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LEGISLATING FOR THE MEN.

Some extraordinary statistics were cited for the benefit of those in attendance at the Quebec Winter Fair to prove the extent to which the traffic in decayed eggs has grown during the last few years. Exaggerated and alarmist statements would hardly pass current with the keen and attentive farmers who form the audience on such occasions and we may confidently accept the figures quoted as being substantially accurate.

LLOYD GEORGEISM AND CANADA.

In the British elections the Unionist party has the good wishes of the great body of the Canadian people. This is because it stands for the integrity of the United Kingdom, for the closer union of the States that make up the Empire, and for a trade policy that would conduce to the building up of the over-sea dominions.

know that that legislation is at the same time killing the goose that lays the golden eggs of which this young Dominion and other over-sea States of the Empire are much in need.

THE NEGLECTED EIGHTEEN.

Why is the Railway Committee of the House of Commons? This is the question which at once rises to the mind on looking over the list of standing committees with which the lower chamber of Parliament has equipped itself for the transaction of business.

At any rate, we do seriously think that the present procedure is a gross violation of the rights of eighteen members of Parliament. The Railway Committee is admittedly the most important standing committee of the House, and yet these eighteen are excluded from its conclaves.

Killed His Father. Sherbrooke, Que., Dec. 13.—Jas. Houston, Sr., of Danville, was attacked by his son Jas. Houston, Jr., with a hammer, and killed. It seems that the two men were working together in a cellar when the blow was struck.

Advertisement for Scott's Emulsion, featuring an image of a man carrying a large fish on his back. Text: 'This is the trademark which is found on every bottle of the genuine Scott's Emulsion...'

PRESS COMMENT

The farmers who are shortly to wait upon the Ottawa Government with a view to getting reforms out of a careful study of the last set of estimates. According to these propositions we are to spend \$138,000,000 next year.

Troubles seem to be overtaking the Supreme Court judges. Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, the Chief Justice, is attacked by W. T. R. Preston for advising the Dutch to be careful of their investments in the West, and Judge Girouard is accused by Sir Wilfrid Laurier of acting without authority.

It looks very bad that the government should adopt additional regulations to prevent the investigation of graft cases in connection with the public accounts. Taking the most liberal view of it, and accepting the given reason that too much of the time would take up too much of the time of the committees if given a free hand in this respect, the excuse cannot fail to be regarded with suspicion.

We have it on the best of authority that the British electors have remained true to their highest principles and their best traditions. It is only when an attempt is made to define exactly what the best traditions and the highest principles are that any great difficulty arises.

BALANCE OF PARTIES.

Table showing political party balances in various constituencies. Columns include Party Name, Constituency, and Vote Count. Parties listed include Liberals, Conservatives, Nationalists, and Unionists.

THE VOTE ON GOVERNMENT LOCAL OPTION

By-law Defeated in all Cities and Towns Excepting Moose Jaw and Davidson But Carried in Rural Municipalities.

Interest in the local option polling overshadowed all else in the municipal elections held on Monday. As was not unexpected, the centres of the population largely voted in favor of the licensed bar, while the "dry" gained a foothold in the rural municipalities.

Moose Jaw Goes Dry. Moose Jaw was the only Saskatchewan city to join the dry brigade, the local optionists carrying the day by a majority of 149. In the vote of 2,000, a result the victors celebrated with a torchlight procession.

Princes Albert went strongly against the by-law, the figures being 849 for the sale of liquor and 228 against. Saskatoon polled up a majority of over 200 against the by-law.

Regina's majority against local option was just one short of the hundred mark. Ward One was the stronghold of the "antis," a majority of 211 being gained in the district family "wet." The campaign was keenly and, in some cases, almost bitterly contested.

Behind this announcement is an important piece of policy. Part of the business of the militia department is essential feature of any mobilization scheme is decentralization; that is to say, that in every regimental district there should be the full number of rifles, suits of clothing, equipments, etc., necessary to turn out the local regiment at war strength.

A DRAMATIC SCENE

Abandoning Bank Teller Makes Complete Confession in Court. New York, Dec. 13.—One of the most remarkable scenes on record in the criminal court took place when Walter A. Hall, former paying teller of the Greenwich bank, appeared before Justice Crain for sentence.

BLACK HAND AT NEPEAWA

Nepeawa, Dec. 13.—It is reported that members of a black hand gang were working in the Nepeawa district. Three prominent lawyers of Nepeawa, the recent week been recipients of black hand letters. Several prominent farmers, both north and south of the town, have been singled out for a like delicate attention.

THE VOTE ON GOVERNMENT DOWN TO WORK

According to the Party View Because Some Estimates Were Passed.—A Deputy Minister With a Private Practice.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) Ottawa, Dec. 9.—From the strictly Ministerial point of view this was the first time that the House did any business. The Ministerial idea is that the House of Commons is a tiresome crowd which is necessary to the passing of estimates.

Two interesting things cropped up during the estimates. First, we had that hardy annual, the question whether the Deputy Minister of Justice should do private practice. He always has done so, an Opposition member usually object.

