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EGENT NORTH  
SHORE DEATHS

Newcastle, Oct. 8.—The body of the late  
Oliver Travis, of Medford (Mass.),  
of the late Wallace Travis, of Whit-  
ville (N. B.), which was brought here  
Friday night to the residence of his  
brother, accompanied by his mother, sister  
Brooks, was taken to Whiteville Wed-  
nesday for interment. Rev. Dr. Cook  
conducted the services here, and Rev.  
E. Piper at the grave. The funeral  
was largely attended. A magnificent  
casket was sent by the South Medford  
Methodist church, of which deceased was an  
elder member. The pall bearers were  
Messrs. Charles and Emory. The  
funeral of the late Thomas McDon-  
ald took place at Barnaby River, Sunday  
evening, was seventy-nine years old, and  
on Oct. 7 he died at his home.  
Two deaths took place yesterday—  
that of John Donovan, of Renouf River, and  
of an infant child of Mr. and Mrs.  
Hutchinson, of Boom Road. Both  
deaths took place tomorrow forenoon.  
The three-year-old Richard Lee, of  
Barnaby River, broke his collar bone by  
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# BALKANS STATES BREAK NOW TURKEY THE RECKONING

## Montenegro Takes the Lead

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# DEFENSES TO BE BRITISH ALLIES

## SAW LARGE VESSEL BURN OFF SAMBRO

### Lighthouse Keeper Sent Wireless Message to Halifax of Dis- aster Last Night—Government Steamer Starts to Search for Crew.

Halifax, Oct. 8.—At 9 o'clock this evening  
Light House Keeper Gilkie, at Sambro,  
sent a wireless message to the agent  
of the marine department at Halifax that  
a large vessel or steamer was on fire off  
Prospect, west of Sambro. An hour later  
he sent a second message that the vessel  
had sunk. No other particulars were  
available.

### Danger of Blaze Spreading

Paris, Oct. 8.—Bulgaria, in reply to the  
powers, will thank them for their interest  
in the cause of the Balkan people, accord-  
ing to a despatch from Sofia. The exact  
text of the Bulgarian reply is not known,  
but it is believed that the Bulgarian gov-  
ernment will ask the powers to obtain from  
Turkey a similar promise of return of the  
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# PARLIAMENT MEETS NOVEMBER 21?

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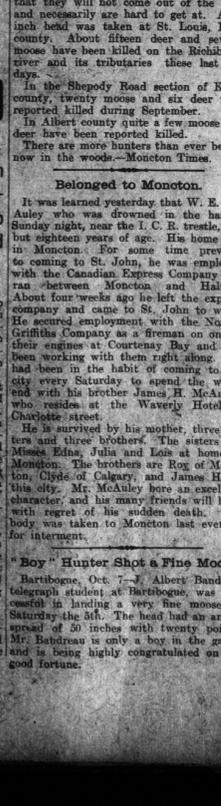
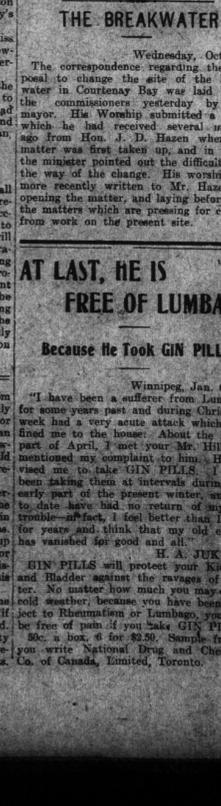
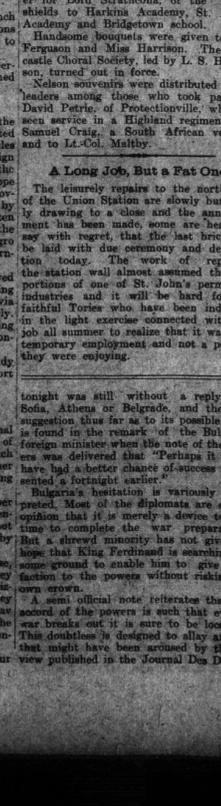
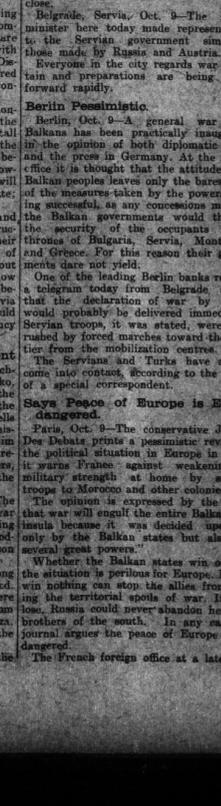
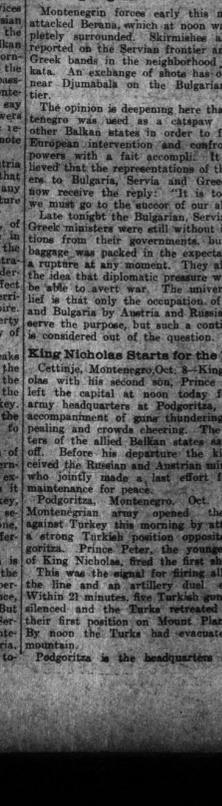
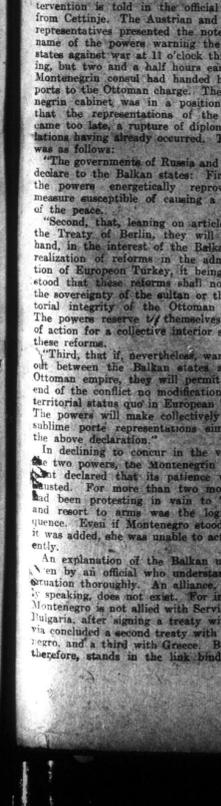
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# A REMARKABLY SIGNIFICANT DEMONSTRATION IN HONOR OF DEFEATED POLITICAL CHIEF

