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Election Cards

FOR ALDERMANIC HONORS IN DUFFERIN WARD

Wm. A. Steiper

Respectfully solicits your support and votes. HE STANDS FOR ACTIVITY, SUCCESS, INDEPENDENCE AND PROGRESS.

To the Electors of the City of Saint John:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: You have elected me for a number of years a member of the Common Council, and during that time I have endeavored faithfully to fulfill the obligations imposed upon me. This year I will be a candidate for the office of

MAYOR

at the Civic Election to be held on Tuesday the 19th of April next. If it be your will and pleasure to elect me, I shall strive to carry out the duties of the office in the best interests of the whole community. Yours faithfully, JAMES H. FRINK.

To the Electorate of the City of St. John:

At the request of a large number of citizens, I will be a candidate for the office of MAYOR at the coming civic election. If elected, I shall do all in my power to further the interests of the citizens and our city generally. Soliciting your votes and support, I am, Yours faithfully, DOUGLAS McARTHUR

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF ST. JOHN.

I will again be a candidate for alderman at Queen's Ward, and solicit your support. Should I be successful, I shall devote my best energy, as in the past, for the city's welfare. E. C. ELKIN.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF ST. JOHN:

Ladies and Gentlemen: At the request of a large number of taxpayers, I am again a candidate for Alderman at Large, and if elected I will endeavor to serve you in the future, as I have done in the past, to the best of my ability. Faithfully yours, W. E. SCULLY.

TO THE ELECTORS OF ST. JOHN.

Ladies and Gentlemen—At the request of a large number of the citizens I will be a candidate for the office of Alderman at Large at the civic election to be held on Tuesday, April 19th. As I will be unable to see you all personally, I take this opportunity to solicit your votes and support, and if elected will endeavor to carry out the duties of the office to the best of my ability, and in the interests of the city in general. Respectfully yours, J. V. RUSSELL.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF ST. JOHN.

Ladies and Gentlemen—Yielding to the request of many of the electors to offer for Alderman at Large, I will be a candidate for that office on Tuesday, April 19th. If elected, I shall endeavor to give close and careful attention to the city's business. Faithfully yours, TIMOTHY O'BRIEN.

If the electors believe that I can be of any service in the administration of our civic affairs I know of no better means by which to give a practical test of such belief than by the citizens depositing their votes in my favor as

ALDERMAN FOR SYDNEY WARD at the election on Tuesday next. JOHN B. JONES.

DUKE'S WARD

VOTE FOR

G. Herbert Green

DUKE'S WARD

FOR ALDERMAN

John W. Vanwart

It will be impossible for me to make a personal canvass of the electors. I again solicit your support, promising to continue my efforts for the welfare of the city.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF SAINT JOHN.

Ladies and Gentlemen: I accede to the request of many friends to offer for the office of ALDERMAN FOR DUFFERIN WARD. I will heartily thank you for your votes and support. JOHN WILLET.

No Sympathy For Modern Revivals

Dr. Cutten In Address on Psychology of the Crowd, Before Canadian Club Terms Them Physical Epidemics—Interesting Review of Movements Which Have Dominated the Masses.

In his address before the Canadian Club last evening Dr. George B. Cutten, president of Acadia University, declared that revivals are more of a psychological phenomenon than an affair of religion, and that the countries where the great revivals took place have since become famous for their lynching bees. He gave an interesting and instructive review of movements which had dominated the crowd since an early period of history.

On rising Dr. Cutten said that receiving a telephone message to address the club he felt not unlike the Irishman, who on being asked by his dying wife to ride to her funeral in a carriage with his mother-in-law, said: "Being as it is your last request I'll do it. But it's going to take all the pleasure out of the trip." His subject, he continued, was the psychology of the crowd, or human stampede. When people gathered in groups they were readily swayed by impulse and unless there were persons present accustomed to exercise self-control, could by the simple process of suggestion be led to commit the most extravagant acts. In a crowd, a man's individuality became merged into the mob-consciousness, and the dictates of reason were often powerless to resist the play of impulse.