Mr. Foster came into the debate with a disposition to doubt the force of Mr. Aylesworth's argument. And could he report on cases in which the Deputy Minister of Justice was free to take outside practice would not all deputy ministers have the same right? By Mr. Aylesworth's doctrine all deputies would be subject to suspicion, whether it were well founded or unfounded.

Secondly, the militia estimates elicited a very interesting statement from the military minister, Sir Frederick Borden. Henceforward the militia department proposes to build its own small armories. Heretofore it has had the work done for it by the public works department.

Mr. Pugsley—Does the minister forget the sub-target gun case, where a lawyer of the government party was chairman and where prominent lawyers of the government party were engaged in the matter, where a minister was assisting an attorney who was assisting a lawyer? It was about as glaring a case, as barefaced a case of blockading as ever occurred in any deliberative assembly.

Mr. Pugsley—I can tell my honor, friend that he is entirely mistaken. So far as I recollect I had nothing to do with the investigation of the gun-target case.

This was a complete proof that Mr. Lennox had been correct. What rendered the affair more noteworthy was that heated recriminations had passed between Mr. Lennox and Mr. Pugsley. The minister had borne a prominent part in the affair, and in which he moved the adjournment of the committee.

As Mr. Lennox moved, Mr. Pugsley must have remembered that his record in the matter was one to obliterate attacks upon his honor as a professional man and as a public man. It was not an occasion of a sort which

Advertisement for Dr. Kennedy & Kennedy, 'MEN-WE CAN CURE YOU'. Text: 'FINEST MEDICAL INSTITUTE IN AMERICA OWNED AND OCCUPIED BY DR. K. & K. YOUNG OR MIDDLE-AGED MEN who need the services of expert specialists...'

Advertisement for Blackstock, Flood & Co., 'Farm Lands and City Property'. Text: 'SIX FARMS for sale on the crop payment plan. 640 ACRES highly cultivated land near Francis. Do not miss this.' Includes 'Whimore Bros.' logo.

Advertisement for 'MONEY TO LOAN'. Text: 'Mortgage Loans made to farmers at lowest current rate of interest and on favorable terms of repayment. No time lost in completing loans. Expenses moderate.'

Advertisement for Canadian Pacific Christmas and New Year Holidays Excursions. Text: 'CANADIAN PACIFIC CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS EXCURSIONS. FARE AND ONE THIRD For the Round Trip. Between all stations on the main line, Port Arthur to Vancouver, and intermediate branch lines.'

Large vertical advertisement on the right side of the page, partially obscured and containing various notices and small text fragments.



London, Dec. 13.—The population of the United States...

Washington, D. C., Dec. 12.—The population of the United States...

Oklahoma with 109.7 per cent, and Idaho with 101.3 per cent...

The toasts responded to that he was a member of the Chamber of Commerce...

December Athletic World.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Within three miles of each other's home...

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OVER NINETY MILLIONS

Population of the United States Is Growing Rapidly—Shows It Is the Only State to Show A Decrease.

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GERMAN FINANCES.

Will Be Able to Balance Expenditures With Income in a Year.

Berlin, Dec. 12.—Herr Wermouth, Secretary of the Imperial Treasury...

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PRIZES FOR SEED FAIR

To Be Held in Regina During January.—Several Changes are Made and New Sections Added Since Last Year.

The Saskatchewan College of Agriculture is issuing a list of the prizes offered for the Provincial Seed Fair...

HETTY GREEN HARD WORKER

Son Speaks on Life of Richest Woman in the World.—Has a Wonderful Memory For Minute Details.

It so happened that I was born abroad. We lived in England until I was 8 years old, and we might be living there now had not my mother...

ELEVATOR PROSECUTION.

Criminal Proceedings Commenced Against Thunders Bay Co. Winnipeg, Dec. 12.—Criminal proceedings were officially set on foot...

Favorable to Company.

Winnipeg, Dec. 12.—The arbitrators appointed as a board of conciliation to settle the disputed matters in connection with the Winnipeg Street Railway...

Implement Amalgamation.

Toronto, Dec. 12.—A very important step has been taken by the Massey-Harris Co. in the purchase of the John Harvester Co.'s work at Batavia...

Sifton Delivers Budget.

Edmonton, Alta., Dec. 12.—This afternoon Premier Sifton delivered his budget, which was very lengthy and weighty...

Entertained a Lunatic.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 12.—The heads of several departments in the Federal Building, which were so favorably impressed with a Frenchman...

Fall at Risk Fatal.

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SPEAKS ON RECIPROCIITY.

James J. Hill's Address Before Canadian Society, New York.

New York, Dec. 12.—James J. Hill, president of the Great Northern Railway...

FISHERIES REGULATIONS

International Agreement Reached and Will Be Brought Into Effect Within a Few Days.—Contentions Upheld.

Ottawa, Dec. 11.—It is understood that as a result of the conference held during the past three days...

MORE RECORDS BROKEN.

Some of the Unusual Developments on Canadian Farms in 1910.

The Eye-Witness, Birtle, Man., writes that Wm. Taylor, of Bird Tail Valley, had a 20-acre oat field...

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CHRISTIANS MASSACRED.

Bedouins Take Revenge for the Execution of a Chief.

Constantinople, Dec. 12.—A telegram from Jerusalem reports the Bedouins having massacred the Turkish garrison at Kerak, a town in the Turkish Vilayet of Syria...

