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" Smith.....	40
" Robinson.....	60
" Galbraith.....	8 00
" Ball.....	1 25

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SPORTING SKITS

HOCKEY.

In the final game played between Galt and Waterloo at Berlin last evening the former team won by a score of 8 to 0.

Arrangements had been made by the management of the local team to play home and home games with Galt for the Provincial championship, the first game to take place in Galt on Friday night and the return here on Tuesday night. Galt wired this morning that these games would only be exhibition ones and that they would not play here until their return from Ottawa. Mr. G. A. Brown, however, received a wire from Mr. Foran, Chairman of the Trustee Board of the Stanley Cup, last night stating that the winner of the professional league in the west would have to play off with Port Hope before their challenge for the Stanley Cup would be accepted. If Galt refused to do this then the challenge of the Port Hope team for the Stanley Cup would be accepted. The dates will be arranged later.

CURLING.

In the semi-final game for the Miller pins last night Skip Morrow defeated Skip J. H. Peacock by 18 to 2. Skip Morrow and Skip Rosevear will play off this evening.

the same salary as those holding second class certificates.

IV. In comparison with other towns the salaries of Port Hope Public Schools seem unreasonably low. Recently the teachers of Barrie Public Schools have been granted a minimum salary of \$450, with a raise of \$50 a year until the maximum of \$600 is reached.

V. The high cost of living.

FINANCE REPORT.

Bell Tel Co, messages..... \$ 2 11
Penny B'k Toronto books, etc 2 61
Guid, printing..... 2 50
R Gillies, lock reps..... 25
Miss Trotter, teaching 4 half days..... 4 00

\$11 47

Moved by Dr. Aldrich, seconded by Dr. Clemesha, that clause two of resolution passed on March 2nd 1910 be amended to read "that after one year's successful service an increase of \$25.00 per annum be given until the maximum of \$500 be reached.

Formerly the teachers received an increase of \$25.00 every two years.

A petition signed by the pupils was presented, asking that immediate steps be taken to rebuild and modernize the present school building, or to build a new one.

Moved by Mr. Davison seconded by Dr. Aldrich, that this Board is in perfect accord with the statements in the petition of the pupils of Public School.

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March Will Be Stormy Says Rev. Irl Hicks

A regular storm period is central on the 3rd, covering the 1st to the 6th. The Venus period is central on the 4th, and the Earth and Mars periods are in full force at this regular storm period. By the first falling barometer will begin in the west, temperature will rise, and storms of rain, wind and thunder will start eastward by the 2nd. During the 3rd, 4th and 5th, these storms will pass eastwardly across the country, with change to much warmer, rain and thunder, east of storm centres, followed by rising barometer, with snow and sleet and change to much colder, on western sides of storm areas. A decided cold wave for the season will almost certainly sweep south and east from the northwest, between the 4th and the 8th. A seismic period, central on February 28th will extend three to five days into March.

A reactionary storm period falls on the 8th, 9th and 10th. At this time the mercury disturbance is added to those of earth Venus and Mars. This period is also coincident with the annual magnetic and electric crisis, central on and about March 11th. If the Mars influence should not bring warm, open weather over from February—a thing most unlikely—we may expect some decided storms of rain, sleet and snow between the 7th and 10th. Rain, wind and thunder will be natural in the first, oncoming stages of these storms, but rapid change to snow, high barometer and cold may be expected on the western side of storm areas. Much colder weather, but tendency to prolonged clouding, with threatening aspects, will continue over the 11th, 12th and 13th.

A regular storm period is central from the 12th to the 16th. The full moon, and moon on the equator also, fall on the 11th and 15th, making this period a time of decided storm probabilities. We will name Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday the 14th, 15th and 16th, as days of possible violence and danger, especially in the Southern States and about the gulf coasts. Rain, sleet and snow, all followed by high barometer and cold wave for March may be expected in central to Northern sections.

A reactionary storm period is central on the 19th, 20th and 21st. This period is at the centre of earth's vernal equinox, with the periods of Mercury, Venus and Mars all nearing the end of their perturbing influences. The moon is in apogee, at extreme south declination and near last quarter. Unsettled and threatening conditions, ending in violent equinoctial storms will be most natural on and near the 19th, 20th and 21st. Gulf storms, sweeping into interior parts of the south should be anticipated. Northerly winds, snow and change to much cold will attend and follow these storms in central and northern states.

A regular storm period covering the 24th to the 28th, central on the 26th. Falling barometer, change to warmer, ending in snow storms, will result at this period. New moon falling on the 30th, will restrain high barometer and cold, which naturally should follow these storms. Seismic periods are from 11th to 17th and from 27th to April 3rd.

FRACTURED HIS HIP.—A serious accident occurred in Manvers on Saturday last, when Mr. John Sinclair, of the fourteen, about four miles from Janetville, slipped and fell off a straw stack to the hard ground below, the fall resulting in a dislocated hip. The fracture was a very painful one.

PUBLIC SCHOOL BOARD

Pupils Petition for a New School; Teachers Make the Old Request For AN INCREASE IN SALARY

The regular meeting of the Public School Board was held last evening. There were present Dr. Powers, Dr. Aldrich, Dr. Clemesha, and Messrs. W. J. B. Davison, and T. B. Chalk.

A communication signed by Misses E. M. White, Pearl S Purser, V. A. Scott, M. S. McCallum, Elsie Thompson and E. Stratton, asking for an increase of \$50 above and beyond the present salary, the same to date from January 1st, 1911, was received. They based their petition on the following grounds:

- The scarcity of qualified teachers makes it possible for teachers with no standing to obtain schools at a vastly higher salary than we professional teachers with experience receive here.
- This same dearth of teachers seems to necessitate any vacancy that may occur being filled only on one condition, viz: that the incoming teacher receive in her first year a much higher salary than that obtained by the majority of the staff, although the latter have given a number of years of faithful service. We have reason to believe that supply teachers have been put in at a much higher salary than the maximum.
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2—Express Limited.....	5.39 "
13—Local from Belleville.....	7.03 "
11—Passenger.....	1.07 p.m.
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7—Mail and Express.....	7.17 "

GOWAN LINE	
6—Mail and Express.....	2.25 a.m.
4—Express.....	10.49 "
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8—Mail and Express.....	7.30 "
3—Express.....	12.19 a.m.

