

**GREAT LOSS**—General Booth, Veteran Salvationist, Passed Away in London, Yesterday

**SALVATION ARMY HEAD PASSED PEACEFULLY AWAY LAST EVENING**

**Gen. William Booth Is Mourned By Thousands**

**FOUNDED GREAT EVANGELIST BODY**

**Underwent Operation Twelve Weeks Ago and Health Has Steadily Declined Since - Bramwell Booth, Leader's Son, Probable Successor -- Speculation as to Place of Burial.**

London, Aug. 20.—General Booth, commander in chief of the Salvation Army, died here tonight at 10.20 o'clock.

The Reverend Wm. Booth, General, Commander-in-Chief and founder of the Salvation Army, passed away at 10.13 o'clock tonight. He was born at Nottingham in 1829. His loss will be mourned by thousands of followers in almost every civilized land.

The veteran Salvation Army leader was unconscious for 48 hours previous to his death. The medical bulletins had not revealed the seriousness of the general's condition, which for a week past, it is now admitted, was hopeless.

Twelve weeks ago General Booth underwent an operation for the removal of a cataract in his left eye. For two days after the operation indications justified the hope of the general's recovery. Then, however, septic poisoning set in, and from that time with the exception of rallies, the patient's health steadily declined.

The general recognized that the end was near, and often spoke of his work as being finished. Throughout the Commander-in-Chief's illness his son, Bramwell Booth, chief of the staff of the Army, and Mrs. Bramwell Booth, gave their unremitting attention to him, both night and day.

Family With Him.

The aged evangelist died at his residence, the Rockstone, Hadley Wood, some eight miles from London, where he had been confined to his bed ever since the operation. Present at his bedside when the end came were Mr. and Mrs. Bramwell Booth and their daughter and son, Adjutant Catherine Booth and Sergeant Bernard Booth, the general's youngest daughter, Commissioner Mrs. Booth, Helber, and Commissioner Howard, Colonel Kitching and Dr. Wardlaw Milne.

Public interest now centres in the question of a successor to the late commander. Under the constitution of the Salvation Army the general nominates his successor. That general Booth did several years ago, placing the name in a sealed envelope which was deposited with the Salvation Army's lawyer with the instructions that it should be opened after his death.

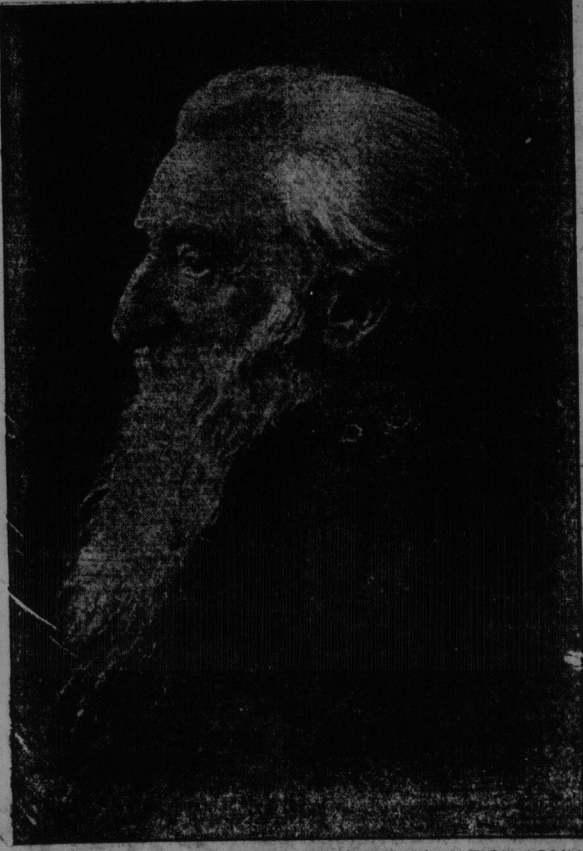
While nobody knows what name the envelope encloses, the general belief among the Salvation Army is that the name will prove to be that of Bramwell Booth, for thirty years its chief of staff.

Where General Booth will be buried has not yet been decided. While every English member of the Salvation Army is convinced that no man was more worthy of interment in Westminster Abbey, it is not expected that honor will be accorded to General Booth by the Abbey authorities. It is the general belief that the Commander-in-Chief's last resting place will be along side that of his wife who 21 years ago was buried in Abbey Park, Stoke Newington.

William Booth was born at Nottingham, England, April 10, 1829 and became interested in religion at the age of 15. He was at first a Wesleyan Methodist local preacher and afterward a preacher attached to the Methodist New Connection, but at the age of 25 took an independent course, as an evangelist. Going to London in 1864 he started the East London Revival Society, which became the East London Christian Mission. Then the Salvation Army.

Two years later the Army was introduced into the United States, and within ten years it established its outposts in every civilized land, being assisted rather than deterred by campaigns of narrow-minded opposition. In 1880, when the tide was already

GENERAL WILLIAM BOOTH



THE LATE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF SALVATION ARMY.

**WILL LIKELY SIGN BILL**

**Probable that President Taft Will Indorse Panama Canal Measure -- British Charge Lodges No Further Protest.**

Washington, Aug. 20.—President Taft today held a brief conference with A. Mitchell Innes, Charge of the British Embassy, who recently presented Great Britain's protest against features of the Panama Canal Bill. Mr. Innes said that he had not lodged any further protest against the bill, and had not heard the views of his foreign office on the joint resolution suggested by President Taft to permit foreign nations to test the free tolls clause in the United States courts.

Visitors talking with President Taft today were inclined to believe that he would sign the Panama bill, even if no assurances were given that the joint resolution explaining that it was not passed to abrogate the Hay-Pauncefote Treaty, could be put through congress.

The senate inter-occane canal committee debated the proposed resolution more than an hour today without action. It was said that a majority of the committee present expressed views to the effect that it was a useless proposal. Two or three favored recommending the resolution to the senate.

**MONTREAL'S MAYOR RE-ELECTED HEAD OF FRENCH SOCIETY**

**L'Alliance National of Canada and U. S. Closes Convention at Woonsocket—All Officers Are Returned.**

Woonsocket, R. I., Aug. 20.—L'Alliance Nationale of Canada and the United States ended its two days' convention by re-selecting its old board of officers for the coming year. L. A. Levallee, mayor of Montreal, is president.

