by 500 policemen. This array of bluecoats had a quieting effect on the rioters and they dispersed after hurling a few stones through the windows.

WATERFORD MAN DIES SUDDENLY.

Special to The Standard. Sussex, June 3.—Fro. O'Leary, 25 years of age, died at Waterford tonight, of hemorrhage of the lungs, after an illness of ten minutes. Deceased was raising a bucket of water from the well when blood spouted from his mouth. He was an industrious young fellow and was a son of Patrick O'Leary, a well known resident of Waterford.

GOVERNMENT MEETS HERE NEXT WEEK

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, June 3.—The Provincial Government concluded their business here this afternoon and next Tuesday will be at St. John when a meeting of the Commissioners of the Provincial Hospital and an adjourned meeting of McGill in connection with the new MacDonald College at St. Anne de Bellevue, was held this afternoon in the presence of Earl Grey and a distinguished gathering. It was made notable by the conferring of the degree of LL. D. on Hon James Willson, United States secretary of Agriculture, Clifford Pincheon, United States Superintendent of Forestry; James Earl Sully, Dean of the teachers' college in connection with Columbia University, New York; Dr. Dunson MacEachran, of Montreal, and F. W. Robertson, the man who planned and directed the construction of the magnificent institution that the liberality of Sir William MacDonald conferred upon the province of Quebec at a cost of five millions. At the close of the convocation a reception was held in the women's residence by Prof. and Mrs. Robertson. The visitors from the United States were loud in their praise of MacDonald College, which they declared to be without an equal in the world for perfection of every detail.

PULLIAM NOT YET BACK.

New York, June 3.—The meeting of the National League magnates in Cincinnati tomorrow will be merely an impromptu session and no action, it is understood, will be taken on the question of restoring Harry Pulliam to the presidency. This matter will be definitely settled at a meeting to be held in Chicago later in the month.

PROPOSAL TO TAKE QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY OUT OF THE HANDS OF CHURCH STRONGLY OPPOSED

Special to The Standard. Hamilton, Ont., June 3.—The main feature of today's session of the Presbyterian General Assembly was the proposal made to take Queens University, Kingston, out of the control of the Church. The matter was brought up by Dr. Gordon, when he presented the report of the university. After alluding to the fact that the total number of students was 1,351, an increase of 100 over last year, he referred to the matter of separation. The idea had been endorsed by the Senate of the university and it asked that the Assembly should give its consent. The nationalization of Queens had started by the late Principal Grant and they were now faced with two alternatives, either the Church must assume a responsibility it had not taken upon itself or it must grant the request of the senate. The Church had attempted to raise an endowment of five hundred thousand dollars and had failed. He concluded by moving that the matter be referred to a committee to report to the next Assembly.

STRONG OPPOSITION.

The discussion brought out a good deal of opposition to the proposal. Rev. Dr. Campbell, of Montreal, stated that he would go into no conference which proposed to give up any rights the Church now had in the university and Rev. Dr. Armstrong objected strenuously to the college going down on its knees before any Carnegie god. Prof. Jordan, of Kingston, wanted to know if thirty theological students were to stand in the way of a thousands others. Tien G. M. McDonnell, K. C., of Kingston, moved that the Church retain control of the arts and theological faculties and that denominational restrictions be removed from the other faculties of the institution. The discussion had not been concluded when the hour for adjournment arrived.

A PALPABLE ERROR.

Another discussion that was also left unfinished was that promoted by the report of the committee on statistics. The figures showed that there had been a decrease of 700 in the number of families connected with the Church during the year. This was denounced as a palpable error and the blame was placed on the carelessness of the Synods in getting the figures together. In some reports there were omissions and in others discrepancies. The object is to find a method of securing greater accuracy without which there is no object in having the statistics gathered.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETIES.

The report of the young people's societies was also presented, showing an increase of twenty-eight societies, and 1,300 in membership during the year. A discussion took place on the advisability of finding some way in which to retain hold on the young people between the Sunday school and adult ages, it being felt that the young people's societies were not doing all that was required in this direction.

HOME MISSION REPORT.

