

LONG STANDING GRIEVANCES IN AFRICA OVER

Argument Is Signed In Berlin Definitely Settling Questions Affecting Boundaries Of African Dependencies.

PACT SATISFACTORY TO ALL CONCERNED

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FRENCH FISHERMEN HAVE HARD LUCK

Bank Fishing a Failure So Far As The Frenchmen Are Concerned—Portuguese Trawlers Coming Next Year.

Special to The Standard. Halifax, N. S., Nov. 29.—The French fishing fleet operating on the banks this season, has met with poor luck, the catch amounting to only 133,000 quintals, an average of 4,000 quintals for the twenty-nine vessels engaged.

ECCENTRIC COUNT GAINS ROCKEFELLERS EAR

Man Who Wants To Employ Oil King's Millions In Draining Zuyder Zee Partly Gains Point.

Cleveland, Ohio, Nov. 29.—Count P. A. de Vries was successful today in his efforts to see John D. Rockefeller reference to draining the Zuyder Zee, Holland, and opening up the bed of body of water to truck farming.

MEMBERS OF CREW DRIFT PICKED UP

Washington, D. C., Nov. 29.—Five of the members of the deck crew of the gunboat Marietta, who were drift in a gig off Port Limon, Costa Rica, were picked up by a rescue party of the Des Moines today, according to a dispatch received at the Navy Department this afternoon.

BERAL LEADER DRIVEN TO BAL

Mr. Carvell in Trumpet Blast of Bald Partizanship Places Laurier in Hole From Which He Squirms With Difficulty—The Dark Lantern Brigade and the Public Accounts.

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Two considerations then applied to the situation. One was the practical one that there were few Liberals in the House, and a proportionately greater representation of Conservatives. Had the division been called the Government majority would have been cut down to an unwholesome extent.

ALABAMA DEFEATS PROHIBITION BILL

Popular Majority Overwhelms Prohibitionists In First Appeal To Public Opinion—Election Exciting In State.

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 29.—Alabama today defeated a prohibition amendment to the state constitution, by a majority estimated at from 12,000 to 20,000 votes. Today's election was the first popular expression in Alabama on the subject.

DALHOUSIE MAN IS KILLED IN WOODS

Benjamin Labobe Killed By Falling Tree On The Restigouche—Worked For Dalhousie Lumber Company.

Special to The Standard. Dalhousie, N. B., Nov. 29.—The intelligence of the tragic death of Benjamin Labobe of this place while working in the lumber woods on the Restigouche for the Dalhousie Lumber Company was received today.

EX SENATOR BURPEE HAS PASSED AWAY

Veteran Liberal Politician Of Sunbury County Dead After Long And Useful Life—His Many Activities.

Fredericton, N. B., Nov. 29.—Hon. Charles Burpee, ex-senator, passed peacefully away at his home at Sheffield this evening at the ripe old age of 92 years.

PREMIER HAZEN AND SENATOR ELLIS SPEAK

On learning of Hon. Charles Burpee's death last evening, Hon. J. D. Hazen expressed his deep regret. For many years, he said, Mr. Burpee was one of the most active and prominent citizens of Sunbury county.

SENATOR ELLIS

Senator Ellis spoke of Mr. Burpee as an old person and a friendly neighbor. During the first twenty years after confederation, when he was continuously in Parliament, and for some years after his defeat, he exerted a good deal of influence in public affairs.

SHIP IN DOCK IS LIABLE FOR DAMAGE

United States Courts Decide That Salvage May Be Collected For Services Rendered Ships While In Dock.

ETHEL BARRYMORE IS A MOTHER NOW

Son Born To Mr. And Mrs. Russel Colt At Home Of August Belmont In New York City.

SALARIES INCREASED TO ENTERTAIN KING

Electricians Of Theatre At Which King Manuel Attends Strike At Psychological Moment.

FENIAN RAID VETAN DEAD AT FREDERICTON

Fredericton, Nov. 29.—The death occurred at an early hour on Sunday morning of Mr. Alexander S. Law, a Fenian Raid veteran, who had been in poor health for some months past.

LORD MORLEY IN POWERFUL SPEECH

Secretary of State for India Declares That House of Lords is Not Competent to Reject Budget—Lord James of Hereford, Conservative Ex Minister to Vote Against Amendment.

London, Nov. 29.—Lord Morley's powerful speech was the absorbing event of the budget debate today in the House of Lords. The secretary of state for India dilated on the importance of the struggle as viewed both at home and abroad and he called attention to the fact that foreign nations were watching anxiously the outcome of the conflict.

UNABLE TO FATHOM DR. MATTEWS CREED

Baptist Churches Of London, Ontario, In Secret Conference Discuss Question Of Professor's Orthodoxy.

TO TRY DESERTER AT FREDERICTON

Colonel Humphrey At Capital To Preside At Court Martial Of Private Robertson—Arrested For Theft.

NOVA SCOTIA IN GRIP OF BAD STORM

Temperature Drops Twenty Degrees And Severe Hail Storm Following Rain Ices Up The Shipping.

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PARTY PLUMS PLUCKED AS PROPHECISED

British Columbia Judgeships Go To Men Already Selected For Jobs—Rewards of a Lost Cause.

LATE OPPOSITION LEADER GETS ONE

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Nov. 29.—Now that the British Columbia elections are over, the Federal Government has appointed the judges of the new court of appeal of that province, and it is worthy of observation that the forecast of the B. C. Conservatives in the Commons has been verified.

SUICIDES AFTER KILLING MOTHER

Ohio Man Murders Mother, An Officer Attempting His Arrest, And Fatally Injures Two More.

STEEL PLANT SUPPLIED BY COAL COMPANY NOW

Importation Of Coal From United States Ceases With The Close Of Navigation On St. Lawrence.

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W. J. McDevitt Fined \$4 Or Ten Days, In Police Court Yesterday Afternoon—Magistrate's Caustic Remarks.

In the police court yesterday afternoon, W. J. McDevitt was fined \$4 or ten days in jail with hard labor by Magistrate Ritchie for neglecting to send his year-old son James McDevitt to school. The boy was also remanded to jail until the fine was paid.

McDevitt told the magistrate that he could not afford to buy boots for his boy in order to send him to school, as he had been out of work for the past seven weeks.

His Honor remarked that if McDevitt would spend less money for whiskey he could afford to send his boy to school. "You have a duty to perform to your church, to the state, and to your children," said His Honor, "and you are neglecting them all."

The magistrate then imposed a fine of \$4 or ten days in jail.

James Watson, the 10-year-old colored boy, who was sent below on Saturday, promised to attend school regularly and was allowed to go.

Raymond McLeod, aged thirteen, since the opening of this term in September, had attended school but three times, while Wm. Jackson, aged twelve, had not attended at all since school began.

Judge Ritchie ordered them to be taken below and placed in separate cells.

THE HITTITES IN THEIR RELATION TO GREEK HISTORY Professor Hogarth Of Oxford Gave Interesting Address Before Archaeological Society Last Evening.

That the Hittites who for many years were regarded as one of the minor nations of antiquity have been found by modern archaeologists to be one of the two great nations of their time and that they formed an important link in the development of the civilization of Greece, was made evident last night by Professor David G. Hogarth, M. A., in his lecture before the local branch of the Archaeological Institute.

Professor Hogarth is curator of the Museum at Oxford University and is well known as an archaeological explorer, geographer and author. He has come to America to lecture before the branches of the Archaeological Institute.

Professor Hogarth's subject was "Hittite Discoveries in Relation to Early Greek History." The pleasure of his lecture was increased by a splendid set of views which were used to illustrate different facts in connection with his subject.

KEITH'S ASSEMBLY ROOMS THE SCENE OF FITTING CELEBRATION BY LOCAL SOCIETY THIS EVENING—400 GUESTS.

Loyal Scotchmen all over the world today celebrate the anniversary of their patron saint. The members of the Keith's Assembly Rooms Society will observe the occasion by holding a "Scottish Night" in Keith's Assembly Rooms for which extensive preparations have been made.

At eight o'clock the installation of the officers for the ensuing year will take place as follows: Waltz; Dr. J. R. McIntosh, president; Mr. A. Gordon Leavitt, 1st vice-president; Rev. L. A. McLean, chaplain; Mr. Alex. Wilson, historian; Mr. John White, treasurer; Mr. C. F. Inches, secretary; Messrs. C. W. Bell and F. E. Burpee, marshals.