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Advertisement for Massey & Sons' Farm Machinery, featuring a large image of a tractor and text: 'Massey & Sons' Farm Machinery', 'SOLD DIRECT FROM FACTORY TO HOME', 'ONE GRADE ONE PRICE ONE PROFIT', 'Factory Branch', '308 ARNOLD STREET', 'REGINA, SASK.'.

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NETY MILLIONS

United States rapidly—Towa Is To Show As

C. Dec. 12.—The United States showed a rate of increase in which complete received and tabu office is maintain-

Mexico and Arizona of the ennumer-teenth census reached thirty-three out and the District of show a grand total 55,299,636. This is a gain of 75,994,575 in census of 1900. A ease for the sixteen ing the figure country up to

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Making the Progress It Should.

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al, Dec. 12.—Geo. Smith, mortal six hundred that charge of the Light Bri- battle of Balaklava, now 84, is seeking charity board of supervi- asking for sufficient funds- self and his daughter to a pension from the rment. For bravery in mutiny) he was awarded Cross and received a per- twenty sovereigns from riora. After the Indian came to America, later

Irvin Robbery.

sk, Dec. 12.—Another chap- led to the series of bur- have been taking place when early Saturday Girvin post office was made of a bold robbery. Owing to the safe and which was good substantial sum, al- figures are to be had as

CANADIAN CLUB DINNER

Lord Strathcona Presided at Brilliant Function in London—Presented Two Handsome Loving Cups to the Club.

London, Dec. 12.—Lord Strathcona presided at the Canadian Club dinner presented two handsome loving cups to the club. In doing so he alluded to the fact that the club had originated at the time that it took sixty days to cross the Atlantic and the few members then had toasted themselves in the old-fashioned toddy bowl.

At that time the West, which now sent them one hundred million bushels, did not produce one million and the only dealings of the merchants were with furs from the Northwest and timber from the east, and British Columbia was only known as a region of great mountains. He emphasized the contrast of potentials so great that their sons should look upon the present prosperity as a mere bagatelle.

The toast to the Imperial forces was responded to by Admiral Douglas who Gen. Sir Percy Lake. The latter said that he had reason to be proud of his connection with the Canadian militia. It is now possible, he stated, to make a comparison of the value of the force today with ten years ago and in future it will have an influence undreamed of in enforcing peace throughout the world. So long as it is willing to help the empire, there is no need of a written contract.

He added that he hoped to see the time when His Majesty's commission would be valid throughout the empire. He closed with reference to Daniel Webster's words that the British Empire would be heard at sunrise throughout the world.

The toast to the Dominion was responded to by Price Ellison, who said that he was a Manchester man by birth and a Canadian by adoption, a Chamberlainite and Imperialist by choice. Amid much laughter and cheering he stated that Canada wanted the Old Country to get a move on. "We don't want to have any dealings with the United States which make British its dumping ground." He added that the preference for Great Britain had been endorsed by all parties and preferential trade was sure to come. The British Isles, he stated, dropped in Canada would need an exploration party to find them. Eng- lishmen don't realize that Canada would soon have a population greater than the United States. Mr. Ellison devoted the greater part of his remarks to Canadian politics and the resources of the country.

The toasts to the guests were re- sponded to by Judge Graham, who af- ter a visit to Canada, said he expected to see a colony which found a nation, united and loyal. He deplored the ignorant action of British statesmen in the past and added that a standing dis- grace Canada will be an immense strength to the Empire if justice is done here.

C.E. Drummond also responded fresh from speaking on Lancelairt plat- forms. He stated that when asked why he had butted in at the dinner, he replied for the reason that Cana- dians had butted in in South Africa, namely the real interest of the Em- pire. Among those present at the dinner were C. W. Badgerow, Templeton, W. J. Tupper, J. C. Colmer, W. L. Grimth, Howard Kent.

CALGARY'S PROGRESSIVENESS

Municipal Ownership Has Proved A Paying Proposition

Progressive American newspapers are watchful of municipal ownership movement in Canada.

WILL TOUR CANADA

English Central and Associated Cham- bers of Commerce Arrange Trips

London, Dec. 12.—Educational tours in Canada are being organized for next year by the English Central and Associated Chambers of Agriculture for the benefit of farmers who are not shown learning from Canadians how English farming methods can be im- proved.

The itinerary is to include visits to the leading agricultural colleges and Government experimental farms in Canada and the Eastern States. A study of different styles of farming will be investigated on typical farms, wheat in Manitoba and Saskatchewan, fruit at Niagara and in British Colum- bia, and dairy farming in Ontario, Michigan and New York. Lectures by experts on such topics as the feeding of cattle and improvements in strains of sheep, swine, and poultry.

PLAINS RIDER DIES ALONE

Mounted Policeman Furley Stationed at Weyburn, Commits Suicide—Body Not Discovered For Three Weeks.

Constable H. H. Furley, of the R. N. W. M. P., stationed at Weyburn, on the Soo line, committed suicide by shooting himself three weeks ago, but it was not until Friday morning that his body was discovered, according to information received by the Mounted Police headquarters here. His friends mistook the constable for a ghost and thought that he was out of town on business, and no one visited his room until Friday morning. The body was in an advanced state of decomposition.