At the evening session the report of the Home Mission committee, western section, was submitted. It is reported a deficit on last year's operations of \$12,000, in presenting it Rev. E. D. MacLaren used some plain language in reference to the neglect of the church to take full advantage of the opportunity presented to it in the west. Rev. R. G. Douglas also gave an account of the deplorable need of more missionaries in the west. The report was adopted and the assembly adjourned.

COMMISSIONER'S SEE SORTING AT NIGHT TIME

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, June 3.—Lewis H. Bliss, manager of the St. John River Log Driving Co. returned this evening from Van Buren, Me., where he was during the meeting of the International Commission dealing with the St. John River question. Today the commissioners went to Edmundston to meet there today and it is said that a session will be held here at no distant date. Mr. Bliss estimates the jam at Van Buren at 30 million feet and manager Brown of St. John Lumber Co., claims to be handling a million feet of logs daily at the sorting gaps with crews working both day and night. (Associated Press.)

IMMIGRATION INTO CANADA DURING APRIL

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, June 3.—The total immigration into Canada in April was 24,237 as compared with 29,723 in April 1908. Immigration from the United States rose from 9084 in April 1908, to 12,609 in April 1909. The entries through the ocean ports fell from 20,669 in April to 11,628 in April 1908. In addition to the immigrants arriving at ocean ports there were 2,728 persons classed as returning Canadians. Lord and Lady Grey left today at 12.20 for Quebec, from where they will sail tomorrow on the Empress of Ireland for Great Britain.

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THE SABBATH BOARD DEATH OF ANNA-POLIS MAN

Special to The Standard. Annapolis Royal, N. S., June 3.—In the death of Rollins W. Hardwick, which occurred very suddenly last night Annapolis in general loses a good citizen and the town council an able and efficient member.

TREASURY BOARD SEES MUCH CHANCE FOR SAFETY BOARD INCREASES IN SALARIES

At the Treasury Board meeting last night, the Chamberlain mentioned the fact that the Safety Board had recommended increases in the salaries of the firemen and other civic employees.

MRS. CLARK NEW PRES OF PRESBYTERIAL

Two sessions of the Presbyterial were held yesterday, and it was decided that the next annual meeting will be held in Sussex. At the morning session the address was given by Mrs. A. W. Thomson, and papers were read by Mrs. Cruikshank and Mrs. Sutherland.

Remarkable Sale of Ladies' Tailored Suits, Saturday, Monday, Tuesday.

Advertisement for The Dunlap-Cooke Company, Ltd., featuring a woman in a long coat and hat. Text includes: \$35.00, \$40.00, \$45.00 and \$50.00 Styles to be Cleared at \$25.00 Each. In the Costume Department on Saturday, Monday and Tuesday.

WOMEN'S M.S. IN SESSION AT SUMMERSIDE

Summerside, P. E. I., June 3.—The 24th annual meeting of the N. B. and P. E. Island branch of the W. M. S. opened Wednesday morning at Summerside, P. E. I.

HOW A LARGE BUSINESS WAS BUILT UP

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SAFETY BOARD RECOMMENDS INCREASED SALARY FOR KERR CLARK, WISELY AND OTHERS

Yesterday afternoon the Board of Public Safety in a generous mood voted Chief of Police Clark, Chief Kerr of the Fire Department and Director Wisely an increase in salary of \$100 per annum.

PROSECUTING A DOCTOR.

Gloucester, N. S., June 3.—A suit for alleged criminal libel was heard tomorrow before Magistrate Henry MacDonald. The complainant is a well-known doctor of divinity residing in these parts, and the accused is a medical doctor residing at Antigonish.

ONTARIO LADY GETS \$4,000,000 ESTATE IN CUBA

Toronto, June 3.—A four million dollar estate in Cuba has come into possession of Mrs. Jennie Nolan, who formerly lived at 58 McKenzie Crescent, this city, and who is at present at French River.