A crowd's sentiments were simple and always exaggerated. A mob jumped at conclusions. It never created anything. Its emotions always found expression in acts of destruction. At the same time it would start out on a work of destruction which might be essentially virtuous and even heroic. Its leader never argued. But by suggestion and appeal he ruled it as if with a rod of iron. A group of men swayed by the mob spirit would commit actions that the individual comprising it would feel ashamed to even think of doing. Witness the pranks of college boys and the subsequent repentance of the Holy Land.

The power of suggestion upon the mob's consciousness was manifest in what is known as collective hallucination. A leader could easily persuade a mob that a bronze lion had wagged its tail.

The first historic example of the human stampede was to monasteries. Men were taught that salvation could only be obtained by asceticism and the mob spirit impelled people to withdraw to monasteries. Monasticism formed the basis of other religious epidemics. In its next manifestation it took the form of pilgrimages to the Holy Land. Men and women, and even children were seized with a mania that sent them in futile journeys to the Holy Sepulchre. Over 300,000 people perished of disease and famine. Then came the crusades—a movement to win by force of arms what the early pilgrims had failed to achieve. These movements, too, were unsuccessful.

Next came the children's crusade. Some young preachers appeared with the doctrine that the knights had failed because of their lack of good enough, and that the children, being pure in heart, could accomplish a mission wherein sinful men were useless. So, despite the commands of parents, 10,000 children from Germany and 30,000 from France started for the Holy Land. All perished on the way or were sold into slavery. Many that were forcibly restrained from going on this crusade sickened and died. Then came the epidemic of flagellation. Somebody promulgated the doctrine that men could only be saved through blood and suffering, and wild crowds gathered everywhere and whipped themselves.

Election Returns at Nickel Today. Nickel Theatre was packed to overflowing from 7 o'clock till 10 last evening with a crowd of people that enjoyed the big bill from overture to finale. Miss Tessier, the blind prima donna, rendered still another lovely number on "Tito Mattle's" bit of sentiment "Dear Heart," and was rapturously encored. Ralph Bragg returned to the Nickel staff with the New York hit "The City Where Nobody Cares" and aside from his pleasing singing the song was gorgeously illustrated in the line of pictures the Edison comedy drama "The Suit Case Mystery" caught the crowd. This was one of E. W. Townsend's special film-stories and proved of unusual interest. The new Biograph features "The Twisted Trail" and "Gold Is Not All" were up to the high standard of the most popular company of players and a surprise feature was introduced in "Port Arthur," the City that is Rivalling St. John, a series of motion photographs of the western town so vigorously bidding for our industries. Today and tonight the Nickel will give its patrons all the election returns as they are learned at the court house.

DEATHS

Smith—On the 16th inst., Isabella, wife of Ansley W. Smith, the Young's Cove, Queen's County, leaving a husband and four young children. Notice of funeral hereafter.

Baxter—Suddenly at Upper Loch Lomond, St. John Co., Joseph A., second son of the late John Baxter, leaving a wife, two sisters and four brothers to mourn.

Funeral at 2:00 p. m. on Tuesday from his late residence to Lakeside cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.

Young—In this city on the 18th inst., at his residence, 41 Spring St., William Young, aged 88 years, leaving a widow and one sister to mourn their loss.

Notice of funeral hereafter. No flowers by request.

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ANNUAL MEETING OF TWO SALVAGE CORPS

Officers Re-elected at Gatherings Last Evening—Reports of Attendance at Fires—Civic Candidates Speak.

The annual meetings of the two Salvage Corps and old law committees were held last evening.

Captain R. W. W. Frink was in the chair at the meeting of the treasurer showed a satisfactory financial condition. The secretary reported a response to 72 alarms during the year, meaning continuous work of 40 hours 20 minutes.