## Seven Bands from Outside Places and Contingents of Paraders Hundreds Strong Streamed Into Woodstock and Overcrowded the Halls

### SIR WILFRID LAURIER IS HAILED AS THE VERY BEST LOSER IN CANADA

Woodstock, Ont., Oct. 4.—As a climax to Laurier's week's tour of old Ontario came the Woodstock demonstration. The Imagine Younger street from College street to Queen on a Saturday night. Eliminate some of the trolleys, light up the Hydro chasers, and put half a dozen brass bands at intervals. Then start a torch-light procession from College street to the arena—a procession over half a mile long. 75 automobiles pay with flags, elaborate, some of them with bunting, the 2nd Regimental Band of the Oxford Rifles following playing "The Buffs," then a double file of torch bearers from Woodstock, followed by the Inverell Pipeband, then the West Oxford delegates bearing the banner "West Oxford Welcomes Laurier," then more torches, then the Galt Klubb Band, and then more torches. Then came the Hamilton, front showing the canal and the tiger and a Highland lad with a drawn sword.

**The Hamilton Contingent.**

Behind this symbolic marching came the Hamilton contingent, 276 strong, led by John Lennox, president, marching valiantly at the head of the line. Then came Hamilton's truck band, the 10th Highlanders, heralding the open carriage which contained Sir Wilfrid Laurier, N. W. Howell, K.C., and Mr. E. W. Nesbitt, M.P., and after this carriage half a dozen more containing members of the late dominion cabinet and nearly all the more prominent Western Ontario politicians of the Liberal side. London delegates, 300 (count them), came in a special train, 300 marching behind the London banner, 300 marching behind the "fastness of North Waterloo," 300 stout yeomen from St. Thomas, 200 bargainers from the loyal city of Guelph, 200 more

**THE AMERICANS WILL 'NO' TAK' ZORRA!**

"No," said Sir Wilfrid adapting an anecdote. "The Americans may frighten the Tories; they may annex Toronto; they may annex Montreal, but they'll no' tak' Zorra."

Where those cheers given? Three times, and then three times again, and a tier. And after the cheering a man started. "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow," and gradually, laughing and cheering, the crowd took it up and on-tour-ed it through to the end, Sir Wilfrid standing smiling, but almost at a loss whether to sit down or remain standing.

"I would be a strange fellow, indeed, if I were not a jolly fellow, with such an audience as I see before me now," said Sir Wilfrid when the last "nobly can't deny" had died away. "An audience composed of men not only from Woodstock, from the good old county of Oxford, the land of such great Liberals as George Brown, Oliver Mowat, Richard Cartwright, and as I will confidently add, your own friend here, Mr. Rowell."

"It may be a good loss, but I would sooner be a good loser, and I still hope to be a good winner. For we were not defeated in the last election; we were simply swept out of office by a wave not altogether creditable to the victorious party. I am not satisfied to be a loser, without another tussle with the Tories, and the sooner the better." (Cheers.)

"Sir Wilfrid took up the history of the past year's Conservative administration. "Open the book of their administration," he cried, "and you find a blank, and the crowd laughed.

Referring to the last campaign and the liberal side of annexation then raised, Sir Wilfrid made a telling local allusion to the West Zorra top-of-war team of Embro, North Oxford, who won the championship of the world at the Chicago World's Fair.

"The Americans can annex Canada according to what they said last September.

"There is not a Liberal in this audience or in Canada who need blush for the policy we propounded at the last election."—Sir Wilfrid at Onaham.

from Galt, 3 coaches full, a contingent from Stratford and points north, contingents in fact from almost everywhere within the radius of a day's railway travel, north, south, east and west, in between.

**Did I tell you?**

Imagine this procession in a blaze of rockets moving down Young street with a Yonge street crowd on the kerbs and you have an idea of the scene on Dundas street last night in Woodstock.

The normal population of Woodstock amounts to about 10,000 people. Reinforced by the surrounding towns and cities, and by the farmers of agricultural centres as Oxford, Waterloo, Middlesex, Norfolk, and Perth, the population of Woodstock last night was abnormal, and those who were not in the rush in the Opera House were on the route of that procession.

"When I tell you I am proud of the reception I received in this town of Woodstock today you might very well tell me like my honest Scotch friend in Inverness, Megarty, coming in in a boat, a similar occasion, 'I know you are.'"

**Tumult of Enthusiasm.**

As Sir Wilfrid came up the long aisle of the Woodstock hall, headed by the 10th Highlanders band, the scene as witnessed from the altitude of the platform, presented a tumult of enthusiasm, such as Woodstock never saw before, nor anything like it before.

Previous political demonstrations in Woodstock have always found sufficient room in the Woodstock Opera House, which holds, it is estimated, about 2,000 people. Last night the Opera House was jammed full, not as the chief scene of the meeting, but as an overflow of the main demonstration in the skating rink, one of those great buildings where O. H. A. matches are played in winter, and which, springing up in the last decade, have afforded Ontario towns a great outlet for mass meetings, and used to be held in some of the big cities. The acoustic properties of these great rinks

**THE HERO OF WOODSTOCK.**

Mr. Rowell, who followed Sir Wilfrid, made an eloquent plea for the application of Liberal principles to the government of the province of Ontario.

"Three cheers for the hero of Woodstock," cried a voice, and they were given with Woodstock heartiness.

"It is my privilege to join in Woodstock's welcome to Sir Wilfrid," began Mr. Rowell. "It comes this time, not as premier of the dominion, but as leader of the opposition, and you welcome is just as enthusiastic as if he were still premier, and a little more affectionate since his defeat." (Cheers.)

