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GOVERNMENT TO REMODEL DEPARTMENTS

New Ministers at Ottawa will Put the House in Order.

SYSTEM IN SERVICE IS VERY LAX NOW.

Commission May be Appointed to Reorganize Whole Administrative Machinery—Some Changes Would Benefit.

Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, Oct. 13.—An early result of the change of government will be an extensive remodelling of the administrative services. The former government has left the service in a curious and chaotic condition, instances of duplication being numerous and much waste of effort and expense being incurred. It is probable that the work will be undertaken systematically, a small commission being appointed to examine the situation and draw up a coherent plan for the grouping of the various services.

While no names as yet are mentioned in an authoritative manner, the suggestion is heard that J. M. Courtney, former deputy minister of finance and chairman of the Courtney commission through his experience and ability would make an admirable member, so would Jos. Pope, who has had great administrative experience. If a member of the government were assigned to consider the question the name of Jos. Pope would be mentioned to be in a position to favor any one department over another.

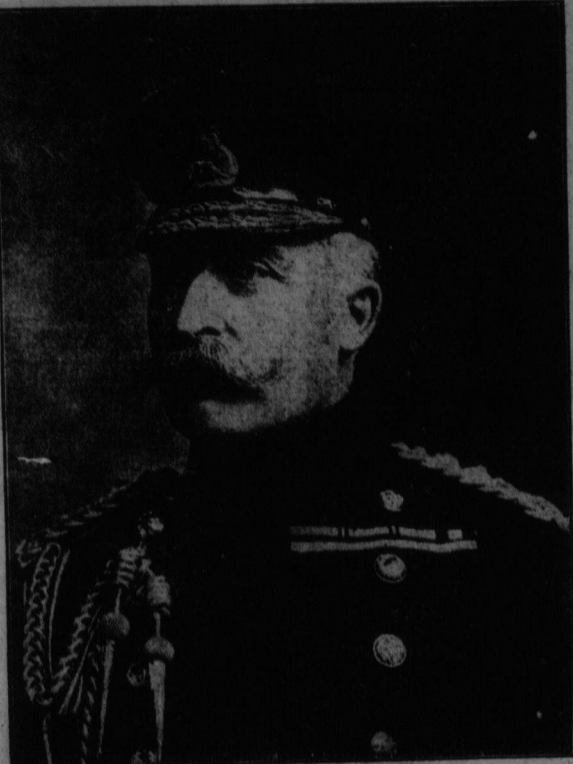
Among the changes in prospect one which is almost certain is the transfer of the department of external affairs to the prime minister. The treatment of this department by the former government was indicative of unbusinesslike. It first created it as a separate department, it then, possibly because the deputy minister had entered office in "conservative" days, crowded it aside and the reciprocity agreement, surely a case of external affairs, was considered without reference to the recently formed department. It was as if the chancellor of the exchequer in Great Britain were to conclude a trade treaty over the head of the foreign office. Henceforth the prime minister will have at his hand the material for forming correct views as to the external policy of Canada.

Another pressing reform is the cutting away from the department of agriculture of the extraneous services such as the census statistics, patents, trade marks, copyright, public health and archives. Census and statistics may be attached to labor.

Yet another subject for reform is the making of maps. At present the cartographic work is done by the militia, the interior, the geological survey, the marine and fisheries and even the post office departments. The creation of one map-making bureau has long been agitated, but came to nothing under the lethargic administration of the Laurier cabinet.

MR. BOSWORTH DENIES REPORT ABOUT BOSTON

MR BOSWORTH denies a report that he had been appointed to the position of vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway. He said that he had no knowledge whatsoever of any such service. He was asked "Has this any bearing on an Antwerp-Boston line?" He said: "I am officially that I have never heard of it."



HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE DUKE OF CONNAUGHT.

BOTH BIG TEAMS IN GREAT SHAPE FOR THE GAME TODAY

"The Night Before the Battle" Found New York Giants and Philadelphia Athletics Ready for Greatest Baseball Duel of Year—Crowd Expected to Break Records.

WAITING ALL NIGHT FOR SEATS.

New York, Oct. 13.—With the stage set and the curtain about to be raised on the final act of a season of memorable baseball, the night before the series for the world's championship between the Philadelphia Athletics and the New York Giants, may be epitomized as follows: Both teams are in New York ready for the first game. All of the forty-four eligible players are reported to be in fine fettle, with one exception. The exception is first baseman Melanin of the Philadelphia Club, whose injured wrist is likely to keep him out of the game.

Pitchers were not chosen tonight, or if they were, neither manager would tell his choice.

Tickets to the series, though still to be had, are mainly in the hands of speculators who are charging exorbitant prices.

The disclosure that the speculators had obtained great blocks of the tickets precipitated a tremendous row among the fans.

Vague charges were made of mail robbery in connection with the ticket scandal. All is ready at the Polo grounds for a crowd of nearly 60,000 persons, the largest that ever saw a baseball game.

So determined were some that they formed in line at the grounds late this afternoon intending to eat and sleep at the gate until admitted tomorrow.

SUNBURY-QUEENS RECOUNT TO BEGIN ON THURSDAY

Special to The Standard.
Fredericton, Oct. 13.—The recounting of the ballots in the Sunbury-Queens election was today postponed until next Thursday at the request of Col. McLean's legal representatives and will then take place here for the convenience of all parties.

Dr. Pugsley appeared as counsel for Col. McLean, on this occasion performing his first legal work since his removal from his position as a minister of the crown by the votes of the people on the 21st. The other lawyers appearing for Col. McLean were W. B. Wallace and L. A. Curry, of St. John. The Colonel himself was also present, and the extensive array of legal talent gives an idea of the Colonel's uneasiness over the safety of his seat.

J. B. M. Baxter, K. C., of St. John, and J. W. McCready, of Fredericton, appeared for Luther B. Smith, the Conservative candidate, who was also present personally.

Judge Wilson, the county court judge, presided, and the recount will commence at his chambers here next Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

MISS CAMPBELL LOST IN GOLF SEMI-FINALS.

Short Hills, Oct. 13.—Miss Margaret Curtis, of Boston, defeated Miss Dorothy Campbell, the British, Canadian and United States champion today, in the semi-final round of the women's national golf championship. Miss Lilian B. Hyde, of Bay Shore, beat Miss Eleanor W. Allen, of Boston and will meet Miss Curtis for the trophy.

CONNAUGHT GETS GREAT RECEPTION

New Governor General and His Duchess at Quebec.

DULY INSTALLED INTO HIS OFFICE.

In His First Speech His Royal Highness Captivates All by Tactful References to Canadian Traditions.

Quebec, Oct. 13.—The Duke and Duchess of Connaught, who are to preside over Rideau Hall at Ottawa as representatives of King George for the next few years, arrived at Quebec last evening and landed this morning.

They were accorded just such a reception as was might be expected, from loyal Canadians to members of the royal household. The streets were gaily decorated for the occasion and everywhere was manifested the liveliest interest in the reception to the new Governor General.

His Excellency was received by the Deputy Governor General, the members of the Dominion cabinet, the inspector general of militia, the director of naval service, the Lieutenant-Governor of the province of Quebec, the Prime Minister of the province and the members of the provincial cabinet. As he stepped from the boat the band broke into the National Anthem and shouts were given by the thousands who had assembled to do honor to the representative of Great Britain's ruler. A salute of 21 guns was given.

His Royal Highness was escorted to the carriages which were to convey him and his party to the Parliament building. The actual ceremonies of installation took place in the legislative council room and were impressive.

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REVOLUTION IN CHINA WAS WELL PLANNED

Revolutionists are Splendidly Organized and Well Supplied With Money—Serious Rioting Reported at Hankow.

FOREIGNERS SAFE.

Peking, Oct. 13.—Eight train loads of troops started today from Pao-Ting, province of Chi-li, for the effect of Peking.

The revolutionists have informed the consuls at Hankow that they will respect all treaties and loans and in demities contracted by the Chinese government. A well informed revolutionary sympathizer told The Canadian Press today that the rebels probably would leave the capture of Peking and Shanghai to the last because of the danger of foreign complications. He said the utmost confidence seems to prevail among the rebels. It is stated that they have been two years perfecting their organization and now have members in all the government offices.

The national assembly showed revolutionary tendency last winter and the re-arming of that body in a fortnight is regarded with anxiety. The provincial assemblies almost without exception are anti-government.

All the available railway cars carrying to the South troops who will be used first to guard the line and thereafter in an attempt to recapture the towns taken by the revolutionists. It is reported that the rebels today allowed the weekly express to leave Hankow crowded with refugees. It is believed the rebels found over a million dollars in Mexican money when they raided the treasury at Hankow and also obtained half a million dollars in the same coin from the Hankow merchants.

Rioting at Hankow.
Hankow, Oct. 13.—The rebels have been unable to maintain order and business has been completely suspended here and at Han-Yang and Wu-Chang. The working classes are without employment and are attempting to plunder. Fully half a million persons have fled to the countryside.

It is reliably reported that rebels are proceeding northward to meet the imperial troops and that a thousand troops in the province of Honan, adjoining the disaffected province of Hu-Pei on the north also are prepared to resist the imperials.

Foreigners Are Safe.
London, Oct. 13.—The British minister in Peking reports today that there is in the hands of the revolutionists and that the foreigners are safe.



HER ROYAL HIGHNESS THE DUCHESS OF CONNAUGHT.

NEW YORK WOMAN MAY SOMEDAY BE QUEEN OF PORTUGAL

Just a Bare Chance that American Wife of Prince Miguel of Braganza May Rule at Lisbon—If Royalists Succeed King Manuel and His Rival Will Run Election for Throne.

'SHARP FIGHTING IN PORTUGAL REVOLUTION.'

Lisbon, Oct. 13.—It is known that secret arrangements exist between ex-King Manuel and the pretender to the throne, Dom Miguel, of Braganza, whereby if the monarchists are victorious general elections shall be held throughout Portugal to decide whether Manuel or Dom Miguel shall be king. In case Manuel is chosen the decree banishing Dom Miguel and family will be revoked and his entire family will return to Portugal as royal prince and receive an aggregate of \$100,000 annually.

Manuel in case of the death of Manuel it has been agreed that his uncle, the Duke of Oporto being childless, the eldest son of Dom Miguel, Prince Miguel of Braganza, who married Anita Stewart, of New York, shall succeed to the throne. A further provision of the agreement is that if Dom Miguel is elected king a heavy indemnity shall be paid to Manuel.

According to the latest advice, however, neither party to the agreement apparently has much chance of success, as the republican form of government seems firmly implanted in Portugal.

Lisbon, Oct. 13.—It is reported here that a part of the royalist command led by Serpa da Costa, and retreated across the border into Spain, where they were reinforced and again re-entered Portuguese territory in the vicinity of Setúbal about 12 miles from Chaves. The reinforced column aggregates 2,500 men. A newspaper here says royalists are armed with Krupp, Mauser and Remington rifles and that there are about 4,000 of them along the Spanish-Portuguese frontier.

SUICIDE IN P. E. ISLAND

John A. McDonald, a Georgetown Fisherman, Hanged Himself in Old Boat House Temporarily Insane.

EXPECT TO GET MONEY MONDAY TO PAY WAGES

Special to The Standard.
Ottawa, Oct. 13.—The government probably will get the Governor General's warrants signed on Monday and will, on Tuesday, be able to pay the salaries which have been held up. Among the services which have suffered is the Grain Inspection branch of the Trade and Commerce department. The money will be telegraphed west the moment the authorization is obtained. The government telegraph service is in the same position, and the outside service of the Department of Agriculture is short of salaries to the extent of \$400,000.

MAJORITY FOR VOTES FOR WOMEN INCREASES

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 13.—After tasting all the bitterness of defeat, supporters of woman suffrage awoke today with the realization that victory was theirs.

Only one local paper predicted success for the suffrage amendment on Wednesday morning; estimates of the others ran from 500 to 20,000 majority against it. This morning all conceded that the 2000 majority shown for the suffrage could not be wiped

POWER OF LAYMEN IN THE CHURCH

Chief Topic of Ecumenical Conference at Yesterday's Sessions.