After the business of the informal report of officers resulted as follows: R. W. W. Frink, captain; H. Ervin, lieutenant; E. P. Howard, secretary; J. C. Mitchell, treasurer; Dr. Van Warwick, surgeon; J. P. Shaw, foreman No. 1; G. Harvey, foreman No. 2; James Mills, foreman No. 3; S. P. Gerow, foreman No. 4.

It was decided to hold a grand concert in the Opera House on May 19th next. A large number of the corps will take part and an excellent programme will be provided. A committee is already at work and the Opera House has been engaged. Band music will be secured.

Modern Revivals. Modern revivals were also forms of physical epidemics. They had usually been characterized by extravagant physical emotion, showing itself in such phenomena as "shouting," "jerking," "holy laughter," etc. The Kentucky revival was the most extraordinary example of these modern epidemics. They were usually conducted in the open. Men and women were so wrought up, that they finally lapsed into a state of insensibility, and had to be carried into the meeting houses. The floors were littered with rigid bodies in all attitudes.

A favorite pastime at these revivals was called "freeing the devil." Men and women got on all fours, and pranced around a tree, barking like dogs. Another physical phenomenon was known as "the jerks." But it not only affected the enthusiasts. So great was the power of suggestion that men who went to scoff, remained to jerk. "But these epidemics, manifesting themselves in convulsive movements, evidently did not make for the deepening of the spiritual life of the people. It was a highly significant fact, that the revival of Kentucky had since achieved notoriety as the scene of numerous lynchings. "The revival and the lynchings," said the speaker, "are equally manifestations of the power of suggestion acting on the mob."

Revivals Will Die Out. In the future revival movements would be found only among primitive peoples, the negroes, and certain Asiatic races. White men, in general, had nearly arrived at a stage of civilization where they were no longer susceptible to the influence of the self-control of the people.

The speaker then pointed out the influence of the mob spirit in financial affairs, and described the peculiar phenomenon that characterized the Dutch tulip scheme and the Mississippi bubble. Modern panics, he said, were examples of the psychological epidemic, and were due to the suggestibility of the crowd. It had hitherto appeared at intervals of about 11 years, a fact which had led Jevons to attribute them to the spots on the sun.

The panic of 1907 was unnecessary; conditions were good, industry in a healthy condition, but a few banks had failed, a feeling of uneasiness spread, and fear rapidly took possession of the crowd.

Another example of the psychology of the crowd was the fact that newspaper reports of suicides or crime, frequently set the fashion in suicide or crime for a year or more. It should be said, however, that reports of good or heroic actions also had a powerful influence upon the crowd; but unfortunately, this influence was heard about the good actions inspired by suggestion, as about the other things.

Dr. Cutten said in conclusion, that he was not a believer in these epidemics, but he thought that if education had any value, it must result in arbitrary control of their impulses, and as they train themselves in self-restraint they could neutralize the effects of the epidemics if not wholly eliminate them in time.

POPULAR WEDDING IN ST. JAMES CHURCH

Miss May Burns and J. Mc Murray Reid United This Morning—Many Handsome Presents Received.

In St. James Church at 7 o'clock this morning Miss May Burns, daughter of Mr. J. S. Burns, 209 Germain street, will become the bride of J. Mc Murray Reid, formerly a member of the firm of Reid Bros., and now traveller for the Jas. Pender Co. Ltd. Rev. H. A. Cody, the rector, will perform the ceremony.

The bride will be given away by her brother, Andrew Burns. There will be no attendants. The bride will wear a travelling costume of blue broad cloth, with tulle and lace. From the church, Mr. and Mrs. Reid will take passage on the American boat for a trip to Boston, New York and other cities.

Both the bride and groom are very popular in their respective circles, and the esteem in which they are held has been shown by the number of handsome and costly presents of cut glass, silver and furniture. Fellow members of the groom on the staff of the Pender Company sent a valuable sofa.