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daily except Sunday.

PORT HOPE, MARCH 2 1911

OBITUARY

GEORGE TROTTER.

One of the oldest and most widely known residents of South Monaghan has passed away in the person of Mr. George Trotter.

The deceased passed away Monday morning, Feb. 27th, about 10 o'clock, at the home of his son at Bailieboro. Mr. Trotter spent his earlier years in the village of Fraserville—in fact he lived there until a couple of years ago, when his wife died and he went to live with his son, Mr. George Trotter, jr.

The late Mr. Trotter was eighty years of age. He is one of the old pioneers of Fraserville. He was highly respected and the news of his death will be regretted by a large circle of friends. He leaves to mourn his loss two sons and one daughter. The sons are Messrs. James and George, who are at present residing at Bailieboro. The daughter is Mrs. Richard Moncrief, of Fraserville.

The funeral took place Wednesday from the residence of his son, Bailieboro, to Fraserville cemetery.

SUDDEN DEATH

Of an Old Resident of Lindsay; Was Born in Port Hope.

Death claimed one of the oldest residents of this town Wednesday morning, in the person of Mr. Joseph Ingle, who passed away with startling suddenness at the family residence, Melbourne street, at the advanced age of seventy-nine years.

The deceased, who has been suffering from a paralytic stroke for some time, has not been in a very serious condition; in fact he was up and around the kitchen before the summons came at five o'clock, and when his wife went to his room some minutes later he was asleep in death.

The late Mr. Ingle was born in Port Hope of English parents, and has resided in Lindsay since 1853, living in the same house on Melbourne street for fifty years. He was united in marriage to Mrs. Ingle (who survives him), in Dunsford fifty years ago by the late Rev. Mr. Vicars. The deceased was a carpenter and was recognized as being a very capable and efficient man in his calling, some of the work done in our churches and public schools being a monument to his ability.

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tain will. My uncle—there's a man who knows his own mind. I respect those strong practical natures. Don't be misled by ideals. Make the most of your circumstances. Don't aim at—but I beg your pardon; I don't know what right I have to lecture you in this way. And he broke off with his pleasant, kind-hearted laugh, colouring a little.

They reached Mr. Moxey's house. In a garden chair on the lawn sat Miss Janet, occupied with a book. She rose to meet them, shook hands with Godwin, and said to her cousin:

'The postman has just left a letter for you—forwarded from London.'

'Indeed? I'm going to show Mr. Peak my Swiss photographs. You wouldn't care to come and help me in the toil of turning them over?'

'O lazy man! Her laugh was joyous. Anyone less prejudiced than Peak would have recognized the beauty which transformed her homely features as she met Christian's look.

On the hall table lay the letter of which Janet had spoken. Christian took it up, and Godwin, happening at that moment to observe him, caught the tremor of a sudden emotion on lip and eyelid. Instantly, prompted by he knew not what perception, he turned his gaze to Janet, and in time to see that she also was aware of her cousin's strong interest in the letter, which was at once put away in Christian's pocket.

They passed into the sitting-room where a large portfolio stood against the back of a chair. The half hour which ensued was to Godwin a time of uneasiness. His pleasure in the photographs suffered disturbance from a subtle stress on his nerves, due to something indeterminate in the situation, of which he formed a part. Janet's merry humour seemed to be subdued. Christian was obviously forcing himself to entertain the guest whilst his thoughts were elsewhere. As soon as possible, Godwin rose to depart. He was just saying good-bye to Janet, when Marcella entered the room. She stood still, and Christian said, hurriedly:

(To Be Continued.)

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Dynamite Explosion.

Montreal, March 2.—Half the inhabitants of the Island of Montreal were rudely disturbed at twenty minutes after six o'clock yesterday morning by a noise afterwards variously explained by a wide range of suggestions from a boiler explosion to an earthquake. It required hours of investigation to discover the cause of the disturbance, which was created by the explosion of a quantity of dynamite stored in a wooden shanty.

Luckily there are very few houses in the vicinity, but those few several hundred feet distant had all the windows smashed and one house had a wall cracked.

Thirty-One Years in Service.

Kingsford, March 2.—Lieut. T. J. Hennessy, quartermaster of the Royal Military College, retired from service yesterday. He has been connected with the college since it was opened thirty-one years ago, and every cadet who has passed through the institution has kind remembrances of him. Keeper John Bannister, connected with the penitentiary for the past twenty-five years, retired yesterday.

New York State Wants Public Power.

Albany, March 2.—A bill directing the State Water Supply Commission to make an immediate investigation of the practicability of developing water power at Niagara Falls and in the Niagara River, and to obtain the consent of the Federal Government, if necessary and possible, to the development of such power by the State, was introduced by Assemblyman Lacroix.

Maine's Vote on Prohibition.

Augusta, Me., March 2.—Re-submission to the vote of the people of Maine of the amendment to the state constitution prohibiting the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors, now lacks only the signature of the governor before being put into effect. The matter will then come before the people at a special election to be held next September.

Hon. Mr. MacKay on Provincial Finances

CLEAR-CUT AND CONVINCING SPEECH

Deficit of \$553,363.25--Vigorous Colonization Policy for Northern Ontario Advocated--Industrial Education--Scarcity of Teachers--Reforestation--Reciprocity and Other Subjects Eloquenty Dealt With.

In continuing the debate on the Budget, Hon. Mr. MacKay, leader of the Opposition, spoke as follows: Mr. Speaker: This debate has now occupied some two weeks, and I have covered a wide range of subjects. The subjects have been interesting or otherwise, largely, according to one's view point; but I am glad to say, Sir, that in the main the spirit that has pervaded this debate has been one of courtesy, moderation, and sweet reasonableness. In contrast to some of the jingling and somewhat jingoistic speeches of honorable gentlemen opposite that of the latest acquisition to this House was rather pleasant as a method and manner of delivery. The modesty he displayed was no doubt due to the fact, Sir, that he sits on this side of the House.