"That the Conservatives in Ontario should make up to Sir Wilfrid the fifteen seats he lost in Quebec to the Nationalists in the last election, was one of the many effective things made up by Mr. Rowell."

"It cost Sir Wilfrid fifteen seats for his loyalty to British connection. If it too much to ask that Ontario give him fifteen seats to make up?"

"No," "Thirty," cried back the crowd. "It is perhaps too much to expect of Ontario Conservatives that they should give Sir Wilfrid thirty seats," replied Mr. Rowell. "I think he would be satisfied with fifteen on this score, and fifteen on other scores for which he deserves Ontario's recognition."

Turning to Ontario politics, Mr. Rowell said that he believed the policy of bluff and bluster would not long continue to be satisfactory to the people of Ontario.

**End of Anticory.**

"He will no longer mistake bluster for courage, and bluster for honesty," declared the leader of the Ontario opposition. "Is there a human who proves the antagonistic government of Sir James Whitney? He cannot understand that a man is elected to serve the people, and that the people have rights. Conservatives say the Liberals have nothing to complain of; he treats them the same way. We believe in what Liberals have always stood for, that we should put an end to anticory rule."

Mr. Rowell contrasted the two temperance policies, saying that Sir James had been stamped.

"We have taken a frank stand," (cheers) and on it, we shall stand or fall," said Mr. Rowell, who predicted that at the next session of the legislature they would have the truth on Sir James in regard to that Rik Lake telegram, or know the reason why.

"You have appointed me leader, and I have promised to lead," cried Mr. Rowell in his eloquent conclusion. "I will lead if you will follow. Together, we will work to make Ontario an example for the do-

# WILSON AGAINST LEGALIZED MONOPOLY

## Democratic Candidate Sees in Roosevelt's Scheme for Governmental Control of Trusts, Their Enthronement in Washington—Declares High Protection is Not Necessary for High Wages—Stands for Free Markets and Abolition of Class Legislation.

Norton, Kas., Oct. 8.—That the "very men who have been most successful in building up the trusts are also the very men who have been most successful in preventing the organization of labor" was the contention of Governor Woodrow Wilson in an address here today devoted largely to what he characterized as "the pervasive power of the great interests which now dominate our development."

"Don't you know," he asked, "that one of the objects of their combination is to control the labor market? And do you imagine that they have ever set deliberate plans for giving the workmen anything comparable in the way of wages to the proportion of the profit which they themselves pocket? They do not have to care for the laboring man any more than he can get in the competition of the market. And they do not give him any more. As a matter of fact, some of the most highly productive industries in this country pay very much lower wages than the unprotected industries. And some of the most highly protected industries pay wages that are below the living scale, at the same time that the profits they are making are so great that they can build new factories out of their surplus every second year. It is one of the grandest pieces of bluff and humbug that has ever been known in the history of political deception."

**Wants Competition for Labor.**

"I want to widen the market for American labor. I want to see conditions exist in which men will compete for American labor. I want again to see a time when we shall realize that the high-

estriated labor in the world is the cheapest labor in the world, that what is produced by brains and intelligence and skillful touch is a great deal cheaper than what is produced by stupidity and dullness and the whip of the master."

"I tell you this, that American labor up to date is the cheapest in the world. I can prove it. American manufacturers compete in foreign markets in the sale of goods manufactured in these markets near those markets, by labor that receive only one-third the remuneration of American labor. Now, what does that mean? It means they can afford to pay American workers three times as much and still undersell their competitors in the foreign markets, and yet the American working-man is told that the amount of his wages depends upon the protective tariff. It depends upon him. It depends upon what is inside of his thinking box. And when you once get to a system of regulated monopoly, then you get a system of controlled labor, don't forget that. Narrow the lines of competition and you stiffen the lines of labor control. You have not now a free market for your labor any more than you have a free market for your commodities; for under this system of monopoly, regulated or unregulated, the monopolist can determine the amount of goods to be produced, and therefore determine the amount of labor to be employed and the prices that the goods are to bring."

**The People Know What They Want.**

"As I travel from one part of the country to the other," continued the governor, "I see no essential difference among the people in the different parts of it. The same thing is written in their eyes and it is not a gleam of fierceness. It is a light of self-confidence. They know what they want and they know they are going to get it. Anybody who supposes that economic questions and political questions are two different things is very much mistaken because these things have been so closely married with one another in our recent political practice that it is impossible to discriminate between them."

"And this gives me an opportunity to allude to something that I read very recently in an industrial newspaper. It was an editorial in which I must say that the editor did me personally more than justice. But he saw in me an unintentional Machiavelli. It said in effect, 'This is an honest man; he honestly believes that a protective tariff is unconstitutional, and if he gets a chance, being an honest man, he will open that unconstitutional arrangement.' That good reasoning but it was entirely inconsistent with another part of the editorial which very kindly ascribed brains to me."

"One of the things that every well-informed man knows is that about half the people in the United States are Democrats. As a well-informed man, I know that they are engaged in every kind of industry, and that they could not unite to accomplish economic murder and destruction without also deliberately accomplishing economic suicide."

So far as my present concern, I would with the greatest respect call the editor's attention to a little utterance

**Free Markets Wanted.**

"How are you going to get a free government? That is the point. The absolute necessary first step is to disentangle us from the things which have been entangled. What we want is free markets for our commodities and free markets for our labor; and we haven't got them. What we want is free enterprise for one thing; but we haven't got it. What we want is free competing water routes that will enable us to handle the heavier kinds of our goods in transportation without depending upon the railway monopoly; and we haven't got them, and can't get them as things stand now. What we want is genuine conservation of our natural resources and we can't get it as things stand now."