Mr. and Mrs. Reid will reside on Charlotte street.

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Respectfully yours, JOHN WEATHERHEAD.

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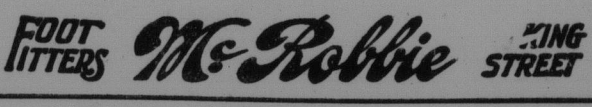
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DOMINION ATLANTIC RAILWAY. S.S. "Yarmouth" leaves Reed's Point Wharf daily at 7.45 a.m., connecting at Digby with trains east and west, returning arrives at 5.30 p.m. Sundays excepted to New Brunswick.

N. B. Southern Railway. On and after SUNDAY, Oct. 3, 1909, trains will run daily, Sunday excepted, as follows: Lv. St. John East Ferry 7.30 a.m. Lv. West St. John 7.45 a.m.

CANADIAN PACIFIC HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSIONS. April 6 and 20 Second-Class Round Trip Tickets ISSUED FROM May 4 and 18 ST. JOHN, N.B. July 13 and 27 Winnipeg. \$32.40 Brandon. \$34.40 Regina. \$38.90 Saskatoon. \$42.75 Calgary. \$48.60 Edmonton. \$49.20

General Superintendent's Office, C. P. R., St. John, N. B. Sealed proposals will be received at this office until 2 o'clock, Monday, May 2nd, for building addition to McAdam Station and Hotel at McAdam Junction, N. B.

MONTREAL STOCK MARKET

Table of Montreal Stock Market prices. Columns include Stock Name, Price, and Change. Includes items like Canadian Pacific Railway, Crown Reserve, Cement, etc.

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Table of Montreal Stock Exchange prices. Columns include Stock Name, Price, and Change. Includes items like Asbestos, Bell Telephone, Can. Pac. Rail, etc.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKETS

Table of Chicago Grain and Produce Market prices. Columns include Commodity, Price, and Change. Includes items like Wheat, Corn, Oats, Pork, etc.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET; YES, CANADIAN PRODUCE MARKETS

Table of New York Stock Market prices. Columns include Stock Name, Price, and Change. Includes items like Amalgamated Copper, American Beet Sugar, American Car and Foundry, etc.

AMERICAN PRODUCE MARKET

New York, N. Y., April 18.—Flour—Quiet and lower. Spring patents, 5.40 to 5.65; winter straights, 5.00 to 5.18; winter patents, 5.25 to 5.75. Receipts, 12,150; shipments, 19,067.

ADVANCE IN STOCKS NOT MAINTAINED

New York, N. Y., April 18.—The demand for stocks today proved disappointing to those who organized the upward movement of prices last week. Some selling orders came through commission houses, leaving small opportunity for the buyers of last week to distribute their holdings to the expected new buyers.

ONE MAN'S FAITH IN THE MILLING CO'S

An indication of the great faith that the leading milling interests of the country have in Canadian as well as in their own concern, is indicated by the fact that Mr. Robert Melgren, who is the president of the Lake of the Woods Milling Company, in addition to being a very large shareholder in his own concern, is also shareholder in the three other large Canadian milling concerns, namely, The Ogilvie Flour Mills Company, the Maple Leaf Flour Mills Company, Limited, and the Western Canada Flour Mills Company.

CLOSING STOCK LETTER

New York, April 18.—General sentiment was cheerful over week-end and this was reflected by a volume of activity during the opening of the morning, which carried active stocks fractionally above Saturday's closing. On this date, however, it was noted that there was a freer supply of stock than immediately heretofore, and as the session progressed this supply increased until prices gave way sharply to a general decline.