Current Receipts and Expenditures.

The annual announcement by the Honorable, the Provincial Treasurer, as to the financial standing of this province at the close of any fiscal year is always important, and deserves careful consideration. The question of the correctness of the statement as to the assets and liabilities has been ably dealt with by the honorable member for West Wellington.

Just a few words as to the correctness or incorrectness of the financial statement as to current receipts and expenditures. In making contrasts I do not propose to hold the Honorable, the Provincial Treasurer to the position which he took while a member of the Opposition; but, Sir, it is eminently fair, it is only right that I should introduce the gentleman to himself as Provincial Treasurer. I desire, therefore, Sir, to introduce the Provincial Treasurer of 1911 to himself as Provincial Treasurer during the years 1905 and 1906. If, Sir, we are to understand the finances of this country, if honorable gentlemen sitting in this House, if the people of the province, are to have any intelligent conception of how the finances of this province stand, we must have, Sir, continuity of system in the classification of accounts, else it will be quite impossible to make a comparison from year to year, and it will be quite impossible for the people of this province to understand where we are at financially. It will not do, Sir, to allow the Honorable, the Provincial Treasurer to juggle with figures and to transpose figures at will in order to produce an apparent surplus. He plainly announced to this House, Sir, that there was the small balance at the end of the last fiscal year of current receipts over current expenditures, giving the exact figures as \$3,265,815.99. Sir, I desire to tell him frankly and plainly and to tell the honorable gentlemen of this House, and the people of this province, that that statement cannot be justified, is not true, on the classification formerly made by the Provincial Treasurer. Nor can it be justified or upheld on the basis of any classification of current receipts and current expenditures as distinguished from capital receipts and capital expenditures; that any sane intelligent accountant would make. May I be permitted to remark, Sir, that I do not idolize a surplus. There may occur in the history of any business enterprise, occasional circumstances which will demand that the province as an individual should draw upon his credit for a particular year, and should perchance make expenditures beyond current receipts. A series of deficits, however, such as we have experienced in late years is something to be avoided. In any event, Sir, the finances of this province should not be juggled or shuffled time after time in order to produce a seeming surplus. There is no such virtue in the having of a surplus as will justify the production of a dishonest financial statement. I contend, Sir, as I have always contended, that the moneys received from the absolute sale of crown lands cannot truthfully or reasonably be treated as sought else than receipts on capital account. When this province parts absolutely and entirely with any land all possibility of a future receipt from that land is gone, and, therefore, the moneys received from the sale should be credited to capital account. What, Sir, would be thought of a farmer who owned two hundred acres of land, who for several years worked the same, and year by year struck a balance sheet showing say, \$500 a year gain, i.e., that his current receipts exceeded his current expenditure by \$500; if in a particular year he sold 100 acres, getting, say, \$5,000 for it, and then claimed at the end of that year that his current receipts exceeded his current expenditure by \$5,500. If, Sir, he made any such contention the neighbors would send for his friends to take care of him, under the impression that something had gone wrong with the old man's upper story. Well, Sir, it is exactly by such a method that the Honorable, the Provincial Treasurer arrives at results, and deliberately and coolly proclaims

that there was a surplus last year of \$3,406. I do not propose, Sir, to allow any such dishonest statement to go unchallenged in this House. Were it not for the absolute slavery of party politics that exists in this House and in this province, no Provincial Treasurer would dare flaunt such a dishonest and misleading statement in the face of this House, or before the people of this province. Now, Sir, allow me to introduce the Honorable, the Provincial Treasurer to himself as Provincial Treasurer in the years 1905 and 1906. There is an old Spanish proverb which says, "That you may always appeal from Phillip drunk to Phillip sober," allow me, therefore, to introduce the Honorable, the Provincial Treasurer to himself as the stands before the mirror of his own financial statements of 1905 and 1906. At p. 5 of his Budget speech, Sir, as published by this Government and as paid for by the people of this province the honorable gentleman is absolutely clear that the receipts from the sale of lands must be treated as capital and not as current receipts. In this he was right. Let me apply this position to his financial statement for which again the people of this province pay, and what do I find? I find, Sir, that last year from the absolute sale of lands the province received the following two items: \$432,109.47; \$10,857.42, making a total capital receipt under this head of \$442,966.89. The honorable gentleman has the printed statement before him; there is no doubt as to the facts, and the dishonesty and the deception of this year placing such items in current receipts, in order to produce an apparent surplus, is too painfully manifest.

Again, Sir, take the item of bonus on timber sales: At p. 4 the Honorable, the Provincial Treasurer's budget speech of 1905 we find the following: "Now we distinguish the bonus received from pine timber sales as being a special payment of capital account"; then again at p. 5 he says: "It is, I contend, a capital asset, and such I propose to treat it." Then again, Sir, at p. 4 of his financial statement of 1906 will be found the following statement: "Of the revenue the bonus on pine timber sales sold under the former Government, \$520,000, may be considered as being paid on capital account"; so that, Sir, in 1905 and 1906 he was very properly treating the bonus received on timber sales as a capital and not a current receipt. Apply this classification, which is a proper classification, to his this year's statement, and we must deduct under the heads of "Woods and Forests" the amount received as a bonus on timber sales, namely \$22,396.36. Adding these two items together, namely, the amount received for the sale of crown lands (\$442,966.89), and the amount received as a bonus on the sale of timber, namely, \$22,396.36, you have in all under these two heads, a capital receipt, wrongly and dishonestly placed in the current receipt column of \$553,363.25.

Now, Sir, if you take the alleged surplus of \$3,406.59 from the \$553,363.25 you arrive, according to the Honorable, the Provincial Treasurer's own statements, according to his own position, an actual cash deficit last year of \$551,876.66, and yet, Sir, in order to mislead this House, in order to mislead the people of this province, the Honorable, the Provincial Treasurer deliberately transfers the large items already mentioned from the column of capital receipts to that of current receipts, and thus produces a bogus and imaginary surplus of \$3,406.59, while he knows, and every sane man in this House knows and every truth respecting man will assert, that there is an actual deficit of \$551,876.66.