The programme for tonight follows: A Guide Auld Song Is Ne'er Far Wrang. The Pipes. "I hear the pibroch sounding, singing." Address—The President. Overture, Scottish Airs—Orchestra. Song, MacGregor's Gathering—Mrs. McKean.

Duet, When Ye Gang Awa, Jamie—Mrs. Crockett and Mr. Pidgeon. Address, The Day and A' Wha Honor It—His Honor Governor Fraser. Mr. Alex. Roy, Scot's Wha Hae—Mr. Pidgeon. Land of the Mountain and the Flood.

Land of Our Sires. The Passal' O' the Mull. Dance, Highland Fling—Major Gordon. Song, The Blue Bells of Scotland—Miss Nise.

Song, And Sae Will We Yet—Mr. Cameron, past president. "And Weel She Danced the Hellan Reel." Waltz; 2—Two Step; Supper; 3—Waltz; 2—Two Step; Supper; 3—Reel and Strathspey; 4—Lancers; 5—Highland Schottische; 6—Militaire; 7—Reel o' Tulloch; 8—Waltz; 8—Two Step; 9—Highland Schottische; 12—Galop. Grand March. Song and Chorus—"Will ye no come back again?"

BISHOP OF QUEBEC IS SERIOUSLY ILL

Special to The Standard. Quebec, Nov. 29.—The Bishop of Quebec, Dr. Duhon, is seriously indisposed at his home here, the result of overwork, according to the doctors. His physicians prescribe absolute rest and have cancelled all his appointments up to December 15 at least. Prayers for his recovery were offered in the different churches here yesterday. Dr. Duhon is 70 years old, having been born at Saffron, Walden, Eng., in 1839.

TEXAS MULES FOR SOUTH AFRICA MINES

Special to The Telegraph. Halifax, N. S., Nov. 24.—Coated with ice, and nearly a foot of snow spread over her deck, the Elder-Dempster steamer Benu arrived at North Sydney today from Montreal and will take 800 tons bunker coal. The Benu has a general cargo and is bound for Cape Town, South Africa. On deck arranged in stalls are 150 mules which are being taken to be used in the Debeer mines, South Africa. All the mules were imported from Texas and are an exceedingly hard lot.

PERSONALS

Mr. William P. Hayward of Denver, Col., who will lecture here on Wednesday arrived in the city yesterday and is staying at the Victoria. Rev. W. White, C. S. S. R., formerly rector of St. Peter's church in the North End, arrived in the city yesterday. Mr. John Watters, head checker for the C. P. R., arrived in this city yesterday. Mr. James McDougall, of the Donaldson Line, arrived in the city yesterday for the winter season. Mr. William Kerr, head of the C. P. R. export staff, at Sand Point, for the winter, arrived in the city yesterday from Montreal. Miss M. O'Leary of Richibucto is visiting Mrs. G. V. McInerney of King Street East. Mr. J. D. Phinney of Fredericton, returned home last evening on the Montreal train. Mr. F. S. Williams left last evening for Fredericton. Mr. E. A. Smith of St. John left last evening for Fredericton where he will attend the funeral of Mr. Z. R. Everett, of Fredericton, which will take place today. Will Not Contest The Case. Mr. Charles Ward, proprietor of the One Mile House, has been reported by Mr. J. B. Jones, liquor license inspector, for selling liquor on Sunday evening last between the hours of 8 and 9 o'clock. Information was laid before Mr. G. A. Henderson, the Police Clerk yesterday. It is understood Mr. Ward will not contest the case.

LIBERAL PARTY DAY AT COMMONS

Continued from page 1. So far the discussion has been amicable; but now Mr. Curvell, as a prominent member of the Blockers brigade, issued a defiance. He declared that no proper question had been presented. The committee had never refused papers or refused to call witnesses. The Opposition would wander off into side issues and members who had some regard for the decencies of public life would restrain them. His own name had been bandied about from the Atlantic to the Pacific as a leader in the dark lantern brigade. He had never objected to a proper question or based his objection on technical grounds. If the Opposition continued to try to drag out matters which had nothing to do with the question, to get information which would benefit them in their constituencies they would be treated with the same treatment in the future as they had experienced in the past.

Mr. Barker gave two examples of improper blocking. He himself, in examining witnesses as to the value of property which they had sold to the government, had asked what they had paid for the property, often only a few weeks before the sale to the government took place and it would be objected. "You are trying to compel the witness to disclose his private business."

Mr. Curvell demanded an instance. Mr. Barker retorted that one such case had been brought, before the House. Another sample of obstruction was that the committee would be investigating the price of articles sold to the government and witnesses would be asked what they had paid for them, thereupon the reply would be, "You are prying into his private business."

For a whole week they had struggled to make a witness produce his invoices, in the end they had to bring a man from Galt to show at what price he had sold things to the recalcitrant witness.

Mr. Sproule observed that if the Opposition only asked the question which Mr. Curvell thought proper, they would ask nothing new.

Mr. Blair's Motion. Mr. Blair followed up Mr. Curvell's defiance by moving Mr. Lennox's suggestion as an amendment to the motion.

In speaking to this he recalled the specific case of Montreal, which was sustained in his refusal to tell the price he had paid for articles until the Opposition found means to bring evidence on the subject from another source.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that he would not object seriously to the motion, but Mr. Lennox had made it. It was worthy of the Opposition. As for Mr. Monk's remarks, it always had been the custom in Canada to have the chairman of the committee a minister in the government.

It was regrettable that they did not follow the example of the Mother Country in all things. He would suggest that Mr. Blair let the matter stand to see if they could not come to an agreement.

RECEIPTS ARE GREATER—EIGHTY MORE LICENSES ISSUED IN ST. JOHN THAN IN 1908—THE LARGEST HEADS.

The big game season of 1909 comes to an end today. For two months and a half sportsmen from many parts of the world have invaded the province. Accompanied by the famous guides of New Brunswick they have poled off swift-running streams and travelled along silent lumber roads strewn with autumn leaves in the pursuit of big game lured on by the mystic clamor of the forest.

This season, it is believed, an unusually large number of moose, deer and caribou have been shot. The total number is not yet available from the office of the Surveyor General, but in spite of the wet weather that prevailed during a great part of the season the receipts from hunting licenses are known to be greater than in any previous year.

Eighty More Licenses. Mr. J. H. Nobles, the local vendor of game licenses issued 430 licenses this year, or eighty more than in the previous season. Some dissatisfaction is reported, has been expressed about the issuing of twenty-five cent licenses for shooting deer by farmers on their own land, as it is claimed it is apt to lead to infringements of the law.

The game law has been well enforced during the past few years, and the opinion is frequently expressed by those interested in the preservation of big game that if Surveyor General Grimmer has charge of the department for a few more years there will be three animals for every one now in the forest.

The heavy rains that prevailed during the season made it unpleasant for the sportsmen in the woods but most of them met with success. Mr. Adam Moore, the guide, speaking with The Standard a short time ago said that although the weather has been unfavorable the sportsmen he had taken to the woods had obtained heads.

The Record Moose Head. The record moose head of the season it is believed was shot by Mr. Phillips of Tracey Station and measured 68 inches. There were only about three heads with a spread of sixty inches or over. One of these was shot by a gentleman guided by Mr. Arthur Pringle, on the southwest branch of the Miramichi. The largest head to be shot in St. John county measured 58 inches and fell to the gun of Mr. English near Lepreau.

A freck head with a double set of antlers was shot by Mr. Muller near New River. During the past two days the firm of Simbaldi and Ogden Smith, taxidermists, have received six moose and ten deer heads. The heads received during the close of the season Mr. Simbaldi says were larger than those sent in at first. He reports that a ten o'clock Mr. D. Mullin, K. C., continued his address to the jury and concluded shortly after four o'clock. The Attorney General, associate counsel with Mr. F. R. Taylor for the defendants then commenced his address, which was concluded shortly before six o'clock this morning when His Honor will charge the jury.

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THREE ARE TIED FOR BILLIARD TITLE

Clive Sutton and Demarest to Play Off For Championship—Finals in Big Match To Be Played Friday.