CLOSING COTTON LETTER

New York, April 18.—Cotton: Spot closed quiet, 20 points lower, middling uplands 15.05; middling Gulf, 15.30; sales 7,019 bales. Galveston—Quiet 14 1/2. New Orleans—Steady 14 9/16. Savannah—Quiet 14 1/2. Charleston—Quiet 14 3/4. Memphis—Steady 14 3/4. Consolidated—Net receipts for three days, 30,646; exports to Great Britain, 14,845; to France 214; to the continent, 1,821; stock, 438,040.

THE COTTON MARKET

The dull and drooping tone of the iron market and the steps being taken to curtail the output, give a turn of depression to speculative sentiment. Copper trade movements also were regarded as unsatisfactory. A cause of disappointment was a failure of predictions, which were made very positively last week, that the corporation tax law would be declared unconstitutional by the supreme court today.

THE WHEAT MARKET

Chicago, Ill., April 18.—Wheat declined materially in prices today carrying over with it, both grains rallying in the final hour and closing firm. Oats were less erratic and provisions inferior, but liberal arrivals of live hogs and much liquidation in the pit, finished on 12 1/2 to 15 cents down.

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Table of Daily Almanac. Columns include Sun rises today, Sun sets today, Sun rises tomorrow, etc.

PORT OF ST. JOHN, N. B. Arrived Yesterday. Str Cacouna, 931, Holmes, Louisburg, R. P. and W. F. Starr, coal, etc.

Departed Yesterday. Str Cacouna, 931, Holmes, Louisburg, R. P. and W. F. Starr, coal, etc. Str Oruro, Bale, West Indies, etc.

Vessels Bound to St. John. Steamers. Kankwa, Liondon, s/d April 6. Victorian, Liverpool, s/d April 6.

Schooners. Alaska, New Haven, s/d March 22. John A Beckman, Boston, s/d, Mar. 27.

Vessels in Port. Steamers. Tunisian, 6502, Wm Thomson and Co. Onzumbo, 124, A. W. Adams.

Schooners. A. V. Conrad, 147, Jones and Smith. Arthur H Wright, Percy Evans. Almada Wiley, 433, J. A. Moore and Co.

SEALING TENDERS will be received at the office of the Common Clerk, room No. 5, City Hall, addressed to him marked "Tender for Supplies" up to 4 p.m. of Tuesday, 24th April, 1910.

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INTEREST BOXING. Chipman, April 18.—Boxing bout was held in club room under the

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John R. Robinson son's Manager That Johnson Man but Will Q

John B. Robinson, the Liberal Union is being illustrated through the efforts of James J. Corcoran, a corps of advisers to that the people may gather the laurels from the head of one Jack "Joke" The biggest abused prize ring

TELEPHONE SUBSCRIBERS PLEASE ADD TO YOUR DIRECTORIES Main 2440-44—Arthur, Wm. G., res. Hickory road. Main 2440-47—Arthur, Wm. G., res. Hickory road.

Jeffries, as I saw ago, weighs 245 pounds. He looks older than he is, but he is a fighter of 40, short-winded, very opposite to the powerful Jeffries who was the wonder of the world. As a man he is greedy, a poor sportsman, a poor boxer, the honor of any race put the average man of want. Jeffries, the egotistical man on negro he despises. would never take a fight that Berger, his crafty and wise, and into giving Joe Can the Pearl Palace; loving, crooked, a lacking backbone, a who made big money form of vice on the here is the combination of the great American up.

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THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Fresh easterly and south-easterly winds, showery.

AROUND THE CITY

Launch Cricket Goes to Hampton. The steam launch Cricket owned by E. O. Leahy, of the Maritime Dredging Company, has been purchased by the King Lumber Company and will be used as a towing boat at Chipman.

An Enjoyable Smoker. An enjoyable smoker was held by the Father Matthew Association in their rooms St. Malach's hall, last evening. About 60 members were present. Refreshments were served and a literary and musical programme of a high order carried out.

Drill Season Opens Tomorrow. No. 1 battery artillery will begin the drill season on Wednesday next, April 20th. Uniforms will be issued on Wednesday and Thursday evenings, at 8 p. m., and will begin Tuesday, April 26th. All intending recruits should make application this week.