If, Sir, I desired to go further and desired to hold the honorable gentleman to his contention when financial critic of the Opposition, where would he land? I find, Sir, at p. 5 of his budget speech for 1905 the following statement: "Sir, we contended at times when we were in Opposition that all crown lands receipts should be treated as received on capital account." The late Mr. E. F. Clarke, one of the ablest financial men who ever represented a constituency in this Legislature, was especially wont to argue that that should be done.

Sir, were we thus to introduce the Honorable, the Provincial Treasurer to-day to himself as financial critic of the Opposition in years gone by, and were to hold him to his then contention what would be the result? I take up the financial statement issued by him, and I find that for the sale of lands last year the Government received \$442,966.89, that the "Crown Lands Receipts" were \$1,835,029.71, making a total of \$2,277,996.60. Now, Sir, deduct the bogus surplus of \$442,966.89, and you would have according to the Honorable, the Provincial Treasurer's contention, and critic of the Opposition, the astounding deficit last year of \$2,273,555.61. Sir, I repeat that if the financial statement issued year by year by the Honorable, the Provincial Treasurer of this province, is to be of any value at all, if it is not to become a mere laughing-stock, there must be continuity in the method and classification of our finances, and current receipts and expenditures should be truthfully distinguished from capital receipts and capital expenditures. When the province sells lands the fact should be truthfully shown in the financial statement, and the sale price and the money received for the sale of any such lands should be treated as a capital receipt and not one of current account. Were it not for the curse of party slavery no Provincial Treasurer would dare stand up in a House such as this and make the statement he has made, much less would he dare publish such a financial statement. The importance of honestly and truthfully dealing with our finances need not be emphasized. A very substantial portion of our revenue is made up of the receipts from woods and forests. If then, our forests are being gradually diminished, and our timber year by year sold, and nothing done by way of conservation of our forest wealth or by way of reforestation it follows, as an absolute certainty that our revenue under that head must gradually decrease, and in time be absolutely wiped out. This, Sir, is the serious phase of the question and the one

that particularly calls, not only for an honest statement of the facts, but, Sir, for an honest effort to remedy the result, the unavoidable result, of the facts as they now exist. We note under this head what happened in the United States, largely owing to the same accused slavery of the party. For the past quarter of a century the experts at Cornell University, and other educational institutions, leading practical lumbermen in the land, warned the rulers that their forest wealth was gradually being depleted and that unless practical steps for the conservation of the same and for reforestation were taken there would be a timber famine. For many years a deaf ear was lent to all such intelligent warnings, with the unavoidable result that our neighbors to the south of us are now in many lines bordering on a timber famine. Hence again, Sir, I repeat the necessity of dealing honestly with the facts as to our receipts from crown lands. If, Sir, the statement of the Honorable, the Provincial Treasurer were an honest one, it would proclaim to this House and to the people of this province that there was last year an actual financial deficit of \$551,876.66. Then, Sir, if we were honestly told, as we should be, that from year to year there has been an actual deficit, the people would bestir themselves, and the Government would be forced to curtail expenditures, or to take the necessary steps by way of a general systematic scheme of reforestation or otherwise to ensure that the receipts from our crown lands would not necessarily year by year diminish, and, if nothing is done ultimately vanish. If, Sir, the Board of Directors in any business concern would attempt to make an annual financial statement as misleading and deceptive as that of the Honorable, the Provincial Treasurer, they would immediately, by the shareholders, be driven off the board, and sound financiers and honest accountants placed in their stead. I say again, Sir, that I am not standing here to make an extreme party criticism, or to say that a deficit is necessarily a crime on the part of the Provincial Treasurer, but I do say, that it is nothing short of criminal for any public man to so juggle with his figures as to show an imaginary surplus when there is an actual and very substantial deficit. If it is advisable and desirable, may perchance necessary, that the province should spend such an amount of money that the current expenditures shall exceed the current receipts; let it be done. The supreme test is whether it was desirable in that particular year that the money should be so spent, and whether the province has received the very best value for such expenditure; but there cannot be, Sir, even a relative justification for the sending forth by the Honorable, the Provincial Treasurer to the public an absolutely false statement, purporting to show a small surplus when there is, as already explained, a very substantial deficit.

To be continued.

PRESS ON TARIFF

U. S. Papers Say Reciprocity's Friends Are Lukewarm.

EXTRA SESSION LOOMS UP

It Could Have Been Voted on This Session if It Had Been Linked Up With the Lorimer Case—Advocates of the Tariff Board Still Hope for a Vote Before Senate Adjourns on Saturday Night.

New York, March 2.—The growing conviction that an extra session of Congress, to pass the reciprocity bill, will be rendered necessary no less by the lukewarmness of its friends than by the vigorous campaign being waged by its avowed enemies, is reflected in the Washington correspondence appearing in yesterday morning's issues of the leading metropolitan journals.

The Tribune says: "It is the conviction of many Senators that had a vote on the Canadian reciprocity agreement been made a condition of a vote on the Lorimer case at this session, it could have been obtained and the necessity of a special session of Congress avoided, but the reciprocity had no friends who were ready to make an earnest fight in its behalf when the crucial moment arrived."

"The agreement between the advocates of a tariff board and the regulars is of an informal nature, but the former are confident that their efforts will meet with success. They expect that the Senate will hold a night session to-morrow, and they believe that the tariff board bill will be enacted before adjournment is taken." The Sun reluctantly admits the same point. It says:

"The Canadian reciprocity situation in the Senate remains unchanged as a result of the breaking of the deadlock except in so far as the legislative log jam is relieved by the advancement of the Lorimer case and the tariff commission proposition. No attempt was made by friends of reciprocity to force a compromise upon this measure and a special session to consider this subject still seems inevitable."