GREETINGS FROM DUKE OF CONNAUGHT.

Conference Finds Proof that World is Better in Increasing Cleanliness of the Press—An Interesting Day.

Toronto, Oct. 13.—A telegram of greeting from the Duke of Connaught surprised and gratified the delegates attending today's sessions of the Ecumenical Methodist conference in this city. "On landing in Canada," said the message sent shortly after the Duke's arrival at Quebec this morning and just before his installation as governor-general of the Dominion, "I wish to send the Ecumenical Methodist conference warmest greetings and I hope you have had successful meetings."

Following the reading of the message the delegates rose and sang the National Anthem and a suitable communication of acknowledgement and greeting was sent.

The power of the laymen in the church and in the social service and the world-wide helpful results to be derived from further extension of the so-called laymen's movement, were subjects of attention at today's meetings of the conference.

"Laymen are not merely conveniences to be drained of cash," said Norman T. Sargeant, London, Eng., a Wesleyan Methodist class teacher and circuit steward. "The layman moreover has a duty beyond the giving of funds. The expanding mind and personality is an essential. The layman is called to spiritual fellowship and service. He can enter the work with optimism. The so-called 'old times' are a gigantic fraud. There never was a time when the world was better than today. A good time exists in the present. Never was the press so clean and so keen and so great a moral force as today. Laymen must be prepared for the moral and religious temperature of the church in which the Gospel is preached."

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A SETTLEMENT EXPECTED IN WESTERN MINE STRIKE

Union Officials and Representatives of Operators Association in Conference Looking to a Probable Agreement.

Lethbridge, Alta., Oct. 13.—In response to a message sent him by miners' officials acting under instructions from convention, which was in session here this week, Lewis Stockert, president of the Western Canada Coal Operators' Association, came down from Homer to Lethbridge this morning, and at eleven o'clock he and Vice-President P. L. Naismith went into conference with the miners' executive, President Powell and Secretary Carter being the official representatives of the union.

Both parties have pledged themselves to make nothing public until negotiations are concluded. It is known, however, that the miners have agreed to accept a wage scale provided in Gordon award, but are arguing over recognition of checkoff and length of term of agreement. The operators do not want to recognize the checkoff, and want two-year term, while men want checkoff and five-year agreement. Officials on both sides have authority from their respective bodies to conclude agreement, and it is expected that in a very few days seven thousand men who have been idle for over six months will be back to work.

VOLCANO CAUSES A REMARKABLE CHANGE IN ALASKAN ISLAND

Seward, Alaska, Oct. 13.—There have been three distinct eruptions of Bogoslof, the celebrated Alaskan volcano, this season. Deputy United States Marshall Hastings, of Unalaska, who arrived here today, passed Bogoslof on Sept. 16. He reported that on that date Bogoslof Island had completely changed its physical appearance. There had been no longer a boiling lake in the centre, its place was a bay of cold water, the side of the island having been blown off.

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No store in the city sells quality goods for less than we offer them to you. Therefore you must pay the same for what you need anywhere else—but here you get premiums which make your dollar buy \$1.20 worth—and you get the same value in

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CLOTHING,
FURNITURE.

It is simply our way of advertising Asepto products. You don't have to wait for your premium—you select it from our immense stock of new goods and take it home with you. It is time you realized that there is a new merchandizing idea in St. John. You cannot realize how new and how good it is for you until you visit the

Asepto Premium Store,
Mill and Union Streets, St. John, N. B.

**CHARTER COMMITTEE
WILL MEET ON MONDAY**

Charter Embodying Commission Plan of Government Not Yet Ready, but Reports Indicate Some Progress.

A meeting of the committee appointed by the Citizens Association to draw up a charter for the city, embodying the commission plan of government, will be held in the board of trade rooms Monday afternoon. During the summer a dozen meetings of a sub-committee of the charter committee have been held, but as the meetings have been private, it is not generally known what progress has been made. It is the intention to have the charter committee meet more or less regularly after Monday, deal definitely with the difficulties which appear to have arisen, and continue the work on the charter until it is ready for submission to the legislature.

While the Citizens Association has not shown any undue desire to assist the present council in finding a solution for the problems which are continually arising, it is said it will be maintained as a permanent organization and will be an active part in the elections for commissioners. Members of the association disclaim any intention of running a slate, but they say they will take steps to bring out good men to run for commission ships.

Make your mind up to the fact that you can save money and time by doing all your shopping at the People's Dry Goods Store, 14 Charlotte St.

MARRIED.

WOOD-TRUEMAN—On October 11th, at St. Stephen's Presbyterian Church, by the pastor, Rev. Gordon Dickie, Rev. George Wood of Chatham and Mrs. Alice Trueman, daughter of Mrs. A. I. and the late Judge Trueman.

CRACKNELL-WARD—At St. James Church, Providence, R. I., on October 12, 1911, by the Rev. Wm. M. Chapin, assisted by the Rev. C. W. Foster, the Rev. Thomas George Cracknell of Bethesda Church, Saratoga Springs, N. Y., to Florence, youngest daughter of the late Charles Ward, Esq. of St. John, N. B., Canada.

DIED.

BARTON—In this city, on Oct. 13th, of meningitis, Violet Dorothy, only child of Dr. J. H. and Violet Barton, aged 9 years. Funeral Sunday, the 15th inst., at 2.30 o'clock from 107 St. James St.

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If there is anything in the street rumors current from time to time, there will be a large number of candidates for the commission in the field, and at the first balloting, at any rate, the number of candidates will be so large that the citizens have difficulty in making a choice will not be eliminated. It is generally believed that the charter committee meet more or less regularly after Monday, deal definitely with the difficulties which appear to have arisen, and continue the work on the charter until it is ready for submission to the legislature.

**SAVED HERSELF
YEARS OF PAIN**

IF SHE HAD USED DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS FIRST

Mrs. McRea Suffered for Over Two Years. Then Two Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills Made a New Woman of Her.

Previl, Gaspé Co., Que., Oct. 12.—(Special)—That she might have escaped two years and seven months of suffering had she tried Dodd's Kidney Pills in the first place is the firm conviction of Mrs. John McRea, an old and respected resident of this place. And this is the reason she gives for believing so:

"For two years and seven months I was a sufferer from kidney disease brought on by a strain and a cold. My eyes were puffed and swollen, my muscles cramped and I suffered from neuralgia and rheumatism. My back ached and I had pains in my joints."

"For two years I was under the doctor's care, but he never seemed to do me any lasting good. Two boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills made a new woman of me."

"To save yourself suffering cure your kidneys at the first sign of trouble. Dodd's Kidney Pills are the one sure cure."

**HELD AS A HOSTAGE
BY CUBAN BANDITS**

Santiago, Cuba, Oct. 12.—Jennings S. Cox, Jr., general manager of the Spanish-American Iron Company and Pedro Aguilera, a mining engineer and official of the Spanish-American Iron Company, were held up today by bandits on the road from El Cero to Santiago. The bandits demanded \$2,000 from the men and held Aguilera as a hostage, and released Cox in order that he might obtain the money with which to release Aguilera. Cox proceeded to Santiago and returned with a party of armed men, who overtook the bandits and exchanged shots with them. During this fight Aguilera escaped from the bandits uninjured, a strong detachment of rural guards is now pursuing the outlaws.

New York.—Schrs Galdie, Belle Mahone Bay, N. S. F. H Odiorne, Fredrickson N. B. Virginia, Fort Dufferin, N. S.; Andrew Neibinger, Bangor, Me.; Normandy Rockland Me.; Methebest, Stonington, Me.

**CONNAUGHT GETS
GREAT RECEPTION**

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Their Royal Highnesses occupied seats on the dais in the legislative council chamber. Around a long table immediately below the dais were seated the members of the committee seated in order of precedence. Immediately behind the ministers, and just below the dais on the right side were Lieutenant Governor and Lady Langelle. The supreme court judges occupied similar positions on the left hand side. His Royal Highnesses, accompanied by the Duke and Duchess Col. Lowther, military secretary to His Royal Highness, advanced to the table and read the royal commission appointing the Duke governor general of Canada. Mrs. Borden of this point presented a bouquet to the Duke. The Duke and Duchess Col. Lowther, military secretary to His Royal Highness, advanced to the table and read the royal commission appointing the Duke governor general of Canada. Mrs. Borden of this point presented a bouquet to the Duke. The Duke and Duchess Col. Lowther, military secretary to His Royal Highness, advanced to the table and read the royal commission appointing the Duke governor general of Canada. Mrs. Borden of this point presented a bouquet to the Duke.

An Important Ceremony.
The seal of state to the governor general by the secretary of state, Hon. W. J. Roche, followed, as is customary, by the reading of the royal commission. The Duke and Duchess Col. Lowther, military secretary to His Royal Highness, advanced to the table and read the royal commission appointing the Duke governor general of Canada. Mrs. Borden of this point presented a bouquet to the Duke.

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**THE RECOUNT IN
CARLETON COUNTY**

Judge McLeod Heard Application for Recount and Reserved Decision Until Friday Morning Next.

Argument on the return of the summons granted by Mr. Justice McLeod on the 7th inst., in the matter of the application for a recount in the Carleton county election was heard before his honor in supreme court chambers yesterday morning at 11 o'clock.

Mr. J. P. Jones appeared for Frank B. Carvell, M. P., the successful Liberal candidate, and J. Chipman Hartley, for E. Frank Smith, the unsuccessful Conservative. Mr. Carvell was present at the proceedings.

On Oct. 10th inst., Judge Carleton of the Carleton county court, reversed an order for recount granted by him a few days previously. This is an appeal from that decision.

Mr. Jones, who appeared to show cause, took the point that the judge of the supreme court had no jurisdiction to hear this matter on review, as the appeal under the act anticipated omission on the part of or refusal to do something by the judge of the county court. Judge Carleton had considered the affidavits which were filed by Mr. Smith and held they were bad. Mr. Jones also took the point that the affidavits were loose and defective as they showed that the deponents based their authority on information and belief, counsel claimed this was fatal to the affidavits.

Mr. Hartley in support of the summons, first took up the question of jurisdiction. He argued that the view could be had to his honor, otherwise the sections relating thereto were useless. He further argued that the affidavits were sufficient.

Mr. Jones was heard in reply and his honor took time to consider. He said he would deliver judgment on Friday next at 11 a. m.

CHURCH SERVICES.

85th Anniversary.
The Portland Methodist congregation will celebrate the anniversary of the founding of the church by special services on Sunday, October 15th. Rev. H. D. Marr, B. A., pastor, will preach at both services. Subject 11 a. m., "The Church of the Living God." 7 p. m., "Reward of Service." A choir of about 50 voices will be present at the evening service. On Monday evening a congregational rally will be held in the schoolroom, which has been tastefully decorated for the occasion. A short programme has been prepared and refreshments will be served. A good time is assured to all who attend.

LATE SHIPPING.

Vineyard Haven.—Schrs, Rebecca C. Whidden, Cahin, Me.; Lavonia, New York for St. John N. B.; Nettle Ship Hoboken for St. John N. B.; St. Anthony, Fort Reading for Yarmouth N. S.; Northern Light, New York for Bangor; Stormy Petrel, do. for Ellsworth, Me.

Geo. B. Jones, of Apohaqui was at the Victoria yesterday.

**WHEAT GROWERS HAVE GOOD
REASON FOR THANKSGIVING**

Reports Indicate that World's Wheat Production is Ahead of Past Years—European Output Smaller but Canada, India and Argentine Show Good Increase.

Washington, Oct. 12.—Preliminary official reports to date indicate that the 1911 European wheat crop will go on record as a fairly close third in magnitude to the banner ones of the two preceding years, according to the department of agriculture's "Crop Reporter." The estimates for eight countries of Europe are 3,746,905,000 bushels, as compared with 1,747,597,000 bushels last year, and 1,763,206,000 bushels in 1909. The deficiency in the European crop, due to a decrease in the production in Russia, is coincident with an increase of 55,000,000 bushels in the wheat crop of Canada, and of 11,500,000 bushels in that harvested last spring in British India. In the wheat producing countries of the southern hemisphere, where the planting season is in the flush of spring, says the Reporter, conditions on the whole are described as near ideal.