The delegates later in the day went to Providence, where they were the guests of Governor Fother, at the state house.

**TWO ARE KILLED IN ATTEMPT TO KIDNAP BELLE PLAINS GIRL**

**Farmer Murders Brother and Fatally Wounds Father of Ethel Manahan—Later He Shoots Himself.**

Belle Plains, Kans., Aug. 20.—In a fight that followed an attempt by Sam Wood, 35 years old, a farmer, to kidnap Ethel Manahan from her home on a farm near here early today, Jas. Thompson, 16 years old, was killed, Matt Manahan, father of the girl, was fatally wounded and Gaylord Manahan, 16 years old, a son, was hurt but not seriously. Wood spared young Manahan's life when the latter agreed to drive him away from the farm.

A posse overtook Wood this afternoon near his own farm, two miles north of Belle Plains. He ran from a cornfield into the road and fired three bullets into his breast. He was brought to Belle Plains fatally wounded.

**DANGER OF RISINGS IN CHINA OVER NOW; MISSIONARIES BACK**

**Baptists Urged to Send Workers Back to Field—Twenty On Their Way Now.**

Boston, Mass., Aug. 20.—A cablegram received today by the American Baptist foreign mission society from Shanghai, indicated that there would be no further danger of uprisings in west China, in the opinion of local officers. The cablegram contained the news that consuls in west China were encouraging the return of the missionaries. The measure which would send 20 workers under various boards has gone to that section of China, and the Baptist missionaries plan to return in September and December.

**NAVAL APPROPRIATION BILL ADOPTED.**

Washington, Aug. 20.—By a vote of 150 to 50, the house adopted the conference report on the naval appropriation bill. The measure which will now go to the President provides for one battleship and a number of submarines, colliers and auxiliary vessels.

**CLERKS USED BANKS' MONEY FOR BETTING**

**Bank of Toronto Loses \$25,000 and Standard Bank is Out \$5,000 Through Employees' Folly.**

Toronto, Aug. 20.—The defalcations of Arthur Richmond, the young clerk of the Elm street branch of the Bank of Toronto, who attempted suicide, is now estimated at \$25,000, as a result of playing the races with money belonging to the bank.

According to his statement to the police, after he was arrested, Richmond made \$7,000 last May at the Woodbine. After that he played them at Dufferin Park and through the local hand books and lost not only his own \$7,000 but \$10,000 of the bank's money as well. Then he went to Hamilton to try and recoup his losses, taking with him \$12,000 of the bank's money and this he also lost. At the present time the charge against him is stealing \$500 from the bank, but when he appears in court tomorrow the charge is likely to be amended.

This morning his condition at the hospital was such that the doctors would not allow him to be removed. Roland Harris, assistant clearing house teller of the main branch of the Standard Bank is in a similar position through using the funds of the bank to keep him going while playing the races, but the loss to the bank in this case will amount to about \$5,000 at the most according to the bank officials.

**TRIED TO RECOUP EARLY LOSSES.**

Arthur Richmond's Shortage Grew Rapidly After First Success.

**DISCUSS DIVISION OF MARITIME DOMAIN AT THE GRAND LODGE**

**Knights of Pythias Decide to Consider Matter Further at Next Annual Session—Election of Officers Today.**

Special to The Standard.

At the Grand Lodge there was considerable discussion over the Grand Chancellor's recommendation that the Maritime Domain be divided, the final result being the appointment of a committee to study the matter at the next annual meeting.

Business of a secret nature occupied most of the session. The unit knights endorsed a concert by the 62nd band at Bend View Square and afterwards visited the theatre. An illumination of natural gas was also given at the Brunswick Hotel for the benefit of the visitors.

**WANT PARTICULARS OF THE SHOOTING OF AFRICAN OUTLAW**

**Resolution Asking President for Information Regarding Jas. Wood Rogers' Death in House of Representatives.**

Washington, Aug. 20.—Representative Wood Rogers, introduced a resolution today requesting the President to send to the House all information he has regarding the case of James Wood Rogers, a Californian, who was killed in the Central Africa jungle as the result of a hunt, by British soldiers, who were ordered to kill or capture him. The resolution was referred to the foreign affairs committee.

**SMALL CHANCE OF PASSAGE.**

**Considered Unlikely That Upper Chamber Will Take Further Action.**

Washington, Aug. 20.—The Panama joint resolution asked by President Taft yesterday is a special message to congress to make clear the rights of foreign ship owners to carry into American courts the question of free tolls in the Panama Canal was turned down late today by the senate committee on inter-oceanic canals.

**TELLS STORY OF GRAFT IN COUNCIL**

**How Detective Bribed Detroit Aldermen.**

**FIRST CASE HEARD**

**Charges Against "Honest Tom" Glinnan, One of the Eighteen, Aired in Police Court -- W. S. Brennan Describes Trapping of Civic Officials.**

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 20.—The testimony of W. J. Brennan, a Burns operative, was the feature of the police court examination today of Honest Tom Glinnan, the first of the 18 aldermen recently arrested on bribery charges to be tried in court. It was Brennan's evidence which resulted in the arrests of the 18 aldermen and common council clerk Edward Spreitzer, the latter having since made a complete confession.

Today Brennan went into all the details of the trapping of the aldermen up to the time he alleges that he, representing himself to be an official of the Wabash Railroad, paid Glinnan \$1000 for his influence in granting the railroad's request for the use of a city street for building purposes. The cases against Aldermen Watson, Ellis, Zoeller, Merritt, Hinde and Skrzki today were postponed until Aug. 30.

Alderman Thielen's case will come up next Friday. Disposition was reserved in the cases against Aldermen Broderick, Rosenthal, Lynch, O'Brien and Koening and the examinations of Aldermen Demmel, Mason, Ostrowski, Tovey and Walsh will follow that of Alderman Glinnan. Clerk Schreiter has also been remanded for a week.

Brennan, upon taking the stand, explained that his home is in Boston. He told of coming to the city in April and taking office in the Lord building as a representative of the real estate department of the Wabash Railroad. He also engaged an adjoining office and had New England Historical Society printed on his door.

The detective then told of getting himself acquainted with the different aldermen, of impressing upon them the urgent desire of the railroad for the rights to the street, and of offering to the proposal that was expressed by several of the councilmen. Finally he testified, Glinnan came to his office and arrangements were made for the closing of the street.