The reason for his act is unknown. He was well known in Weyburn, and no one there had any reason to believe that he contemplated anything of the kind. He was an Englishman, well connected, and apparently in good health and spirits.

Sergeant Left, of Estevan, telephoned to Chief of Police Thompson of Weyburn, according to the information received here, telling him that no report had been received from Furley for three weeks and that the sergeant could not locate him by telephone. The sergeant stated to the chief that he could not understand the matter, and Chief Thompson went immediately to the Mounted Police station at Weyburn and broke open the door. He was shocked to see the dead body of the missing constable lying on the floor of the room, with a bullet hole in his temple. A revolver was gripped in both hands, pointing at the temple.

It is known that Furley received his mail at Weyburn on November 24, and the next day a registered letter was received which is still in the post office. There are other letters there from his home, which was Golden Castle, Kings County, England.

Furley's friends thought that he had been called away suddenly on business and believed that he was out on the prairie. On that account they did not worry him, and one had visited the station on some time.

The headquarters staff here know the little of the dead man, but he was made an efficient officer, and it is known that he is well connected in the Old Country. He was a remittance man, and was not dependent on his salary from the force.

Wart National Museum.

Ottawa, Dec. 12.—A large deputa- tion of prominent Ottawans waited on Sir Wilfrid Laurier to ask him to use his influence to have the new British Museum constituted the National Museum of Canada, and that it be placed in charge of a special government commission con- sisting of the British Museum in London, England, and the National Museum in Washington, D. C. Sir Wilfrid said he would bring the mat- ter before the cabinet, but before do- ing so he would be obliged to be fur- nished with facts as to how the mu- seum in London was managed. The prime minister said further that if some gentlemen of leisure could be persuaded to act on a commission so that they could throw their whole heart into the matter it would be appreciated.

MANITOBA CROP REPORT

Grain Report For Year Shows A Total of 96,088,517 Bushels.—Farmers Prosperous Despite an Unfavorable Summer.

Crop Bulletin No. 82, which has just been issued by the Manitoba Depart- ment of Agriculture and Immigration, for the year 1910, shows that the total area of land under grain crop is 5,397,384, while the total area under broad and dairy farming in Ontario, Michigan and New York. Lectures by experts on such topics as the feeding of cattle and improvements in strains of sheep, swine, and poultry.

An increase is noted in every line of products, while the total number of bushels of wheat marketed up to Nov. 15, is 21,587,301.

The prosperity of the Manitoba farmer is shown by the large amount of money that was expended in the construction of a farm buildings during the year, which reached a total of \$3,546,539, an increase over last year of \$956,753.

The value of the dairy products in the province during the year is \$1,636,863.81, thus showing that the farmers are at last beginning to give some at- tention to one of the most impor- tant features of successful farming.

The contention that an early spring is followed by a dry, hot summer, con- siderably borne out the present year. The spring opened at an un- usually early date, and was followed by an exceedingly dry summer, and this condition manifested itself to such an extent in the South-Western, the South Central and the Western portions of the Eastern district, that the entire crops of these districts, ce- reals, roots and hay, were materially affected, not only as a result of the drought, but also by the fact that the winter was anticipated previous to harvest-

The Northern districts and the east- ern portion of the Eastern district made a very creditable showing and were favored favorably with the best pre- vious years. The sample of wheat har- vested this year is a very good one. Flax, rye and peas show very large increases.

Cultivated grasses show an increase of nearly 20,000 tons and an exceeding- ly pleasing feature of this increase is the 5,041 tons of clover. This alone, in a measure, compensated for the drawback already alluded to in the quantity of clover to make mention of. The potato and root crops of the province are in a position where they might be easily doubled by a more careful selection of seed, better preparation of the soil and a little more attention while growing.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE.

Is in Course of Organization Throughout Saskatchewan.

A movement similar to that which has spread so very rapidly throughout Ontario has been started in Saskatch- ewan.

The Ontario Women's Insti- tute movement has been a considerable factor in improving the homes of the province, and now a similar move- ment is being launched in Saskatch- ewan. For about three weeks Miss Lillian K. Beynon, editor of the "Mani- toba" department of the Manitoba Department of Agriculture in address- ing the women of the C. P. R. in the east- ern part of the province. At a num- ber of points local clubs have been formed, and the idea has been "caught on" indicates that within a year or two the whole of the province will have local organizations of women working in the same manner as in this province. The College of Agricul- ture is now preparing for its open- ing on February 3, when the agricul- tural societies hold their big annual gathering. No pains are being spared to make this year a big success for the women of the province. At- tending the agricultural societies' convention and short course at Regina on Jan. 15, 16 and 17, let her get the best ideas regarding many matters of domestic interest. The women's clubs will be organized, and many women from all parts of Saskatchewan will be present. Arrangements made by the College of Agriculture and the railways whereby delegates can attend the convention and get free- ly from the cost of transportation. Extension, Director of Agriculture, will gladly supply information upon request.