In Argentina, Chile, Uruguay and Australia, agricultural prospects are in general unusually promising. A report from the Argentine states that for the approaching harvest in Argentina indicates that there will be an increase of 1,503,000 acres sown in wheat as compared with last year, and an increase of 467,000 acres in oats. September precipitation in British India probably has assured the sowing of full areas of wheat and flaxseed.

In British India the condition of the growing cotton is reported as improved, and picking in some districts has begun.

The shortage of last spring's crop in Argentina, officially returned as 2,500,000 bushels in 1910, "is likely to be seriously felt on world markets," says the Reporter. The Argentine exports of corn of 1910 having amounted to 105,000,000 bushels and to 809,000,000 bushels in 1909.

The census enumeration of field crops taken in June shows for the northwest provinces (together with Ontario and the Maritime Provinces, an area of 5,999,021 acres of wheat, 7,661,062 acres of oats, 1,291,287 acres barley 132,058 rye and 1,090,615 flax to which will be added the areas for two districts in Saskatchewan. For the harvest year of 1900 the corresponding figures of the census of 1901 were 5,495,228 acres wheat, 1,881,870 acres of oats, 765,273 acres barley, 156,352 acres rye and 21,202 acres flax.

The increase in the production of the principal grains in the decade computed for the present year on the estimates of correspondents is shown to be in round figures, 148,035,000 wheat bushels, 187,049,000 bushels of oats, 21,711,000 bushels barley, 664,000 bushels rye and 12,360,000 bushels flax. These figures are exclusive of returns for two districts in Saskatchewan.

Canada's Crop Compared.
Ottawa, Oct. 12.—A bulletin of the census and statistics office issued today deals with the field crops of the present year compared with the figures of the year 1910.

For the years 1909, 1910 and 1911, the comparative quality of crops at the end of September was fairly uniform for wheat, oats, barley and rye, but peas, beans, buckwheat, mixed grain and flax were lower this year by 8 to 12 per cent. Fodder crops including roots, and corn, are unchanged for the three years. The condition of potatoes which is 75.75 per cent. as last year, but 13.60 less than two years ago.

The comparative condition of fodder and root crops for the Dominion at the end of September, ranges from 82 to 87 per cent. of alfalfa 78.55 per cent. and of potatoes, 76.78 per cent. In the case of the latter crop, the figures elsewhere. The maritime provinces and the northwest provinces give 90 per cent. and over for potatoes, and nearly as good for other crops.

Power of Women in the Church.
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As viewed by Prof. S. G. Atkins, of the African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church, "The evolution of Christianity has been almost entirely a shifting of the centre of influence from the priesthood to the people. Every movement upward and outward has been a part of the Laymen's movement. The Laymen's movement has discovered the laity in the work of the church, and has enlisted the men in the work of the church, which has been previously done largely by women. The growing habit of prayer among men has had an incalculable effect in promoting the movement. We get a better working man because he prays and a better praying man because he works for the church. Furthermore, the Laymen's movement has resulted in the hearing of the workers in mission fields of far-off lands. And the Laymen's spirit is blowing on one of the greatest forces toward universal peace."

In a paper, "Woman's claims and responsibilities," Mrs. Joseph Johnson, of London, England, wife of Rev. M. Johnson, Superintendent of the Southern Baptist Convention, said the equality of the sexes was a Biblical teaching which she assumed all members of the conference recognized. "A spiritual wind is blowing on the world of woman," said Mrs. Johnson. "In the east it is lifting the curtains of the harem and opening the doors of the zenana, while in the west it is manifesting itself by widespread unrest, rebellion against established customs and the demand for women's suffrage."

The speaker agreed with the writer who said, "The real task of the feminist is to devise an education for her girls so that they shall be capable of earning their living and sharing in the world's work and yet remain true to their wifehood and motherhood."

**BOTH BIG TEAMS
IN GREAT SHAPE**

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The 22 players of Philadelphia, picked as eligibles arrived in New York tonight. The party was headed by Manager Connie Mack accompanied by the wives of a majority of the players, and trailed by the lunchbox man, Louis Vanzetti, and a few Philadelphia enthusiasts. All the men look in the pink of condition but in one exception did look like the truth. The exception was Stuffy McInnes, the Athletics' star first sacker. Will McInnes play? The question was the only thing which arose for discussion as a small party of New York friends met the Philadelphia players when they stepped off the train at the Pennsylvania station shortly after 6 o'clock.

Big Chief Bender answered as he strolled out of the station and tossed his bag into an express wagon. "Stuffy won't play; he can't with such a wrist as he has got." Krause and number his team mates said the same as the party rode up town to their hotel. McInnes himself did not know; but he plainly showed some worry over his wrist which has not responded satisfactorily to treatment since it was injured three weeks ago.

What Connie Mack Says.
Connie Mack was seen in a smiling mood after dinner with his men. "All I can say is that we are here," said he, "and here to do our best."

"Will McInnes play?"
"I can't say tonight. But it is doubtful."

"Will Davis, Strunk or Derrick take his place?"
"Now, I didn't say anything last night before the game as I can't tonight," he replied, "and I can't tonight."

The few Philadelphia fans who followed the men over said they looked to see Claude Derrick take the initial sack, but later in the evening it was stated in quarters close to the management that Harris Davis, the veteran first baseman, would take his old position if McInnes was unable to play.

Who will pitch? The problem was a hard one to solve tonight as the picking of tomorrow's winner. "There will be no night before announcement," insisted Connie Mack. Big Chief Bender, Coombs and Plank, stood about the hotel lobby and in the face of the leader's pronouncement, none of the box trio would give the slightest clue as upon who the choice would fall.

"It may be any of us," said Bender.

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Corn.			
Jan.	15.32	15.20	15.22
May	15.12	15.05	15.05

MEETS EARLY GREY

Colonel Lowther, Secretary to the Duke of Connaught, told the newspaper men a pleasing story of the greeting and farewell between the new Governor General and the old, Earl Grey left Quebec at noon on the Canadian government steamer Earl Grey. About dusk the yacht and the Empress of Ireland met in the river. As they were passing Earl Grey was seen on the deck of the yacht waving his handkerchief. "We could see his white plume in the fading light," said Colonel Lowther. "That is a dangerous term to use in Canada," was the laughing reminder of a bystander. "It has a military significance here you know." "I know," was the smiling reply, "that's why I used it."

"The Duke of Connaught was hastily sent for," he continued, "and hurried on deck in time to wave a greeting in return." Then the two boats passed on, the one bearing the retiring Governor General home, the other the new governor general to take up his duties which Earl Grey has laid down. There was a well defined rumor last night to the effect that Earl Grey had gone aboard the Empress of Ireland and died with the Duke of Connaught. It is known that when the steamer Earl Grey, in which the retiring Governor General was travelling, met the Empress of Ireland, it turned around and followed quickly back to the harbor of Quebec. Earl Grey said that the crowd had gone from the liner, Earl Grey with one or two attendants came aboard and spent an hour or more chatting with his successor during the time he was on board. It is said, the quarters in which the Duke of Connaught was under guard, and in which he was brought to the ship.

The reason for this is that according to estimates the Governor General cannot be on colonial soil at the same time. It is claimed, however, that the Duke of Connaught did not yet left the vessel, was sufficient to satisfy the demands of the custom and rule in this regard. To avoid criticism, however, it was thought best to keep the matter quiet.

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CHATHAM NEWS

Chatham, Oct. 12.—Warren Benson arrived today from Montreal to attend the funeral of the late Alexander Burr.

Mrs. John McDonald has returned from Moncton where she was the guest of Mrs. John Herrie.

Mrs. Fleming and Miss Mowatt left on Tuesday for North Carolina. On Sunday Miss Mowatt was presented by her Sunday school class with an address and a handsome gold brooch.

Ex-conductor Sproul of Sussex was in town last week on his annual visit to the North Shore.

Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Neale returned from St. John on Thursday.

Mrs. George E. Fisher is visiting Mrs. Arch. McConnell in Woodstock.

The Bay du Vin river bridge at Phipps Williston's is now open for traffic again. The repairs have been so far completed that teams can cross though there is considerable work yet to be done upon it.

Allan Christie, of St. John, is visiting friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Watling have returned to Amherst.

On Tuesday evening a quiet marriage took place at Dunstaffnage, when Rev. D. Henderson united in matrimony Miss Fannie Creighton of Chatham Head, and James B. Creighton of New Mills. The bride was unattended and the groom was supported by his uncle, Wm. Crautiers of Fredericton. After a trip to the province the happy couple will reside at New Mills, where the groom is a popular citizen.

Miss Jennie Simpson, of Sackville, who has been spending a month at her old home in Tahusintae, has been in town for a few days the guest of Mrs. Robert Murray. Miss Simpson's last day for Sackville.

Miss Eileen O'Brien who has been the guest for the summer of Miss Snowball, has gone to visit friends in Boston. Miss O'Brien will sail for the Old Country during November.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Miller of Millerton, were in town Wednesday and Thursday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis Miller.

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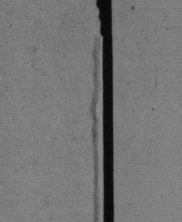
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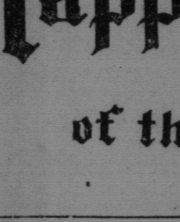
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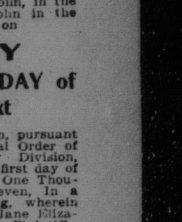
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ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1911.

THE DUKE OF CONNAUGHT.

Canadians from the Atlantic to the Pacific joined yesterday in extending a hearty and loyal welcome to the Duke of Connaught...

It is well for us to realize that, apart from the high position which birth gives him, the Duke of Connaught is very much a man and a soldier.

As a soldier the Duke saw active service in the Egyptian war of 1882, where he commanded the Brigade of Guards and figured with great distinction at the battle of Tel-el-Kebir.

From 1886 to 1890 he has since held the Portsmouth and Aldershot commands, and that of the Forces in Ireland.

The Duke's connection with Canada is already a long and pleasant one. Forty years ago, when a young man of twenty, he came to Canada and served as a soldier through the Fenian Raid.

It has always been to obtain union in action of those most excellent men, the scoutmasters, so that they may go to their scouts and to the world inspired by a great ideal of service and with a due sense of responsibility in their noble mission.

The object of this new order is to carry the chivalric principles of the scout law into the lives and actions of the scoutmasters.

The trumpets blast in the local columns of last night's Times regarding the local Opposition is significant of the deplorable condition into which that organization has fallen since the defeat of its candidate in York last March.

The result of all this Opposition thunder was the defeat of Mr. Burden by one of the largest majorities ever recorded against a candidate in a provincial election in York county.

For a second time within a year Mr. Robinson has again tendered his resignation, and the latest information is that on this occasion it is not likely to be withdrawn.

So little interest did he take in the caucus of his party

that he was not present at its first session and did not turn up in the city until yesterday. In the meantime quite a lively interest had been displayed as to who is to lead the forlorn hope at the next session.

The result of the Dominion election in the county of Westmorland does not inspire confidence in the fate of the members now holding the seats for that county in the Legislature.

In view of the utter demoralization of the Provincial Opposition it is amusing to read the declaration in the Times, that "if Premier Fleming decides to go to the people at once, the Opposition is ready. If he decides to hold the by-elections in St. John, Charlotte and Sunbury, and have a session before election, the Opposition will be ready to meet that contingency."

When the present Opposition were turned out of power the finances of the Province were in a deplorable condition. In ten years the funded debt had been increased by more than \$2,000,000, and of this amount more than \$500,000 had been funded to meet over-expenditures due to maladministration.

Argument in the Belyea will case was concluded in the Chancery Division yesterday afternoon before Mr. Justice McLeod. This case involves the construction of the testator's will and the facts have been fully published.

No idea has been more fruitful of results than that to which was due the initiation of the Boy Scout movement. Now of world-wide extent, though unfortunately in some of the continental countries of Europe diverted from its proper object, the organization has proved irresistible in its appeal to the youth of both sexes.