"Glinnan told me at the time that he wanted to use me as a pipe line to St. Louis," said witness Brennan. "He had wanted for years to get on the Wabash Railroad, he said, and thought he could serve the company by looking after its taxes and other matters in the City Hall. He said he would want about \$100 a month for his services."

"I interrupted to say 'Alderman, this street closing case has been referred back to the committee, and I guess there is some difficulty, isn't there?'"

"Yes, but I guess we can adjust it," he replied. "He then gave me a list of some aldermen and said he would see them and pay them. I had already arranged to give him some money for the purpose of the resolution closing the street. The amount that we decided on at that time as necessary for the purpose was between \$1,500 and \$2,000."

The witness then went into the details of a further visit with Glinnan at the alderman's home and meetings in the City Hall. At last, he said, all arrangements were complete for the payment of the bribe money. It had been planned for the aldermen to go individually to Brennan's office in the Ford building and get their share.

Glinnan was to go last and get what was left. Brennan had told him it would be about \$1,000 at least. According to the testimony Glinnan appeared promptly on July 26th for the money.

"I took out a roll of bills," said the witness, "and counted them. I said, 'Glinnan, here is the \$1,000 that I promised you for voting for the Wabash closing.' He thanked me and put the money in his pocket. As he left I took him into the next room. Mr. Burns was there.

"I said: 'Mr. Glinnan, allow me to present W. J. Burns' and Glinnan said, 'Pleased to meet you.'"

The witness then testified that Glinnan, when he realized his situation handed back the money and made a complete confession.

**STRATHGONA TROPHY FOR SCOTS CADETS**

**Sergeant F. Hunter of Local Corps Leads Boys of Maritime Provinces in Shoot at Aldershot.**

**FRIENDS PLAN WARM WELCOME.**

**To Meet Prince Rupert Wednesday and Escort Cadets Through City.**

Special to The Standard.

Kentville, Aug. 20.—All morning long the crack of the rifles could be heard at the rifle range back of the camp as the cadets were competing for the Strathcona trophy to be donated to the best shot in camp and also for the battalion cups which are to be given to the best shots in each battalion. The St. John boys went wild with delight when Sergt. F. Hunter, of the St. Stephen's cadets, kept making bullseye after bullseye, but when he had finished shooting with a score of 35 out of a possible 35 their delight knew no bounds, this being the highest score he led the camp by two points.

The other St. John boys showed up well in the competition. The corps have been drilling hard for five days, and all the boys have improved markedly. The physical drill has expanded their chests and muscles while the military drill has taught them how to carry themselves and accustomed them to habits of discipline.

General Drury with some of his staff from Halifax, visited the camp today, inspecting the various corps and were well pleased with the condition the camp is in, as well as with the boys themselves.

The St. John and Rosetsey cadets gave a concert in their lines tonight and will break camp tomorrow morning, returning home by the Prince Rupert Wednesday.

The badge band of the Inverness cadet corps marched out this afternoon and paraded the camp grounds.

The boys have been practicing hard all camp and deserve much credit. Sergt. Hunter, of the St. Stephen's church cadets, was formally presented with the Strathcona trophy for the best shot in the Maritime Provinces, and was carried through the camp on his comrades' shoulders and cheered by the whole camp.

Former members of the St. Stephen's corps are planning to give the boys a welcome on their return. A number of the old boys will meet the Prince Rupert on her arrival today and escort the cadets with their newly captured trophy through the city. It is hoped that the friends of the corps will turn out in force for the occasion.

**SHELLFISH BOARD WILL START WORK IN THIS PROVINCE**

**Meets at St. Andrews September Third and Will Hold Sessions at Various Points in Maritime Provinces.**

Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, Aug. 20.—The Shellfish Commission recently appointed by the Dominion government has completed arrangements for holding about forty public sittings in Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island. The commission opens at St. Andrews, N. B., on September 3, and proceeds round the Bay of Fundy. It will be in Prince Edward Island from September 13 to 23 and will return to New Brunswick, working from Cocagne to Bathurst. From October 3 to October 31 it will make a tour of the Nova Scotia shore, holding sittings at Wallace, Malagash, Pictou, Tracadie, Sydney, Mira, Louisa, Malagawatch, Halifax, Liscomb, Canso, Chester, Liverpool, Clark's Harbour, Lockport, Yarmouth and Digby.

Fredericton, Aug. 20.—Lieut. Gov. Wood and party are expected to arrive in Fredericton tomorrow to take up their residence at Frogmore, which will be the temporary government house during the visit of H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught and party next Saturday.

**PREMIER BORDEN WILL RETURN THE LAST OF AUGUST**

**Premier Does Not Look for Action on Canal Dispute By Canada Until His Return to Ottawa.**

London, Aug. 20.—Rt. Hon. Robert L. Borden, the Canadian Premier, who came to London last July to discuss Canada's naval policy and the Panama Canal question, will leave England for Canada August 30. The Premier does not expect that anything will be done by the Canadian government regarding the Panama Canal Bill until after his return to Ottawa and until after the measure has been finally ratified by the American congress.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 20.—The conference report on the Sulzer bill putting into effect the international fur seal treaty and providing a closed season of five years for the seal herds on the Pribilof Islands, was approved today by the House. It has been adopted by the senate.



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**SHIPPING NEWS**

**DAILY ALMANAC.**

Wednesday, August 21, 1912.

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Sun sets... 7:16 p. m.  
High water... 6:25 a. m.  
Low water... 12:39 p. m.  
Atlantic standard time.

**VESSLS BOUND TO ST. JOHN.**

Steamer.  
Bornu, Montreal Aug. 11.  
Rappahannock, London, Aug. 15.  
Briarclue, Demerara, Aug. 15.