Saskatchewan farmers will send exhibits of seed to the Provincial Seed Fair to be held at Regina on January 22-23, but they should also plan to at- tend the farmers' short course which will be held at Regina during the week of Jan. 24-25. These two events are this year being held on separate weeks on account of the large amount of work about to be done in connection with the Agricultural Societies' Con- vention. These conventions, which have for some years been held in con- junction with the Provincial Seed Fair, are quite the most popular of all the farmers' gatherings held in Saskatch- ewan. This is the natural consequence of the effort that has been made to provide a programme which would give those who attend some idea of the work on their own farms. This year the work of the agricultural societies will be dis- cussed at the morning sessions of the convention. At the afternoon sessions the subjects presented will pertain to farming principles and practices and an effort will be made to present as much as possible of the practical ex- periences underlying common farm- ing practices. An excellent programme of lectures will be given, and the event is being prepared, good speakers are being secured, and the event is a most important one. The dates are January 31, February 3. Reduced rates will be in force on the special train—that is, each person will buy a single fare ticket to Regina and secure a single certificate from that city for the round trip. Last year more than 150 were in attendance and return tickets were ob- tained free. This year there will be a number of prizes offered to those who probably be three. This year is rapidly approaching, and the interest is rapidly extending from the agricultural so- cieties to the farmers. A special train will be obtained from W. Hedley Auld, Director of Agricultural Extens- ion, Saskatoon, Sask.

CHANGES IN CHURCH LAW

Decree Promulgated by Pope Pius XI Announced to New York Clergy

New York, Dec. 12.—Changes in the ecclesiastical law of the Roman Catho- lic Church as promulgated by Pius XI, archbishop of New York at the tri- ennial synod held at St. Patrick's cathedral. More than 600 priests at- tended.

The most important decree is the con- maximo cura, decided upon by the cardinal congregation at Rome, which takes from the bishop or archbishop the power to remove a pastor, or ignorance as rendered him incap- able of performing his duties, per- manent physical or mental infirmity, neglect of his duties, or a lack of respect for the power of removal with the "d amotione parochi," which consists of six priests besides the archbishop.

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REPORT SHOWS BIG INCREASE

Saskatchewan Leads All Canada in Stock Increases For Month of November—Alberta Follows Next.

Ottawa, Dec. 12.—The report on live stock for the end of November, issued by the census office, gives statistics showing for the provinces the per- cent. number compared with a year ago, and their condition as compared with a standard condition. For the whole of Canada there is an increase of 2.31 per cent. in the number of horses, of 1.13 in the number of cows, of 2.11 in number of swine, and of 8.02 in the number of poultry. The number of sheep has decreased by 1.55 per cent. in the year and the number of live stock other than cows by 2.20 per cent.

The provinces which show the largest gain per cent. in numbers are Saskatchewan and Alberta. Sas- katchewan has made a gain of 4.09 in cows, of 4.65 in other horned cattle, of 4.26 in sheep, of 21.38 in poultry, but in the number of swine has fallen off by 5.30 per cent.

In Alberta the gain has been 8.59 per cent. in horses, 1.05 per cent. in cows, 13.10 per cent. in sheep, 5.74 per cent. in swine and 22.70 per cent. in poultry, while the number of horned cattle other than milch cows has decreased by 6.12 per cent. The gain in the number of horned cattle other than milch cows is 5.80 per cent., but all other animals are less than a year ago, rang- ing from 4.6 for poultry to 1.03 for milch cows.

By the standard condition of live stock is meant a healthy and thrifty state, and taking this condition as a fraction over for horses, milch cows and poultry, and a little under for sheep, swine and horned cattle other than cows.

In Ontario the condition of all animals exceeded the standard ex- cept for sheep, which are .05 per cent. below and in Manitoba where it falls below by 4.46 per cent. for milch cows, by 12.20 per cent. for other horned cattle and by 8.36 per cent. for swine.

Nan Patterson Married.

Seattle, Dec. 12.—Nan Patterson, former chorus girl, twice tried for the murder of Charles Young in New York, is living here as the wife of Captain Sumner Prescott, head of the manu- facturing firm of Marinette, Wis., where he formally lived. The couple were married at St. Paul the latter admitted the identity of his bride.

WANT AN INCREASE

Employees of Intercolonial Railway Claim Consideration

Montreal, Dec. 6.—The Intercolonial Board of Management is in session here under the presidency of Mr. Campbell, deputy minister of railways, at the office of the I. C. R. freight department in the Board of Trade building, to deal with further demands of the employees for higher rates of pay. The board last month decided to grant an advance to each branch of the service representing five per cent.

The committee who had charge of the case for the men, considered this insufficient in view of the larger in- creases obtained by the conductors and trainmen on the C. P. R., and the case to the Minister of Railways and the Hon. G. P. Graham has been under consideration.

The board is today dealing with the demands presented by the com- mittees of the blacksmiths and mach- inists' organizations, with which they had conferences yesterday after- noon. It is stated that having regard to the increased cost of living the employees' claim will be considered.

WESTERN EXTENSIONS

Canadian Pacific Railway Makes Application to Parliament For Permission to Build Several Lines in West.