"Have you noticed that the trouble about conservation is that the government of the United States hasn't any policy at present? It is simply marking time. It is simply standing still. Reservation is not conservation."

"We know perfectly well that there can't be a free government, and what we want is a point out to you is this: The centre of all our economic difficulties is that there is no freedom of enterprise in the United States."

**No License for Monopoly.**

"I am not interested in disturbing the great course of business in this country, but I am interested in enriching it; I am interested in varying it. And I know that the only way to do it is by the method I have suggested by regulated competition instead of legitimized monopoly. After you have made the partnership between monopoly and your government permanent, then I invite all the philanthropists in the United States to come out and sit on the stage and go through the motions of finding out how they are going to get philanthropy out of the masters."

"I, for one, do not desire assistance from the government in anything but discussion and pity. I want only that consideration which is given in justice and righteousness and good faith. We are not children to be taken care of. We live in a free government and can't be taken anything but free air, and we want to take care of ourselves. This business of setting up individuals or parties as special favorites in one of the things that is played out. So far as my pride is concerned, I would just as leave have a malevolent boss as a beneficent boss. I don't want any boss at all."

"This is a year of critical choice. After the year 1912 it may be too late to turn back. Don't deceive yourself for a moment as to the pervasive power of the great interests which now dominate our development. They are so great that it is almost an open question whether the government of the United States can dominate them or not. Go one step further, make their organized power permanent, and it may be too late to turn back."

# OUTLINES DEFENCE OF "DYNAMITERS"

## Counsel for Indicted Iron Workers' Officials Says That the Three Men Responsible for the Explosions Have Pleaded Guilty, and That the Other 45 Are Innocent.

Indianapolis, Oct. 8.—What the defence will be in the trial of forty-five men accused by the government of complicity in the "dynamite conspiracy" was outlined before the jury today by William N. Harding, attorney for defendants.

Mr. Harding said at the outset it would be shown that the executive board of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers never appropriated a dollar to be used for dynamiting, and that those three men already ready have pleaded guilty.

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"When you have heard all the testimony," said Mr. Harding, "we think you will have concluded that about three men were engaged in the nefarious work of dynamiting, and that those three men already have pleaded guilty."

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**How to Double Our Population**

James Robinson Says Piping Natural Gas to St. John Will Do It

**WHY HE THINKS SO**

Instances Calgary and Other Places, and Says Cheap Industrial Power is the Key to Rapid Expansion Here.

Thursday, Oct. 10.

"How to double St. John's population in five years" was a text on which James Robinson, of Miramichi, spoke eloquently in an interview on St. John's prospect at the Royal last evening. Mr. Robinson, a former member of the house of commons, the originator of the coast-to-coast national highway, is an expert, but an exceedingly practical one. He believes in this province and in this city, but he dwells on the importance of cities helping themselves by originating short cuts to growth and prosperity.

"St. John," he said, "needs population. The way to get it is to get industries that will give profitable employment to thousands of new people and stop the natives from moving away. The way to get industries is to add natural gas to St. John's many other great advantages as a manufacturing and distributing point. They are in Albert county one of the finest supplies of natural gas to be found anywhere in the world. In pressure, in quality, and in quantity, it is not to be beat. It is unlikely that this gas can be tapped at Sussex or some point nearer St. John than Moncton, and if so the problem is not the easier. But there is no better place where the leaders in business, real progressives, have not been afraid to branch out and get things done in a way worthy of the twentieth century.

"No doubt the arrival of cheap power would mean that the iron and steel would be melted here instead of being shipped away, and a steel industry would follow. One big industry brings others of like interests. After the first few years there would be no difficulty if modern plants were pursued. Your city authorities, if they looked into this matter in a practical way, would not fall to be struck by its possibilities. Natural gas would quickly do just what you have been striving to do for years—build up St. John, make it a great Canadian city, not a great seaport merely but an aggressive manufacturing city shipping its products everywhere."

Mr. Robinson, by the way, says the lumber outlook on the North Shore is all right, and that the Dominion Canadian duty of from \$1.25 to \$2 a thousand on lumber removed the New Brunswick lumberman would have a chance. And he isn't talking politics at all.

**Successful Alma Hunters.**

Alma, Oct. 7.—Big game hunting has been very successful in this vicinity. Eldon Dixon and Hall Bullard each got a moose recently and John E. Teahan, Sr., killed a deer.

A pretty and novel idea is to serve hot biscuits, folded in napkin, in little sweet grass baskets.

**LITTLE DEMAND FOR GOVERNMENT'S SHEEP AT ST. STEPHEN**

Thirty-five of the Forty-five Offered, Sold, But They Brought Low Prices.

