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MANITOBA SCHOOLS

That good Tory journal, The Toronto World, edited by Mr. W. F. McLean, M.P., recently published the following Montreal despatch dealing with the Manitoba boundaries question:

"Montreal, Feb. 9.—The Manitoba school question has been shelved for a year at least, and the object of the episcopal gathering has transpired. It appears that following a great deal of importuning on the part of the Roman Catholic authorities in Quebec for federal intervention, Premier Roblin has thrown himself into the breach with a very important proposition.

"The prime minister of Manitoba promises, so rumor has it, to finally settle the pending difficulties in that province to the satisfaction of Archbishop Langevin, and he will go to that country on the question, stand or fall.

"Hon. Mr. Roblin says that if he goes down, he will suffer alone, thus sacrificing the party in Manitoba alone rather than have Premier Borden take action, and suffer perhaps, the consequences at the hands of the electorate.

"The minority will have to wait a year or so, but His Grace of St. Boniface says he will trust Roblin and take him at his word.

"If this settlement has been made, it means that the boundary bill giving the new territory to Manitoba, to be introduced into the House of Commons in a few days, will contain no provisions imposing separate schools on the additional territory, but that some kind of settlement with regard thereto will be made by Premier Roblin with the Catholic authorities and people of Manitoba, not only for the new portion, but for the older portion of the province. In other words, there is to be no coercion in the matter of education, to use the term employed in the discussion over the creation of the new provinces of the west some years ago."

The above announcement followed a conference between Archbishop Langevin and the Quebec hierarchy, held at Montreal a few days ago. It is decidedly interesting to know that the troublesome question is to be settled to the satisfaction of Archbishop Langevin, and that the settlement will apply to the older province as well as to the new territory to be added when the boundaries are extended.

Where is Lieutenant Colonel the Honorable Harry McLeod? Where is Major A. Duncan Thomas? Where is Captain P. A. Guthrie? Where are the other flag-flappers and guardians of our public schools and our marriage altars who have been so much in evidence during recent political contests in York. If this sort of thing was going on with a Liberal government in power at Ottawa, the storm of indignation, these great patriots would kick up would be something terrific, but as it is they are silent before the demands of Archbishop Langevin and the Quebec hierarchy.

CHURCHILL'S APPEAL

The Right Hon. Winston Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, in closing his great speech on Home Rule at Belfast last week used these words:

"I appeal, I say, to the Unionist party and to Imperialists in our Colonies, and I appeal to Ulster Protestants in Ulster itself, and though my words may be scorned by many, they can be judged by all. I appeal to Ulster to step forward with noble courage, and by a supreme act of generosity and public spirit to win the great prize of Irish peace for themselves and the world. I have been reminded often and again in the last few weeks of the words Lord Randolph Churchill used more than a quarter of a century ago. The reverence which I feel for his memory and the care with which I have studied his public life make me quite content to leave it to others to judge how far there is continuity between

his work and any I have tried to do. I am sure the Liberal party will never become an instrument of injustice and oppression to the Protestants of Ulster. I know this is a duty in which the people of Ulster must not fail. It is a task and a trust placed upon them in the name of Ireland, in the name of the British Empire, in the name of justice and good-will to help us all to settle the Irish question wisely and well for ever now. There is the task which history has assigned to them, and it is in a different sense that I accept and repeat Lord Randolph Churchill's words, "Ulster will fight and Ulster will be right." Let Ulster fight for the dignity and honor of Ireland. Let her fight for the reconciliation of races and for the forgiveness of ancient wrongs. Let her fight for the unity and consolidation of the British Empire. Let her fight for the spread of charity, tolerance, and enlightenment among men. Then, indeed, "Ulster will fight and Ulster will be right."—(Loud cheers.)