Ottawa, Dec. 6.—The Canadian Pacific Railway Company will apply to Parliament at its present session for an act authorizing it to construct the following lines of railway:—(1) from a point at or near Wilkie on the Com- pany's Pheasant Hills Branch in a southerly and southeasterly direction to a junction with the company's Moose Jaw branch in township 30, 16 north, range 17, west of the third meridian, Saskatchewan. (2) From a point at or near Kerr-Robert on the company's northern branch in township 5, 16 north, range 19, west of the third meridian, Saskatchewan. (3) From a point at or near Moose Jaw in township 30, 16 north, range 17, west of the third meridian, Saskatchewan, to a junction with the line described above in town- ship 38 or 39, range 18 or 20, west of the third meridian, Saskatchewan.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to Parlia- ment for an act to incorporate a rail- road company under the name of the Canadian Inter-Mountain Railway Co., with power to lay out, construct and equip a line of railway operated by steam, electric or other power for the carrying of freight, passengers and express.

Commencing at a point in a general westerly direction to the west- ern boundary of Alberta at the summit of Kitchichem Pass, thence in a gen- eral westerly direction in British Colum- bia to Flathead River, thence in a northerly direction to a point on the Canadian Pacific Railway at or near the city of Fernie; from a point at or near Milk River, in Alberta, in a general easterly direction to Estevan in Saskatchewan, with power to con- struct the following branch lines:—(A) From a point on the said main line at or near Calder Creek and Flat Head River to a point at or near the town of Elkton. (B) From a point at or near Cardston, in Alberta, to Lethbridge. (C) From a point in or near township 3, range 1, west of the 4th meridian, Alberta, to Medi- cine Hat. (D) From a point in or near township 4, range 19, west of the 3rd meridian, to Swift Current. (E) From a point in or near township 5, range 29, west of the 3rd meridian, to Moose Jaw, with power to build other branches in the Province of British Columbia not exceeding in length one case twenty miles in length.

MINING LAND THROWN OPEN.

Port Arthur, Dec. 12.—The Provin- cial government has declared many thousands of acres of mining lands in the district of Thunder Bay for sale to the Crown for non-payment of taxes. This means that hundreds of patented mining claims are now open for staking out as mining claims.

Many haven't been worked for two years, and in the majority of cases the original owners have been lost track of owing to their not having kept in touch with their properties. The districts where these new claims are available are: Homer, Lybster, McTavish, Straks, Pi- niglion, Pic, Sibley and Strange and numerous other surveyed mining lands.

Immigration Figures

Ottawa, Dec. 12.—During the past five months of the present fiscal year, April to August inclusive, immigra- tion into Canada totalled 180,330, an increase of 74,748, or 71 per cent., as compared with the corresponding five months of last year. This rate of increase has been steadily maintained all the year, and even during the present month arrivals are surpris- ingly large. For the last fiscal year the total immigration was 208,794, and according to present indications will be total for the present year will be between 330,000 and 350,000. Reports of Canadian Immigration agents in Europe and in the United States are very optimistic as to the prospects of a very large influx of immigrants next year. The department expects that the figures for the coming year will show a total immigration of at least half a million.

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Local and General

Curling in the president vs. vice-president competition is now in full swing.

Arthur L. Smith has been appointed honorary coach of the Collegiate hockey team.

A hall, under the auspices of the Excelsior Band, takes place in the city hall this evening.

Joseph Francke, sr., an old resident, died on Friday and interment took place on Sunday.

The Regina Law Students' Society holds its annual banquet at the Wascana Hotel tomorrow night.

The Roseland theatre, Regina's latest venture, opened its doors to good business on Friday night.

With cheap rates prevailing the usual eastern exodus for the Christmas holidays has commenced.

S. W. Haycock, proprietor of the Royal Hotel and Mrs. Haycock have left for a trip to the Old Country.

The Regina Trading Company is extending its premises by taking over the entire floor previously occupied for government offices.

William Beveridge, a pioneer farmer of the Pilot, Butte district, died on Sunday. Three sons and a daughter survive.

The senior hockey season opens tomorrow night when the Shamrocks play Moose Jaw at the Auditorium rink here.

A banquet to celebrate the victory of the freight rate case will feature the next meeting of the board of trade on January 5.

Dr. A. Gregor Smith, dentist, is now located in his new block, the front office of which he has fitted up for modern up-to-date dental appointments.

J. F. L. Embury, nominated for the Collegiate board, withdrew from the contest, thus permitting W. H. Duncan and L. H. Bennett to be elected by acclamation.

A Spencer Page, superintendent of neglected and dependent children, has recently arranged for the formation of societies at Yorkton, Maple Creek and Weyburn.

The children of the Sacred Heart Convent celebrated the Feast of the Oblate Fathers by giving a concert in honor of Rev. Father Siffa, of St. Mary's church.

As a result of illness in his home, R. J. Westgate, candidate for school trustee, was unable to take any part in Monday's contest. He was defeated by five votes.

Thos. R. Brown reported to the police that he had been robbed of \$60 at the C.P.R. station, but later discovered that he had left the money at home in another pocket.

Digby Smith, of Potts & Smith was badly scalded as the result of a steam valve blowing off the boilers of the Strathcona school on Thursday while pipes were being fitted.

For the theft of a double set of harness from Benjamin Friel, a sentence of two months imprisonment was meted out to Thomas Forester in the police court yesterday.