**VESSLS IN PORT.**

Steamer.  
Valera, 1937, Robt. Reford & Co. Ship.  
Margarita, 1504, W. M. MacKay Schooners.  
A. B. Barreau, 398, master.  
Alice Holbrook, 643, A. W. Adams.  
Ann Louisa Lockwood, 266, A. W. Adams.  
Ella M. Storer, 426, C. M. Kerrison.  
Elma, 299, A. W. Adams.  
P. C. Penfold, 340, master.  
Sarah L. Davis, 149, W. M. MacKay.  
Harold E. Cousens, 60, P. McIntyre.  
Henry Morris, 98, C. M. Kerrison.  
Helen G. King, 126, A. W. Adams.  
Vera E. Roberts, 124, J. W. Smith.  
Noama, 384, P. McIntyre.  
Minnie Sisson, 271, A. W. Adams.  
Orville, 124, J. Spaine & Co.  
Sutha Robinson, 423, J. W. Smith.  
Ravola, 130, J. W. Smith.  
Rebecca M. White, 516, C. M. Kerrison.  
Ronald, 268, J. W. Smith.  
Romeo III, P. McIntyre.  
Sarah L. Davis, 149, W. M. MacKay.  
Two Sisters, 50, C. M. Kerrison.  
Vera E. Roberts, 124, J. W. Smith.  
Wandriar, 341, C. M. Kerrison.  
Warner Moore, 354, J. T. Knight & Co.

**PORT OF SAINT JOHN, N. B.**

Arrived, August 20.  
Str. Calvin Austin, 2853, Boston, W. G. Lee, mdse and passengers.

**DOMINION PORTS.**

Quebec, Aug. 19—Arrived—Str. Lake Erie, London.

**MARINE NOTES**

**BARKENTINE FOR HALIFAX.**

The barkentine Bruce Hawkins cleared from Philadelphia a few days ago with anthracite coal for Halifax.

**PASSENGER BOAT TRINIDAD**

Quebec Steamship Co.'s liner Trinidad arrived in Halifax Monday morning from New York, being five hours ahead of the Stephano. The Trinidad has 100 tourists on board, with whom she sailed late in the day for Quebec. She will return next Tuesday to be in Halifax next Wednesday. As the steamer will proceed from New York direct to the south to resume

**WEEK-END NOTES FROM WESTFIELD**

Westfield Beach, Aug. 20—Miss Audrey Bullock is a guest of Miss Bessie Whitaker in Fredericton.

Miss Edmonson and Percy Bonnie who have been camping with a party up the Kennebecas have returned to Fredericton.

E. C. Prime spent last Friday in Fredericton.

Miss Edmonson, A. Baker of St. John is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McCreight.

Mrs. Earnest Blair, Mrs. Norman Saxon and Mrs. John McKean of St. John were guests at Woodman's Point on Thursday.

Miss Edmonson of Montreal is the guest of Mrs. Ewing Ononette.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morrison of Freeport (N.S.) were guests of friends in Westfield for the week-end.

J. O. McKennie, who has been the guest at his home at Hillandale, past few months, has returned to Sibald (Sask.).

Mrs. Bertha of Toronto has been a guest of her daughter Mrs. H. B. Robinson.

A. E. Rowley, station agent at Westfield Beach, is enjoying his annual holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Sullivan of St. John are spending a few weeks here. They are occupying one of Mr. Bates' cottages.

The board of directors of the St. John Y.M.C.A. held their monthly meeting at the summer home of their secretary, E. E. Church, at Hillandale. The gentlemen came from the city by motor boat returning same evening by train.

Hugman of Montreal is visiting his daughter, Mrs. F. P. Eskin, at Ononette.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wilcox have closed their cottage here and have gone to Cape Cod (Mass) where they will remain for the remainder of the season.

Jack Roberts of St. John was a week-end visitor at Hillandale.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Nelson of Fairville, Mrs. C. B. Lockhart and Miss Lockhart of St. John were guests at the Cosman House on Saturday en route to Fredericton by auto.

Frank McDonald, who has been spending his holidays at Ononette, returned to St. John on Saturday.

Miss Edith Nixon and Miss Alice Hill of St. John were recent guests at the Cosman House.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Shreve are being congratulated on the arrival of a baby girl.

Miss Faith Haywood who has been a guest from St. John of Miss Elva Machum at Hillandale, has returned home.

Miss Josephine M. Humphrey of St. John was a recent guest at the Cosman House.

Miss Madeline DeBury who has re-

**PERSONAL NEWS FROM HOPEWELL**

Hopewell, Aug. 20—Mrs. D. D. Macdonald of Dorchester, N. B. and Mrs. Apphia Moore, of Vancouver, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Rogers.

Miss Lillian of Fredericton, son of J. H. Dickson, clerk of the executive council, is visiting friends at Hopewell.

The Misses Laura Cameron and Evelyn Edger of Hillsboro are visiting at the home of their uncle Marner.

Ald. W. K. Goss of Moncton spent Sunday in the village with his family, who are staying at Mrs. Gross' home here.

D. O. Woodworth and family of Charlottetown, P. E. I., where three of Mr. Woodworth's sons have been residing for some time.

Lester Fales, son of John Fales of Amherst, is visiting relatives at the Hill.

Miss Charles McNulty of St. John has been making a short visit to Riverside.

turned from Chicago, has a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel McMillin.

Miss Jessie Gilliland, who has been spending a number of weeks in Fredericton, has returned home.

Master Lloyd Morrell of Freeport (N.S.), who has been spending a few days with friends here, has returned home.

Miss Stewart of Montreal has returned home having been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Philip at Ononette.

Rev. A. B. Murray, rector of St. James' church, has returned having spent a few days at Ononette.

Miss Jessie Stone of St. John has been a recent guest of Mrs. F. C. Macmillan at Woodman's Point.

Miss D. Walker of Fredericton is a guest at Edgerly Hill, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Macdonald, Hillandale.

Mr. McKim, as reader at Grand Bay, and Mr. Edin, a theological student, took charge of the services in St. James' church last week in the absence of Rev. A. B. Murray, rector.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Costello, young, Mrs. Linn and Mrs. Sanction spent last Thursday at Kingston (N. B.).

Master George and Master Jack (N.B.) have returned from Yarmouth (N.S.) having spent a number of days there.

Mrs. William Warwick of St. John is a guest of friends at Ononette.

Miss McCreath of Charlottetown (P. E. I.) was a week-end guest of Mrs. C. H. Leonard at Ononette.

Harold Smith of Vancouver (B.C.) and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Willard Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Bowman, who have been spending part of the season here, returned to St. John.

Mrs. F. P. Eskin was hostess at a dance Wednesday evening at Ononette in honor of Miss Featherstone of Montreal.

Miss Florie Peters has returned to Hampton, having visited friends here. Mrs. Nelson and Mrs. Thompson of Boston have been guests at Loneaster Farm of Mrs. R. M. Burden.

Mr. and Mrs. Bell of Montreal are visiting at Ononette.

Miss Lily of Ononette is the guest of friends at Shediac (N.B.).