The latest development in the Boy Scout Association proposes to unite the scoutmasters along a common line of action. "The great difficulty in dealing with the scout movement," said Sir Francis Vane, in a recent interview, "has always been to obtain union in action of those most excellent men, the scoutmasters, so that they may go to their scouts and to the world inspired by a great ideal of service and with a due sense of responsibility in their noble mission."

The object of this new order is to carry the chivalric principles of the scout law into the lives and actions of the scoutmasters. With that in view the ritual of the order will include a solemn charge to all the officers to realize their responsibility as the leaders of the young, and "neither by word nor deed suggest anything to those whose charge you have accepted but that which is pure, noble, wise and inspiring."

Current Comment

To the people of Canada has been entrusted a magnificent heritage, with almost limitless possibilities, and only internal strife and mismanagement can check our rapid development.

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PROVINCIAL ADMINISTRATION.

(St. John Globe, Lib.)

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EASTERN S.S. CO. advertisement, Reliable and Popular Route Between John and Boston.

Furness Line advertisement, Steamers leaving for various destinations.

Scenic Route advertisement, Steamers leaving for various destinations.

Crystal Stream S. S. Co. advertisement, T. JOHN TO FREDERICTON.

HAVANA DIRECT advertisement, S. Briardene Oct. 23, Steamers Nov. 20.

ANCHESTER LINERS advertisement, The International Railway.

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FINANCIAL WORLD

PRODUCE PRICES IN CANADIAN CENTRES

Montreal, Oct. 13.—OATS—Canadian Western No. 2, 48c to 48 1/2c, car lots ex store; extra No. 1 feed, 47 1/2c to 48c; No. 3, 47c to 47 1/2c; No. 2 local white, 46 1/2c to 47c; No. 3 local white, 46c to 46 1/2c; No. 4 local white, 45 1/2c to 46c. FLOUR—Manitoba spring wheat patents, firsts, \$5.40; seconds, \$4.90; winter wheat patents, \$4.75 to \$5.00; strong bakers, \$4.70; straight rollers, \$4.25 to \$4.40; in bags, \$1.95 to \$2.05. MILFEED—Bran, Ontario, \$23 to \$24; Manitoba, \$23; middlings, Ontario, \$27 to \$28; shorts, Manitoba, \$25; molasses, \$26 to \$27. POTATOES—An active trade is passing in potatoes owing to the heavy demand. Buyers are not hesitating to lay in their supplies for winter requirements, as there is every indication that prices will run much higher. The market is for standard Canadian car lots at \$1.00 to \$1.05 per bag, and in a jobbing way at \$1.15.

M'INTOSH'S WEEKLY REVIEW

Oct. 12.—The attention that the larger interests have been paying to different securities on the Montreal stock exchange during the past week must be taken as an indication that they consider the outlook is distinctly for higher prices as far as standard Canadian stocks is concerned.

Advance in Montreal Power. Montreal Power was easily the strongest stock on the list. The market supply of this stock has diminished very rapidly during the past few years, and it does not take any large volume of buying to bring about a gain of from four to five points. In well informed circles it was thought that there was some sentiment attached to the present advance in Power. There has always been very keen rivalry between the old Montreal Power group and the new crowd in Montreal Street Railway and it was felt that once the Street Railway began to show an improvement in its stock, the Montreal Power stock would also show an improvement. This view was supported by the fact that the Montreal Power stock had been selling at a discount of 10 to 15 per cent. below the Street Railway stock for some time past.

Reorganization Plan of Montreal Street Railway. The reorganization plan in connection with the Montreal Street Railway and its subsidiary companies into what will be known as the Montreal Tramways Company, Limited, has been approved by the directors of almost all the shareholders. The directors have submitted two plans in connection with the reorganization, and intimations already received from a large number of shareholders indicate that by far the greater majority will be in favor of the plan of taking debentures and common stock in the new company for the present stock in Montreal Street Railway. On such a basis the present holders of Montreal Street Railway will receive for every share of stock \$250 in 5 per cent. debenture stock and \$20 in common stock of the Montreal Tramways Company. The other plan would result in a holder of one share of stock receiving \$7.50 in cash, \$160 in 5 per cent. debentures, and \$20 in common stock of the Montreal Tramway.

The "Street" has taken a very favorable view of the reorganization plans more especially because they have dragged along for some time and during the period a considerable amount of capital has been locked up. The common stock of the Tramway Company has been traded in and the unlisted department, and has been quoted nominally at 36 bid and 40 asked. Toronto Rails and Ottawa Power. Lake of the Woods Had A Lean Year. The annual statement of Lake of the Woods Milling Company showed a marked falling off in earnings. In fact the year was one of the leanest the company had had for some time. The net earnings amounted to \$412,152 as compared with \$475,000 in 1910 and compared with \$475,000 in 1910 and compared with \$475,000 in 1910.

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NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Table with columns for stock names and prices. Includes Am. Copper, Am. Sugar, Am. Tobacco, etc.

CLOSING COTTON LETTER.

New York, Oct. 13.—Sellers of cotton apparently utilized the Liverpool market over the holiday. Cables were weak accompanied by reports of heavy offerings from this side. Some foreign advice also predicted a change for the worse in Manchester trade conditions. First prices here were 8 to 8 1/2 points lower under the influence of a weaker spot situation at the South.

MONTREAL Morning Sales.

Table of Montreal morning sales including Asbestos, Bell Telephone, Canadian Pacific, etc.

Canada Afternoon Sales.

Table of Canada afternoon sales including Canadian Pacific, Cement, Crown Reserve, etc.

HIGHER PRICES IN THE STOCK MARKET

New York, Oct. 13.—Moderately higher prices prevailed at the close of today's session of the stock exchange. The essential features of the trading on the market and the greater part of the day's trading was dull and price movements were nominal. A vigorous trading in American Tobacco securities was the conspicuous feature of the day. Dealings in the four per cent. bonds amounted to \$5,500,000. In the case of the Sherbrooke Railway & Power Co., already this year their earnings are 33-1/3 per cent. more than last year for the same period showing the rapid advance the premier town of the Eastern Townships is making.

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MONTREAL CURB SALES.

Table of Montreal curb sales including Laurentide, Wyag, Mex. Northern, etc.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

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Public Utilities.

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TAKE IT FROM ME!

CHANCE—THERE CAN'T BE ANY FAVORITE.

EVERETT—THE ATHLETICS ARE A BIT OLDER AND MORE EXPERIENCED.

ARCHER—WOULDN'T BE TEN CENTS EITHER WAY.

SCHULTE—IF THE GIANTS EVER GET AHEAD.

TINKER—I'M HOPING GIANTS HAVE GOOD BREAK IN FIRST GAME.

SHECKARD—I FIGURE MATHEWSON IS GOING TO DO IT.

Here, in brief, are the opinions of the Cub players as to the outcome of the world's series between the Giants and the Athletics.

No team during the baseball season gave the Giants a harder battle than the Chicago. The Cubs were the only players who broke even with New York in the race which lasted until September.

In view of long association, it is probable that no team in the National League has given the Giants more careful study than the Cubs. There has not been a play for the last five years originated and attempted by the Giants which has not been the subject of debate on the part of the Chicago players.

For that reason it is interesting to know what the Cubs think of the Giants in the series with the Athletics. Further interest attaches to their opinion because they met the Athletics last year and had a taste of the quality of baseball which is played by the Philadelphia team.

RUBE MARQUARD TELLS WHY HE THINKS GIANTS WILL WIN

I believe that most people who follow baseball will agree that in a series of seven games, the chief burden will rest upon the pitchers. And in this respect I believe we have the edge, speaking without conceit.

My reasons are this: Back in 1905, Mathewson pitched three games against the Athletics and shut them out all three times. It is true that six seasons may have passed since then. But in 1910 Matty went in against the New York American league club, and beat them the series, pitching just as wonderful ball.

I am confident that the big fellow of the Giants will win every game he pitches or at least, two of the series. It will then be up to the rest of us, Wilkie, Ames, Crandall and myself, to win two more.

I expect to be used at least two games, and I have just enough confidence in myself now, to believe I can win. I expect to be at my best again—much better than I have been for the past three weeks. I have been studying and watching the game carefully all season, have picked up a lot, and when I go in I expect to be steady. I know many people figure that as

THE GIANTS ARE NEW YORKERS IN NAME ONLY; NOT ONE NATIVE

New York, Oct. 12.—Whence hail the Giants? The fourteen star performers of New York's star baseball team—the men who are expected by the local enthusiasts to drive the world's championship pennant hard and fast to the flagpole at the Polo Grounds—were born in nine States, and came of many nationalities. Each, of course, is a veteran of the diamond, yet the average age of the players is but a trifle over 25 years, and their average term of service in New York uniforms run a few months over four years.

One looks in vain among the galaxy of stars for a native of New York City. But two, in fact, were born within the boundaries of the Empire State. Four of the other eight States have contributed two of their best baseball heroes to make a pennant-winning team: Pennsylvania, Illinois, Ohio and California. The remaining four find their birthplaces in Maryland, Wisconsin, Indiana and the District of Columbia.

Christy Mathewson, one of McGraw's star twirlers—the greatest of all, many say—is the veteran of the team, with ten years' service to his credit. He overtop the second man, Ames by two years, while Wilkie and Devlin tie for third honors with seven years each. Meyers, the big Indian catcher and heavy hitter, and Murray have been but two years in continuous service with the Giants. Herzog rejoined the team this year, but McGraw bought him back in 1908, and exchanged him two years later for Becker, of the Boston team.

Fletcher has been 2½ years with the team, while Josh Devore, smallest and fastest player in the big league joined the Giants last year, although he had been purchased in 1908. The two intervening seasons he spent with Utica and Newark.

Doyle is Captain of the National league leaders, is 24 years old. He was born in Caseyville, Ill., and has been four years with the Giants. Fletcher is 25 years old, was born in Collinsville, Ill.; Herzog, 24, is a native of Baltimore, Md.; Warren, Pa., contributed Ames to the Giants. He is 27 years old.

Wilkie hails from Hamilton, N. Y. He is 28. Merkle was born 23 years ago in Watertown, Wis. Devore, youngest of the fourteen born in Murray City, O., was then 22 years ago.

Crandall, 23, is a native of Wadina, Ind. Devlin, who with Mathewson, claims seniority of age in 31 years, was born in Washington, D. C. Marquard the \$11,000 beauty, first saw the light in Cleveland, O. He is 23. Meyers, whose father is a full-blooded Indian, was born 28 years ago in Riverside, Cal. Matty was born in Factoryville, Pa. Snodgrass is a native son of California, his birthplace being Ventura, and his age 23 years.

Four of these players participated in the series of 1905, when the Giants were the only team who won the last year of the championship pennant. They are Mathewson, Ames, Devlin and Wilkie. Mathewson is the only man on the team who was there when John McGraw took over the reins of management.

HORSE RACING PROPERLY REGULATED IN ENGLAND

Perhaps no branch of British sport is so carefully regulated as horse racing. Says Pearson: "The jockey club keeps a strict watch on owners, trainers and jockeys alike, and any man who indulges in anything shady is at once pulled up short."

This is as it should be, for no sport attracts such a large number of undesirable, and without very stringent regulations all sorts of abuses would creep in. As it is, every jockey who wins a race by foul means is liable to be deprived of his means of livelihood.

No jockey, amateur or professional, can enter in any race without a license from the jockey club, and no man of bad character is granted one. As the stewards can refuse a riding license, should they think it proper, so they can revoke or suspend one after it has been given.

Every race meeting is governed by the stewards appointed for the purpose, and any jockey whose conduct is at all doubtful is called upon for an explanation. Should this not satisfy the stewards he is reported to headquarters, who will inquire into the matter, and perhaps suspend the license of the jockey until the trouble is satisfactorily cleared up.

If a horse shows remarkable changes of form for which there is no apparent reason, careful watch will be kept on its running, especially if it is always ridden by the same jockey. If the stewards of the meeting consider that the jockey has not done his utmost to win he will be called up for an explanation.