The following from a Montreal paper is not without local interest:—"The Ottawa correspondent of Le Devoir tells of how he one day met Mr. Borden in the corridor with Mr. Plummer, of the Steel Company, how a day or so later there was a party caucus; how it leaked out that only the steel bounties had been discussed, and the decision taken to grant them, despite the protests of the western members; how member after member in the know before the secret came out, took his quiet way to the telegraph office; how the papers that night and the next day reported heavy buying of Dominion Steel stock on Ottawa orders. All this, he it is noted, before the proposal was made to appoint a tariff board to study just such questions as the need of bounties or tariff protection on steel products. Sterile of ideas themselves, the cabinet and the party seem to be receptive of suggestions from outside.

It is said that during Premier Flammings recent visit to Gagetown he gave a promise that before long Queen's would be given representation in the provincial cabinet.

It is said that two out of the five Tory members who represent New Brunswick at Ottawa do not speak as they pass by.

The banquet business seems to have been over done in the case of Premier Flammings.

As usual politics in Northumberland seem to be very much mixed.

MURDERER REFUSED MINISTRATION OF CLERGY

Mobile, Feb. 19.—J. Lawrence Odom convicted of the murder of three persons was hanged here today. He refused the ministration of a clergyman who labored with him all night and those of his own son a Catholic priest. He mounted the gallows stoically and laughingly asked to see his wife. Odom was convicted of killing Charles Golland, Joseph Stokes and David Gartman, the latter a sixteen year old boy. They had been witnesses against him in police court, on a charge of cruelty to a dog, the killings took place on March 18 at Citronelle, Ala. He shot the boy then his mother when she was pleading for his life. Odom was twice tried and declared guilty each time. He was wealthy.

FEMALE STRIKERS WERE ARRESTED AT LAWRENCE

Lawrence, Mass., Feb. 19.—A band of Polish women operatives, who are participating in the great textile strike, assembled at St. Anthony's Syrian Church early today and defied the police and militia authorities to disperse them. They were engaged in picketing the vicinity of the mills. They did not scatter until a squad of about thirty police officers, a small detachment of infantry and a troop of cavalry were sent to the scene. Three of the women were arrested, charged with disorderly conduct.

Thousands of operatives returned to the mills this morning when the gates were opened. In the case of some of the mills, considerable increases in the numbers resuming work was claimed, but there seemed to be little change at the plants of the American Woolen Company.

Mr. J. A. Kelly of St. John is among the commercial men in the city.

Miss Lottie Tillotson, the Hawaiian entertainer, who is to take part in the entertainment at the Auld Kirk this evening, is a guest at Windsor Hall.

Mrs. Staherly and daughter, Miss Staherly, of Dublin, who have been spending the past two years with Mr. and Mrs. Dorcas at Springhill, are to leave for home on Friday next.

UNION AND QUEBEC BANKS ARE STRONG IN MONTREAL

New York, N. Y., Feb. 19.—The market opening was quiet but steady. Neither buying nor selling was particularly noteworthy.

Responding to improvement in metal prices in London, Amal Copper opened at advance of $\frac{1}{4}$ and American smelting at a gain of $\frac{1}{8}$. Tips were circulated broadcast of an intention of the pool in Amal Copper to advance prices substantially in course of week, but there was little interest in any other part of week. Norfolk and Western continued its advance but did not rise to its London equivalent. U. S. Steel started practically unchanged and the same was true of Union Pacific sale of Reading was at decline of $\frac{1}{4}$ which however, was immediately made up. Commission House business was light.

Quotations from direct private wires of J. M. Robinson & Sons, Bankers, St. John, N. B., Members of Montreal Stock Exchange

	Open	Noon
Amalgamated,	65 $\frac{1}{2}$	65 $\frac{1}{2}$
Atchison,	104	104
Smelters,	72	72
Brooklyn,	78 $\frac{1}{2}$	78 $\frac{1}{2}$
Canadian Pacific,	230 $\frac{1}{2}$	230 $\frac{1}{2}$
Great Northern, pfd.,	130 $\frac{1}{2}$	130

ENTRIES FOR OLYMPIC TO CLOSE JUNE 6

New York, Feb. 19.—The receipt here of a notice from the Swedish Games Committee, to the effect, that entries for this year's Olympic will close in Stockholm on June 6, has caused some uneasy moments for the American Committee. This will make it necessary for the entry blanks to leave New York about May 23, in spite of the fact that the official tryouts do not take place until the first week in June.