AT THE HOTELS

Royal. N. W. Carter, Montreal; John Christie, Montreal; Thos. Likely, Marysville; L. J. Tweedie, Chatham; Robt. S. Low, Sydney; H. W. Blackman, New Britain; T. B. Morse and wife, Berwick; John E. Wood, Halifax; W. S. Henderson and wife, Savannah; J. Harvey, Fiddell; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. Holland, Montreal; J. and L. Ross, Sydney; F. Pocock, Rock Island; F. F. Fitcher, G. C. Elliott, H. G. Keller, J. W. Fulton, Montreal; Thos. S. McCrae, New York; Mrs. Freeman, Bridgetown; D. R. Murphy, Tignish.

FOREST FIRES DESTROY DWELLINGS

Houlton, Maine, June 3.—Two sets of farm buildings in Monticello were burned today by fires which started in the woods. A dwelling house and four large barns belonging to Henry H. Hall, and the buildings of Joseph Belyea were destroyed, the total loss being \$14,000, of which \$10,000 falls on Hall.

Vertical text on the right edge of the page, including names and addresses like 'The Standard', 'J. & A. McMillan', 'Mrs. John Post', 'W. J. Cunningham', etc.





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"I can go home and speak in glowing terms of the prospects of the Maritime Provinces, but I am a member that we in Britain would like some share in the profits coming from the development of your ports and your country," said Sir Robert Perks, M. P., of London, in his closing remarks before the St. John Board of Trade yesterday afternoon.  
The members of the audience which listened to Sir Robert's able address represented not only the Board of Trade but almost every circle of activity in the city. The speaker, who was accompanied by his wife and daughter, was the first to address the British Empire at the present day. He condemned Socialism and government and municipal ownership in unmeasured terms and championed the cause of private ownership of public utilities. England was not decadent, but was advancing. There were no German manufacturers who would compete with the British in the textile trade, in shipbuilding, or in the steel and allied industries. Dealing with relations between the colonies and the Motherland, Sir Robert said that for reciprocal treatment in the matter of investments, the British bondholders should not take the risk when new enterprises were being started in the colonies of common stock get the greatest share of the profits when the enterprises were established and paying dividends. Touching on the subject of Imperial Preferential Trade, Sir Robert intimated that he was opposed to it, and cited as an instance of the difficulty confronting the British Empire to make such a preference a fact, the enormous amounts of British capital invested in foreign combines, particularly the South American Republics.  
President W. E. Foster briefly introduced Sir Robert, the speaker of the afternoon.  
Sir Robert Perks.  
Sir Robert said he was merely a bird of passage, but was anxious to find out what could be done in developing the resources of Canada. He had heard so much about St. John as a port that he had decided to visit the city on his tour of Canada. Professionally, he was interested in engineering undertakings in various parts of the world. The Manchester Ship Canal was a great enterprise. Although that canal gave no returns to the stockholders it had by its aid to trade and commerce repaid over and over again its initial cost. Countries at large often have a greater interest in the construction of great public works than have the localities in which they are placed.  
In South America.  
The harbor works at Buenos Ayres in the Argentine Republic were also built by his partner and himself. The Argentine was of great interest to Canadians as it was similar in many ways to Canada. Its railway system was as good, if not better, than the Canadian lines, and its population was about the same as that of the Dominion. In that country much more British capital was invested than was in the industries of Canada, than was in the industries of Canada.  
The Problem of Preference.  
"Our friends who are advocating that we should throw open our gates to Colonial trade," said Sir Robert, "but keep them out of our own." At other countries, should think of the Argentine with millions of English capital invested there and study the problem of preference with that in mind.  
Development at Buenos Ayres.  
When his partner, C. H. Walker and himself began the Buenos Ayres harbor work, continued the speaker, all the import and export freight had to be lightered seven miles from the city to the steamers. No such large and modern city in England had works costing \$10,000,000 were paying a six per cent. dividend. It showed what a small state and a much criticized Government could accomplish by bold action.  
At Rio de Janeiro.  
Sir Robert also mentioned the building of quay walls about the Bay of Rio and the cutting away of a mountain in the centre of the city of Rio de Janeiro to make ground behind the walls.  
Improvement of Waterways.  
Every nation of the world was thinking of improving its waterways or of building artificial waterways. Austria was about to unite by canal the Danube and Elbe. Italy was reconstructing the ancient states of Spain and Belgium were following suit. It was well known what development had followed the reconstruction of the harbor of Rotterdam and Antwerp. In England and Scotland and Cardiff his firm had built extensive harbor works. Improvements were being made at other ports.  
St. John is Fortunate.  
St. John was fortunate in having, as far as he could see, very little work to undo. London, the port of greatest tonnage in the world had recently had to reorganize its port Government.  
The Fight Against Socialism.  
In Great Britain he had learned that in Canada he must speak of Britain not of England—(laughter)—the commercial classes were striving against municipalization and nationalization of every public utility, leaving nothing for the individual but that which he did not want. The commercial classes had worked to hard for what little they had obtained to quietly submit to such a course.  
That might be the favorite theory of those who want to live upon the labor of others but not of those who work.  
Sir Robert then proceeded to flay public ownership. He said:  
Facts of Municipal Ownership.  
"If you want to have an enterprise poorly conceived, badly designed, tardily completed and run in an extravagant and foolish way after completion, you had better entrust it to the state or to the town council." (Laughter and applause.)  
The Effect in Italy.  
"I do not know what the experience of the Dominion of Canada may be, but if you want to see the chaos produced by the practice of socialistic doctrine of Government ownership of railways, go to Italy. There within the past six months the train service has been disorganized, the public body