Owners Protected.

Should an owner consider the riding of his jockey is not straightforward he can report the case to the stewards, and if there seems to be something wrong a careful inquiry is made.

One jockey can report another for misconduct during the race, and from time to time such things happen. If it is practically impossible for a jockey to continue to ride foul without being discovered.

In fact, it is sometimes said that the jockey club is so severe and suspends riders or withdraws their certificates for inadequate reasons. It is therefore in the interests of riders to do nothing that will let the breath of suspicion fall on them.

For a flagrant case of misconduct the local stewards will refuse to allow a jockey to ride in another race on the same day, but the act would be very gross for this to happen. Usually a jockey is allowed to continue riding until his case comes up before the stewards, but they can suspend him from the race.

It is a serious matter for a jockey to be suspended for even a day or two, and very few of them will risk the chance of this. The stewards also have the power to warn them of race-courses altogether, a terrible punishment to a man who cares to earn his living on the turf.

It must be remembered that this is a strong incentive to a jockey to keep straight, for the club is no respecter of persons. It refused a license to one of the most famous of jockeys in the heyday of his success.

This sentence of suspension or the withdrawal of a license is generally recognized by all the racing authorities the world over for the stewards of the foreign jockey clubs are usually honorary members of the British club, as they follow the example of the premier authority.

A jockey's license may be withheld because he is known to consort with bad characters. An owner who encouraged his jockey to ride foul or a rich racing man who bribed a rider would come under the same ban and find himself out by good sportsmen.

Latterly a new regulation to prevent any suspicion of foul play is coming into vogue. Formerly all sorts of people could obtain entrance into the weighing room before a race, but at many meetings only those with a legitimate reason for being present are allowed in, so that there can be no chance of the jockey being "got at" at the last moment.

Altogether, the life of a jockey is not an easy one even for the perfectly straightforward rider, but for the crook it is absolutely impossible.

NOW I CAN SAY I AM CURED

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The Work of the St. John Dispensary for the Month Ending October 12th.

The report of the dispensary work of the St. John Association for the month ended October 12, shows fifty-three patients on the books. Of these twenty-five are adults and twenty-eight children. The total attendance at the dispensary was forty-two, including twenty-seven adults and fifteen children, three adults and three children being reported as new cases. The number of patients discharged was eighteen. Of these two adults died, two adults were returned to private care, one adult and one child were reported cured, and eight adults and four children were reported as not being tubercular.

The dispensary was open thirteen days—five days for children and eight days for adults. The nurse made seventy-six visits—fifty-six for instruction and twenty miscellaneous.

Miss Gardner, superintendent of the Boston tubercular work, was in the city during the month and accompanied the nurse on two days visiting to the homes and was at the dispensary on another day.

It is reported that St. Peter's church has undertaken to supply nourishment for one patient.

TWO FOOTBALL GAMES IN FREDERICTON TODAY.

Special to The Standard.

Fredericton, Oct. 13.—The U. N. B. football team scheduled for tomorrow's game with the Fredericton city team was announced tonight and the lineup caused surprise. It is said that several men are included by Coach Church for the purpose of trying out. Several of the spare men are easily superior to those selected and then Harold Murray is off the half line, owing to injuries. The team selected is as follows:

Forwards—Dixon, Lynch, Paterson, Duke, Melrose, Jewett, O. Halloran and Dugay.

Quarters—Machum and Binder.

Halfbacks—Willis, McGibbon, Mainman and Balchin.

Fullback—Barry.

Spare men—Parker, Vaccour, Murphy, Asher and Orr.

St. John and Fredericton high schools play an interscholastic league game here tomorrow.

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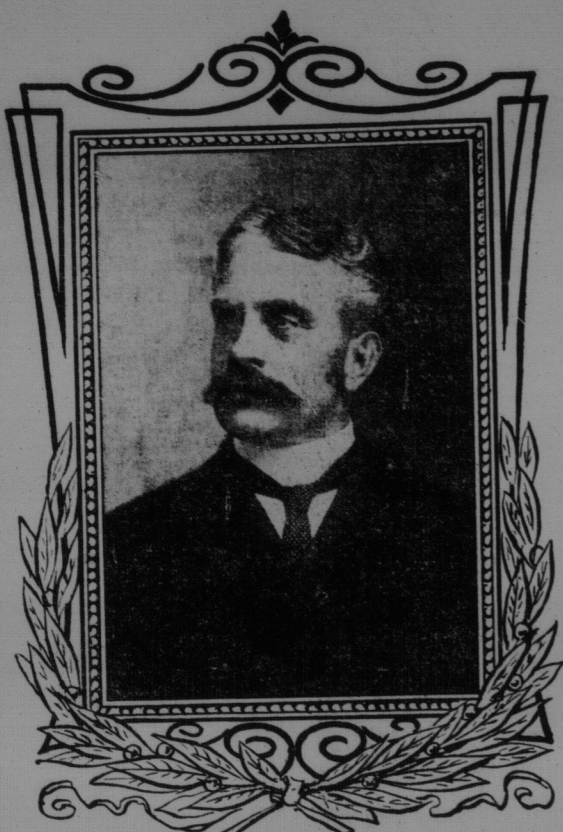
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THE WIFE WHO IS A BRAVE AND DEVOTED HELPER TO THE PRIME MINISTER OF CANADA.



HON. R. L. BORDEN, PREMIER OF CANADA.

(Written Specially by C. F. Hamilton, Member of Commons Correspondent for The Toronto News.)

Born in the reciprocity year of 1854. Left the Liberals over reciprocity in 1891.

Defeated the Liberals over reciprocity in 1911.

Robert Laird Borden takes office as the prime minister of Canada. Let us look a bit at the man who has become the political head of our nation.

Really, he is not a politician, except in a very large way. He lacks the instinct for advertising. The circumstances of his origin and early life would be invaluable to a politician with that gift. To begin with, he is a man of moderate wealth, and the public regards him as one who has enjoyed ample means all his life. Quite the opposite. He began like as a poor boy. He worked on the farm. He is self-educated and a self-made man.

Somewhat apart from the village and nearer the Basin of Minas, Benedict Bellefontaine, the wealthiest farmer of Grand Pre.

Hard by the site of the homestead of Evangeline is the square red-painted house of his father's, his 87 year old mother yet lives; you can see it from the train on the tourist railway which exploits the Land of Evangeline. To that farmhouse the premier designate repaired on Sept. 22nd to see his mother.

He had been there a few days before the election and got his mother's Good-byes.

Think how effective all this would be if he had the eye for the limelight which he possessed by—well, another distinguished Canadian statesman. But none of that for R. L. B. He comes from Grand Pre, N. S., not from the Land of Evangeline. Anything spectacular in that visit on the day after the election? Not a bit of it. He wanted to see his mother, that was all. There is no word of any equipment of photographers having been in readiness.

A Tradition and a Name in the Family There is a tradition that the name originally was Bourdon, and that the family came from the south of France. It was very long ago, however, and one of the new prime minister's few personal references is the boast that his forefathers lived under no flag but the British. Some of them suffered for that flag. The family was established in Connecticut when the revolution occurred, and as a result of that event the Borden family migrated to the Annapolis Valley.

Andrew Borden was a farmer and schoolmaster—a man of cultivation, who kept in his house books which would be prized by a collector of to-day.

His wife was Eunice Laird. Born on June 24th, 1854—reciprocity year. By the way—Robert grew up on the farm. He attended the ordinary schools of the neighborhood until he was four years; from that time onward he taught himself.

He taught school and studied law while this occupied he studied, regularly covering a specified number of hours a day to his books, and laying out for himself something resembling a college course. Not a little Latin and German, a good deal of French and Spanish were included in his curriculum. He has pursued the modern languages and in particular reads a great deal of French. From time to time he makes short speeches in that language, and on occasion he has addressed German-Canadians in the tongue of their fatherland.

steadily practise of the law. He worked very hard; after practising for a while at Kentville he got into a good firm in Halifax; and he made a good income.

During these years he became a thorough lawyer. He still feels the gown hanging from his broad and heavy shoulders; when he is speaking and warms into his subject he hitches up his shoulders as if to get it into place; that and his driving of one hand down upon the other are his two characteristic gestures. His stories—largely of Halifax legal life. His work was characterized by care and thoroughness. By 1890 he was well established in practice had money, was comfortably off, and was able to look about.

Originally R. L. Borden was a liberal. It is not Sir Frederick Borden his cousin? Was not R. L. Borden's very first political speech delivered in advocacy of the election of Dr. Borden, then an opposition candidate somewhere back in the eighties? The thousands of liberals who voted for R. L. Borden in 1907 were voting for one of their own. In 1881 he forsook the liberal party and with drums beating and colours flying marched over to the conservative camp. On what issue? On reciprocity, on the unrestricted reciprocity which Sir John Macdonald fought and conquered. He has full right to term himself a liberal-conservative.

He Was Elected the Year of the Smallpox In the year of the smallpox Mr. Borden stood for Halifax for the conservative interest and was elected. He entered parliament, a new man, to enter a defeated and demoralized party. He worked and spoke; in particular he took charge of the investigation into the ballot frauds in Brockville and West Huron.

The liberal party lurked the investigation, but Mr. Borden made a reputation. In 1907 he came a second defeat, and Sir Charles Tupper was obliged to retire. Mr. Borden had retained his seat in Halifax, and he was selected to succeed the old lion of Nova Scotia as leader.

It is unnecessary to pursue his career further. The salient points are his tour to the West in 1902; the beginning of his close and sympathetic study of western conditions; his visit to the West in 1907; the election of 1908; and the reciprocity fight.

The Leader Learned the New Trade Slowly. A man who never touched politics until he was nearly 50. One of the interesting things to a close student, is his growth in the power of his mind. In 1908, there was a good deal of looseness in the work of the opposition.

A case in point is the slackness with which the government was allowed to slip in Canada-Japan commercial treaty through in 1906, making the concession which was made as to Japanese immigration.

True, Mr. Borden was over-worked, having to carry on his parliamentary duties of vigilance and criticism very slackly. He was not a politician; still there was lack of watchfulness in the way Sir Wilfrid Laurier was allowed to conduct the very existence of important documents.

But from 1908 onward he showed that he was learning the lesson he had been taught. The way in which he fought the government in the pre-election session of that year was admirable and accurate. In 1909, he was in Manitoba and Conservative party in the ensuing conflict.

That election gave him an excellent opposition and the three sessions which followed saw hard fighting and good leading. On the reciprocity issue he took ground from the first day; his speech following Mr. Fielden's joyful announcement of the "boon" was guarded and his fielding of the grain growers at Brandon and avowed his absolute opposition to the nostrum on which their hearts were set. And then there was the manner in which he sent Sir Wilfrid Laurier to London against his will.

Journeys into the West in More Than One Sense Another thing in his career demands attention. He came from the east and he journeyed west in more sense than he entered politics under Tupper auspices, and the Tupper policy was largely based on the retention of Quebec by confining that province.

Thanks partly to that; the tendency during his early years of leadership, which also were the years of the zenith of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's administration, was to derive his inspiration from Montreal.

West of the Ottawa they look at things in a different light, and Mr. Borden began slowly to consider problems from the Ontario and western point of view. Gradually he became distinctly radical to the Montreal way of thinking. The Halifax platform of 1907 gave deep displeasure to the financial interests, but he never recanted, and it proved so strong an appeal to Ontario and the west that the Laurier government with its characteristic skill in picking other men's brains, appropriated plank after plank of it.

on the subject of what to do now that he has saved his vacation season.

It is gravely to be doubted if Sir Wilfrid, prior to 1898 ever spent two consecutive hours of thought as to what his political office should be. Mr. Borden on his part, has thought read and studied to prepare himself for his high trust. Half of his mind was on the duties and problems of the office to which he was aspiring. Of course, that was a drawback, while it was in opposition.

But it should help now that he has entered the promised land. I have remarked on the width of his reading. The instances already given add, as one more example, an exceptionally wide acquaintance with the problem of civil service reform; the writer had to deal with it once, and it was Mr. Borden who supplied him with a young library on the subject. The technical commission which is now sitting, remembers with gratitude a remarkably good address which he gave in its opening session.