New York, N. Y., Nov. 29.—A triple tie for the world's professional 18.2 ball billiard championship resulted from today's play in the tournament at Madison Square Garden. At the afternoon session George Sutton, of Chicago, defeated Firmin Cassignol, the French champion and this evening Calvin Demarest, of Chicago, won from George Slosson, the New York player.

The two winners are therefore tied with Harry P. Cline of Philadelphia, each of the three having completed his schedule with four games won and one lost. The scores of the six contestants for the championship are as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Won/Lost P.C. Cline 4 1 800 Sutton 4 1 800 Demarest 4 1 800 Slosson 1 1 250 Cassignol 1 4 200 Cutler 0 4 000

One game is still to be played in the regular series between Slosson and Cutler, and this will be decided Tuesday afternoon. The play-off for the first place will be played off in three games. Demarest will play Cline on Thursday; the loser of that match will play Sutton on Thursday and the winners of the two matches will play on Friday.

The Demarest-Slosson match this evening was close at first, but toward the latter part of it Demarest scored heavily, going out the 32nd inning with a brilliant unfinished run and winning by a score of 500 to 364. Slosson made a remarkable run of 123 in his 11th, finally missing a three cushion try by the narrowest margin. This sent the Slosson score up to 321 against 115 for Demarest, but the Chicago player overcame this lead with a series of two figure runs and kept his lead to the end.

CANADIAN NORTHERN TO STRETCH TO COAST

So Declares William Mackenzie Returned Yesterday from England—Mission Satisfactory He Says.

Toronto, Nov. 29.—After five weeks absence in Europe, William Mackenzie returned to Toronto yesterday. He went to England for the purpose of floating a big issue of Canadian Northern Railway bonds to be used in further extension of that rapidly expanding line.

In an interview Mr. Mackenzie said his mission to the Old Country was so far successful, the issue being largely oversubscribed. Mr. Mackenzie expressed himself as pleased with the outcome of the elections in British Columbia, and said that as soon as the necessary legislation is passed by the McBride Government the work of construction would be proceeded with and the line extended from Edmonton to the Pacific coast.

INVESTIGATING THE MINE DISASTER

Cherry, Ill., Nov. 29.—Investigation as to the causes of the St. Paul mine disaster was begun today. Coroner A. H. Malm, took identification statements of relatives and friends of victims whose bodies have been recovered from the mine.

NON-RESIDENTS IN ONTARIO CONTEST MOVEMENT FOR BOXING BOARD

London, Nov. 29.—With a view to the further encouragement and promotion of the art of self defence, the newspaper Sporting Life, with the Earl of Lonsdale's approval and the promise of his assistance, has started a movement for an international board, on which Great Britain and the United States each will have two representatives and Australia and France each one. The objects of the board are:

First, to frame rules to govern international championships; second, to fix weights for such championships; third, to decide who is entitled to claim championships and fourth, to supply belts and trophies to recognized champions.

It is suggested that Lord Lonsdale be elected president of the first board.

DILLON IS AGAIN REPREIVED BY COURT

Former Book Agent To Be Examined By Expert Ottawa Alienist—Execution Postponed a Month.

Special to The Standard. Montreal, Nov. 29.—No execution will take place in the Montreal jail next Friday, the day fixed for Dillon's postponed hanging.

At the very time that workmen were about to commence re-building the scaffold, which had to be pulled down two weeks ago, the news reaching here today that one more brief case of life had been extended to the aged convict.

Federal authorities have finally decided to come to Dillon's relief by having an expert alienist examine the condemned man, so that all doubts regarding the latest mental condition may be settled. Dr. Phelan, of Ottawa, will conduct the examination, and the execution has been postponed a month to allow of it.

CARON ELECTED BY ACCLAMATION

Special to The Standard. Quebec, Nov. 29.—Hon. Mr. Caron, the new minister of agriculture in the Province of Quebec, was elected a member from the county of L'Islet by acclamation today. In the County of Kamouraska Mr. Dupuis, notary, Liberal, and Mr. Morin, merchant, of Kamouraska, have been put in nomination. Mr. Dupuis is the ministerial candidate. Mr. Morin is an Independent Liberal.

TAKEN TO PROVINCIAL HOSPITAL

Yesterday afternoon on the certificate of Dr. C. M. Pratt, Officer Wilmer A. Belyea removed to the Provincial Hospital for nervous diseases Mrs. Adelaide Day, of Magazine street. The woman has been acting strangely for some time, and yesterday at the request of the general Dr. C. M. Pratt examined her and found evidences of insanity.

DELIVERED TO PUBLIC

Sealed tenders will be received at the office of the Common Clerk of the City of St. John, at the City Hall, until the 12 o'clock noon of Monday, the 27th day of November instant, for the purchase of the boiler of the Steam Fire Engine according to specifications as given at the office of the Director of Public Safety, City Hall. Dated Saint John, N. B., 29th November, 1909.

ROBERT WISELY, Director, Department of Public Safety. ADAM MCINTYRE, Comptroller.

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J. D. Phinney, Fredericton; Mary B. Peck, Hillsboro; John B. Algar, St. Stephen; F. Lister, McAdam; W. J. Shand, Boston; Wm. D. Hayward, Denver; J. R. Donovan, Winnipeg; W. J. Dickson, Halifax; W. C. Casey, Moncton; C. A. Linton, St. Stephen.

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MANUELO ENTERED GORGEOUS SPECIMEN ORDER OF GAZETTED MONARCH--TWO CONVICTIONS

London, Nov. 29.—Don the young king of Portugal celebrated his twentieth birthday last day, the youngest Europe. Little was known in Portugal, but he was called to the throne by events of February 1, 1908, when he was assassinated. The atmosphere of Portugal is propitious to personal rule on his part.

His dominating traits are those of a man who has been brought up in the ideal of the duties of a monarch. Even in his rank, even in his private life, he has endeavored to do his duty to the nation. He has always exactly what he should do.

To his two brothers, one day he suggested by a becoming act for his place in the carriage. The prince made no objection, reaching the carriage, he got in first. "Go on, side, place. I am delighted to you seat which he had chosen."

Another time the queen to fetch her something on the ground floor. The prince, who had been waiting for her, said, "Go that way, my mother, and be quick," and pointed to the staircase.

The boy stood still waiting for his mother. "What are you waiting for?" "I am waiting for you to do anything you like."

"Yes, do you think anything?" "Mother," was the reply. "Do anything you like."

Nothing would make him do anything you like.

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SAINT JOHN, TUESDAY MORNING, NOV. 30, 1908.

OFFICIAL WORSHIP.

So far back as historical records go, the man in authority and the dispenser of patronage has had plenty to worship and praise him even though they were few by mind which turns a commonplace, or disputable man into a superior creature as soon as he gets an office, never finds merit in a public man in opposition, and without patronage. No public man in Canada had in his day of power much more flattery bestowed upon him than the late Hon. Mr. Blair. There came a day when the whole procession of idolators turned from him to Mr. Emmerson, who suddenly became endowed with resplendent powers of statesmanship. One April day he in turn lost office, and all his transcendent ability dropped from him like a robe. Then emerged Mr. Graham, previously a man of no particular consequence, and the inspiration of genius descended on him simultaneously with his appointment to office. So we have seen such men as Mr. Templeman and Mr. Murphy, the first never of sufficient importance to obtain an election in his own town, the other a man who had passed middle life without any person suspecting him of any claim to recognition as a public man, placed in the Dominion cabinet, and immediately the faithful find them men of light and leading. A few years ago the Northwest was left without representation, and as material was scarce, Sir Wilfrid fell upon Mr. Oliver on the back benches, and made him a minister. Thereupon Mr. Oliver became a great authority on public matters, and he who never influenced a vote in the House of Commons, was acknowledged as a moulder of political thought.