Mrs. F. P. Eskin was hostess at a recent guest of Mrs. H. B. Robinson.

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The contents of house moved to my address for convenience of sale will be sold Friday afternoon, August 23rd, at 2:30 o'clock.

Lot comprising Parlor, Dining Room, Bedroom, Hall and Kitchen Furnishings; also 6,000 Choice Cigars, and quantity of other goods. No reserve.

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**BY AUCTION**

at the stable of W. J. Alexander, Haymarket Square, in the City of St. John, on Saturday morning, the 24th day of August A. D. 1912, at 12 o'clock in the forenoon, the above advertised horses, etc., formerly the property of George R. McDonough of St. Martin's. All the said horses and other now being in the Parish of St. Martin's.

For further particulars apply to George McKean, Esq., Royal Bank Building, St. John, N. B., or F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer.

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**Hudson Bay Railway.**

**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.**

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for construction of the Hudson Bay Railway," will be received until the 12th of September, 1912, for the section from Split Lake Junction to the Hudson Bay terminus.

Plans and profiles showing the character and extent of the work to be done, the specifications and form of contract to be entered into and other information can be seen on and after Thursday, August 15th, at the office of the Chief Engineer of the Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, and at the office of the Chief Engineer of the Hudson Bay Railway, Winnipeg, at which places forms of tender may be obtained.

Separate tenders will be required covering the work enumerated in the schedule on the section, from Split Lake Junction to Fort Nelson, a distance of approximately 165 miles and on the section from Split Lake Junction to Fort Churchill, a distance of approximately 245 miles.

The successful tenderer will be required to sign a contract covering the work from Split Lake Junction to the terminus selected and which will be announced by the Hon. Minister of Railways and Canals on his return from Hudson Bay.

Parties tendering will be required to accept the fair wages schedule prepared or to be prepared by the Department of Labor, which schedule will form part of the contract. Contractors are requested to bear in mind that tenders will not be considered, unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and in the case of firms, unless there are attached the actual signature, the nature of the occupation, and place of residence of each member of the firm.

An accepted bank cheque for the sum of \$100,000.00 made payable to the order of the Minister of Railways and Canals, must accompany each tender, which sum shall be forfeited in the event of the tenderer declining to enter into contract for the work at the rates stated in the offer submitted. The cheque thus sent in will be returned to the respective contractors whose tenders are not accepted.

The cheque of the successful tenderer will be held as security or part security for the due fulfillment of the contract to be entered into.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order,  
L. K. JONES,  
Asst. Deputy Minister and Secretary, Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, August 14, 1912.

Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the department will not be paid for it—27124.

**THE CITY OF ST. JOHN**

**PUBLIC NOTICE** is hereby given that at a Common Council held in the City of St. John, on Monday, the Fifteenth day of July, instant, Alderman Agar, Commissioner of Public Works, gave notice that he would at the first meeting of the said Common Council, held after the lapse of thirty days from the first publication of this notice, as required by law, move the City of St. John, on the western side of the Harbor, which lies North of the West Side of the Harbor, in the City of St. John, described as follows, that is to say: All that portion of Nelson Street, West in Guy's Ward, in the City of St. John, on the western side of the Harbor, which lies North of the line described as follows: beginning on the Eastern side line of Nelson Street, and extending therefrom North to the line of division between lot "B" and lot sixteen (16), the said point of intersection being at a distance of two hundred and seventy-eight (278) feet, more or less, measured along the said line of said street from the intersection of the said street with the line of Cross Street, as shown on the plan of Fort Street prepared by Timothy K. Wheeler, and bearing date September 18th A. D. 1855, the said plan being on file in the office of the Common Clerk of the City of St. John, going thence Northwesterly in a direction at right angles to the said Street, thirty (30) feet or to the western side line of Nelson Street.

**WHEREAS** it is desirable to discontinue that portion of the northwesterly end of Nelson Street, on the said line described as follows: beginning on the Eastern side line of Nelson Street, and extending therefrom North to the line of division between lot "B" and lot sixteen (16), the said point of intersection being at a distance of two hundred and seventy-eight (278) feet, more or less, measured along the said line of said street from the intersection of the said street with the line of Cross Street, as shown on the plan of Fort Street prepared by Timothy K. Wheeler, and bearing date September 18th A. D. 1855, the said plan being on file in the office of the Common Clerk of the City of St. John, going thence Northwesterly in a direction at right angles to the said Street, thirty (30) feet or to the western side line of Nelson Street.

**THEREFORE RESOLVED**, that the portion of Street above described be and the same is hereby discontinued.

**NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that after the lapse of THIRTY days from the first publication of this notice and after the expiration of the said thirty days after such publication, it is the intention of the Common Council to move the resolution for so discontinuing such portion of said Street and that such Resolution will be moved at such meeting.

By Order of the Common Council,  
HERBERT E. WARDROPE,  
Common Clerk of the City of Saint John, N. B. 17th July, 1912.

**SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS.**

Any person who is the sole head of a family or any male over 18 years old, may now claim a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Office in the applicable district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency on certain conditions by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister, or intended homesteader in "C" sections. A homesteader may live within three miles of his homestead and must have at least six acres solely owned and occupied by him or his wife, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

Duties—Six months residence upon and cultivation of the homestead for three years. A homesteader may live within three miles of his homestead and must have at least six acres solely owned and occupied by him or his wife, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In "C" sections, the homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section of available Dominion land in the home. Duties—Six months residence upon and cultivation of the homestead for three years. A homesteader may live within three miles of his homestead and must have at least six acres solely owned and occupied by him or his wife, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

A homesteader who has obtained his pre-emption may enter for a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price—\$10.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each three years, cultivating fifty acres and erect a house worth \$100.00.

Deputy of the Minister of the Interior. - R. H. Macdonald publishing of this advertisement will not be said for.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21, 1912.

## THE CAMPAIGN FOR IMPERIAL PREFERENCE.

A mild and inoffensive paragraph in a letter sent out by the London Committee in charge of the Chamberlain Birthday Fund has roused the ire of the Telegraph, because in a reference to Mr. Chamberlain's policy of Imperial Preference a slight allusion is made to the fact that his policy was justified in the result of the Canadian elections last September.

In the general election campaign of last year one of the strongest and most convincing arguments which concluded to the defeat of the Liberal party's policy was based on the contention that Reciprocity with the United States would practically destroy Imperial Preference.