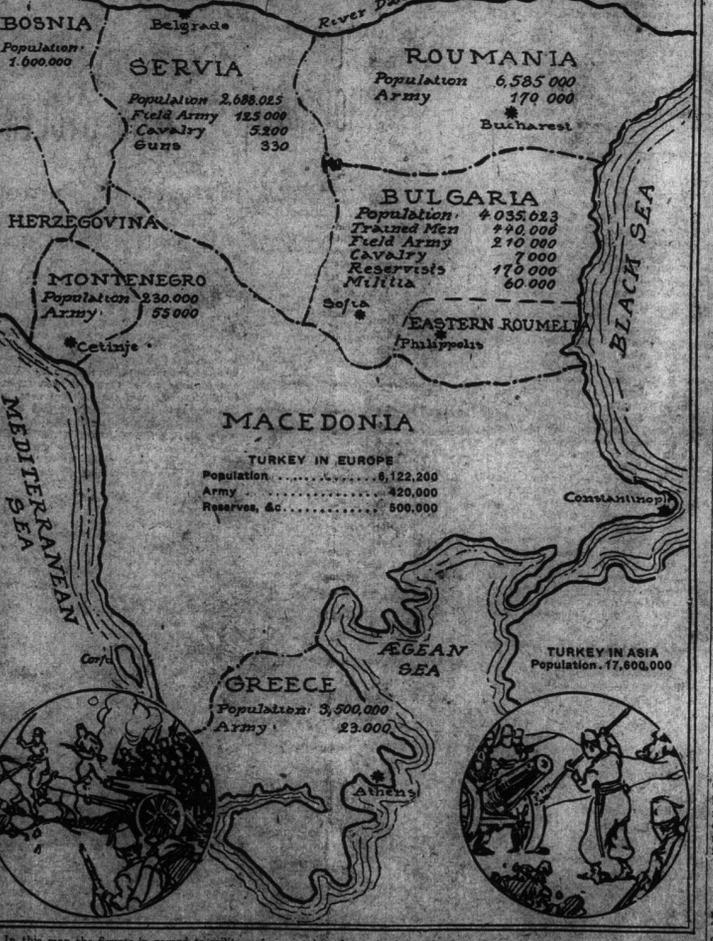
St. Stephen, N. B., Oct. 8.—(Special.)—The government sale of sheep was held here today. There were forty-five sheep for sale and the auctioneer succeeded in disposing of thirty-five of them. Prices ran low but the sheep were placed in different sections of the country.

**LEARNING FAST.**

"All, sir, we do enjoy your sermons," remarked an old lady to the new curate. "They are so instructive. Indeed, sir, we didn't know what sin was until you came to the parish—we didn't indeed, sir."

White faces should be laid away in blue or yellow paper.

# SCENE OF THE WAR IN THE NEAR EAST, WITH FIGURES GIVING POPULATION AND THE ARMIES' STRENGTH



**THE AMERICANS WILL 'NO' TAK' ZORRA!**

"No," said Sir Wilfrid adapting an anecdote. "The Americans may frighten the Tories; they may annex Toronto; they may annex Montreal, but they'll no' tak' Zorra."

Where those cheers given? Three times, and then three times again, and a tier. And after the cheering a man started. "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow," and gradually, laughing and cheering, the crowd took it up and on-tour-ed it through to the end, Sir Wilfrid standing smiling, but almost at a loss whether to sit down or remain standing.

"I would be a strange fellow, indeed, if I were not a jolly fellow, with such an audience as I see before me now," said Sir Wilfrid when the last "nobly can't deny" had died away. "An audience composed of men not only from Woodstock, from the good old county of Oxford, the land of such great Liberals as George Brown, Oliver Mowat, Richard Cartwright, and as I will confidently add, your own friend here, Mr. Rowell."

"It may be a good loss, but I would sooner be a good loser, and I still hope to be a good winner. For we were not defeated in the last election; we were simply swept out of office by a wave not altogether creditable to the victorious party. I am not satisfied to be a loser, without another tussle with the Tories, and the sooner the better." (Cheers.)

"Sir Wilfrid took up the history of the past year's Conservative administration. "Open the book of their administration," he cried, "and you find a blank, and the crowd laughed.

Referring to the last campaign and the liberal side of annexation then raised, Sir Wilfrid made a telling local allusion to the West Zorra top-of-war team of Embro, North Oxford, who won the championship of the world at the Chicago World's Fair.

"The Americans can annex Canada according to what they said last September.

**THE HERO OF WOODSTOCK.**

Mr. Rowell, who followed Sir Wilfrid, made an eloquent plea for the application of Liberal principles to the government of the province of Ontario.

"Three cheers for the hero of Woodstock," cried a voice, and they were given with Woodstock heartiness.

"It is my privilege to join in Woodstock's welcome to Sir Wilfrid," began Mr. Rowell. "It comes this time, not as premier of the dominion, but as leader of the opposition, and you welcome is just as enthusiastic as if he were still premier, and a little more affectionate since his defeat." (Cheers.)

"That the Conservatives in Ontario should make up to Sir Wilfrid the fifteen seats he lost in Quebec to the Nationalists in the last election, was one of the many effective things made up by Mr. Rowell."

"It cost Sir Wilfrid fifteen seats for his loyalty to British connection. If it too much to ask that Ontario give him fifteen seats to make up?"

"No," "Thirty," cried back the crowd. "It is perhaps too much to expect of Ontario Conservatives that they should give Sir Wilfrid thirty seats," replied Mr. Rowell. "I think he would be satisfied with fifteen on this score, and fifteen on other scores for which he deserves Ontario's recognition."

Turning to Ontario politics, Mr. Rowell said that he believed the policy of bluff and bluster would not long continue to be satisfactory to the people of Ontario.

**End of Anticory.**

"He will no longer mistake bluster for courage, and bluster for honesty," declared the leader of the Ontario opposition. "Is there a human who proves the antagonistic government of Sir James Whitney? He cannot understand that a man is elected to serve the people, and that the people have rights. Conservatives say the Liberals have nothing to complain of; he treats them the same way. We believe in what Liberals have always stood for, that we should put an end to anticory rule."

Mr. Rowell contrasted the two temperance policies, saying that Sir James had been stamped.

"We have taken a frank stand," (cheers) and on it, we shall stand or fall," said Mr. Rowell, who predicted that at the next session of the legislature they would have the truth on Sir James in regard to that Rik Lake telegram, or know the reason why.

"You have appointed me leader, and I have promised to lead," cried Mr. Rowell in his eloquent conclusion. "I will lead if you will follow. Together, we will work to make Ontario an example for the do-

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MAJORITY OF 429 AGAINST PROPOSED EARLY CLOSING LAW

Only 2619 Votes Cast, But Number is Large Enough to Be Regarded as Fair Expression of Opinion, and Vindicates Course Taken by Commissioners in Referring Matter to Electors.