LOGS FOR MILLS IN ST. JOHN BROUGHT OUT  
Fredericton, June 3.—John Kilburn, the well known lumber man, returned home last evening from the head waters of the St. John river, having been successful in bringing out his entire drive of eight million feet for Murray & Gregory. Mr. Kilburn's drive and W. J. Noble's drive for Cushing, Ltd., reached the corporation limits on Tuesday afternoon having come as one big drive with over two hundred men employed. This is the first time for some years that the Cushing have been able to get all their drives out without leaving some of the logs. While the weather was cold this spring the water kept at a good driving pitch after the work was started, and the result has been the best team-up in years on the St. John river headwaters and all the drives are out.  
About the only drive that is hung up on the upper St. John is Cunliffe Bros' drive on Nigger Brook, a branch of the Allegash, where about two million feet of a drive of three and a half million had to be abandoned. Cunliffe Bros' other drives are coming out, that on Big Brook and the Round Pond drive now being in progress.  
On Little Back River, the St. John Lumber Company's drive may have some difficulty in getting out.

HAD NARROW ESCAPES FROM DROWNING  
FREDERICTON, June 3.—Two remarkable escapes from drowning are reported today. Mr. John Kilburn tells of the narrow escape of an Indian (m-m) St. Mary's Reserve, named Joe Dodden, while on Kilburn's drive on the head waters of the St. John River. Dodden was swept over the dam by a heavy rush of water and was carried over Little Falls through the slush. He was thrown against boulders and badly bruised as well as being rendered unconscious, but on being swept out of the sluice was whirled about in an eddy long enough for another driver to reach him and pull him out. For some time the Indian was unconscious, but he recovered and was later able to do light work on the drive.  
A Narrow Escape.  
An employee of Gibson Co.'s saw mill at Marysville named Archie Taylor had a narrow escape yesterday from being swept over the Marysville dam, which would have meant almost sure death, as it was slipped from a plank used for crossing the dam as a "short cut" but fortunately he fell into the upper part of the mill. He was hurled against the planking by the rush of water and it took the united efforts of two men and himself to free him from his precarious position in which he was so tightly held by the rush of water.

THE SENSIBLE CANNIBAL  
London, June 3.—A scientific justification for cannibalism was propounded by Dr. F. Gowland Hopkins in his address at the Royal Institution here today.  
"What would be the most efficient protein for men?" he asked. "Clearly, although not a point of practical dietetics, the most sensible person in this connection is the cannibal. In consuming his own kind, he is eating exactly the right kind of food." Hopkins seems to have been a worker in Heidelberg has lately tested the point. He found that a dog, when fed with dog, was able to do with a much smaller quantity of protein than when fed with any other protein whatever. There is a chemistry of species, and the nearer the two species of animal are together, the more hardly does the chemistry of their bodies agree."  
I. R. C. POLICE TO INVESTIGATE.  
Sussex, June 2.—The intercolonial police will be asked to investigate a serious crime which occurred on Tuesday night. While Night Operator Keith was sitting in the ticket office a large bottle was hurled through the window with great force. Fortunately Mr. Keith was not injured. The police have the name of a suspected party, and an arrest will probably follow.