"The disposal of the Lorimer case and the advancement of the tariff commission bill, however, will give the supporters of reciprocity a better opportunity to focus the attention of the Senate upon it, but they acknowledge that the outlook for favorable action is not bright in view of the fact that the Senate has eleven big appropriation bills to dispose of in the three and a half remaining days of the session."

How They Are Kept.

Miss De Style—He said I was a little flower; that he intended to keep me. Miss Gumbusta—I noticed him pressing you—Smart Set.

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ANXIOUS TO JOIN?

Bahama Islands Want to Become Part of Canada.

GOVERNOR IS COMING HERE

Sir William Grey-Wilson, Who Is a Cousin of the Governor-General, Is Coming For a Visit and Some Steps May Be Taken Toward a Formal Request That the West Indian Islands Be Admitted.

Montreal, March 2.—The addition of another province to the Dominion is the idea that T. B. Macaulay, managing director of the Sun Life Assurance Co., brings back with him on returning to this city after a visit to the West Indies.

A meeting which took place in the Bahama Islands on the 20th of last month was, Mr. Macaulay states, one of great enthusiasm. The Legislature suspended its sittings and workmen dropped their tools on the streets on the day of the meeting to talk over the question of asking Canada to take them under her wing. Although there was no official representatives of Canada among the 20,000 people assembled, there were plenty of prominent men. Among the speakers, several well-known in Canadian life, said Mr. Macaulay, were Mr. Macdonald, mayor of Rigaudi, Que.; Mr. Nicholson of Winnipeg, and Judge McIntyre of Whitby, Ont.

The upshot was that a committee of a dozen members of the Legislature were appointed to further the project and to consider the advisability of sending a deputation to interview the Dominion Government, and this decision was arrived at with only two dissentients, the objection of one of them being to joining any country that had a protective tariff.

The advantages, said Mr. Macaulay, would be great on both sides. The addition of the Bahamas to Canada might be a small matter, but in another way it would be a long step forward in the pathway of our national manhood and importance.

The acquisition of this new province, added Mr. Macaulay, would effectively broaden the views of our people. Our navy question would solve itself, for we would not only wish to properly protect the routes which our growing trade would follow. Nassau might perhaps become a coaling and dockyard for our fleet.

"It is not merely trade relations that we would like to see established," concluded Mr. Macaulay. "We want to take advantage of this desire of the people down there to add a province to the Dominion. The Canadian Parliament should at least meet these people half way and discuss the matter seriously."

The governor of the Bahamas, Sir William Grey-Wilson, is anticipating a visit from Earl Grey (who is his cousin) next winter, a fact which seems to indicate which way the wind is blowing.

Fire In Richmond, Que.

Richmond, Que., March 2.—This town was visited by a fire which wiped out the Duncan Block on Main street at an early hour yesterday morning. The loss is estimated at \$30,000, when the contents of the various stores are taken into account.

The sufferers are A. J. Bedford, druggist; M. J. Palmer, fancy goods, who occupied stores on the second floor, and on the upper flat were Mr. J. G. Alexander, insurance and ticket agent; Mr. Alard Barber, and Messrs. Mackenzie & Darters, lawyers. They lose everything. Hon. P. S. G. Mackenzie, Provincial Treasurer, has lost all his valuable law library, which was in his office, and only carried \$3,000 insurance.

Aged Lady Burned.

Cornwall, March 2.—Stephen Sharon's house in the fifth concession of Cornwall was destroyed with the contents on Tuesday afternoon, and his mother-in-law, Mrs. Trickey, was so badly burned that she died a few hours later. The fire started about 1 p.m., and spread very rapidly. Mrs. Trickey, who was 94 years of age, was confined to bed, but she managed to stagger out with her clothing afire. She was carried to the barn, where she died. Sharon lost all his furniture. He met with a similar disaster in another house last fall.

Liquor Cases Adjourned.

Collingwood, March 2.—The hearing of the sixty liquor cases here has been adjourned, pending the outcome of an application by Col. Bruce, K.C., on behalf of the defendants for an order of prohibition to restrain the Police Magistrate from proceeding with the cases. The defendants claim that the indictments are removed from the calendar because of not having been specifically called and adjourned at the close of the first day's proceedings. It is also held that the subpoenas to the witnesses are only valid for the date specified.

Robber Pleads Guilty.

New York, March 2.—Jos. G. Robin, banker, pleaded guilty yesterday to larceny of \$27,000 from the Washington Savings Bank, of which he was president. He will be sentenced on March 27.

Seven other indictments remain. Through his operations the Washington Savings Bank, the Northern Bank of New York, the Carnegie Trust Co., and a string of minor concerns which he promoted, went into insolvency.

Fellow Travelers.

Kingston, March 2.—A batteryman named Young is missing, and a brother batteryman named Matthews reports a suit case with clothing valued at \$75, also missing. It is believed that the man and the suit case took the same route.

Cut His Throat.

Kingston, March 2.—In a fit of despondency over money he loaned, John Davis, aged 60, cut his throat with a razor. He has a good chance of recovery.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

Remarkable cures of insane patients are reported from Britain.

O'Neill Phillips, a prominent musician of Montreal, committed suicide by shooting.

The C.P.R. is said to have given orders for over three million dollars' worth of steel rails.

The population of St. Thomas will show an increase during the year of about 400, making 15,500.

It is reported that an English syndicate will build summer hotels near the leading Canadian cities.

A petition to Premier Asquith is being signed by M.P.'s urging the formation of an Imperial Advisory Council.

Norton Griffiths, British M.P., has given a further thousand pounds towards emigrating distressed families to Canada.

The Toronto Globe says: Sir Alan Aylesworth, Minister of Justice, will retire after serving out the present term of Parliament.

Sir H. Richards, Canadian counsel at The Hague fisheries arbitration, has been elected professor of international law at Oxford.

The notorious outlaw, Hakim Khan, with thirty of his followers, was captured by British forces in India. Five of the party was killed.

An exciting chase after a burglar at Montreal by boarders dressed in night-clothing ended in a return empty-handed to find the house on fire.