Wednesday, Oct. 9. By a vote of 1,624 to 1,095 the citizens of St. John decided yesterday that they did not wish to adopt the proposed early closing law which has been promoted by the members of the Early Closing Association. The campaign on behalf of the proposed law was made largely on the plea that the clerks in the stores should not be forced to work later than 7 o'clock. The fact that it was defeated seems to have been due not to lack of sympathy with the clerks but to other considerations which outweighed their claims in the eyes of the voters. The number of votes cast, 2,619, although not large, is large enough to be regarded as a fair expression of opinion and the majority of 429 is sufficiently decisive to settle the matter without doubt.

That the first attempt to secure new legislation by the initiative was defeated may seem surprising in view of the fact that the petition for the plebiscite was signed by more than 1,400 voters. There is a difference, however, in signing a petition presented by a neighbor and the expression of the elector's actual opinion on the matter in the secrecy of the polling booth. In addition to this many of those who signed the petition may have changed their minds on the subject as they learned more of the matter. The result is a vindication of the judgment of the commissioners who refused to pass the legislation sought by the petition without recourse to the ballot box for the expression of the will of the citizens.

The pronouncement was very strongly in favor of allowing those storekeepers who wish to do so to remain open in the evenings, and in the workmen's wards where the small shops are most numerous and where they are largely patronized, this expression of opinion was most emphatic. Only four wards, Louis, Lawrence, Victoria, and Brooks, voted in favor of the measure. The majority in the North End wards seems to be partly due to the fact that the voters there are in favor of early closing has its origin in

CITY MAY PURCHASE COAL AND SELL IT TO USE IN NEED AT COST PRICE

His Worship the Mayor Brings Up Matter of Vital Importance—Suggestion Made That Public Utilities Commission Be Empowered to Investigate Cost and Selling Prices of Necessary Commodities—Statements of Dealers.

Tuesday, Oct. 8. A matter of vital importance to almost every household was brought before the commissioners at the meeting of the common council yesterday afternoon, when his worship drew attention to the threatened coal famine. His worship pointed out that it was not merely a matter of higher prices but of not being able to get coal at all price.

This is a matter of serious inconvenience to householders who wish to lay in their winter's supply, but it is, he said, of still greater importance to those people whose means prohibit them buying in large quantities and who are now left dependent on the coal dealer to supply them. The mayor suggested that it might be advisable to seek legislation which would empower the Public Utilities Commission to investigate such matters affecting the welfare of the people and also to investigate the cost and selling prices of necessary commodities.

ADVANTAGES OF PROVANCE NOT PLACED BEFORE THEM

Lord Clinton Declares Many Immigrants Are Scarcely Aware That New Brunswick Exists—Deplores Lack of Publicity Here.

Tuesday, Oct. 8. Lord Clinton said that he had been up country on a hunting trip and had been much pleased with the appearance of the province. He said that he had been surprised to find that many of the immigrants in that province have not been placed before them, and that the advantages of the province have not been placed before them. "The people are scarcely aware of its existence, while the west has been boomed extensively in European countries for a long time, with the result that New Brunswick is only a place on the map which the immigrants pass through on their way to the west."

A TEST FOR MILK

A simple and effective test to determine whether water is present in milk may be made with an ordinary knitting-needle, if the needle is bright and well polished.

WEDDINGS

Naves-Foxes. Monday evening, at 173 Waterloo street, at the home of the officiating clergyman, Frederick Naves and Miss Margaret Eleanor Foxes were united in marriage by Rev. M. E. O'Connell. Mr. Naves and Miss Foxes both belong to St. John, and will take up their residence here.

Schofield-Peters. Thursday, Oct. 10. Germain street Baptist church was the scene of an interesting event at 8:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon when Henry Wilson Schofield, son of the late Samuel Schofield of this city, and Miss Hilda Peters were united in marriage. The church, which was crowded with guests and other friends, was prettily decorated for the occasion with palms, evergreens, autumn leaves and roman berries. Rev. F. S. Porter officiated at the ceremony and the S. E. Fisher presided at the organ. The choir, under the leadership of George Cooper, assisted with the musical portion of the service.

King-Henry. Thursday, Oct. 10. The residence of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Henry in Gibson was the scene of a pretty wedding yesterday, when Miss Mary Catherine Henry was married to Beverly M. King. They left for their future home at Walden (B. C.) on Monday. The bride was given away by her young brother, who was assisted by her young sister, and the bridegroom was escorted by his young brother, who was assisted by his young sister.

Man-Rand. Monday, Oct. 8 (Special)—A pretty wedding took place this evening at the home of Mrs. N. L. Rand, Campbell street, when her daughter, Miss Minnie, was united in marriage to J. S. Mann, manager of the Bank of New Brunswick at St. John. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. L. Batty, pastor of Central Methodist church. The bride, who was given away by her brother, Ivan C. Rand, was attended by Miss Estelle and Miss Edith. The bridegroom was accompanied by his young brother, J. S. Mann, and his young sister, Edith.

Graves-Lynn. Albert N. B., Oct. 9—A very interesting wedding took place on the 9th inst. at the residence of Capt. John P. Lynn, when his daughter, Greta May, was united in marriage to Zen William Graves. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. M. Lynn. The bride was given away by her father, and the bridegroom was escorted by his young brother, Zen William Graves. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. M. Lynn.

O'Neill-Mace. Thursday, Oct. 10. Many St. John friends will be interested in the wedding of Charles P. O'Neill of this city to Miss Alice G. Mace, which took place yesterday morning in Dorchester (Mass.). Mr. O'Neill is a well-known business man and associated with his father, in the city market firm of D. J. O'Neill & Co. He is a popular young St. John man and has been active in the G. M. B. A., having been president of Branch 134 here. The bride was Miss Alice G. Mace, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Mace, of Dorchester, Mass., and until recently a popular young woman in Boston. The wedding was performed by Rev. Edward Kenney of St. Peter's church, Meeting House Hill. The bride was given away by her father, and the bridegroom was escorted by his young brother, Charles P. O'Neill.