Now take the converse proposition. A man in office is a giant, because he is in office. The same man, or a better one, out of office is a pigmy. For example, here is the St. John Sun which, beginning with half complimentary remarks about Mr. Borden, (who has a position as leader) followed by some disparaging criticism, (since Mr. Borden is not in office) goes on to say:—
"Yet the present Conservative leader is a veritable giant compared with those that would form his Government if he were soon returned to power. A quartette or so of front bench Conservatives, comparing themselves among themselves and judging themselves by themselves, have lately indulged in dreams of leadership. Among Lilliputians, Tom Thumb would regard himself as a giant, but hardly so in a kingdom of men."
Thus Mr. Foster is a Lilliputian compared with Mr. Paterson, and Mr. Ames is a pigmy beside Mr. Fisher. Mr. Brodeur towers above Mr. Monk, and Mr. Osler sinks below Mr. Aylesworth. Dr. Roche is not to be mentioned with Mr. Oliver, nor Mr. Burrell with Mr. Templeman. But strip the ministers of their offices and turn them together into the crowd and the estimate would be quite different. If office can turn into eminent statesmen some of the exceedingly dull fellows whom Sir Wilfrid has gathered about him, there is no man, in the most modest rank of the Conservative party who may not hope to find himself dignified, and even glorified, if he should attain to an official position.

We have had this sort of disparagement of other oppositions. Worshippers of Mr. Ross, when he was premier of Ontario, scoffed at the idea of Mr. Whitney forming an administration out of the material available, at all to be compared with the existing ministry of all the talents. Mr. Whitney took office and formed a government which has proved to be at least as strong and capable as any in the history of the province, and which is in capacity and character, infinitely superior to that of Mr. Ross. Even the opponents of this administration are obliged to give it credit for courage, honesty, capacity and success. Meanwhile ex-premier Ross in the Senate is rather unfairly regarded by his own friends as a well-meaning, eloquent, voluble, political nonentity. All of his late colleagues in the Ontario Government who could get federal appointments have obtained them, retreating from provincial politics, or dropped by their party as useless lumber.

When Mr. Greenway was premier of Manitoba, his worshippers were in the habit of ridiculing the possibility of an administration of the other party. Such an administration was formed, and for ten years the province has been governed without the help of the Greenway combination. It was rather pathetic in later years to see Mr. Greenway going about the House of Commons a lonely figure, a man whom in his own part "there were few to love, and very few to praise." As for his colleagues of those old boasting days, it now requires an excellent Liberal memory to recall their names.

New Brunswick history furnishes a similar example. It is not so long since the supporters of Mr. Farris, Mr. Sweeney, Mr. Barnes, Mr. Jones and the rest were inquiring where Mr. Hazen could find colleagues equal to these eminent statesmen. But the group mentioned with Mr. Robinson and Mr. Labllois has disappeared. The Government goes on, and we do not seem to hear any suggestion that the people are demanding return of the former ministers. Out of office they do not seem to command the rapt attention of the multitude. Yet they have the same commanding intellect that they possessed two years ago.

So it shall be when the Laurier administration passes away, and other ministers fill the place of those who now inspire notes of admiration from their own organs. When they drop their offices and find their proper level, some will be more ready to admit their limitations than those who now challenge the Conservatives to produce their equals. The Conservative party has managed in the past to find men for federal cabinets. It is now found equal to the task in three provinces, while in a fourth it has furnished a leader and most of the heads of departments. No sign is visible that Sir

Wilfrid has been endowed with power from on high to select for his cabinet and retain there all the available talent and statesmanship that the country has to spare for federal government. Therefore we may venture to believe that if the score or so of rulers now camped on Parliament Hill should suddenly and simultaneously migrate, complete anarchy would not follow.

LIFE SAVING STATIONS.

We have received the report of the Department of Marine for the year 1908-09. It contains among other interesting information a striking statement concerning the "life saving service of Canada." The report is by the Officer Commanding the Marine Service of Canada, and sets forth that there are at the present time in Canada 34 life saving stations. Of these three are in New Brunswick. One of these is at Seal Cove. It was established in 1898. The coxswain is T. Benson, who has a salary of \$75 per annum. He has a crew of seven men, each of whom is paid "\$2 per day and extra when saving life." The station has a Beebe-McLellan surf boat, self-bailing, 25 feet long, built at Shelburne, cost \$200. She has the full regulation equipment, and iron rails were laid in 1901. The officer commanding explains what the equipment is:—

"At every life-saving station there is at least a lifeboat and a crew of seven men including the coxswain, under whose immediate care all manoeuvres and operations of the crew are performed. There is also a boat house. During recent years many of the stations have been supplied with new and up-to-date lifeboats costing from \$225 to \$775 each and one \$10,900. Boat houses are built of different sizes according to the number of boats and other equipment to be accommodated and cost from \$600 up. Besides being always on the alert to add to the efficiency of this service in other respects, care is taken by the department to see that the boat houses and boats of the various stations are kept painted, and that all other equipment and apparatus are also properly looked after, so that the best results may be obtained. A coxswain appointed by the department is in charge of each life saving station and its equipment, and is responsible to the department for the proper care of the same. * * * The coxswain must also understand how to properly treat the apparently drowned. It is the duty of the coxswain to be always on the lookout to assist persons in danger of drowning. As a rule a coxswain is allowed \$75 per annum for taking care of the station, and \$2 for each drill. He is also allowed such extra pay when engaged at a wreck as the Marine Department considers proper. The lifeboat crew is selected by the coxswain from able-bodied and experienced boatmen residing near the station, so that they will be available when required. As the efficiency of a life saving station depends largely upon the good training and discipline of the crew, each crew is required to drill regularly during the season of navigation in rough water as well as smooth. The number of drills to be performed by a life crew is four-teen each season, and each drill must occupy at least five hours. Lifeboat crews, as a rule, are paid at the rate of \$2 per man for each drill, and extra when performing service at a wreck."

The auditor's report dealing with marine expenditure is not yet at hand. But turning to 1907-8, we find the total expenditure of the Grand Manan life station \$88.45, being \$75 for Coxswain Benson, and \$13.45 for repairing boat and material. There is no payment to other men and no allowance for drill. Going back a year farther we can find no payment to either coxswain or crew and no expenditure at this station. In the two previous years there were payments to the coxswain and six men at the regulation rates for fourteen drills each year.

When the Hestia was wrecked it appeared that there was no life saving crew at Seal Cove, except the coxswain. Also it was stated that while the lifeboat was specially purchased for this service, Mr. Benson left her at home and took a boat of his own as more suitable. These facts are an interesting comment on the official statement printed above.

HON. CHARLES BURPEE.

Hon. Charles Burpee, whose death is announced at the ripe age of 92, was one of the old guard of New Brunswick Liberalism. Five times successively elected to represent Sunbury in the House of Commons, his continuous service in Parliament extended over twenty years. He was a strong party man never wavering in his support to his leaders and to the principles of Liberalism as he interpreted them. It was his fate to lose his seat before his party reached power, and he had good reason to expect that his long and faithful public and party services would be recognized by appointment to the Senate. As a matter of fact he was made a senator but with an undertaking on his part to give up the seat when it should be required from him. He was not allowed to wait long, and his place was filled in working out another political engagement. Mr. Burpee received from the Laurier administration a temporary appointment in connection with the Paris exhibition, which engaged his attention for a few weeks. For the last twenty years he has been in private life. When in public life, Mr. Burpee was regarded as a well informed man on public matters, especially those relating to the province. He was faithful to the best interest of his party, and to those of the country as he understood them.

AN INTERESTING STUDY.

It was great to be a mariner in the early Tudor days, when a ship sailing forth might find a new world before they came home. These days can come no more, but perhaps the nearest thing to them is the era of the archeologist, who if he may not discover a new world, has opportunity to resurrect an old one. The address of Professor Hozarth gives an illustration of such an achievement. He brings the results of explorations by himself and others, revealing the Hittites as one of the two great nations of the world in their day, and gives them still greater claim to the notice of the modern world as a dominant influence toward the civilization of Greece.

PROMISE AND PERFORMANCE.

In 1903, when the Government was driving the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway bill through Parliament it was represented that the portion from Quebec to Moncton would cost \$10,000,000. The length was to be less than 400 miles and the cost \$25,000 per mile. Yesterday the latest estimate was given to Parliament, showing the prospective cost of this portion of the Transcontinental to be \$26,985,000. Yet the proposed four-tenths per cent. grade has been abandoned, and a "pusher" grade established.