River Notes. The steamers Sincennes and Majestic both brought large consignments of cattle down river yesterday. The May Queen was expected back last night, as it was hoped to get through Grand Lake to Salmon River before returning.

Final Meeting of Season. The St. John Council of the National Association of Marine Engineers will hold their final meeting of the season in Temple of Honor hall, tonight. After the business of the meeting has been concluded the members will enjoy an oyster supper to which all engineers and their friends are invited.

Seaman's Mission Farewell Concert. The farewell concert given in the Seaman's Institute, last evening by the talents of the Empress of Ireland was a very successful affair. Wm. H. Fargher presided and a fine programme was carried out. Among those who took part were: H. Badger, H. Poole, T. Shipley, H. Tunstall, S. Haigh, Charlie Passmore, H. Jenkins, Charlie Passmore and H. Jenkins. J. Robertson was accompanist.

Two Year Old Takes a Walk. Two year old Evan Foster, strayed from his home, 28 Cliff street, yesterday afternoon and for about three hours his parents believing that the child was lost, searched for him in vain. The little fellow was discovered by L. Olive Thomas, on King street east and was taken into the Central police station. Young Evan could talk quite plainly and soon explained to the officers where he lived. His parents were notified and while waiting to be taken home the little fellow amused himself by playing with the officers in the station.

New Turnstiles for Ferry. New and modern turnstiles are to be installed in the ferry toll houses. These turnstiles will be of the latest improved pattern, such as used in exhibitions, fairs and big amusement resorts. They are being manufactured by W. F. & J. W. Myers and will be installed in about three weeks. The new turnstiles will provide an absolute check on all passengers and have the further merit that they will not fly back. With the present turnstiles there have been occasions when a passenger coming behind another passenger in a hurry, received a severe blow from the rebound.

A Double Bereavement. Thomas McA. Burley, an employee of the St. John Railway Company, living at 61 Duke street, West End, is certainly experiencing misfortune at a rate not often paralleled. On Sunday Mr. Burley buried one of his young children. Yesterday morning another died, and Mr. Burley's wife is now so ill that her recovery is despaired of. She has been suffering from tuberculosis and the youngest child succumbed to the same dread affliction. The older child, which died yesterday morning, had been affected with brain trouble. Mr. Burley has the sympathy of his many friends in his double bereavement.

C. F. Crandall Finds a Cousin. A peculiar instance of a union of two members of collateral branches of a family who had never seen each other is told in a letter received by J. Olive Thomas from his son Harold. Young Mr. Thomas left for Boston on Saturday night en route to Cashmere, Washington, where he has secured a position. On the same train was Charles F. Crandall, formerly editor of the St. John Sun, who was journeying to New York. In conversation with the ex-editor Mr. Thomas addressed him by name, and another Mr. Crandall, sitting a few seats distant, responded. The two gentlemen of the same name got together and enquiries revealed that they were cousins. They had never met, although both knew of the relationship and each had heard of the other.

PERSONAL

Mr. T. Blair, chief engineer of the South Shore steamer Senlac, has resigned that position to accept a similar one on the Government steamer Alfreita at Halifax.

Mr. George R. Vincent, the county secretary, who has been confined to his home, Horsfield street, with a severe attack of the grippe, for several days, was reported yesterday as somewhat improved.

Mr. W. B. Tennant left for Montreal last evening.

Mr. A. B. Wetmore, provincial chief engineer, returned to Fredericton last evening.

Mr. C. B. Allan returned to the city on last evening's Boston train. Senator Donville left for Ottawa last evening.

Election Returns at Nickel. Election returns, Port Arthur, Ont., in motion pictures; the blind prima donna and three picture features at the Nickel today.

Mr. F. Clements returned to Fredericton last evening.