Tugh-Apt. Thursday, Oct. 10. The wedding of Miss Ida May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Apt, to Ralph Tugh, took place at 7:15 o'clock yesterday morning at the home of the bride's parents, 14 High street, which was made attractive for the occasion by a floral decoration. Mr. Tugh, formerly of Warren, N. B., is a member of the office staff of T. S. Simms & Co., Ltd., and the bride for several years has been connected with W. A. Simons's office. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. B. Appel in the presence of about fifty guests and the wedding march was played by Miss Laura Myles. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a tan traveling costume and black hat trimmed with brown. After the ceremony a dainty wedding breakfast was served and Mr. and Mrs. Tugh left on the Boston boat for their future home in the States. On their return they will reside in Main street. They received many handsome presents including a china closet and a parlor table from the firm.

Baxter-Caldwell. Thursday, Oct. 10. A quiet wedding took place at the St. James' church last evening, when the Rev. H. A. Cody united in marriage Sergeant George Robert Baxter, one of the most popular police officials in the city, and Miss Melissa Caldwell, of Cumberland Bay, Queens county. The happy couple were attended by the bride's sister, Mrs. H. E. Brown, and Mr. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter will reside at 168 St. James street.

Wormock-Nice. Thursday, Oct. 10. A pretty wedding took place in St. Jude's church, West End, at 7:30 o'clock last evening, when Rev. G. F. Stevier, united in marriage John F. Wormock and Miss Evelyn Nice, both of West St. John. The bride was given away by her father, Frederick Nice, and the bridegroom was escorted by his young brother, Leonard Armstrong and Charles Stevens were present at the church.

Watson O. Beals. Sussex, N. B., Oct. 7—The death of Watson O. Beals at the age of sixty-eight, occurred on Oct. 4 at Mt. Middleton. He had been a resident of the community for forty years, and was a veteran of the American Civil War. He was a son of the late Rev. W. D. Beals. In addition to his widow he leaves two daughters, Mrs. William Kerr, of Sussex, and Miss Emma Beals, at home, two brothers and four sisters. The brothers are William, of Collins, and Harry of Collins, and the sisters are Mrs. J. W. Chapman and Mrs. H. P. Chapman, of Mt. Middleton, Mrs. Joseph Hornbrook, of Sussex, and Mrs. Robert Dunlop, of St. John.

John W. Borden. Halifax, Oct. 8 (Special)—The death occurred at the Home for Aged Men tonight of John W. Borden, formerly of Lower Horton, Kings county. He was a cousin of the late Hon. R. L. Borden, Sir Fred. Borden and Dr. Borden, of Sackville. He will be buried at Lower Horton.

A. J. S. Copp, ex-M. P. Digby, Oct. 8—Albert J. S. Copp, ex-M. P., died at his home in Digby yesterday after a lingering illness, aged fifty-four years. He is survived by a widow and two daughters, Ethel and Kate, all of whom are at home. He also leaves one brother, T. J. Copp, of Amherst, and one sister, Mrs. T. E. Shipley, of River Hebert, Cumberland county.

Mr. Copp was a son of the late Thomas Copp, of Digby, Cumberland county. He was educated at Amherst Academy and also at Dorchester and Sackville (N. B.). He was called to the Nova Scotia bar in 1870. In 1880 he moved to Digby, where for years he carried on a successful practice and was appointed crown prosecutor for Digby county in 1887. In 1893 he married Eliza, youngest daughter of the late Mrs. A. Denison, of this town. He was successful lawyer up to the time he entered politics, when he discontinued his practice.

Mr. Copp was a member of the Liberal party. In 1898 he was elected representative for Digby county at Amherst. He was again elected in 1900 and 1904. In 1906 he was defeated by Clarence Jameson, Digby's present M. P. The funeral will take place from his late residence tomorrow afternoon at 2:30, in the Episcopal cemetery.

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FINE WOODSTOCK RESIDENCE BURNED

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Minor Local Government Appointments. Fredericton, N. B., Oct. 9—The following appointments are gazetted: John A. B. Uprichart, Halifax's Point, Kings county, to be a auctioneer for the province.

Charlotte county—Melville N. Cookburn, E. C. to be a member of the board of school trustees of the town of St. Andrews, and chairman of said board, in the room of Melville N. Cookburn, whose term of office has expired.

Horace L. Sullivan and James E. Monahan, to be justices of the peace. Kings county—Leonard P. Crawford, to be a member of the board of trustees of the Kingston Consolidated School, in place of R. C. Williams, resigned.

Arthur R. Wetmore, of Kingston, to be a reviser for the parish of Kingston, in place of John Chaloner, deceased. David Trowdoot, of Anagance, to be an issuer of marriage licenses. Charles F. Givan and E. W. Gaunce, to be justices of the peace.

Malvern county—Henry Caron, to be a commissioner of the parish of Baker Lake, in place of Wm. T. Perron, to be a police magistrate for the town of Edmundston, in place of Joseph T. Martin, removed from office for cause.

Joseph Violette, of St. Leonard's, to be a member of the board of liquor license commissioners, in place of Fred Rivard, whose term of office has expired. Eddy Martin, to be a Labor Act commissioner for the parish of St. Anne, in place of Xavier Levesque, resigned.

Denis D. Theriault, to be a Labor Act commissioner for the parish of St. Basile, in place of Joachim Theriault, resigned. Wm. Cyr, to be a Labor Act commissioner for the parish of St. Hilare, in place of Trefle Sirois, removed from office on account of age.