This is the day for the division in the House of Lords on the budget. The impression is that the peers will make the plunge. Doubtless it is a scandal that a few hundred of these hereditary legislators, who never appear except on such occasions, will be on hand to vote. But even if all the careless Lords remained away the result of the vote would be the same.

Mr. Carvell and the rest of the blockers' brigade are defiant, but their leaders are beginning to see that there is trouble in this business. Sir Wilfrid was obliged to temporize to prevent an embarrassing division of the House on the subject of burking indignities.

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TIME TO QUIT THAW ASSERTS HIS WIFE

After a Visit to Matteawan She Announces Intention to Seek Annulment of Marriage— Says He Wants Furniture.

New York, Nov. 29.—According to Mrs. Evelyn Thaw, who paid a visit to her husband, Harry K. Thaw, at the Matteawan State Hospital for the Criminal Insane on Thursday, she has finished her devoted wife career definitely and forever, and presently will start a suit for an annulment of their marriage.

"I went to see Thaw on Thanksgiving," she said yesterday at her home, No. 31 West Thirty-third street, "at his request after he had written three or four pathetic notes. Thaw was waiting for me in the general reception room and we shook hands. Then he said:—
"You'll have to give up your flat and move to a cheaper place. My trustees are going to send a sheriff for the furniture."
"Do you mean to tell me," I asked, "that you're not even going to leave me that junk?"

"That's right," he answered. "There'll be a truck backed up in a day or two. I'm a bankrupt and my trustees want the furniture for the benefit of my creditors."
"Look here," I retorted, "what kind of an Indian give are you anyway? Most of that furniture I bought myself and the part you gave me isn't worth the price of carrying it downstairs."
"For the next fifteen minutes we were conversational goats, leaping from crag to crag, without getting to anything definite. Then I put it right up to him that I was supposed to get \$10 a week and that I hadn't seen the color of any of his money since last June. I wanted to know how about that."
"Look here, Thaw," I said, "I've been pretty decent to you all the way through, but this is getting monotonous. I beg to remind you that I ruined my reputation twice for you, and now apparently you're prepared to set your trustees after me and give me the worst of it. All right, if that's your last word, I'm going, and I take pleasure in bidding you good day."
"And then I think that the time has come for me to engage a lawyer and institute a suit for an annulment of my marriage. I have no income, and I am in debt up to my ears and I fancy I shall have to move away from here soon. They took my piano the other day. I hadn't the money to pay the instalments."

TO RECOMMEND SITE FOR HOSPITAL

Tuberculosis Commission To Report Tomorrow at Monthly Meeting Of Provincial Government.

Fredericton, Nov. 29.—The monthly meeting of the provincial government will open here on Tuesday evening. It is expected that the report of the Tuberculosis Prevention Commission will be received. The report will probably contain a recommendation as to the site for the proposed sanatorium. It is understood that the choice lies between sites in York and Queens counties.

While no announcement has been made as yet it is said that the legislation will be called together about the middle of February. During the session the Farmers and Dairy-men's Association will meet here.

Hon. Mr. Hazen, Attorney General, is expected to make a report at Tuesday's meeting on the recent investigation into the charges against Magistrate Hornsbrough of Sussex.

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Yesterday afternoon, Mr. F. C. Durand the common clerk of legal expenses in connection with the Durand for the estate sugar refinery. It is Durand will be in St. John in connection with the History of New Brunswick.
It is announced Hannay's History of New Brunswick is now ready for sale. It is in two volumes and the price is \$1.50. It has been engaged since a history of the time of the French to the present.
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Goos Through Plattsville, Ont., Batters, a fresher, wooden bridge with gine on Saturday night by his son when the precipitating Batter the engine a distance in the river below. ately fell free of the father was pinned to drowned.

Moors Subj... Mellila, Morocco, chiefs of the tribes of Kabyles, Beni-Sidel, today with made formal submission. The chiefs a native force against such Moors title.

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NEWS OF A DAY

Successful Hunter.
Fredericton, N. B., Nov. 29.—William
A. Lindsay, of this city, has carried
off the palm as the most successful
local sportsman of the season. He
was out for four days last week at Bull
Pasture plains and shot a moose, a
caribou, a bear and two deer.

Keel Laid.
London, Nov. 29.—The keel plates of
two monster warships, the Orion and
the Lion, the cruiser-battleship, and
the latter at Devonport. The bulk
of the material for both vessels is
ready, and all arrangements have been
made for their completion within two
years.

Goes Through Bridge.
Plattsville, Ont., Nov. 29.—Isaac
Battler, a thrasher, was crossing a
wooden bridge with his traction
engine on Saturday night, accompanied
by his son when the bridge gave way,
precipitating Battler and his son with
the engine a distance of fifteen feet
in the river below. The son fortunately
fell free of the engine, but the
father was pinned to the bottom and
drowned.

Moors Submissive.
Mellilla, Morocco, Nov. 29.—The
chiefs of the important Moroccan
tribes of Kabyles, Beni-Boufar, and
Bani-Sidel, today, with much ceremony,
made formal submission to General
Marina. The chiefs offered to raise
a native force and join the Spaniards
against such Moors as were still hos-
tile.

Strange Fatality.
Belleville, Ont., Nov. 29.—David
Hartford, a young man employed at
Wilson Spurr's Camp north of May-
nooth, was standing at the sidewalk
when another team driving up to
the end of one of the logs struck
him, breaking his neck and killing
him instantly.

Cornerstone Laid.
The cornerstone of the new
Presbyterian church
at Keith's Assembly Rooms, on Cana-
dian Transportation Road, will ar-
rive in the city at noon today and
leave for Montreal on Wednesday
evening. The address should draw a
large gathering, for the topic is one
of much importance to St. John.

The Sugar Refinery.
Yesterday afternoon Mr. F. R. Taylor,
of Weldon and McLean, solicitor,
for Mr. P. C. Durant, deposited with
the common clerk \$1000 to cover the
legal expenses in connection with the
agreement between the city and Mr.
Durant for the establishment of the
sugar refinery. It is understood Mr.
Durant will be in St. John again soon
in connection with the project.

History of New Brunswick.
It is announced that Dr. James
Hannay's History of New Brunswick
will be ready for delivery tomorrow.
It is in two volumes bound in buck-
ram and the price is five dollars. Dr.
Hannay in this new work on which
he has been engaged for many years,
gives a history of the province from
the time of the first settlement by
the French to the general election in
1907.

Canadian Club.
Major Geo. W. Stephens, of Mont-
real, who will speak before the Cana-
dian Club at 11:30 p. m. on Wednesday

of which Rev. J. D. Morrow, quar-
ter mill champion of Canada is pastor,
and which is being built by the sub-
scriptions of Canadian athletes, was
held on Saturday by James G. Merrick,
president of the C. A. A. U. The usual
cornerstone was laid previously by
Lieutenant-Governor Gibson.

The First Victim.
Kingston, Ont., Nov. 29.—The first
drowning accident of the ice season
in this district occurred at West Lake,
near Wellington, on Saturday after-
noon, when Elwood Ingram, the six
year old son of Mrs. Richard Ingram,
lost his life. The lad with a number
of other boys, was playing on ice when
it gave way, and he and his brother
Garrett, aged eight, went through. The
latter was saved, but the younger boy
was drowned. The other brother is
in a critical condition, however, and
may not recover.

Boiler Explodes.
Berlin, Ont., Nov. 29.—The boiler of
a locomotive attached to a westbound
Grand Trunk Railway freight train
blew up near Petersburg last evening
when Elwood Ingram, the six year
old son of Mrs. Richard Ingram, was
in charge of Engineer Kincaid and
Fireman F. Camp, both of Stratford,
and both men were thrown down an
embankment, a distance of over thirty
feet. The engine will recover, but
Fireman Camp may die. He was
badly scalded and was also bruised
and cut when he struck the ground.

Death Of Priest.
Toronto, Nov. 29.—Rev. Father Au-
gustin Stuhl, assistant pastor at St.
Patrick's church and senior priest of
the community of the Redemptorist
fathers in Toronto, died at the Re-
demptorist Convent, McCann street,
Saturday aged 64 years. Heart fail-
ure was the cause of death. Father
Stuhl was born in Germany, coming
to America when quite young. He
entered novitiate in 1869 and made his
religious profession in 1871. He was
ordained in 1879, the fortieth anniver-
sary of that event being celebrated last
June.