SULTAN HAS SNUBBED THE SPANISH DON  
Madrid, June 3.—The Espana Nueva announces that Merry del Val, the Spanish Minister to Morocco, whose mission to Fez last May to arrange questions at issue between Spain and Morocco proved a failure, has tendered his resignation to Foreign Minister Manuel Alendarez, who has declined to accept it. The Cabinet has discussed the matter without reaching a conclusion. The Herald suggests that Merry del Val be transferred to another post.  
The demands presented to Mula Haddid by Merry del Val were a monopoly of the fishing rights on the Rif coast, the cession of important territory around Ceuta and Melilla, and a stipulation that all contracts for public works on the Rif coast would be given to Spaniards. As the Sultan did not reply immediately, Merry del Val served him with an ultimatum that the demands must be granted within a given time. Thereupon Mula Haddid replied that he would not consider them, and also that he did not wish to have any further relations with the person who had presented them. Merry del Val returned to Tangier.

DR. OBLER IN ATTENDANCE.  
Hamilton, Ont., June 2.—Dr. William Ober has been called into consultation in the case of Mrs. Abbott's wife of Rev. Canon Abbott, who is seriously ill at the residence of her father in Dundas.

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BOOKMAKERS SERVED WITH SUMMONSES  
Toronto, June 3.—The first hard blow in what promises to be a sharp fight between the city's morality department and the bookmaking fraternity at Woodbine was struck yesterday when fifty-four summonses were issued for bookmakers and their assistants. Thirty-four of the warrants were served during the running of the races at Woodbine yesterday afternoon and the rest will be served today. The charges embodied in the summonses are same in every case: "Keeping for sale a certain disorderly house, a common betting house." The point on which the Crown will base its prosecution of bookmakers is that they have not kept moving while conducting their business and that by not doing so they are liable to prosecution under the anti-gambling law. The Crown opened its fight yesterday when Jake Saunders appeared before Magistrate Kingsford Saunders plead- ed not guilty and was remanded for a week.  
Death at Saranac Lake.  
News has been received of the death at Saranac Lake, New York, early yesterday of Earl Fitzhugh, aged 27 years, only son of E. H. Fitzhugh, third vice-president of the Grand Trunk Railway. The young man had been suffering for over a year from throat trouble.  
Premier Will Attend.  
Sir Wilfrid Laurier will come from Ottawa to attend the marriage of Miss Melvin Jones, daughter of Senator Melvin Jones, to Rev. T. Crawford Brown, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, on June 16.  
Honor For Earl Grey.  
The University of Oxford will confer the degree of D. C. L. on Earl Grey during the approaching visit of the Governor General to England.  
FOREIGN MISSIONARIES.  
Toronto, June 3.—The foreign mission committee of the Presbyterian church has appointed missionaries as follows: Rev. R. Duncanson, B. A., Walton, Ont.; and Miss Harriet Latimer, B. A., Montreal, to Macao, South China; Rev. H. P. S. Luttrell, Hull, Quebec; Rev. J. D. McRae, Ayr, Ont.

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Table with columns: Sales Opening, High, Low, Close. Lists various stocks like Amalgamated, American Car and Foundry, American Locomotive, etc.

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Should Jerome D. Trautman win the British championship, which he has done in 1929, 1930 and 1931, he will have won a total of five titles.

from Liverpool for Montreal, was reported 190 miles east of Cape Race Wednesday morning and is due at Quebec this morning and at Montreal this evening.

The schooner Oralo arrived at Saunderson Wednesday from this port. The steamship Canada Cape sailed from Barbados May 30, for Montreal.

NEW YORK PRODUCE. New York, N. Y., June 3.—Flour—Receipts, 15,972; exports, 5,307. Firm, with the market.

BOSTON PRODUCE MARKET. Boston, Mass., June 3.—Butter—Unsteady; Northern, 27 1/2 to 28; western, 27 to 27 1/2.