St. John county and county—Elizabeth C. Skinner, to be a member of the board of school trustees for the city of St. John, in place of Elizabeth C. Skinner, whose term of office has expired. Victoria county—H. C. Glenn, to be a Labor Act commissioner for the parish of Drummond, in place of Dennis Mulhern. York county—W. Woodbridge Hubbard, to be a justice of the peace.

For the little girls there are charming little hats of velvet, veer, beaver and cloth. A bell-shaped model of tan veer has a ruffling of brown ribbon velvet about the crown and a flat bow at the side.

OBITUARY

Manchester, N. H., Oct. 8—John F. Frost, who has been active in the political and business life of the city for more than forty years, died following an operation at the Beacon Hill Hospital. He lived many years at St. John. When he was in St. John he was connected with the Boston and St. John, and followed the sea until the war broke out, when he spent a few years at St. John. In 1887 Mr. Frost was elected to the legislature for two years and then was twice elected a member of the board of aldermen and mayor. He was chairman of the Republican Executive Committee and Mount Washington Excursionist. In 1871, he was married on April 22, 1871, to Miss Ellen F. Lord, of Berwick, Me., who survives with a son, Albert C., and a daughter, Ruth.

Miss Laura Sullivan. Boston, Oct. 8—Miss Laura Sullivan, a native of St. John, is dead at her late residence, 2 Naum place, Roxbury district. She was the daughter of the late Ellen and Jeremiah Sullivan. She leaves three children: James, in the Canadian west; Thomas, in the Canadian west; and Llewellyn and Douglas, at home. Mrs. Sullivan was a member of the United States, Elizabeth in Boston, and Mary and Mary Estery and Nancy Kearney are sisters of the deceased.

The funeral will be held on Thursday morning from the home of the deceased to St. Gertrude's church and burial will be made in the Catholic cemetery. Sussex, N. B., Oct. 7—The death of Watson O. Beals at the age of sixty-eight, occurred on Oct. 4 at Mt. Middleton. He had been a resident of the community for forty years, and was a veteran of the American Civil War. He was a son of the late Rev. W. D. Beals. In addition to his widow he leaves two daughters, Mrs. William Kerr, of Sussex, and Miss Emma Beals, at home, two brothers and four sisters. The brothers are William, of Collins, and Harry of Collins, and the sisters are Mrs. J. W. Chapman and Mrs. H. P. Chapman, of Mt. Middleton, Mrs. Joseph Hornbrook, of Sussex, and Mrs. Robert Dunlop, of St. John.

GOOD CROPS OF OATS AND POTATOES IN KENT COUNTY

No Demand for Tubers by Dealers—Well Known Residents Pass Away.

Reyton, N. B., Oct. 10—Thomas Teed, a well known resident of Notre Dame, Kent county, passed away at his home there Sept. 30, at the age of 74 years. Mr. Teed had been ill about six months. He is survived by his widow, one daughter, and six sons. The daughter is Miss Edna, and the sons, who acted as pallbearers are Arthur, Albert, John, George, Charles, and Samuel. John and Ephraim Teed, of McDougall Settlement, are brothers. The funeral was held Oct. 2, in the church being at Notre Dame. Services at the home and graves were conducted by Rev. J. B. Young.

The funeral of Miss Elizabeth Kennedy took place Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of the deceased, which was largely attended. Services at the home and graves were conducted by Rev. A. D. Galloway. The pallbearers were Thomas Bell, Francis Weston, Captain John Orr, John Fraser, Richard Orr and James McNaught.

Dr. L. H. Price and F. N. Rankin of Moncton, visited the Tupper Fox farm, Summerside Saturday last. At the Tupper farm, in which there are in all thirty-five pairs of horses, are five pair which have been bought by the above mentioned parties. It is proposed to establish a fox farm near Buctouche in the spring and the harvest of the first year will be in the month of May. A man will be sent over later in the season to study the business preparatory to starting the industry at Buctouche.

E. Little, of Revestoke (B. C.), is visiting his father, Mr. E. Little, of St. John. Miss Eliza Spencer, of Boston, is visiting relatives at Coal Branch. Farmers are nearly through with their harvest. The oat crop is reported excellent but wheat is not so good. There is a large quantity of potatoes in the country, but buyers are not offering any price.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Swift, of New Glasgow, are visiting the former's old home at Coal Branch station. Mrs. W. B. Sherwood, of Moncton, is visiting her parents at Coal Branch. Mr. M. J. de Ollouvi, of Rogersville, is visiting his mother, Mrs. R. A. de Ollouvi. The sudden death occurred at Richibucto yesterday morning of Mrs. Leger, widow of Etienne Leger. Deceased and a little granddaughter were keeping house while other members of the family were at work in the field. The old lady took a weak spell, to which she was subject, and going to the door she fell, the little girl ran for her father, but when he reached home life was extinct. She was about 63 years of age and had been twice married. Her first husband being Lemuel LeBlanc, of Richibucto. Her last husband died suddenly while alighting from his carriage a little more than a year ago. Z. Leger is a stepson of deceased. The funeral will be held at Richibucto Friday evening morning. Rev. Father Martineau will celebrate mass.

The total number of votes cast in the early closing contest was 2,617, of which 1,938 were in favor of the proposed law and 1,549 against, a majority of 481 for the rejection of the measure. An error was caused in the morning papers by a mistake made by the returning officers in Brooks ward who reversed his figures in announcing the results and who did not turn his box in at city hall until yesterday morning. The boxes were opened yesterday morning by the common clerk and the official announcement of the result made.

The many friends of Miss Bertha M. Graham, daughter of Simon L. Graham, who was killed in the explosion at Worcester (Mass.) Hospital, where she is taking a course in nursing.

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