When the Agreement came to be considered it was discovered that the arrangement would apply not only to the United States but to the whole of the British Empire, and to twelve other countries—Argentina, Australia, Hungary, Denmark, Norway, Sweden, Russia, Switzerland, Spain, Japan, Columbia, Bolivia and Venezuela.

There was no effective answer to this argument. If any further proof were needed it is to be found in the subsequent action of Sir Wilfrid Laurier at the Imperial Conference in May last year.

That His Majesty's Government be requested to open negotiations with the several foreign Governments having treaties which apply to the Overseas Dominions with a view to securing liberty for any of those Dominions, which may so desire, to withdraw from the operation of the Treaty without impairing the Treaty in respect of the rest of the Empire.

A more candid admission of the entanglement in which the Laurier Government found themselves could not have been made. Sir Edward Grey held out little hope at the Conference that the twelve nations would consent to the terms of the resolution.

In the light of these facts the Telegraph has no cause for complaint because the London Committee of the Chamberlain Birthday Fund acknowledge that the Canadian elections gave support to Mr. Chamberlain's policy of Imperial Preference.

Some percentages of increase of population are given in a little table which shows that Canada leads the list in increase, while Ireland is lowest in the decreases, Norway and Italy leading.

These figures are for the previous decade. England and Wales show an increase of 10.9 per cent, and the whole United Kingdom 9.1 per cent.

There are in the United Kingdom 17,445,008 males and 18,624,889 females. It is to be remembered, however, that the British census is a de facto enumeration, that is, only the people actually in the country are counted.

The greatest excess of women is in East Sussex, where there are 1,256 women to every 1,000 men; in Cardigan the number is 1,224, and in Surrey 1,168.

following table shows the number of women to 1,000 men in the countries named, and here again Canada leads:

Highest.	Lowest.
Norway..... 1069	Canada..... 886
England..... 1068	Ceylon..... 888
Scotland..... 1063	New Zealand..... 896
Denmark..... 1061	Australia..... 926
Sweden..... 1046	South Africa..... 941

In England more boys are born than girls, but the mortality of males is higher.

## THE RHODES MEMORIAL.

Cecil Rhodes' birthday, July 6th, was celebrated on the rugged side of Table Mountain overlooking Cape Town, by the unveiling of the Rhodes National Memorial. The eulogy was pronounced by Earl Grey. It was an address, says the Toronto News in a review of the ceremony, vibrant with patriotic fervor, full of dignity, rich in the wise eloquence of simplicity, and poached after the simile of a palace.

The Memorial, which is one of the noblest works of sculpture and architecture in existence, is a happy combination of the genius of G. F. Watts, R.A., J. M. Swan, R.A. and Herbert Baker, an eminent South African architect. A Doric peristyle of granite forming three sides of a huge square is backed against the mountain.

The Cape Times quotes Earl Grey as follows with reference to the Memorial: "It is a monument which speaks to us not of a dead man but of a living force. Everywhere the traveller goes in South Africa he finds it, and that impresses him even more than the material signs of Rhodes' handiwork which are everywhere conspicuous."

The vision of a united and deep-founded Empire can never fail. In the future, as in the past, the Anglo-Saxon will stand for the things that are worth while in politics as in life—freedom, truth and the protection of the weak.

## CHINESE POLITICS.

Chinese politics, under the new order of things, appear to be in rather a chaotic condition. With the first genuine elections in all Chinese history almost upon them, the voters are not facing a clear alignment of parties. The most widely known, if not the most widespread of these, according to the Shanghai Celestial Empire, is the Tung Ming Hui, whose platform is Socialistic. It has not hitherto been a purely political party, but is now proposing to become so, and to signalize the change by altering its name.

The danger in the coming election is that the credulous and inexperienced voter will accept pronouncements at their face value. The Chinese are still under the spell of the printed page. The party that conducts a well-organized campaign, therefore, will have an excellent chance of winning with any platform whatever.

## Current Comment

**Vacuum Street Cleaners.** (Ottawa Free Press.) Habitual infection from house dust, according to Sir James Grant, is the most common cause of the spreading of tuberculosis. But the dust of the streets is also charged with danger and even death.

**Woman's Prerogative.** (Hamilton Spectator.) A Venetian prelate, Cardinal Callegari, speaking from the pulpit, denounced the "shameless frivory" of women in their costumes. He might as well have spared his breath. While granting him the inalienable right of caring for their souls, they will never yield their time-honored prerogative of clothing their bodies as they see fit.

**Missed His Name.** (Windsor Record.) Note to Charlie Parmelee, King's Printer: "We beg to acknowledge receipt of blue book containing list of shareholders of the chartered banks of Canada. We searched in vain to see if our name were written there. Is this a typographical error or according to copy?"

**Without a Peer.** (New York Sun.) "Roosevelt," says Judge William Watson, of Brooklyn, "is a Moses, a Mahommed and a Zoroaster." The judge may intend to be complimentary, but why drag in these people? There is no T. R. but T. R., and T. R. is his prophet.

**A Convenient Memory.** Every statesman who argues for freedom of toll to coastwise vessels in passing through the Panama Canal is almost certain to forget to quote that part of the treaty with Great Britain which bears on that question.

**"Shame Tags."** (Buffalo Times.) "Shame tags," such as "Keep the end seat," and "Make them climb over you," are suggested as a cure for street car "end seat hogs" in Washington.

**In a Class By Themselves.** (Quebec Telegraph.) Chicago now has a court to deal exclusively with offences committed by users of automobiles.

## MEN'S BOOTS

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## DUKE-TO ATTEND CATHEDRAL OPENING

Royal Party will be in Capital for Ceremony—Archbishop of Ottawa and Other Distinguished Clergy.

Fredericton, Aug. 20—Regarding the visit of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall here next Saturday, Very Rev. Dean Schofield said yesterday that arrangements were being forward for the re-opening of Christ Church Cathedral with the idea of having it as great a festival as when the cathedral was originally consecrated on Aug. 31st, 1853.

The cathedral chapters of eastern Canada will be represented, and it is expected that there will be about 70 clergymen in the procession, including at least a dozen from outside the diocese of Fredericton.

The festival will open with service at 11 o'clock on Saturday morning, at which H. R. H. the Duke of Cornwall and party will be present, also the lieutenant governor and party, the premier and members of the executive council, the mayor and aldermen, the warden and members of York county council, members of parliament and provincial legislature, judges of the supreme and county courts, and other officials.