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leave for Montreal on Wednesday
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large gathering, for the topic is one
of much importance to St. John.

A School For Boxing.
A school for boxing is to be estab-
lished here by Mr. John T. Powers, at
the request of a number of citizens
who have expressed the desire to have
their boys receive instructions in the
use of their fists. Besides boxing, phys-
ical culture lessons will be given. Mr.
Powers has fitted up a room in his
home, corner of St. Andrew and Cana-
dian streets, and already has a
number of promising pupils.

Ministers' Meeting.
At the weekly meeting of the Meth-
odist ministers yesterday reports from
the churches were received and Rev.
G. A. Ross for a committee, submit-
ted an interesting list of topics for
discussion every two weeks beginning
Dec. 12. The Baptist ministers at their
weekly meeting received a favorable
report on the condition of Rev. M. E.
Fletcher. Rev. C. W. Townsend was
appointed to take Mr. Fletcher's place
while he is recuperating for two weeks
in the west.

**TAKES ISSUE
WITH WORK
OVER THE ARK**

**Sir William Wilcox Declares
That Biblical Principal
Should Have Constructed
Canal Instead Of Ark.**

**LECTURES BEFORE
GEOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY**

London, Nov. 29.—Sir William Wil-
cox, lecturing before the Royal Geo-
graphical Society, described in out-
line his plan for the reconstruction
of the original garden of the world.
Sir William was appointed by the
new Turkish Government to engage
engineers and survey the rivers and
canals of the Tigris-Euphrates delta
and devise projects for the rehabilita-
tion of the country. He first set him-
self the task of mastering the ancient
system of irrigation improving on them
when he could find no better substitu-
tion. The first lesson he learned was
the value of water free from silt and
the necessity of controlling the floods
of the Euphrates.

Already Submitted.
A project has already been submit-
ted to the Government for turning
away the excess waters of the Euphra-
tes down the depression of the ancient
Pison, the first of the four rivers of
Genesis. The work would cost \$1,
750,000 and take three years. The cul-
tivated area would be doubled and the
yield of wheat trebled along the Euphra-
te. If Noah, said Sir William, had
been a hydraulic engineer he would
have constructed the Pison river es-
cape instead of an ark and saved not
only his family but his country as well.

The surveys and levels are now in
hand for a project for the great cen-
tral canal of the delta, which would
irrigate 3,000,000 acres of the best
land in Mesopotamia and carry water
free from silt. Later on this canal
would irrigate 1,000,000 acres, near
Tyre and Sidon. The total length of
the railway from Damascus to Bagdad
would be 550 miles and it would be
constructed for \$11,000,000.

**SURE ENOUGH RAMESES
COMING TO BOSTON**
**Mummy of One of the Kings
Of Egypt Bound For Hub on
Steamer Aragonia --- Great
Care Being Taken.**

Boston, Nov. 29.—On board the
steamship Aragonia, which is charg-
ing tea and hemp at Charlottetown,
is an Egyptian mummy, said to
be more than 3,000 years old. With
admonitions to handle with care,
which are printed on the outside of
the value is stated to be \$30,000.
It is said to be the mummy of one
of the Ramezes, one of the thirteen
Kings who reigned during the nine-
teenth and twentieth dynasties.
The second officer of the Aragonia,
who has charge of the cargo, said:
"I do not know what number he got."
To New York.

The mummy is consigned to the
custody of the Hamburg-American
Line in New York. To other com-
panies mentioned. The mummy came
from the interior of Egypt, and
was taken on board at Suze. Great care
was exercised in handling it, for it
was said that a hard jolt would reduce
the body to dust.

To make sure that the package
would not be thrown around carelessly
it was made so heavy that this could
not be done. The mummy probably
does not weigh more than 125 pounds,
but it is packed in a lead casket, en-
closed in an iron box, and this in turn
is packed in a strong wooden case,
the whole thing weighing more than
1,000 pounds.

"So, you see," said the supercargo,
"it is not going to be tossed or kicked
around by those who have to handle
it. If I wanted to move it I should
have to assign about twenty men to
the job."
While the ship had an unusually
rough passage, I guess the mummy
has come through it all right, for it
is so heavy that it is pretty sure to stay
where it is put.

The value indicated on the case is
probably exaggerated so as to insure
its careful handling. The insurance
on the package is said to be \$10,000.
The mummy is said to be the mummy
of Ramezes at the Ghizeh Museum,
having been among those found in 1881
near Der el Bahri.

Wreck in West.
Saskatoon, Sask., Nov. 29.—The
wreck work in the history of the
Prince Albert road occurred yester-
day morning when a Canadian Northern
Railway freight train jumped the
track at a point midway between Hen-
ley and Dundas, and twelve cars pil-
led up on top of the locomotive, which
was turned broadside on the tracks.
The fireman was buried under the
wreckage and killed, but all the other
members of the crew escaped, with
the exception of the brakeman who
was slightly injured in jumping.

**HOUSE OF LORDS
IS SOBERING
GREAT BRITAIN**

**Debate on Budget Stately and
Statesmanlike--Bill Will Sure-
ly Be Thrown Out and Cam-
paign is Already Red Hot.**

**POPULAR FEELING
RUNNING HIGH**

London, Nov. 29.—Political oratory
rose to a higher plane last week than
has been reached in this country since
the height of the Home Rule crisis.
The speeches in the House of Lords
have been both stately and states-
manlike. The gravity and far reach-
ing complexity of the situation have
brought the traditional forensic talent
of British political leaders, which
many had begun to think had perish-
ed with Lord Beaconsfield, John
Bright, William Gladstone and Lord
Salisbury.

The entire absence of passion in the
debate in the Lords and the dominant
note of seriousness have been in sharp
contrast to the angry and abusive
conduct of many public speakers, even
in the Commons of late, and perhaps
the best effect of the Lords' discussion
of the budget this week has been to
sober the country.

Popular feeling had run so high that
at first the announcement by Lord
Rosebery, Lord Cromer and Lord Bal-
four of Burleigh that the attitude
would be neutral aroused sentiment
on both sides. All three of these
peers denounced the budget in un-
equivocal terms, but they said that if
they thought it would be unwise tac-
tics on the part of the Lords to inter-
pose at this particular moment.

This attitude annoys chiefly because
it is not only any longer remains
remains that Lord Lansdowne's
amendment refusing to approve the
budget until it has been submitted
to the people will pass on Tuesday
by an overwhelming majority.

A Prolonged Campaign.
The national campaign is already in
full swing, a condition which in itself
is an unusual feature in this country,
where Governments usually go to the
polls on a fortnight's notice. But this
time the canvass will last for
probably take place in the third week
of January.

It is not yet known whether Parlia-
ment will be prorogued this week or
merely adjourned until just previous
to its dissolution. There is an im-
portant difference because resolu-
tions whereby taxes have been collect-
ed under the pending budget since
April will expire if Parliament is pro-
rogued, but it will remain effective
if it is only adjourned.

Members of the Cabinet have threat-
ened to produce financial chaos to
punish the Lords for their inter-
ference. The country knows that this
is entirely unnecessary, and if the
Government is foolish enough to re-
sort to such tactics they will be the
worst sufferers.

Geddis, writing from his
seat of splendid isolation to the Spee-
der, makes this vital comment on
the situation:
"The great impression made on the
mind of a political neutral by the turn
which this party conflict over the bud-
get has taken and which seems to be
leading you to a political deadlock, is
that the party system of government
is a system of government in the
true sense of the term it ever was—
has had its day. You have five dis-
tinct combinations—Liberals, Radicals,
Liberals, Socialists and Home Rulers—
formally united on the Government
side, but each of them playing its
own game."

"Under a rational system of govern-
ment finance simply would be a dis-
cussible subject to be dealt with on its
own grounds. In this case it forms the
basis for an attack on a hated class
and this appears clearly enough in the
speeches of David Lloyd-George, the
Chancellor of the Exchequer, Party
system in England was started up by
the struggle for the crown between
the Hanoverians and the Stuarts, with
the respective political creeds. It has
no rational foundation and is leading to
confusion which is not unlikely to end
in disaster."