Five horses were suffocated at 6.30 yesterday morning in the stable of Mr. John Hughes, cabman, Seigneur street, Montreal. Mr. Hughes valued his horses at \$1,000.

The second session of the Legislature of British Columbia was prorogued yesterday. Among the chief measures passed during the session was the making of provision for a future Provincial University.

Aged Woman's Adventure.

Ingersoll, March 2.—Mrs. John Wilkinson of Ostrander, near Tillsonburg, is a plucky woman at eighty years of age, and has a good constitution.

Mrs. Wilkinson has been visiting her son in Michigan, and arrived in Ingersoll Tuesday night on her return trip. She had to wait for her connection on the Lake Erie and Port Burwell which was reported to leave at seven o'clock. The train was late.

She thought that she might do a little looking around and went down the street. When it came near train time she started back for the C.P.R. station and in hurrying took a short cut across an icy field. She fell down and hurt her back and was not able to regain her feet.

She crawled to a wood pile in Bloor's wood yard, not less than 100 yards from the station, and sat there the whole cold night.

She was warmly clad, had an old-fashioned heavy shawl, and sat back against the pile and waited for morning. She was found at seven o'clock yesterday morning and assisted to the Atlantic House, where she said that she felt no ill effects from the night's exposure.

Increase For Railwaymen.

Toronto, March 2.—After 37 days of investigation, the arbitrators appointed under the Dominion Government arbitration law to investigate the demands of employees of the C.P.R. and C.N.R. for increased wages, have arrived at a partial decision and majority and minority reports have been forwarded to the Minister of Labor.

The majority report is the judgment of Judge McGibbon of Brampton, chairman of the arbitration board, and W. T. J. Lee, who represented the men. It recommends a 15 per cent. increase in pay to men on eastern lines, and a twelve and a half per cent. increase on the Western lines. The report of F. H. McGuigan, formerly of the Grand Trunk, who acted for the companies, did not favor any such increase.

The board also found that the men should have increased pay for work on Sundays, New Year's, and Christmas Day, and in some cases restricted the company from employing men but nine hours on Saturdays.

Now that the award has been made the men are at liberty to strike and the companies have the privilege of locking them out and refusing to employ.

Situation Desperate.

Washington, March 2.—To meet the pressing needs of the starving people of China, Consul-General Wilder at Shanghai yesterday cabled to the Secretary of State an urgent appeal to the people of the United States for the contribution of \$100,000 more to be sent by cable to the stricken people. Mr. Wilder makes it plain that that amount will be needed before the army transport Buford, now loading at Seattle, can possibly arrive in China with its supplies.

The Red Cross yesterday cabled \$1,000, making a total of \$23,000.

Liquor In Potato Bin.

Owen Sound, March 2.—A charge against Joseph Crowe of the Central Hotel in the Police Court yesterday was the result of a sensational discovery by License Inspector Brackett a few days ago. The liquor was hidden in a concealed compartment in a bin of potatoes in the cellar of the hotel. The inspector seized 164 bottles of beer and 21-2 gallons of whiskey. Crowe was found guilty of keeping liquor for sale and was fined \$54 and costs.

Cut to Pieces By Train.

St. Catharines, March 2.—A Grand Trunk freight brakeman named P. Cullen, home unknown, met with a horrible death at the main line depot here yesterday morning. Cullen was standing on the steps of the engine getting ready to attach some more cars, when he slipped from the engine and fell on the platform. There he rolled under the train and was cut to pieces.

Removing to States.

Kingston, March 2.—Mica Works King street, will be removed to Trenton, N.J. Dallas B. Smith of Opelika, Ala., who has been superintendent of the plant, will take charge of the plant there.

JUSTICE TO NORTH

Port Arthur Man Says Legislature Is Doing Too Little.

SUFFICIENT SAYS PREMIER

Trunk Colonization Roads Should Be Built In Advance of Settlement—Supplementary Revenue Bill Is Read a Second Time as Is Also Hon. Mr. Hanna's Liquor License Law Amendment.

Toronto, March 2.—Justice to New Ontario was the slogan sounded in the Ontario Legislature yesterday by J. J. Carrick, Conservative member for Port Arthur. Sir James Whitney vigorously repelled the implication of lack of devotion to the rich domain of which Mr. Carrick was the zealous champion.

Two years ago the member for Port Arthur was mayor of that thriving young city, and spoke from a local perspective. Mr. Carrick credited the Minister of Education with generous consideration of New Ontario, and the Minister of Mines with being a sincere friend of the north, but considered the district he represented had received less sympathetic attention from the Provincial Secretary, as the requests for aid for a new jail and court house had not been complied with.

A complete change of method with a view to the more rapid settlement of New Ontario was urged. The Government should build trunk colonization roads with new territory in advance of settlement. This would be in accordance with the policy of the C.P.R. in rendering eleven million acres of land available by irrigation before offering it to the public.

Mr. Carrick moved for a return showing the expenditures in New Ontario during the past six years.

Sir James Whitney said the member for Port Arthur was enthusiastic and enthusiastic was a good thing, but the Government had to calmly deal with the actualities, the needs of the different portions of the province with a due regard to the duty due to old Ontario. The Government had expended \$2,000,000 for the development of New Ontario, and could not be accused of being parsimonious.

It was true, no doubt, that the court house and jail at Port Arthur were not particularly spectacular, but he understood that they sufficed. Possibly with the increasing growth of Port Arthur and Port William the way may become clear for a better court house for the district.

There was no doubt that the people of New Ontario appreciate the great work which has been done. He was willing to assent to the return of expenditures asked for with the addition however of the amount expended for the administration of justice.

Hon. Col. Matheson secured the assent of the House to the second reading of the supplementary revenue bill introduced on Tuesday. The Provincial Treasury pointed out that the bill increased the mileage in double-track railway from \$80 to present to \$100. Express companies will pay \$500 on every 100 miles.

The second reading was carried without debate.

Hon. W. J. Hanna, in moving the second reading of the liquor license law amendment bill was asked if all licensed hotels would have to make monthly reports of their daily bar receipts.