BOSTON AT CLOSE. Adv., 8 asked 3-8; Bu., 26 1/2 asked 3-4; Cen., 32 asked 3-3; Ct., 82 1/2 asked 3-4.

IRON AND STEEL STRONG. New York, June 3.—The Iron Age reports heavy bookings throughout May in nearly all lines of finished iron and steel.

WILL OPEN ON THE BOURSE. New York, June 3.—Generally reported that a holding company for 100,000 steel common may be formed in Paris and will issue its own certificates on the Bourse.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE. New York, N. Y., June 3.—Prime mercantile paper, 3 1/2 to 4 1/2 per cent; 4 1/2 to 4 3/4 for sixty day bills and at 4 1/2 for demand.

INSPECTED DAIRY HERDS. Susex, June 2.—Dr. Johnson, St. John, has been here inspecting the dairy herds in accordance with the St. John Board of Health regulations.

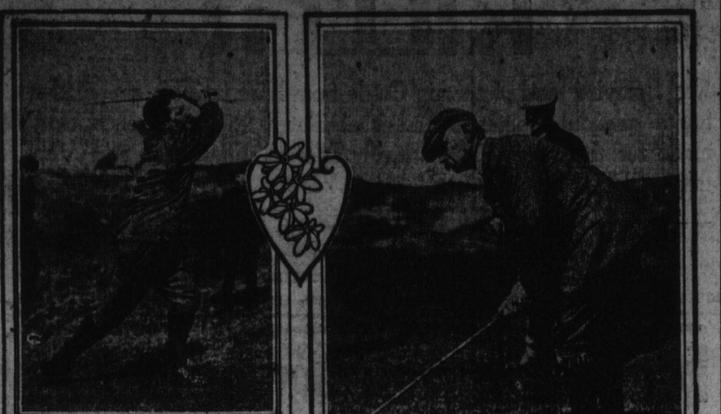
A BARKER DROWNED. North Bay, Ont., June 2.—Charles Chapman, aged 23 years, accountant, was drowned in the St. Lawrence.

HEARD ON THE BENCH. "Bunny" Pearce, the C. C. C. champion, is on the market. Chance is expected to pick the "Cubs."

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Should Jerome D. Travers succeed in winning the British amateur golf championship... John Ball of the Royal Liverpool Club at Hoylake, has won the title no less than six times...

HEARD ON THE BLEACHERS

"Bunny" Pearce, the Cincinnati catcher, is on the market... Hills Grove, R. I. June 3—Ideal weather, a good crowd of horsemen from all over New England...

WITH THE BOXERS

Bartley Connelly and Tom Sawyer have been rematched to box at Portland Saturday night... Sam McVey has \$1000 backing for a match with Sam Langford...

MARATHON BUBBLE IS EXPLODED

The pro Marathon bubble at last has exploded. It is the only thing promoters are advertising the long grid for such fabulous purses as \$10,000...

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ST. JOSEPH'S GAME WAS MASSACRE, BUT A D.H. DE-SERVED LITTLE SYMPATHY

Fifteen to four was the dismal count when St. Joseph's finished riding the A. O. H. in last evening's Inter-Society League game... The Fairville team's errors were thick as leaves in Vallambrosa...

Table with columns for St. Joseph's and A. O. H. scores, listing players like Long, Small, Simpson, etc.

FOUR TEAMS ARE ENTERED FOR INTERSCHOLASTIC MEET

The entries from all the High schools likely to compete at the New Brunswick interscholastic track meet to be held in this city on Wednesday next have been received by Mr. J. H. A. L. Fairweather...

PENNANT RAISING AT CHICAGO

Chicago, Ill. June 3.—The Chicago Nationals raised their third successive pennant today, and afterwards defeated Philadelphia by the score of 4 to 3 in a 13-inning game...

NEW GREEK PITCHER FOR SATURDAY

The Marathons gave a try-out on the Victoria grounds last evening to the new "dark horse" pitcher, who is said to be a Yale college student...

WATERBOROUGH

Waterborough, Q. Co., June 3.—The steamer "Young's Cove" which was standing to Young's Cove wharf yesterday, much to the rejoicing of the farmers and merchants...