The morning prayers at the service will be taken by Very Rev. Dean Schofield, assisted by visiting clergy. The bishop of Fredericton will be the celebrant at Holy Communion service, assisted by the bishop of Nova Scotia and the preacher as previously stated, will be the archbishop of Ottawa.

The new organ, which is to be installed at the cathedral, will be in use for the first time, and there will be a choir of from 75 to 100 soloists, including Mrs. McArdle, of New York; Mrs. H. B. Schofield and G. S. Mayes of St. John. There will be a number of other singers from St. John as well as several from this city outside of the cathedral congregation.

The festival will continue over Sunday with the celebration of the Holy Communion at 8 a. m., morning prayer at 10.15 a. m., choral celebration of Holy Communion at 11 a. m., with the bishop of Nova Scotia as the preacher and Evening at 7 p. m., with the bishop of Fredericton as preacher.

An organ recital and sacred concert is planned for Sunday afternoon and on Saturday evening at 7.30. The archbishop of Ottawa and other visiting clergy are to remain in the city over Sunday and on Saturday afternoon a garden party will be given at the deanery.

## CHIPMAN NEWS.

Chipman, Aug. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. William Scott, of Fredericton, spent Sunday at the Chipman House.

Mrs. Hugh Hamilton, of Yarmouth, N. S., arrived last week and Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton have taken up their abode on Bridge street.

Rev. Frank Baird, of Woodstock, occupied the pulpit of the Presby. Holy Communion at 11 a. m., and preached with much acceptance to a large congregation.

Miss Zetella Parkhill, of Moncton, spent Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Parkhill.

Miss Nellie Harper, who spent the last four months at Saranac Lake, returned last week much improved in health.

Miss Maud Harper and Miss Margaret Summers, of Missoula, Montana, returned last week to their far western home.

Miss Robie Richardson who has been spending some weeks with friends in Halifax, returned home last week.

Rev. Edwin Smith returned on Saturday from a trip through Eastern Nova Scotia.

Miss Tillie Fraser has resumed teaching at Fulton Brook school.

Mrs. Sophie, of Edmonton, who has been visiting her father, Senator King, returned to her home last week.

Miss Lulu Fowler, of Waverly, Col., left last evening, she is spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Fowler.

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THE WEATHER

Toronto, Aug. 20.—Fine weather has prevailed today in nearly all parts of the Dominion. More settled conditions now prevail in the West, and the outlook there is for a continuance of fine weather with still higher temperatures.

AROUND THE CITY

Valise Found in Park. A valise was found in Rockwood Park yesterday afternoon by John Conway and handed to Chief of Police Clark and it now awaits the owner at the central police station.

Another Nut at Large. Some persons with but very little brains caused the fire department to respond to a false alarm about 3:45 o'clock last night. The alarm was sent in from Box 5 on the corner of Mill and Pond streets.

Non-Ratepayers Reported. Police Sergeant Finley has reported Charles Robichaud, William Hawke, Isaac Crawford, Charles Crawford, Lewis Keele and Peter Wise for working in the city without a license, they not being ratepayers.

The Exhibition Judges. In mentioning the judges appointed for the Greater St. John Exhibition in yesterday's issue a slight misunderstanding was contained in the information furnished. Mr. R. E. Stuart of Port William, N. S., is the owner of the grand champion horse, Baron Primrose, and not Dr. J. A. Sinclair, of Cananago, Ontario.

Women's Department Entries. On Exhibition entry blanks it is stated that all entries must be forwarded to the Exhibition headquarters by August 1st. This it is explained applies to live stock and other classes of exhibits and not to the fancy work and other goods usually shown in the Women's Department. Entries for this latter section of the show will be received up to Friday, August 30th, the day before the opening of the big show.

Grand Temple of Honor. The Grand Temple of Honor and Temperance has elected the following officers for 1912-1913:—W. H. Smith, grand worthy templar; C. W. B. Black, grand worthy vice-templar; H. J. Smith, grand worthy recorder; Frank McFarlane, grand worthy treasurer; Dr. W. P. Roberts, grand worthy chaplain; H. B. Ferris, grand worthy warden; S. E. Logan, grand worthy guardian; P. Most, worthy templar; D. McNally was the installing officer.

Factory Inspector Losing Patience with Hotel Owners. Those who have not safeguarded their houses against fire will be brought before the courts.

Hotel proprietors throughout the province who have failed to carry out the provisions of the act requiring hotels to be equipped with fire escapes and chamber ropes, should get busy if they do not want to be haled before the courts and compelled to pay a fine. The act has been in force for some time now, and John Kenney, the factory inspector, who is charged with the enforcement of the law, has visited about every part of the province and served notices on the hotel men.

While in Chatham the other day Mr. Kenney had Peter Archer, manager of the Hotel Touraine before Squire Connor, for not complying with the provisions of the hotel act. The magistrate sentenced Mr. Archer to a fine of \$25, but at the request of the inspector the fine was allowed to stand, providing the hotel was immediately equipped with the fire escapes, etc.

Mr. Kenney who has just returned from a trip to the North Shore, said the hotel proprietors there had so far made no move to comply with the law. He ordered them to provide the necessary equipment at once, and on his next visit will take legal action against all delinquents.

While on the North Shore Mr. Kenney inspected the mills and factories. He said he found that the mills and factories generally were complying with the law in so far as the matter of providing life guards for machinery were concerned, but that he found several places where young children were employed in defiance of the amendment to the factory act adopted at the last session of the legislature. He warned the proprietors that in future any offenses of this nature would be severely dealt with.

Free Pictures of School Parade. The Nickel this afternoon and Thursday afternoon will give to his boy and girl patrons an excellent photographic reproduction of the crowds of school children who sang for Their Royal Highnesses at the opening of the Rockwood park playgrounds, Monday afternoon. In addition to the two thousand children, a tremendous crowd of citizens generally was caught by the camera, making in all, one of the most remarkable photographs of a St. John crowd ever taken. This picture should prove a most interesting historical memento for all who will be fortunate enough to enjoy the Nickel's hospitality. If the principals of the school buildings represented in the parade will kindly communicate with the Nickel management, it will be a pleasure to present each building with a large mounted photograph 20x25 of the immense gathering.