Hon. Mr. Hanna answered that the bill required monthly returns from all hotels. It would retain that feature as a matter of right, but the Government did not propose, as might be stated in the regulations, to ask for daily returns from all districts. That, in the face of it, would be absurd. During the past five years the Government had received a number of returns of the actual receipts, and had therefore some idea how it was going to work out.

"There will be whole districts which will not be touched at all," he said, "where they may have an occasional \$100-a-day. We have no thought of taxing an exceptional day. Our thought is to make the collection the daily average for the month as over \$40. The bill reads to the other effect at present." It would be changed in the other direction, he insisted.

Big Liners Can't Get Docks.

New York, March 2.—Calvin Tompkins, commissioner of docks and ferries, as well as the agents of large steamship lines, were disappointed by the refusal of the harbor line board of the Army Engineers Corps yesterday to recommend permission for the extension of piers along the Jersey and New York shores of the Hudson River for accommodation of the big liners now building.

It is generally agreed that without longer piers transatlantic liners will have to abandon New York and Hudson as ports of entry for the larger ships, such as the White Star Liners Olympic and Titanic, which are now being built at a length of 900 feet.

A Light Sentence.

Boston, Mass., March 2.—For killing his chum, James H. Lawson, a Tennesseean, Jas. F. Farrell a former resident of Toronto, was sentenced to the state prison at Charleston for two and a half years.

The testimony of Mrs. Lawson, wife of the murdered man, who said she thought Farrell a fine man, and that he was justified in killing her husband and that of the aged mother of Farrell, who lives in O'Hara avenue, Toronto, helped to make the sentence the lightest ever given for a crime of the sort.

Vote for Church Union.

Winnipeg, March 2.—The Presbytery of Winnipeg, by a vote of 46 to 7, went on record yesterday in favor of the basis of the church union as handed down by the general assembly. The vote followed a long discussion and the minority represented those who desired the question to be sent down to congregations and sessions.

WANT ARBITRATION BOARD.

G.N.W. Employees Get No Answer to Their Demands.

Toronto, March 2.—The committee representing the aggrieved employees of the Great Northwestern Telegraph Co. will apply to-day for a board of conciliation to investigate the demands of the G.N.W. operators for increased wages. No names have yet been selected for members of the board, but the men have five days in which to name their representatives.

In speaking to the newspapers last night, S. J. Konenamp, president of the Commercial Telegraph Union of America, said: "We made repeated efforts to-day to get in touch with some one in charge of the general manager's office. We were informed that no one was there in charge at present, and could obtain no definite date as to when there would be someone there capable of talking business with us."

"A letter was addressed this afternoon to the general manager stating that on Feb. 2 the men had submitted a schedule and set of working rules and asked for a date for the purpose of presenting their arguments in behalf of the schedule. The reply of the company was to dismiss the committee on Feb. 15. A conference with S. B. McMichael, assistant general manager, had brought a statement to the effect that in another week the men would be out of the service, and the management would not deal with a committee from a union or composed of their own employees. And that unless the management were willing to meet the committee, we would proceed under the laws of our organization. This letter asked for a reply by nine o'clock, and as at that hour we had received no communication from them, we decided to apply for a board of conciliation."

One of the men imported from Detroit and one brought from London to replace employees that have been dismissed, quit yesterday.

The matter of taking action upon the company's alleged infringement of the alien labor law has been deferred, as it is considered of secondary importance to the securing of the proposed schedule of wages.

New French Cabinet.

Paris, March 2.—The new French Cabinet, so far as it is at present constituted, is made up as follows: Premier and Minister of Interior, Antoine Ernest Monis; Minister of Foreign Affairs, M. Grappi; Minister of War, Henri Maurice Berthou; Minister of Marine, Theophile Delcasse; Minister of Finance, M. Caillaux; Minister of Public Instruction, M. Steeger; Minister of Public Works, Charles Dumont; Minister of Agriculture, M. Masse; Minister of Colonies, M. Messimy; Minister of Labor, Paul Boncour; Under Secretaries: Interior, Emile Constant; Justice and Worship, Louis Malvy; Posts and Telegraphs, Charles Chauvet; Beaux Arts, Henri Ducloux.

The appearance of Delcasse in the Cabinet has caused alarm in some sections. Some of the newspapers declare that it would be better if he should remain in oblivion, charging that he menaced the peace of France and the peace of the world by attempting the isolation of Germany in connection with the Moroccan question in 1905.

Admiral Howe Dead.

Portsmouth, Eng., March 2.—Admiral Sir Assheton Gore Curzon-Howe, commander-in-chief at Portsmouth, was stricken with paralysis yesterday morning and died in the evening.

Admiral Curzon-Howe succeeded Admiral Sir Arthur Fanshawe as commander-in-chief at Portsmouth in March, 1910, the latter being promoted to the rank of admiral of the fleet. He had served in the navy 48 years, and during that period commanded many of the best known ships and saw a great variety of active service. He received the thanks of the Royal Humane Society in 1895, and was twice mentioned in dispatches in 1891. He was commander in charge of Newfoundland fisheries in 1893-94. He was second in command of the channel fleet 1902-03; commander of the fleet, 1907-08; commander-in-chief Mediterranean fleet, 1910-11.

U. S. Naval Appropriation.

Washington, March 2.—The naval appropriation bill was reported to the Senate yesterday. The naval program as amended includes two first-class battleships with a submarine tender and two gunboats. The bill appropriates \$128,400,868, an increase of \$1,190,700 over the amount fixed by the House.

Under an amendment adopted yesterday the eight-hour law will apply only to the construction of battleships. An unsuccessful effort was made to have it extend to the entire construction program.

Mitchell Resigns Membership.

New York, March 2.—John Mitchell, former head of the United Mine Workers of America, and lately chairman of the National Civic Federation, yesterday made public his resignation of his office and membership in the latter organization. Mr. Mitchell follows the stand recently taken by the United Mine Workers of America in declaring that any member of their order accepting a position with the National Civic Federation would forfeit membership in the union.