He has been alive to the work of the conservation commission. And, to pass from reading to practical construction, it is remarkably good much of the good work done by the Laurier government was performed under pressure from him. He pressed for the railway commission. He forced civil service reform upon it. There is more of the Halifax platform than of the Ottawa platform on the statute book.

So we shall have a thoughtful, studious and constructive premier in the grand and important task of retaining the emoluments of office—a man indeed whose private fortune renders him independent of the necessities of the things done, in solving the problems of Canada. Also, interested in solving the problems of the Empire. Not of him can the campaign song be sung: "He'd rather go to Washington than London."

Is Not an Orator But a Powerful Debater. If he is not a politician, neither is he an orator. He does not watch the changing moods of an audience and play upon them. Instead, he goes at his meeting with a case to prove, and he is so interested in proving it that he forgets to study faces and adjust himself to temper.

In Parliament he is a very powerful debater, especially when a question is to be argued. In after-dinner talks he is a man who breaks out and he will persist in saying real things where a politician would just as well. But if serious, he is not serious, he is not solemn.

He has a humor of his own, and a wit as well. Also he has a liking for the camaraderie which blossoms under the influence of a good song. The members of the press party which accompanied him through his western tour last summer will not easily forget the final evening. The last message delivered, and a sing-song was held.

At midnight the premier-elect appeared in the smoking room and it was two o'clock when he left it. He smoked the pipe, took his glass, called for his favorite songs, and hoarse he was heard his share in the choruses. One more big piece of work was put behind and he was in that condition of happy exhaustion which follows the election, he was walking home from dinner when a half-drunk person, who had some slight claim to acquaintance detained him for several minutes in a cold and windy street corner while he poured, perfectly unimportant and uninteresting words into his ear. "Brush him aside!" No—he stood and listened.

During the western tour of 1907 he suffered much from influenza and insomnia and at times was on the verge of nervous breakdown; yet, never once did the writer hear an impatient word pass his lips. Yet he has strong temper; he never speaks so well as when someone wakes it, and it is a standing joke in his circle that when he goes campaigning he should take an interrupter along.

The grain growers served this purpose admirably; in his recent western tour, the heckling and lecturing woke him up and put fire into him. And finally, he keeps his own counsel very closely. He will talk, will discuss, and will keep his own intentions as secret as the grave. Well, to those who know him well, his reticence is the feature they first recall.

The Help of a Devoted Wife was with Him. It would not be proper to close without observing that in his domestic life a man's success—the sympathy and the backing of a devoted and intelligent wife. Mrs. Borden has played her part in her husband's game with graciousness, with entire absorption in his interests, with social tact and skill, and with the high courage. Her support is one of the pleasant things in the intimate life of Ottawa.

He himself is not greatly enamored of public life and the resolute persistence in the face of eleven years of ill-success and of the peculiar annoyances of opposition finds some of its explanation in the fire of affection and encouragement which burns so clearly upon his domestic hearth. The American traditional type of woman is she who profits by her husband's rise in life; the English traditional type is she who helps her husband to rise, and in this respect Mrs. Borden is the English type. In the hour of her husband's victory let her brave and sympathetic part in the struggle forgotten or unhonored.

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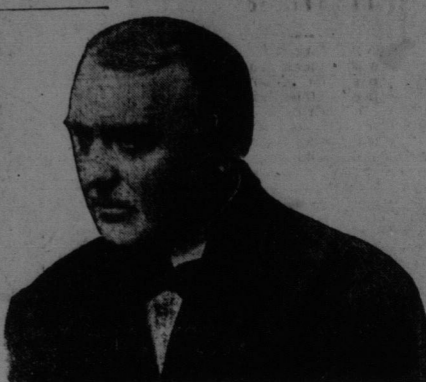
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To this end I have set aside ten thousand dollars, which will be used cured you. I am promising to give away ten thousand dollars' worth of medicine, and I will do that I am promising to send any sufferer who writes me a letter to the effect that I have a disease for which this medicine is intended, I ask you to send me some of your leading symptoms. If you have any of the symptoms in the list printed here you need my medicine and if you will write me I will gladly send you a box of it free with full directions for your use. Look the symptoms over, see which symptoms you have, then write me as follows: "Dear Dr. I notice symptoms number—here put down the numbers, give your age, full address, and send it to me. My address is Dr. F. Franklyn Lyntott, Franklin Building, Toronto, Ont., Canada.

The ten thousand dollars I am spending for the compounding of my medicine is only a part of the money I am devoting to this cause, for the package of medicine I send you will be fully prepaid at my expense. From my standpoint you view YOU incur no expense of obligation. Just tell others who you know are suffering who sent you the medicine that cured you.

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(New York Sun.) A somewhat under-sized stranger, slightly though not shabbily dressed, exceedingly diffident in his demeanour, the door of old man Green's saloon early one evening and he stilled his way carefully shut door before looking around. Then advanced with a timorous air to the bar and having reached it, he stood almost apologetically as if he had almost apologetically as if he had procured a drink of whiskey. "I reckon there won't be no trouble about that," said old man Green as he reached for a bottle and held it in his hand, then before setting that down he looked up inquiringly. "Public house, 'd' you see me," said the stranger man with every appearance of having understood the unusual question. "Yes," said the man. "I will," said the other. "After they would. They'd be after their seats in silence and the various inmates of the room redoubled their seats and continued to smoke their tobacco in silence while the newcomer looked around from one another unceasingly. Finally he said: "I'm a stranger in these parts," he said, after a time. "But no one seemed to be affected in any way by the announcement, and after another pause he said: "It was kind of 'reckless' on my part to find things a-d-d-i-n' no'r less in Arkansas City, but 'pears like a son of a leader' in last year's cotton boll round here 's fur 's 'n see."

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THE COUNTRY—Those fellows always finish up on my barn door.

to become violent or not. Then he said with some scorn: "Was you all reckon' how there was any 'lightnin' meanin' to that remark o' yo'?"

Interesting Budget from Chatham - Hunters were Successful in Pursuit of Big - Social and Personal Game

Chatham, Oct. 13 - Rev. Geo. Wood, Max Watling and Wallace Watling had a very successful hunting trip Tuesday and Wednesday in the Blue River woods...

They had two moose, a black bear skin and numerous partridges and trout. The sportsmen are stopping at the Albert House and leave today for their homes.

Speaking of local affairs, Mr. Burbank said everything was satisfactory to him. "You have great lumber here (meaning for pulp or paper) and if you only had the water power you would soon have the pulp and paper mills," he said.

Death Hovers Over Miners. Death and disappointment stalked on the trail of the men who located the California gem mines.

While in Balmora Mr. Jack had the opportunity of seeing King George Queen Mary and several members of the royal family and secured an excellent snapshot of the King and Queen as they were returning from church...

An Affair of Honor Before the Mast

The New Hand Jars a Squarehead from Nova Scotia and Wins Immunity from Insult.

(New York Sun.) The three old men of the sea were foregathered in the restaurant on the waterfront. The second oldest of the trio, sprawling his legs a bit...

"On my second trip before the mast I made up my mind that I would not be bullied," he prefaced. "The wisest and quietest of sailormen, Old Vroom had said to me once near the conclusion of my first experience at sea: 'You be bold how it is; a man has to learn for to send 'is mates to the deck or be knocked down himself.'"

"I knew by that time how good was the advice he was giving. Not counting times in a passage of 120 days from San Francisco to New York. The count is not quite accurate. The first week at sea left me so dazed that I am sure I missed 'em."

"Promp'y at eight bells in the morning our fat round tub of a Welsh skipper would come on deck from the poop side of his berth, clad in trousers and undershirt, and sitting me filling the fresh water tank for the cabin through the inlet in the poop deck he would advance and box my ears, English utterly falling him if the ship rolled and his hand merely might have been a bit more concise."

"Well, the fellow charged me again, and it was too easy: All I had to do was to step neatly aside and hand him one. The skipper rushed down into the cabin and as my opponent rose to his feet entered bearing in his arms an unabridged dictionary."

"After a few more will rushes the Nova Scotian got up gasping and sat down on the main hatch with a conquered, desperate air. I stood before him and called him all the words of four or more syllables I could think of offhand. The skipper between chuckles turned hastily the pages of the dictionary."

"I described him as an indelible electrocutionary. It was not, unfortunately for me the skipper called the contest. 'Get forrard, both of ye!' he shouted. And to my opponent he said: 'You're beaten, you squarehead. Your words are good enough for everyday use, but they ain't in the dictionary. You've got to use a learned man. Away with ye!'"

"That settled it. I was not insulted any more that voyage. When in the course of the most heated debate we had in the whole passage I asserted that granite was always educated at home and married only at the age of 40. I got not a contradiction, not a word more was said on the subject."

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Our Ladies' Hats are Made Well, Look Well and Sell Well. At prices to suit all shoppers; and the place to get your hat is here, where you can get a Suit and Coat to match, at prices you cannot equal elsewhere.

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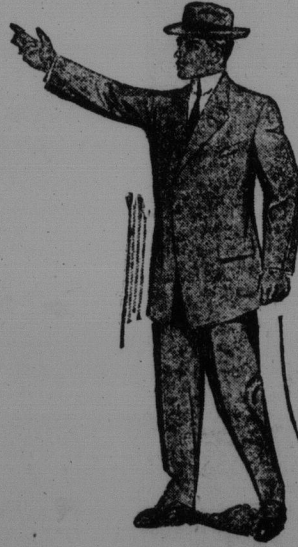
In Men's Clothing Department



- We have the Overcoat that will please you. Don't pay \$25.00 for a coat that you might get from us for \$18.00
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You Should See Our Men's Coat Sweaters

Before Purchasing Elsewhere
Men's Coat Sweaters from 98c to \$5.00



In Men's Hat Department

We are showing all the latest novelties in soft and hard Hats for fall. It would be to your advantage before buying elsewhere to see the different shapes we are offering in the prevailing colors.

- Grey Heather and Slate from \$1.50 to \$3.00
- Sole Agents for the King Hats, at \$2.50
- Other brands are "Suffolk" at \$3.00; "National" at \$2.00; "Ward & Co." (London) at \$2.00 and \$2.50; "The Leader" \$1.50 to \$1.75



In Shoe Department

Our reputation in the past has been the best in the city for selling good shoes, but our line for this fall surpasses all previous attempts.

- Men's "Dry Feet" black and tan, guaranteed \$5.00
- Men's Box Call and Velour Call \$3.00 to \$4.50
- Men's Dongola Boots 2.00 to 4.00
- Women's Box Call and Velour Call 2.50 to 4.00

Boys' Misses' Children's and Infants' Shoes at prices which cannot be duplicated elsewhere.

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PRESIDENTIAL FORECAST FOR 1912 NARROWS RACE IN CONVENTIONS TO SIX

Political Prophets Say Next Chief Executive of United States Will be Found in List Made Up of Messrs. Taft, Wilson, Harmon, Clark, La Follette and Marshall.

New York, N. Y., Oct. 11.—A Washington special to the Herald says: Ninety-nine men out of every one hundred in the United States today believe that the presidential race which will culminate a year from next month is going to be the most hotly contested of any in which the Republican and Democratic parties have engaged for 20 years. This is the view of the professional politician and the plain citizen, whose one part in government is casting his vote.

The campaign has already begun, unofficially, although neither party has selected its leader. The issues are being framed, deliberately and inevitably they are comparatively easy to foresee. It is another matter to name so far in advance the men who will oppose each other in the big battle.

Reports of conditions and sentiment have reached the Herald reporter from every part of the country. They indicate that the choice of the Republican party for its presidential nominee will be to all intents and purposes known before the Republican national convention meets next summer. They indicate that the winner for the Democratic national convention to decide between the rival claims of at least four and perhaps half a dozen eligibles.

Mr. Clark As A Prophet.

It begins to appear as if Speaker Champ Clark of the house of representatives was a good prophet when he said a few days after the sweeping Democratic victory last November: "When the next campaign rolls around the Republican party will have but one or two candidates to select from and the Democrats will have so many that they will not know where to turn."