The fire brigade had a run on Thursday for a small fire in a house at the corner of Albert and Seventh streets. They also responded to an alarm Sunday morning to 2233 Scarth street. No damage resulted in either case.

Not only was the Knox church committee successful in raising the debt of \$10,000 within four days to wipe out the floating debt of the church, but they also succeeded in wiping off the mortgage of \$3,500 on the church manse.

Ten waitresses and a number of bell boys employed at the King's Hotel, walked out on Monday night. The management claims it was not a strike but that the disgruntled employees were fired.

Runaway accidents have been frequent lately, three taking place today. On Thursday a team from the police barracks walked to the excitement of a fire alarm by dashing suddenly up Scarth street on a narrow walk, several pedestrians narrowly escaping injury.

Prize winners at the bazaar given under the auspices of St. Mary's church ladies' aid were: Columbia graphophone, Mr. Davids; pearl ring, Miss Sharp; hand-painted tea set, Mrs. Wheelan; cake, Miss E. McCarthy; musical album, L. L. Kramer; cushion, Mrs. Doyle.

L. Rankin, for many years the Dominion Land title agent in Regina, has been appointed manager of the Winnipeg department of the same service. Although pleased at his appointment, Mr. Rankin's many friends regret his departure from Regina. He will be especially missed in curling circles. He left for Winnipeg last night.

At a meeting held on Saturday evening in Regina an intermediate hockey league was formed with teams from Balgonie, Pense, Lumston and Regina. Officers elected were: J. B. Hawkes, Balgonie, honorary president; W. J. Bright, Regina, president; R. Martin, Pense, vice-president. The secretary will be appointed by the president. The season opens on Dec. 20 with Regina playing at Lumston.

The Bricklayers and Masons International Union of America held its annual banquet in Trades Hall Thursday night. J. Moore was chairman, and addresses were delivered by A. E. Geerres and A. B. Dunnett. An enjoyable musical programme was participated in by W. McDermid, G. Edwards, G. Connor, H. Dry, J. Dale, Mr. Slim, W. P. Shields, M. Bliviner, W. Beach, W. Griston, J. Easton, W. Brewis, J. Lloyd.

The vexed question of the inadequacy of the city power plant was the subject of a lengthy discussion by the Fire, Water and Light Committee, the result being the passing of the following resolution: "That the power plant question be referred to the City Commissioners to enquire into the general efficiency and question of extension."

The city commissioners shall report to the committee on these matters and also as to whether it be deemed advisable to engage the services of an expert.

The fourteenth meeting of the Literary Society was held in the assembly hall of the Regina Normal Dec. 9. The following programme was rendered: Chorus, "Flow Gently Sweet Afted"; Glee Club; vocal duet, "Native Son"; Miss Moldrum; vocal duet, "Sora"; Misses Garvin; instrumental solo, Selected, Miss F. Stewart; reading, "Advice to Normal Students"; Mr. Del Plaine; educational review, Mr. Flisk; chorus, "Crossing the Bar"; Glee Club; critic's report, Mr. Duff; "God Save the King."

At a stated convention of Capital City Lodge, Knights of Pythias in the Castle Hall, the following were elected officers for the year 1911: Chancellor, Commander, J. E. Nicol; Vice Chancellor, F. G. England; Prelate, D. S. Nicol; son; Master of Work, C. W. Hilton; keeper of R. and S. R. M. Houston; Master of Finance, H. R. Watts; Master of Exchequer, T. E. Storey; Master-at-Arms, J. M. Scott; Inner Guard, C. W. Patterson; Outer Guard, H. Nelson. There was a very large attendance, including visiting knights from Moose Jaw and other lodges.

TO STUDY SOCIAL PROBLEMS.

Leaves Firm of J. P. Morgan in Effort to Solve Old Question. New York, Dec. 13.—George W. Perkins announced today his retirement from the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. to devote his time to extending the benefit of profit-sharing and other principles for solving the conflict between capital and labor. The announcement, given out this afternoon after the close of business, says in part: "On January 1, I will have been with the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. ten years, and engaged in business activities over thirty years. I am withdrawing to devote more time to corporation work and work of a public nature in which I am deeply interested."

"In continuing my relations with the industrial and other business organizations with which I am connected, I hope to find further opportunity for extending the principles which science has shown offer a practical solution of some of the difficulties existing between capital and labor. "At Columbia University two years ago, and at Harvard University last spring, I spoke of the importance of solving the new problems at present facing the country, and which have followed the organization of the great cooperative combinations of capital, and it is my hope that the experience I have had may enable me to contribute something towards the adjustment of those matters, which seem to me to be of the largest consequence to the country."

In recent years Mr. Perkins has represented the firm in the great industrial organizations in which they are interested, and the formal announcement of the firm indicates that his relations to those concerns will continue. Speculation as to whether U. S. Congress Will Make Changes. Washington, D.C., Dec. 13.—A single week of congress has not cleared the atmosphere as to whether there will be a serious effort at the present session toward tariff tinkering. While many bills have been introduced in the House for the repeal of the duties on lumber, food products, coal, iron and raw materials, they have come entirely from the Democratic side and are regarded as indicating the intentions of individuals next session when the Democrats will be in the majority in the House.