New York, Feb. 19.—An aggregate entry of 3,300, representing over 2,200 dogs, has been booked for the thirty-sixth annual bench show of the Westminster Kennel Club, which will be opened to the public tomorrow in the New Grand Central Palace. One of the most remarkable features this year is the large number of entries received from the Pacific coast and Canada.

Pennsylvania,	123	123 $\frac{1}{2}$
Reading,	156 $\frac{1}{2}$	156 $\frac{1}{2}$
Southern Pacific,	108 $\frac{1}{2}$	108 $\frac{1}{2}$
Union Pacific,	164 $\frac{1}{2}$	164 $\frac{1}{2}$
U.S. Steel, com.,	60	59 $\frac{1}{2}$

MONTREAL MORNING SALES

Union Bank—20 @ 172; 75 @ 173; 2 @ 172 $\frac{1}{2}$.	
Royal Bank—51 @ 233 $\frac{1}{2}$; 10 @ 233 $\frac{1}{2}$.	
Quebec Bank—75 @ 138; 12 @ 139 $\frac{1}{2}$; 25 @ 140.	
Bank of B. N. A.—2 @ 148.	
Molson's Bank—4 @ 212 $\frac{1}{2}$.	
Bank of Montreal—25 @ 248.	
Bank of Commerce—239 @ 215.	
Bank of N. B.—12 @ 260.	
Shawinigan—250 @ 128; 25 @ 128 $\frac{1}{2}$.	
San Paulo—10 @ 193 $\frac{1}{2}$.	
Dom. Steel—40 @ 59 $\frac{1}{2}$; 41 @ 59 $\frac{1}{2}$.	
Power—40 @ 191; 20 @ 192.	
Rio—25 @ 122 $\frac{1}{2}$.	
Cement Pfd.—5 @ 88 $\frac{1}{2}$.	
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Illinois—2 @ 90.	
C. P. R.—10 @ 231 $\frac{1}{2}$.	
Textile—10 @ 66.	
Quebec Ry.—1 @ 53.	
Toronto St.—24 @ 134.	
Canada Car—61 @ 61.	
Winnipeg St.—1 @ 265.	
Woods—12 @ 130.	

SECOND ANNUAL ORANGE SHOW OPENED

San Bernardino, Feb. 19.—The Second Annual Orange Show which opened here today to continue to the end of the week is generally considered the most elaborate, largest and most comprehensive exposition of the citrus fruit industry ever held in America. In addition to the display of more than five million oranges from various parts of the State the exhibition contains a display of machinery and appliances for packing and handling fruit and a highly interesting model of the irrigation methods employed in supplying the orchards of the western slope with the life-giving water.

San Diego, Cal., Feb. 19.—With five cases of yellow fever among its crew, the British ship Akalie put into Salina Cruz for medical aid, last week, according to advices just brought here by the American Hawaiian steamer Nebraskan.

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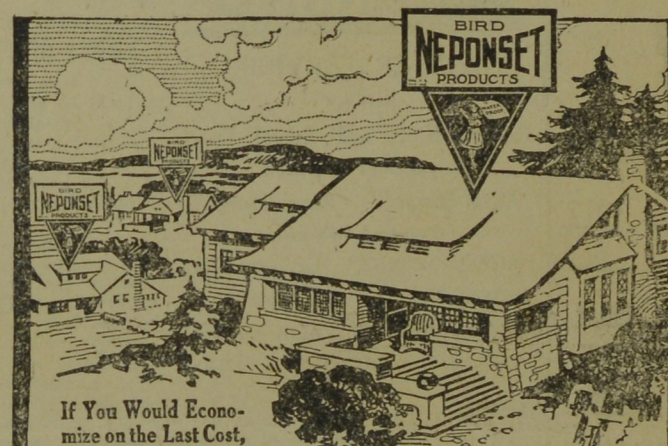
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