WARRANT IN BIGAMY CHARGE ISSUED AGAINST H. I. ISAACS

Sherbrooke Authorities Looking for Ex-Manager of D'Israeli Asbestos Co'y---Was Seen at Fredericton Junction Yesterday --- Committee Making Thorough Investigation Into Company's Affairs

A warrant for the arrest of R. D. Isaacs, ex-vice-president and managing director of the D'Israeli Asbestos Company, has been issued at Sherbrooke, Quebec, where a charge of bigamy has been laid against him.

A charge of abduction was preferred against Mr. Isaacs some weeks ago, and he was arrested and placed under \$4000 bail. It was alleged that he ran away with a young girl from Sherbrooke and it was said married her in New York. A few days ago at the instance of the parents of the girl a warrant for his arrest on a charge of bigamy was issued by the Sherbrooke authorities. Shortly afterwards word was received at Sherbrooke that Mr. Isaacs had left St. John and that his whereabouts were unknown.

At Fredericton Junction Yesterday. At Fredericton Junction yesterday Mr. Isaacs, accompanied by a woman, was identified while waiting on the platform for the early train from St. John. It is not known whether he came down from Fredericton or had been staying at the Junction. Both boarded the train it is supposed en route to Boston. Inquiry at his residence last evening elicited the information that his wife was still in the city.

The directors of the Asbestos Company are also anxious to discover the whereabouts of Mr. Isaacs. It is said that the action of the Sherbrooke directors of the Asbestos Company in determining to probe the affairs of the concern was the result of uneasiness occasioned by the knowledge that a new criminal charge had been preferred against him, coupled with the fact that the development of the mining properties was not being proceeded with in a satisfactory manner.

The committee which has assumed control is composed of L. A. Codere, Alex. Warrell, and Wm. Banks, a Sherbrooke lawyer. To a Standard representative yesterday, Mr. Banks said the affairs of the company were being thoroughly investigated and that the action taken by the Sherbrooke

directors would undoubtedly meet with the approval of the shareholders. They had come down to cure a sick man—not to kill him, and there was no great reason for anxiety as to the future of the company. The company owned a valuable property—there was never any question of that, and a good deal of work had already been done in the way of developing it. The spur line of railway from D'Israeli three miles away, had been fully graded, and a portion of the track laid.

Time For a Change. The business affairs, however, had not been well managed, and they felt it was time for a change. As soon as the investigation was completed, a report will be submitted to a general meeting of the shareholders, and a new manager selected. The headquarters will be removed to Sherbrooke or D'Israeli. Orders have already been given for a locomotive, cars and machinery, and when operations are started there is little doubt but what the shareholders will soon be able to secure returns. Not only are the mines well-bedded with asbestos of the serpentine variety, but the workmen have found the fibrous variety the most expensive kind on the market.

Speaking of the failure of the management to take out Canadian licenses, Mr. Banks said it rendered the company liable to heavy fines. Instructions had been given to remedy the deficiency. As regards the report that the company's titles were not technically correct, this applied to certain concessions obtained under conditions that had to be fulfilled before November 5, 1910; but even if these conditions were not complied with, it would only be Mr. Isaacs' interests that would be affected. The company has about 500 shareholders and a paid up capital of about \$100,000. Most of the shareholders belong to Sherbrooke and other parts of Quebec, but there are a considerable number in Maine, St. John, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, principally in the Annapolis Valley.

Hot Fight is Anticipated for Aldermen-at-Large—Rumors of Combinations and "Knifings" Abound as Usual. Today the battle of the ballots will decide the personnel of next year's city council and will also answer the interesting question whether residents of Sydney and Stanley wards will have to travel outside of their own districts to obtain the cup that induces visions of pink spotted rabbits or impressionistic serpents. Local option elections are on in those two wards and if the lid goes on—the reform party according to the attitude and the length of their civic experience were about the city looking positively happy and chatting with friends and ward workers.

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