TALK OF TARIFF

In the Senate the only tariff activity has been in connection with the proposed amendment of the rules presented by Senator Cummins. The change suggested is designed to permit revision of the tariff by schedules and prevent consideration of amendments to schedules other than those specifically under discussion. The rules insist that it involves closure in a form that has a human nature to the senate rules for a hundred years. Friends of Cummins' scheme point to President Taft's endorsement of tariff revision by schedule and declare that such a rule is necessary if the president's plan is to carry.

STRIKE ULTIMATUM

Railway Engineers on Lines Radiating From Chicago Take Action. Chicago, Ill., Dec. 13.—The Brotherhood of Railway Engineers will present its strike ultimatum to the Railway Managers' Association Monday, backed by the approval of more than 95 per cent of the 33,000 engineers who are members, according to Warren S. Stone, president of the brotherhood. The last group of returns on the strike vote were counted today, and the strike sentiment was stronger than he had expected. After months of negotiations, the demands of engineers are now 75 per cent of the present wage scale higher than the railway managers are willing to grant. Monday, according to Mr. Stone, the result of the recent strike vote will be shown the railway managers and the ultimatum delivered. If it will be not acceded to, a strike that will close the throttle of every railway locomotive west, south and north of Chicago, may be called within five hours, it was intimated.

Thrown On Saw

Holland, Man., Dec. 13.—Just after noon Wilfrid Thomas, aged 21, second son of Joseph Thomas, a farmer, four miles east of here, met death by falling on a circular saw. While taking down logs to feed the saw, the pile toppled over and carried his body on the saw, which cut into his chest. Death was instantaneous.

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A Dress Length Sale of Fine Winter Tweeds

All this week the prices on these handsome tweed suitings will be cut in half. Every one of these handsome patterns, stripes, checks, heringbones, plaids, etc., in all shades from light to dark will be offered for the entire week at HALF PRICE.

Suitings worth \$7.00 per dress length, for.....\$3.50

Suitings worth \$10.00 per dress length, for.....\$5.00

Suitings worth \$12.00 per dress length, for.....\$6.00

Suitings worth \$15.00 per dress length, for.....\$7.50

Suitings worth \$16.00 per dress length, for.....\$8.00

Suitings worth \$17.50 per dress length, for.....\$8.75

Suitings worth \$18.00 per dress length, for.....\$9.00

Toilet Articles Reduced

All this week you can buy handsome Manicure Sets, Comb and Brush Sets and Toilet Sets at a discount of one-quarter off regular prices. New goods are daily arriving and this section is over-crowded now—so if you want a really acceptable present for "her" or "him"—these prices will save you money.

Toilet Set, including handsome sterling silver mounted hand mirror, comb, hair brush, manicure scissors, nail file, buffer and pomade box in fine leather case, lined with satin. Regular price \$18.50. Sale price.....\$13.50

Set of hand mirror, hair brush and comb, (real solid ebony backs), leather case, satin lined. Regular price \$10. Sale price.....\$7.50

Manicure Set, ebony handles mounted with fine sterling silver design. Regular price \$5.00 for.....\$3.75

Manicure Set, ebony handles, crocodile leather covered box, very specially marked at \$5.00. Sale price.....\$3.75

Manicure Set, sterling silver mounted, very fine crocodile leather case, regular \$7.00. Sale price.....\$5.25

Winter in Real Earnest Means FURS FOR WOMEN

Sleighting and out-of-door life is this cold, snappy atmosphere is the best of tonics but a woman must be warmly clad and while the Fur Section has been talking high-priced furs for a long time we must not lose sight of the fact that medium priced garments are also here in great array and we stand for their quality just as we do for the quality of our very best.

Muskat Coat, 44 inches long, fine full furred natural Canadian Rat, with large collars and revers and turn back cuffs, lined with guaranteed satin. Regular \$110.00, for.....\$85.00

Women's Fur Lined Coat, 50 inch, semi-fitting, all wool Austrian Broadcloth shell, lined with splendid muskrat, finest full furred Canadian mink collar. Regular \$95. Special.....\$59.50

Women's Fur Lined Coat, 50 inches long, semi-fitting. Special all wool Austrian Broadcloth Shell, trimmed with strapings of self, turn back cuffs; lined with finest Eastern Rat, extra large collar and revers of best Alaska Sable. Reg. 85.00, for.....\$65.00

Women's Caracul Coats, lined with silk and wool serge; semi-fitting back; large collar and revers, trimmed with military and soutache braid and javelled buttons. Regular \$30.00. Extra.....\$19.50

Women's Winter Coats Almost Given Away

A pre-Christmas clean-up of the Women's Coat Section revealed a number of women's warm tweed coats that are broken in size or only one of its kind remains. They are splendidly made of good serviceable tweeds, cut in good stylish lines and have self and velvet collars. Regularly some are worth \$15. Some as low as \$7.50. They.....\$1.95 must go before Christmas at.....

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Farmers and men who drive a lot will appreciate these warm Fur Garments at such reasonable prices. Although it is a well known and recognized fact that Furs are getting more scarce and higher priced each year—a fortunate chance enabled us to buy certain fur coats cheaper this year than we have in years and this works out to your advantage in increased quality and lower prices.

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