NO WEDDING BELLS FOR HIM

Washington, June 3.—President Taft has paved the way for breaking the hearts of some midshipmen met not marry until they have completed their full academy course of six years...

DIVORCE CASE SETTLED

Fredericton, June 3.—It is understood that the case which Mrs. Madeline Douglas E. Clark, of Moncton, niece of the late Chief Justice Gault, of Ontario, entered in the divorce court for separation from her husband, Mr. Robert Clark, manager of the Bank of Montreal at Moncton, has been settled and will not come to trial...

WILL COME TO ST. JOHN

The York county Orangemen have decided to take part in the provincial celebration at St. John on July 12th, and the committee in charge of arrangements has met and decided to accept the conditions offered by the C. P. R. to handle the excursion from Fredericton.

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TOOK RING FROM DEAD MAN'S HAND

Hamilton, June 3.—One of the most exciting events of the week has been brought to their notice. The report was from the city hospital, and it was to the effect that a corpse at the city hospital morgue had been robbed of a diamond ring...

PRIZE WINNERS AT PROVINCIAL NORMAL SCH'L

Fredericton, June 3.—The following is the programme of the Normal School closing exercises tomorrow: Opening exercises, singing by students... Teaching a Lesson in Nature Work—Miss Jennie Koe, St. John.

ON TRIAL FOR MURDER

Winnipeg, June 3.—The preliminary hearing of the two Galactians, Nikola Romanuk and M. Pihouye, charged with the murder of their campmate in a lonely wood cabin near Sandilange, on the night of March 1st, opened here yesterday...

DIVER DOYLE AT CHATHAM

Chatham, June 3.—Diver Doyle, of St. John, has been at work today at the end of the government wharf, locating several large blocks of stone which are obstructing the entrance to the wharf...

PROBATE COURT

WHEREAS the Executor and Trustee of the estate of WILLIAM D. FORBES, deceased, has filed in this court in and out of its administration of the said deceased's estate and has prayed that the account of his administration be allowed in due form of law...

JUMPED THE TRACK

Peterboro, June 3.—There was a peculiar accident on the Grand Trunk near Campbellford yesterday. An engine and two freight cars jumped the track as the train was crossing a bridge over the creek and landed in the water.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

Maritime: Light to moderate winds... Toronto, June 3.—A shallow depression tonight covers the Mississippi Valley and another is centered to the northward of Lake Superior.

Coming to N. B. Ports. The schooner Laura C. Hall cleared from City Island for Sackville, N. B., yesterday and the schooner Ethel B. Sumner cleared for Moncton, N. B. from Philadelphia.

Organizer Here. Mr. John Charters, organizer for the International Printing, Pressmen and Assistants Union is in the city. This evening Mr. Charters will have a talk with the St. John pressmen in their rooms.

Will Present Cups. This evening at the Nickel Theatre Postmaster Sears will present to the winners of the Carleton Cornet Band sports the seven handsome cups which were donated as prizes.

Home for Incubables. The monthly meeting of the Board of Management of the Home for Incubables was held at the home yesterday afternoon. Only routine business was transacted.

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POLICE ORDERLY BOYS OF CITY

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Special to The Standard. Montreal, Que., June 3. Smallpox was discovered in S. S. Virginia, a route up the river now under detention quarantine station.

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CLOSING SCHOOL STUDENTS

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, June 4.—A school this evening the class were continued to receive their diplomas.

The day's proceedings at ten o'clock in the large assembly hall. Prof. Cadwallader presided and he was at the platform by the Bishop of Fredericton.

Some further singing which the students of physical education, Miss Lynda, M. combe gave an illustrated Primary Reading to the children from the Mother's Union.

MAGISTRAL DISMISS

Special to The Standard. St. John, N. B., June 4. A libel suit brought by Dr. D. D., against J. M. D., of Antigonish to an abrupt close.

At two o'clock when the case was called on for judgment before the joint session would not be a fore that time. This counsel for accused, Dr. Cameron decided that the case should be dismissed.

SMALLPOX ON ALL

Special to The Standard. Montreal, Que., June 3. Smallpox was discovered in S. S. Virginia, a route up the river now under detention quarantine station.

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