Church Papers Opposed.

Toronto, March 2.—The movement for Federal rather than organic union of churches launched at a meeting of Presbyterian laymen and ministers, does not meet the approval of official church organs.

"The Presbyterian" says the movement is untimely because if the stage propaganda for organic union has reached in the assembly this year will submit the whole question to the people.

Italians to Disarm.

Brantford, March 2.—A petition is being circulated among local Italians by one of their number in an effort to effect a general disarming of all Italians in this city. They are pledging themselves to turn over all weapons to the police. The action is at the suggestion of Judge Hardy.

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HOME CIRCLE TO-NIGHT.—Regular meeting of Home Circle No 4, in S. O. E. Hall to-night. Let all who value their membership in the order, make it a point to attend.

WOMAN'S INSTITUTE.—Miss Goldie, a graduate of MacDonald College will give demonstrations on cereals in the Ontario Agricultural School, under the auspices of the Port Hope Womans' Institute, on Friday March 3rd., from 3.30 to 4.30.

NOTICE RE FRUIT INSTITUTE.—A special meeting in the interest of fruit growers will be held in the Town Hall on March 3rd. afternoon and evening session will be held commencing at 1.30 p.m., and 7.30 p.m. All interested are cordially invited to be present.

EUCRE CONTEST.—The Sons of England and the Hope Masonic lodge had a very enjoyable eucree contest in the I.O.E. hall last evening. Twelve games were played, the point system being used, and the Masons won by a majority of 112.

THE PROPER PUNISHMENT.—Two Collingwood men, arrested for drunkenness in the public street of Barrie last week, were sentenced to twenty-one days with hard labor, and Police Magistrate Radenlurst gave notice that in the next case of the kind brought before him he would impose a sentence of six months in the Central Prison.—Orillia Packet.

TO COMPEL LOCAL BOARDS.—Three cases of cerebro-spinal meningitis occurred in Ontario during January, and all three had fatal results. Dr. J. W. S. McCullough, chief health officer of the province, has compiled a return of the contagious diseases reported during January by 541 municipalities, showing that there were 1,331 cases and 141 deaths. Decreases in smallpox, diphtheria, measles and whooping cough are apparent in comparison with January, 1910, but as the returns are incomplete, the comparison is not accurate. Dr. McCullough urges that the Provincial Board of Health be given power to compel all the local boards to report their contagious diseases.

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STATISTICS FOR FEBRUARY

Following are the registrations at the Town Hall for the month of February:—

BIRTHS

Alfred Skinner, Florence Maud Harwood, Edmund James Loft, Georgie Frances Heron, Mildred Lauretta Gonier, Charles Henry Fourn, Louis Ivan Oliver Breard, Helen Elizabeth Colleth, Morrison Thomas Raleigh, William Pasmore Ralston, Clarence William Hector Mitchell, Garnett Alfred Spencer, Rose, John Galbraith Abraham, William Clifford McElroy, Gladys Lillian McCurdy.

MARRIAGES

Alfred J. Ryan to Martha Archer.

DEATHS

Thomas Brimacombe, Emma Warrington, John Colman Curtis, Jeremiah Lightle.

MR. J. D. McDONALD GOES TO CHICAGO

Is Appointed General Passenger Agent of G. T. R.

Mr. James D. McDonald, District Passenger Agent of the Grand Trunk Railway has been promoted to be Assistant General Passenger Agent of the system, with headquarters at Chicago. Mr. H. G. Elliott, Assistant General Passenger Agent of the Company at Chicago, becomes General Passenger Agent, with headquarters in Montreal. Mr. G. W. Vaux, General Passenger Agent, Montreal, has resigned owing to ill-health. Mr. A. E. Duff, General Agent for the company at Winnipeg, will go to Toronto in place of Mr. McDonald.

Mr. McDonald has been District Passenger Agent at Toronto for the past nine years, and during his tenure of office the business of the company has greatly increased. He is a native of Toronto, but has spent the greater part of his life in other centres. He was Grand Trunk Passenger Agent at Buffalo prior to his appointment to the Toronto District Passenger Agency.

Mr. Vaux was appointed General Passenger Agent about two years ago. He was formerly District Passenger Agent at Chicago.

Mr. A. E. Duff, formerly travelled in the eastern territory of the company for Mr. J. Quinlan, District Passenger Agent, Montreal.

HYMENEAL

CHAMBERLAIN-SMITH.

A pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, Smith street, at 6 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, March 1st, when their eldest daughter, Mary Jane, became the wife of Mr. Albert Stephen Chamberlain. The bride was attended by her cousin, Miss Ethel Smith, and the groom by Mr. E. Stinson. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. S. La Flair in the presence of about thirty relatives and friends of the happy couple. After hearty congratulations from the assembled guests, all partook of a sumptuous wedding supper. The bride was the recipient of many handsome presents.

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Real Estate on the Cobourg Road. Estate late John O'Neil, at the American Hotel, Port Hope, on Saturday, March 4th, 1911. See posters. J. H. WILSON, Auct.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths. Fifty Cases.

MARRIED

CHAMBERLAIN - SMITH — At Port Hope, on Wednesday, Mar. 1st, 1911, by Rev. J. S. La Flair, Mary Ann Smith to Albert Stephen Chamberlain.

DIED

DOLLEY—In the Township of Hamilton, on Thursday, March 2nd, 1911, Elizabeth Ann Maize, relict of the late Herman Sylvester Dolley, in her 64th year. Funeral from the family residence, lot 27, concession 2, Saturday, at 2 p.m., to St. Peter's English Church Cemetery, Cobourg.

PERSONAL.

Mr. J. V. Harcourt is in Toronto to-day attending the auto show.

Capt. A. Matthews, of Charlotte, N. Y., is visiting relatives in town.

Mr. Blake Crawford, is in Toronto to-day attending the automobile show.

Mrs. A. A. Stevenson has returned from an enjoyable visit with friends in Toronto.

Miss Annie Nesbitt, who has been spending the past couple of weeks at her home in Newtonville, has returned to town.

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