Unless all signs fall the next president of the United States will be one of these men:

- William Howard Taft, of Ohio.
- Woodrow Wilson, of New Jersey.
- Judson Harmon, of Ohio.
- Champ Clark, of Missouri.
- Robert M. La Follette, of Wisconsin.
- Thomas R. Marshall, of Indiana.

Others in Field.

There are others in the field of course, who believe and whose friends believe that they have a chance of winning the prize, but at this time they appear to have been outdistanced by the five names mentioned above. These are Oscar W. Underwood, of Alabama, chairman of the ways and means committee of the house, and chief of the Democratic tariff makers. He will doubtless have the delegates from his own state in the Democratic convention. He may have other delegates from the south, but no one believes more thoroughly that he will be nominated than Mr. Underwood himself.

There is Joseph P. Folger, who has been governor of Missouri, who has behind him the endorsement of the last Missouri Democratic convention. Another convention will be held in the state before next summer, however, and there is likely to be a different tale to tell.

Of the Republicans who aspire to leadership of their party, there is Senator Cummins, of Iowa, who styles himself a progressive, and has announced that he is for Mr. La Follette. Mr. Cummins would undoubtedly be for Mr. La Follette according to a report that has come to Washington, if he thought there was a chance of his getting insurgent support from other states. He appears to have come to the conclusion that he must support Mr. La Follette or split the insurgent faction of the Republican party wide open. He has found, as have others, that to work with Mr. La Follette is to follow him.

Dix and Foss Talked Of.

Governor Dix, of New York, and Governor Foss, of Massachusetts are considered probable possibilities, but at this time they are not regarded as serious factors in the complicated situation. As for William Jennings Bryan there still remains a body of loyal Democrats who would do anything in their power to obtain another nomination for him. They might even have the help of some of their Republican brethren, but Mr. Bryan is not now looked upon as a candidate, although it is every body's agreed that his voice will carry tremendous weight in the Democratic convention and may be the deciding factor in the choice of a nominee.

Predict Taft Victory.

With no one actively to oppose him for the nomination but Senator La Follette, there is now every indication that President Taft will be elected to succeed himself by the Republican convention by an overwhelming vote of the 1902 delegates.

The La Follette boom is well organized. It has its headquarters in Washington and is sending out "Anti-Taft" literature by the carload. La Follette boomers are organizing everywhere they can reach in all the States where insurgency has gained a foothold. They will try to have delegates from Wisconsin, Iowa, North and South Dakota, Montana, Minnesota, Nebraska, Kansas, Oregon, California and other States instructed to vote for Mr. La Follette first and for all the time.

That Mr. La Follette will be able to control delegates from his own State is conceded to be probable by his strongest opponents in the Republican party. Reports from North Dakota, Montana, and Oregon seem to show that La Follette men may be successful there. It does not look so rosy for him in Iowa. It will be a hard fight, apparently in South Dakota, Minnesota, Nebraska and Kansas, with the chances against the Wisconsin insurgent according to the present outlook.

Mr. La Follette Invades East.

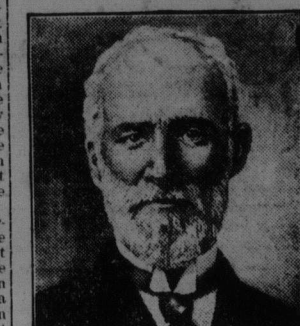
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WHEN I TRIED 'FRUIT-A-TIVES'

Hardwick, N. B., Jan. 17th, 1910.

"I feel it my duty to give you a statement in respect to the wonderful cure I received by taking 'Fruit-a-tives.' Chronic Constipation was the complaint I suffered from for years. My general health was miserable as a result of this disease, and I became depressed and alarmed. I was treated by physicians without the slightest permanent benefit and I tried all kinds of pills and tablets.



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"Fruit-a-tives" will cure you, just as they cured Mr. Williston. Get a box today—take them—and begin to feel better. 50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, or trial size 25c. At all dealers, or from Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

Call Western Trip Successful.

It appears from the news that has reached Washington, brought by politicians who drop in from day to day and from reports by letter and wire, that the President's Western trip has thus far been a success from his viewpoint. He set out with the avowed purpose of stating his case in plain English to the men in the insurgent strongholds, and his speeches upon the tariff and trust regulation have apparently had the common sense note in them that appeals. He will be followed, perhaps within a few weeks, by insurgent orators who will endeavor to undo the work he has done.

In the East the effect of these speeches appears to be somewhat problematical. There are indications that the men who represent "big business" object to the President's frankness in speaking of them and fear that he is taking a "dangerous" course. On the other hand his "middle of the road" similes appear to have appealed to those of them who take a saner view of the situation.

Tariff Views Puzzle the West.

Reports indicate that the president is having a harder time to convince the people of the west that he did not intend to veto the Democratic and insurgent tariff bills passed at the last session on the ground that the tariff board had not yet reported. His advocacy of Canadian reciprocity regardless of the tariff board, has weakened him in many sections, according to one view.

It might as well be stated here that many leading Democrats are praying that Mr. Taft will be renominated because, right or wrong, they believe he will be easier to beat than an insurgent Republican. Their opinion is based on the belief that the Democrats will get a great many insurgent votes if Mr. Taft is the candidate. Representative Albert Burleson, of Texas, chairman of the Democratic caucus of the house said today: "If the Republican convention should nominate Mr. La Follette we would have our chances of success cut in half."

There is every reason to believe at this time that Governors Wilson and Harmon and Speaker Clark have the best chance of being nominated by the

Democrats. Wilson men are busy all over the west and south. From Georgia, Texas, Nebraska and California, for instance, come reports that Wilson delegations are to be sent to the Democratic convention. Iowa Democrats have already declared for Mr. Harmon. Harmon boomers are orientally busy. Their headquarters in Ohio is a lively place and the country is being flooded with Harmon literature.

Counting On A Deadlock.

A prediction based upon present conditions throughout the country would give Mr. Wilson more delegates in the convention than Mr. Harmon or Speaker Clark, will have at the start. The indications are, however, that he will go to the convention with two-thirds that is necessary to nominate a Democratic presidential candidate. That is where Gov. Harmon, Speaker Clark and Gov. Marshall of Indiana come in. All are counting on a deadlock and upon being the second choice of a majority of the delegates. Mr. Clark's friends are openly making this claim for him. They are going to try to stampede the convention as soon as it appears that neither Gov. Harmon nor Gov. Wilson can win on the first few ballots.

There are many conservative thinking Democrats throughout the country who are looking for a result of this sort, and who, if they were placing a bet today upon the outcome would place it on Mr. Clark. All things considered, however, it appears at this time as if Mr. Wilson were in the lead with Mr. Harmon a close second.

A determined effort is being made by certain Democratic leaders to ditch the Harmon boom. Mr. Bryan is the head and front of this movement and at the present writing he seems to have had some measure of success. Reports indicate that while the Ohio governor had things pretty much his own way last January, he is now being spoken of as a reactionary by a great many good Democrats in and out of public life. The Bryan plan is to connect Mr. Harmon in some way with the interests, and let it go at that. Representative Oscar W. Underwood is one of those who believe in the Harmon boom.

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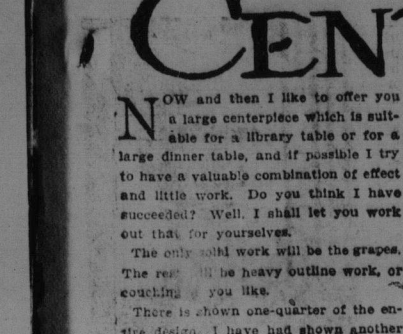


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The five ingredients mentioned above prepared with great accuracy and skill not only in regard to proportion, but also in selecting the combination ready for use.

AGRICULTURE

Now then I like to offer you a large centerpiece which is suitable for a library table or for a large dinner table, and if possible I try to have a valuable combination of effect and little work. Do you think I have succeeded? Well, I shall let you work out that for yourselves.



The only real work will be the grapes. The rest will be heavy outline work, or something you like.

There is shown one-quarter of the entire design. I have had shown another (this also for the convenience of tracing). The design is repeated six times. You will use the larger of the two portions—that which has two leaves and a whole bunch of grapes between them. I show a little more than one-sixth to let you see the effect of all phases of the design.

If you are going to use this for a large centerpiece on the dinner table, use heavy linen of a medium weight and white mercerized thread. Heavy silk gives an extremely rich effect.

Place the grapes one way and work the other. I would outline the circles if there be the least disposition to wobble on the edge. The stems of the bunch can be outlined in a double row, which will give a solid effect with a small amount of work.

Outline the leaves with heavy thread and finish the veins in the same way. Work the branches and the outer rim in outline stitches, and finish the tendrils in the same stitch. That is really all there is to this large centerpiece. Of course there are other ways of working up the grapevine. You can useouching stitches for the leaves. Hold

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Novel Ribbon

THERE is almost no limit to the ways ribbon can be used for decorations and fancy work. Hundreds of beautiful articles can be made that were not thought of a few years ago and which now have developed into art that is well worth considering. One is looking for ways to earn money or a means of helping with weekly expenses. What could be more charming for table decorations than loops and bows of shimmering ribbon caught in the center over the table chandelier with a bunch of flowers or long loops and ends extending to a corner, where they are fastened by other bows?

A bridal table decorated with white ribbon, white flowers and maiden fern is lovely. The centerpiece is a golden basket, filled with flowers, set upon a plateau of fern and with a huge wired bow of soft white ribbon. Ends of the ribbon extend each place, where it is fastened down a fancy box containing a square wedding cake. This box is made white satin and tied with a soft rosiel bow of ribbon.

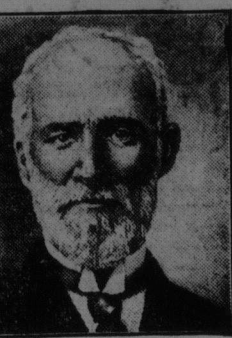
Clusters of ribbon are used for center favors at each lady's place and as a corsage decoration. These made to correspond with the scheme and decorations of the table. Ribbon flowers for corsage decoration



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the heavy couching cord in your left
hand and sew it flat on the outline by
stitches across it in other thread. The
veins will be outlined as in the first
suggestion.

A lovely solid effect can be obtained
by filling in the large leaves with large
seed stitches - back-stitches. Darning
stitches, the long stitch on the right
side and all running in parallel lines,
will also give a pretty effect.

If you work these on tan linen, use
two or three shades of purple for grapes
and, if you can, shade some of them.
A soft shade of green for the leaves
and veins and either green or brown
for the tendrils and the circular bor-
ders are very effective. Finish the whole
with heavy lace if you wish to make

assurance doubly sure.
You will find that you will get sur-
prisingly quick results. And as for the
beauty-why, I think the page speaks
for itself, doesn't it?

Counting On A Deadlock.

prediction based upon present
ions throughout the country
give Mr. Wilson more delegates
convention that Mr. Harmon
eaker Clark, will have at the
The indications are, however,
e will go to the convention with
birds that is necessary to nomi-
Democratic presidential candi-
That is where Mr. Harmon,
er Clark and Gov. Marshall of
a come in. All are counting on
adlock and upon being the sec-
choice of a majority of the dele-
Mr. Clark's friends are openly
ing this claim for him. They are
to trip to stampede the conven-
is soon as it appears that nei-
v. Harmon nor Gov. Wilson can
on the first few ballots.

determined effort is being made
ertain Democratic leaders to ditch
Harmon boom. Mr. Bryan is the
and front of this movement and
the present writing he seems to
had some measure of success, for
is indicate that while the Ohio
rrior had things pretty much his
way last January, he is now be-
spoken of as a reactionary by a
many good Democrats in and
of public life. The Bryan plan is
surrect Mr. Harmon's interests,
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Representative Oscar W. Under-
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AROUND THE CITY

Will Preach in Zion Church. Rev. Mr. Armitage of London, Eng., will preach at the morning service in Zion Methodist church tomorrow.