"It is not to be supposed that you
can at once spring into a new system
but surely it is time that statesmen,
if they can release themselves from
party trammels, should lay their
heads together for calm consideration
of the subject, Lord Rosebery's posi-
tion is a most admirable one, and
the true line of action if he could
only get other statesmen with open
minds to think and act with him."

**WANTS TO TEACH RICH
HOW TO ENJOY LIFE**

**Well To Do Englishman Asks
That Some One Give Him
\$5,000,000 to Prove Cor-
rectness of Theory.**

London, Nov. 29.—A long advertise-
ment headed "To Millionaires Only"
appeared in the Times the other day
in which an anonymous advertiser, re-
marking that millionaires were fre-
quently quoted as complaining that
their wealth did not bring happiness
to them and was burdensome, invited
some dissatisfied millionaire to hand
over to him about 1,000,000 pounds
sterling (\$5,000,000) in order that he
might prove the fallacy of the com-
plaint.

He wants two years to prove his
case. He will undertake to keep a
minute diary of his expenditure and
submit it to a committee of business
men who are to judge of the success,
or otherwise of the experiment. He
admits that it is against human nature
to expect a genuine reply, but there's
the offer.

That the advertisement is neither a
joke nor a freak of insanity seems to

**THE GHOST OF
LOMBROSO AND
STEAD'S JULIA**

**English Journalist Famous Med-
ium in Communion with Dead
Criminologist--Italian Has no
Faith in Stead.**

**THINKS HE IS
MENTALLY OFF**

London, Nov. 29.—"Julia's Bureau,"
the spiritualistic medium used by W.
T. Stead to get into communication
with the astral spirits of the depart-
ed, has brought upon itself an av-
alanche of ridicule by professing to have
had an interview with W. E. Glad-
stone, and putting into the mouth of
the dead statesman opinions on cur-
rent politics which were evidently in-
tended as arguments to impress the
unsuperstitious.

The interview, the gist of which was
cabled at the time, appeared in the
Daily Chronicle, which government
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unsuperstitious.

An English Convict.
Mr. Stead first of all took away the
correspondent's breath by appearing
in the full garb of an English convict.
He explained that he was wearing the
stripes and arrows because it was the
anniversary of his committal to pris-
on a quarter of a century ago in de-
fence of social purity.

Mr. King, the medium, impressed
the Italian visitor very unfavorably.
He said at the outset that there was
an astral tempest prevailing which
would make communication difficult.
Then Julia announced that she was
not yet able to buttonhole Lombroso
because he was at that moment con-
versing with Milan. Shortly after-
ward Lombroso turned up, ejaculating
"Will you be so good as to say
how you have got on?"

But when Mr. Stead reminded the il-
lustrous criminologist that he had
himself fixed the appointment with
the Italian Journalist, Lombroso be-
came calmer and said, "Well, I am
taken up with important questions, but I
will give you a few minutes."

Lombroso Provoked.
Signor Emmanuele began in the Ital-
ian language, asking Lombroso as a
guarantee of identity his mention his
favorite little nephew's Christian
name. "Don't bother me with person-
al questions," retorted Lombroso,
newly irritated at the very urgent ques-
tion. "Now quick."

The next question was "Have you
left a volume of studies in crime
among your unedited papers?" Where-
to Lombroso or King returned the
non-sensical answer, "I am still inter-
ested in that subject and shall still
work at it, but not at present. It is a
project dear to my heart, but it is
necessary to wait."

The third question was "What was
the last book you wrote upon a crim-
inal trial?" Signor Emmanuele of
course had in mind the famous Olive-
case, but the reply was "I leave to say
this moment, but later on light will
come—not now, I'm off," before Mr.
Stead could get a word in edgewise.

Julia then came to apologize for
Lombroso's abrupt retreat explaining
that he was due to a very important
reunion evoked in the astral spheres
that day, which appears to have been
a belated mass meeting of protest by
spooks against the execution of Fer-
raris.

During the course of the interview
Lombroso requested that a telegram
of greeting be immediately despatched
to his family in the hurry he
appears to have forgotten that he re-
sides in Turin, for he gave the ad-
dress as Milan.

In another article the Corriere della
Sera notes that Lombroso, with an
Italian interpreter at his elbow, recit-
ed only three introductory words in
Italian, "Mio caro amico." This he
lapsed into English, a language he
never knew.

He was devoted to getting money,
and who describes him as a perfectly ra-
tional man anxious to teach the world
in all seriousness the lessons he
holds a good position in a Govern-
ment department at a fixed salary.

He says he has known a number of
millionaires, English and American,
but found almost without exception
that they get no pleasure from their
wealth and that they were seldom able
to spend it advantageously, because
they had no practice. Their whole life
had been devoted to getting money,
and they kept getting it as a sheer
habit until its possession became bur-
densome.

This inopportune wealth seeker, how-
ever, has a scheme to utilize the in-
come from a million in a manner
which he believes worthy. He does
not believe much in philanthropy. The
scheme is not charitable, nor on the
other hand purely self-regarding, but
is one which will do good all around
and give the spender interest and oc-
cupation in life.

In view of the number of people
whom he had met who are capable of
old actions he does not despair of
getting his million.

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care is taken while they are young.
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secure Standard Certificate from the Ticket Agent. Have certificate
filled in at the sale and signed by Secretary, present it to Ticket Agent
at St. John Station and it will be exchanged for a ticket to original
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trains.

The sale will be held under cover and seating accommodation
giving unobstructed view of sales ring provided. Settlement must be
made before leaving sales building or animal will be resold.
**W. W. Hubbard, Wm. Meharey,
For Dept. of Agriculture, Importer,
F. L. Potts,
Auctioneer.**

Report on Grievances.
Moncton, N. B., Nov. 29.—Messrs. C.
W. Meakney and John Delahant, I. C.
lawyer, returned this morning
from Quebec and Ottawa, where they
have been meeting with the commis-
sion in regard to several grievances of
employees. A report will likely be sub-
mitted to the I. C. R. board of man-
agement within ten days' time. At Ot-
tawa the Moncton men and commis-
sion met Mr. M. J. Butler, deputy sub-
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Elder Dempster Line, S.S. "SOKOTO", Will sail from St. John on the 10th December for Havana.

J. H. SCAMMELL & CO., Agents, Will carry goods for Mexican Ports Vancouver and Victoria, on through Bills of Lading.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKETS, Range of Prices, By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

THE COTTON MARKET, New York, N. Y., Nov. 29. Cotton—Spot closed quiet, 20 points lower.

MONTREAL STOCK MARKET

Table of Montreal Stock Market prices including Asbestos Pfd., Canadian Pacific Railway Rites, Crown Reserve, etc.

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NEW YORK STOCK MARKET, YES-TERDAY'S TRADING ON WALL ST.

Table of New York Stock Market prices including Amalgamated Copper, American Beet Sugar, American Car and Foundry, etc.

AMERICAN PRODUCE MARKET STILL WEAK IN REACTION

New York, N. Y., Nov. 29.—A struggle against the forces of reaction was perceptible in the stock market today, which was aided by the demoralization of the market.

MONTREAL COBALT AND CURD STOCKS

Table of Montreal Cobalt and Curd Stocks including Asbestos Bonds, Black Lake Asbestos, etc.

MONEY ON CALL AT 4 1/2 PER CENT

Table of Money on Call at 4 1/2 Per Cent including New York, N. Y., Nov. 29. Close—Prime mercantile paper, 5 to 6 1/2 per cent.

NOVA SCOTIA STEEL AND CO. 6 PER CENT DEBENTURE STOCK

INTEREST PAYABLE JANUARY 1ST AND JULY 1ST. Shares \$100 each. As this company's operations are varied...

MARKETS

Montreal, Nov. 29.—Business continues fair in all grades of flour with a steady demand and a firm undertone to the market.

CLOSING STOCK LETTER

By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. New York, Nov. 29.—After showing considerable irregularity of movement in the first few minutes of trading...

NEWS SUMMARY

Americans in London rather heavy. One small failure on London Stock Exchange.

THE MERCANTILE MARINE

DAILY ALMANAC. Sun rises today... 4.48 a.m. Sun sets today... 4.35 p.m.