ARMY CHIEF MOURNED BY FRIENDS HERE

General Booth's Death a Shock to Many in St. John.

JOSEPH BULLOCK TALKS OF HIM

Man who Knew Deceased Salvation Army Leader Better than Most People, Pays Tribute to His Work and Worth.

The news of the death of General William Booth, commander-in-chief of the Salvation Army, was heard with general regret everywhere in the city. The word of the demise of the venerable leader was received early in the evening and spread rapidly. On all sides were heard expressions of regret among those who had followed his notable career, while those who had had the privilege of personal acquaintance with General Booth received the intelligence with sorrow. On the occasion of his different visits to this city the general had, in a quiet way, made many warm friends all of whom cherish pleasant memories of the founder and leader of a world wide organization.

Among those who enjoyed the close friendship of General Booth, Joseph Bullock more than any other perhaps knew him most intimately. On the four or five occasions on which General Booth visited St. John he was always the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bullock, and on his last visit here, about four years ago, his daughter, Eva, who accompanied him was also a guest at the Bullock household.

Mr. Bullock's Tribute. When informed last night by The Standard of the death of General Booth, Mr. Bullock said that he had expected for some time that the passing of the venerable commander was not far distant.

"The last time he left here," Mr. Bullock said, "I felt that he was making his last visit here, and although he expressed the hope of revisiting the city, he appeared to feel that his leave was different to his departures of other years. He seemed always pleased to come to this city, and while here, although kept busy, enjoyed meeting people."

"His has indeed a remarkable career, both in point of duration of service and in achievement. Possessed of an indomitable courage General Booth never hesitated to face what to others would have seemed unsurmountable obstacles. He seemed to prefer overcoming the greater difficulties first and in referring to his work to express the desire to reach the most harden sinner first."

"To the student of character General Booth presented an interesting study. His capacity for work was marvelous. Even in recent years when the weight of years began to bear heavily upon him, he continued in active service and seemed to find pleasure in his work. The affairs of the great organization which he had fathered claimed his whole hearted interest and until the very last years of his life had the future of the army in view."

The simple manners of the general, Mr. Bullock said, made him a favorite with all, and the trust and confidence which he inspired in his officers, as well as the readiness with which they met his slightest wish were remarkable. A convincing orator he possessed the power to command and hold the attention of his hearers. To his wonderful executive ability, the success of the army will remain as an unperishable monument.

A Shock to His Soldiers. Speaking of the death of General Booth, Major L. E. Taylor, commander of the Salvation Army forces in the St. John division, which includes New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island, a portion of Nova Scotia and the Bermudas, said:

"The passing of General Booth will be a shock to Salvationists everywhere. His unshaken faith in God, and untiring efforts for the betterment of men, have made his life an inspiration not only to the Army, but the whole Christian world. His great heart went out to every race; he belonged to the world and his death will be universally regretted."

Silk Dresses. A silk dress at \$6.95 is not common thing to find, and dresses that of the most particular would be delighted to wear. P. A. Dykeman and Co., are putting on sale a lot of the above, made from fine quality silks in neat shepherd checks and hair line stripes, piped with plain taffeta and trimmed with neat silk buttons, fine face yoke. The dresses are on display in one of their windows, and are calling forth expressions of admiration from ever passerby that pauses to look at them.

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Wanted. Kitchen boy and kitchen girl wanted at the Royal Hotel.

WANTED—A man to cut 40 tons of hay. Apply McDonald Bros., City Market.

LOCAL MEN CONVENTION

City Will be Represented at Gathering in Toronto.

ST. ANDREW'S BROTHERHOOD

Delegates from all Canada Will Assemble in Queen City on Sept. 19th—Many Notable Speakers will Attend.

Although the St. John branches of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew have not yet selected delegates to the Dominion convention, which will be held in Toronto on the 19th of September, it is expected that a very strong delegation will be represented, as there are three very active branches here, attached to Trinity, St. Luke's and St. Jude's churches.

Toronto being the centre of Anglican activities and the home of the brotherhood, a very strong program is expected. The church families of Toronto are opening their homes to the delegates, hospitality being extended to all representatives.

The provisional program includes, among others taking part, many well known and successful brotherhood workers. Rev. Canon Davidson, Peterborough; Rev. R. Norwood, London; Archdeacon Cady, Toronto; Rev. Arthur Carlisle, Windsor; Rev. H. Sybert, Carleton Place; Rev. J. R. Macdonald, Montreal; Rev. J. R. Warren, Toronto, and from the diocese of Ottawa, Rev. W. W. Craig, St. George's church, and Rev. Rural Dean Bliss, Smith's Falls.

The bishops present will be the Bishop of Toronto, the Bishop of Montreal, and Right Rev. G. S. Talbot, bishop of Winchester, England. Among the laymen will be the premier of Canada, Right Hon. R. L. Borden; Sir James Whitney, Dr. Hubert Carleton, Judge Macdonald, Evelyn Macrae, A. G. Alexander, A. E. Wiswell, Halifax; W. A. Geddes, Calgary, and E. A. V. Mitchell, Winnipeg.

Conference Subjects. The subjects of the several conferences are varied and interesting. Among many are the following: The Value of a Brotherhood Chapter, Brotherhood Ideals, Need of the Junior Chapter, Boys and Men for Service, The Church's Need, Men for Service, Church Work for Boys, Canada's Need, Foundation of True Citizenship.

Importance of Convention. The climax to every brotherhood convention is the ingathering of every delegate, men and women, in the corporate celebration of the holy communion on the Sunday morning, the last day of the convention. To the brotherhood is attributed the awakened interest of men at regular intervals making in the course of the year the parish churches throughout the land. The convention communicants number many hundreds, and will be present at this convention from outside of Toronto. They gather from Victoria, B. C., at one end, to St. John at the other.

The Empire Typewriter Endorsed. A prominent business man in Northumberland county writes as follows: "I may say in connection with this little piece of machinery, I have installed, I am perfectly satisfied. In fact, in the 30 years I have been doing business, I cannot see how I ever got along without one. The very fact of taking copies of important letters is enough to commend it to the business community in addition to saving a lot of time, and you can read every word of your correspondence. In conclusion permit me to say that it is a great pleasure to me to recommend your little piece of machinery. To be frank, these machines can be had on free trial for 10 days. Frank R. Fairweather, agent, St. John, N. B., 12 Canterbury street, Phone, Main 653."

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