Sunday School Teachers' Class. Rev. R. P. McKim will hold a class for Sunday school teachers in the Y. M. C. A. at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

Wife Beater Arrested. Louis Gallagher was given in charge last evening by his wife on the charge of beating and assaulting her in their home on Carmarthen street.

Manchester Liner Arrives. Steamship Manchester, Mariner, Captain Linton, passed Erie Island, N. S., last evening at 5:45 o'clock and arrives at Partridge Island shortly before midnight. She is from Manchester direct with a general cargo.

Lodge to Attend Church. At a meeting of Thorne Lodge I. O. G. T., last evening in Tabernacle Hall, Chief Templar Henry Blair occupied the chair. It was decided that the lodge attend the gospel temperance rally in Tabernacle United Baptist church on Monday evening. The members of the lodge will attend in a body.

Bad Summer for Longshorem. Officers of the Ship Laborers' Association, state that the past summer has been a very dull one for longshorem and that hundreds of their members have been obliged to engage in other occupations. At present there are few ocean going ships coming to the port and the indications are that there will be very little employment for longshorem till the first of November.

St. John Choral Society. The first rehearsal of the above will take place on Tuesday evening next at 8 o'clock sharp, in the Temple of Honor (downstairs) Hall, and it is requested that the most successful of all to join should be present. The rehearsal will last until about 9 o'clock and then the remainder of the evening will be spent socially. Musical programme has been arranged, and the ladies have kindly undertaken to provide refreshments. The fee for membership is one dollar for gentlemen and fifty cents for ladies.

The Temple Fair. The Temple of Honor fair will open on Saturday, Oct. 28th and will continue until the following Saturday. This is the fourth annual fair to be held by the Temple of Honor, and efforts are being made to make this year's the most successful of all. Many novel attractions will be introduced this year, and many of the booths being planned already and decorative scheme. Efficient committees are actively engaged preparing for the fair.

The Board of Works Inquiry. The committee investigating the board of works held another meeting yesterday afternoon and examined Street Supt. Winchester and Michael Carr, foreman in charge of street repairs. After examining a few more employees of the department, it is said they will put Ald. McGoldrick, chairman of the board, on the stand, and find out what he knows and if he has any suggestions to make with a view to increasing the efficiency of the department. There is talk now of having the committee extend its investigations into the administration of the water and sewerage board.

Big Crowd At Fair. The best yet was the version of those who attended the City Corner Band fair last evening. From early in the evening until the closing hour the rink was crowded, over 600 enthusiastic visitors being in attendance. The attractive booths and novel amusement features won immediate favor with the large throng. During the evening the 62nd Band rendered a choice programme of concert music and many of their numbers brought calls for encores. Tonight a larger crowd than ever is expected, as the fair grows in popularity each evening. The City Corner Band will provide the music and under the direction of Bandmaster F. Wadlington will direct the following programme: March, Belphegor; overture, Peasant and Poet; selection, Chimes of Normandy; waltz, Scotch Air; vocal solo, The Jolly Blacksmith; cornet solo, D. J. Gallagher, My Old Kentucky Home; selection, Reminiscence of Ireland; two-step, So-Ka-Lo-So-Lo; Scotch patrol, Wee MacGregor; march, Will Ye No Come Back Again.

CHIEF TO ENQUIRE ABOUT MOTOR TRUCKS

Chief Kerr Leaves on Monday for Massachusetts—Will Gather Information for Use by Safety Board.

Chief Kerr will leave on Monday to attend the annual convention of the Massachusetts State Firemen's Association at Lawrence. While away the chief will visit a number of American cities and make inquiries about the use of motor trucks for fire fighting apparatus, more particularly in reference to salvage corps wagons. A committee of the city council was appointed some time ago to look into the question of securing one motor truck for the use of the salvage corps, but no action will be taken until the chief submits a report on the results of his observations in the cities of Massachusetts, which he may visit.

One Dollar a Barrel. In round numbers coal will figure out about a dollar a barrel. How many barrels does it take to run you through the winter? This is the season you figure the coal bill and wonder how you can cut it down. The only and common sense method is to keep your chimney free from soot with a Universal Chimney Cleaner. By doing this you can ensure a perfect draft and can easily regulate your furnace, stove or grate. Costs \$5.00, lasts a lifetime. Universal Chimney Cleaner Company, Limited, Lake of the Woods Building, St. John, N. B.

Hit the mark on your fall hunting trip by wearing Hampshire's Sporting Boots—the kind marked "Hampshire's Solids."

SOCIALISTS TO TEST THEIR RIGHT TO HOLD MEETINGS IN STREET

Members of "Red" Party Claim Police Had No Right to Stop Their Soap Box Orators.

The local socialists have notified the civic authorities that they intend to test their right to hold open air meetings next summer. They claim that the socialists of Montreal, Winnipeg and other Canadian cities have acquired the right to hold meetings on streets where they do not interfere with traffic, though not without considerable trouble.

A few years ago the police of Montreal started to break up socialist meetings on the streets, confiscate their banners and arrest their soap box orators, with the result that the socialist party entered twenty-five actions for damages against the city authorities. The city authorities asked the socialists to withdraw their actions, and they did so on the understanding that they would be permitted to address meetings in the streets. Last summer the Montreal police protected the socialists in the right of free speech, and arrested a number of persons who attempted to break up the meetings. These disturbances were roundly lectured by the recorder, and threatened with severe penalties if they repeated the offence. The local socialists claim that they have as much right to protection when they are speaking on the streets as the biggest politician who holds a street parade and interferes with traffic as they have never done. They add that the excuse of the chief of police that their meetings were a cause of disturbance was unfounded, and would not be an excuse in any case, as it is his duty to prevent disturbances by other methods than denying citizens the right of assembly and free speech.

DISCIPLES OF CHRIST HOLD RALLY TONIGHT WILL TALK MISSIONS

Home Missions to be Feature of This Evening's Session of Convention—The Programme for Sunday.

This evening will be given over to a Home Mission rally in connection with the Disciples of Christ annual convention in the Douglas avenue church. No pains have been spared to get up a specially interesting programme for this meeting, and it is hoped there will be a large turnout. The male quartette will sing a number of selections. Mrs. George A. Horton will give one of her excellent readings, and addresses will be delivered by some of the most impressive speakers attending the conference.

Arrangements have been made for pulp supply for Sunday, as follows: Douglas avenue Christian church—morning prayer meeting, 7:20; morning sermon, 11 o'clock, Rev. W. F. Chase; Lord's Supper, 12 o'clock, at which Rev. O. H. Berry and Elder A. Payton will preside; Sunday school at 2:30; mission band rally, 3:30; sermon by Rev. H. R. Bell; 4 o'clock; evening sermon, 7 o'clock, Rev. H. Minnick; closing service 8 o'clock.

Carleton Methodist church—Rev. R. B. Wilson, 11 a. m. German street Baptist church, Rev. H. Minnick, 11 a. m. Carmarthen street Methodist, Rev. H. R. Bell, 11 a. m. Victoria street Baptist, Rev. H. E. Cook, 7 p. m. Queen Square Methodist, Rev. O. B. Emery, 7 p. m. Centenary Methodist, Rev. W. F. Chase, 7 p. m. Yesterday morning the following were elected officers for the ensuing year: H. E. Cook, of Burts Cove, York county, chairman; C. E. Lambert, Lord's Cove, P. E. I., vice-chairman; W. A. Barnes, St. John, secretary.

After the election of officers, letters from the various churches of the diocese were read, after which H. E. Cook presented a report of his Bible school at Burts Cove. The temperance committee then presented their report after which the report from the ways and means committee was dealt with. In connection with this report, the following resolutions were drawn up: That the collection on the coming Sunday from the various churches be donated to the Home Missionary fund. That during the months of January and July the churches be asked for an offering for Home Missions.

That Sunday-schools be urged to take up an offering for Home Missions, the time to be left to the discretion of said schools. That a request be made for a donation of \$50 to be applied on The Christian, a newspaper which is published under the auspices of the Home Board. That the C. W. B. M. and young people's auxiliaries be asked to contribute to the support of The Christian.

After the resolutions were approved, the fellowship of the convention was granted to visiting brethren who were present from the States. After J. S. McKay, of Boston, was introduced to the convention, J. S. Flagler spoke on the advisability of amalgamating the annual meeting and the Home Mission Board under one set of officers.

The afternoon meeting yesterday was taken up by the Christian Women's Board of Missions. Mrs. G. Horton gave a missionary reading during the afternoon, and Rev. H. Minnick gave an address on the work being done by the ladies. The offering which was then taken up proved to be most generous, one amounting to about \$100.

ALD. POTTS WILL BE A CANDIDATE FOR A SEAT ON COMMISSION

He Will Run on Land Tax Platform Providing New Form of City Government Goes into Effect.

"I was agreeably surprised at the interest shown in the question of the land tax by the delegates to the convention of the Union of New Brunswick Municipalities, at Newcastle," said Ald. Potts, who returned home yesterday. "When I introduced the subject at the convention last year in Woodstock, it was not received with any special favor, but from the attitude of the convention this year it was evident that most of the delegates have been giving some study to the subject. I consider the resolution calling upon the legislature to pass an act empowering municipalities to take a plebiscite on the question of changing their system of taxation and carrying out the will of the people without further reference to the legislature, an important step in advance. Ald. Stuart of Newcastle, made an interesting address on this question and I spoke for about 20 minutes. The union of municipalities is doing a good deal of good work in the way of developing interest in civic and municipal affairs, and strengthening the movement for home rule in cities and towns."

Ald. Potts intimated that as soon as the special committee is through with its investigation of the Board of Works, he will ask the council which was appointed to deal with the question of the land tax to resume its sessions, and proceed to carry out the instructions of the council in the matter of having the assessors make a report on the effects of the adoption of the land tax, supplemented by a business license tax and a poll tax. "I don't suppose we will be able to put the land tax scheme through the present council in time to be ratified by the legislature," he added. "But I believe the idea is gaining favor every day, and if the plan of governing the city by commission comes in next spring, I will run as a candidate for the commission on the land tax platform. If elected, I believe I would have a better chance of inducing the commission to adopt the idea than I have had with the council, which has seized upon many pretexts for delaying serious consideration of the proposition. If I am defeated, I will continue the agitation as a private citizen, and if the commission does not carry out the idea, I will be a candidate at every election till something is done. In my experience as an auctioneer, I have come upon many cases of people being driven from the city through the operations of our system of taxation and land tenure. The city has practically stood still for the last twenty years, and I believe it will continue to stand still until we change the system of taxation."

"I went into the council with that idea," he added, "that view on over a possible occasion, and I intend to keep hammering at it till something is done about it."

HOSPITAL COMMISSION WAS NOT UNANIMOUS IN FAVOR OF ASSISTANTS

Plan to Appoint Eight New Men Regarded as Compromise with Physicians on "Open Door" Agitation.

At the last meeting of the commissioners of the General Public Hospital, it was decided to appoint four medical and four surgical assistants to the staff of that institution. At the time this action was taken, it was admitted that it was a species of compromise with the members of the medical profession in the city who were agitating for the open door policy. Since the meeting the Standard has learned that the commissioners were not a unit in their action, and that one member of the board introduced a motion favoring the open door policy which was voted down by those present.

Although Dr. T. H. Lunney is the official secretary of those outside members of the profession who were responsible for the agitation in the first place, no official notification of the action of the commissioners in the matter had reached him last night. This, however, he said was just of course with the manner in which the hospital commissioners have been using his associates right along.

Their treatment he characterized as unfair. The open door system was only justice not only to the members of the medical profession but to the general public who had no doubt it would have to be adopted in the end. When those of his associates who were dissatisfied, had interviewed Premier Hazen on the point they were told to go to the municipality where, if they failed to carry their point, which was admitted to be just, they were to come back to the legislature. A great many of the members of the municipal council, however, were in favor of the change and when it came to the vote he had no doubt these would carry it.

The outside doctors who are interested in the movement are simply agitating for the right to be allowed to attend their patients in the hospital after they have been taken there. At present only the resident staff have the right of visiting all patients in the institution.

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