Vessels Bound to St. John. Steamer, Perdon de Larinaaga, Port Natal, sld. Nov. 27.

Boothbay, Me., Nov. 29.—Arrived—Schr. T. (Br) from St. John, N.B. Vineyard Haven, Mass., Nov. 29.—Arrived—Schr. Wilfred F. (Br) by Mr. Bridgewater, N.S. sld. Nov. 29.

Victoria, Liverpool, Nov. 26. Hesperian, Liverpool, Dec. 15. Tunisian, Liverpool, Dec. 10.

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SPORTS

BOWLING, BASEBALL THE RING, FOOTBALL

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Big Fight He Is Willing to Put Up With... Johnson says the place of the big fight between himself and Langford will be settled tomorrow.



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THE BESTEST CHICKEN AN' EVEN DO SEE

I LOVE ROAST BEEF BUT ON YOU PULLET

OHI YOU CHICKEN.

No Reason to Haggle. If Johnson and Langford really want to settle their differences, however, there is no reason to haggle over the side wager.

All Legitimate. All of the California offers will be legitimate and will therefore command due consideration.

Jeffries and Johnson will fight for a record breaking money prize. It is also a sure thing that several millions of dollars will change hands on result.

MANY RUMORS ABROAD CONCERNING PHILLIES. Philadelphia, Nov. 27.—Following the transfer yesterday of the franchise of the Philadelphia National Baseball Club to the new owners,

OLD GLORY SALE ENDS IN NEW YORK

New York, Nov. 29.—The Old Glory sale in Madison Square Garden came to a close Saturday and slow as Friday was the buying yesterday.

The trotter Dick Williams with a trial to his credit of 2,114, was bought for \$480 by A. S. Rowland, of Riverhead, N. Y.

Another project under consideration is fathered by Arthur Irwin of Philadelphia, who is negotiating to have two teams go to the Quaker city and show how the Canadian game surpassed that played under American College rules.

Tigers Enthusiastic. Hamilton, Ont., Nov. 29.—The Tigers and their supporters are quite enthusiastic over the proposal to have Hamilton meet varsity in Philadelphia.

HARRIERS Y.M.C.A. CLUB ORGANIZED

For the purpose of promoting amateur sports, cross country runs, competition in games, and competitive athletics, the Y. M. C. A. Harrier Club was organized last evening in the Assembly building.

The executive will consist of the president, vice-presidents, manager, secretary-treasurer and captain.

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AUSTRALIA WINS AGAIN IN TENNIS

Sydney, N. S. W., Nov. 29.—The Australian defenders of the Dwight Davis Cup, defeated the Americans in straight sets in the double sets of the tournament today.

The weather was bright and warm and the court fast. The attendance was excellent.

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TIMES WALLOP THE STANDARD AGGREGATION

Canterbury Street Outfit Win In Good Game At Victoria Alleys—Knights Lose To St. Josephs.

The Times' bowlers climbed gloriously in yesterday's game in the newspaper league series and as a result took three points to The Standard's one.

Table with columns for Standard, O'Connor, Merkel, Hazen, O'Leary, Times, Taylor, Dever, Belding, McCafferty, Margin for Times, ST. JOSEPH'S WON.

In St. Peter's alleys last evening St. Joseph's defeated the Knights of Columbus bowling team.

Table with columns for St. Joseph's, Phinny, Brit, Gale, Sweeney, Ward, K. of C., Murphy, O'Neil, Conaghan, Lynch, Culbura.

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VANCOUVER COP AFTER SHERIDAN

Vancouver, Nov. 29.—Jack Gillis, the Vancouver policeman who won the Canadian athletic championship, is said to desire a meeting with Martin Sheridan, the American champion next year.

Gillis does not look the ideal all-around champion. He stands 6 feet 4 inches in his stockings, but weighs only 165 pounds when in the best of condition.

It is claimed for Gillis that, though he holds three Canadian records, besides the all-around championship, he has never been properly trained.

It is planned to send Gillis and his brother Duncan on a tour of eastern Canada and the United States next spring.

Delaware Breakwater. Del. Nov. 29.—Arrived from Boston, Canada, Philadelphia for St. John, N. F.

THE HOLMER SELLIN RACE IS NOW OFF

The Holmer-Sellen fifteen mile race which as originally arranged was to take place tonight in Victoria Bink has been deferred for two weeks.

Tom Flanagan, writing from Toronto states that Tom Longboat plans to accompany Sellen to St. John.

Foreign Ports. City Island, N. Y., Nov. 29.—Bound south, str Floride, St. Johns, N. F. and Halifax.

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THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Strong winds and gales northeast to north, gradually decreasing, clearing and cool.

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 28.—A disturbance which was far to the southeast of Bermuda on Saturday has since moved northward and is centered tonight to the southwest of Sable Island, causing heavy gales on the north Atlantic coast.

Minimum and Maximum Temperatures: Winnipeg—14, 46. Port Arthur—16, 40. Farry Sound—23, 38.

New England Forecast. Washington, D. C., Nov. 29.—Forecast for New England: Fair Tuesday; Wednesday, fair, warmer in west portion; moderate north to east winds.

AROUND THE CITY

Working Boys Basketball League. In Alexandra Hall last evening in the Working Boys' League, the Athletics defeated the Royals in a spirited basketball game by a score of 9 to 7.

Inquest Unlikely. An inquest into the death of Frank Polley, who was killed in the Mispick pulp mill on Thursday is now unlikely.

Working Without Licenses. Sergeant Jacob Ross and Officer Wm. K. Lee report the following persons not being ratifiers, for working in the city for the Allan Line Steamship Company, without licenses:

Mills Closing Down. Mr. Charles Miller's mill at Pokok closed down on Saturday for the season.

Sixth Anniversary of St. Mary's Band. The members of St. Mary's Band celebrated their sixth anniversary by a reunion and social in St. Mary's schoolroom on Waterloo street last evening.

Bowling Items. Mr. H. C. Olive won the weekly roll-off on Black's Alleys last evening with a score of 116.

Wanted Her Son Taken Care Of. Mrs. Mary Burke, a white woman, visited the office of Mr. E. M. Wetmore, secretary of the Alms House Commissioners, yesterday afternoon, and asked to have her little boy, who is colored, taken care of.

Coat Stealing Case. The case against Arthur P. Galbraith and Wm. Golding was heard before Police Magistrate Ritchie yesterday afternoon.

Carleton Cornet Band Fair. Another good sized crowd attended the Carleton Cornet Band fair last evening.

Granted Leave of Absence. Rev. M. E. Fletcher of Charlotte street Baptist church, West end, has been granted a leave of absence, by his congregation until he has fully recovered from his illness.

DIGGS IN DEPOSITION SAYS WOMAN ASKED HIM OUT TO FIGHT

Statement Taken At Hospital Yesterday Afternoon—Mary Rumbley, His Assailant, Has Plea Of Self Defence.

In the presence of the woman who stabbed him and under the supposition that he would die, Joseph Diggs yesterday afternoon made a deposition setting forth the facts of the conflict at Willow grove on Sunday in which he was grievously wounded.

The Deposition. Diggs in his deposition stated that he went to Willow grove on Saturday and on Sunday morning the woman came to Thompson's house where he was staying.

The Woman's Story. The Rumbley woman tells a far different story. She says that Diggs called her insulting names and on her replying, caught her by the hair and striking her, forced her to the floor.

Application To Be Made For License For Sparring Bout. Local Syndicate Willing To Give Percentage Of Receipts To Charity If Mayor Grants Request.

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CONFIDENT THAT MR. W. MUST WIN SYDNEY STRIKE

W. D. Haywood Returned Yesterday After Lecturing Tour—Charges Moffatt Is Playing Into Hands Of Steel Co.

After a three weeks' tour through Nova Scotia and Cape Breton mining towns, Mr. W. D. Haywood, of Denver, the well known Socialist and labor leader, returned to the city yesterday and tomorrow evening will deliver his last lecture.

Mr. Haywood when asked by a Standard reporter what he thought of the Maritime Province what he had seen, said, "You have a fine country but it is nothing like ours in the west."

Mr. Haywood also claimed that politics had entered into the attitude of the P. W. A. President Moffatt, he alleged, held a block of stock in the Dominion Coal Company and was only playing the game of the company.

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