

1509 MIXED MARRIAGES IN ONTARIO LAST YEAR

(Toronto News)

How numerous are mixed marriages in the Province of Ontario is shown conclusively by the official report of the Deputy Registrar General McCullough, which has just been made public. There were 665 men and 844 women of the Roman Catholic faith who married others than members of their own church.

Roman Catholic men to the number of 178 married as many Anglican women; 126 Roman Catholic grooms took Presbyterian brides; 157 Catholics took Methodist, 68 Baptists, 10 Congregationalists, 85 Lutherans.

On the other hand, 269 Roman Catholic brides married Anglican grooms; 164 married Presbyterians; 203 took Methodists; 52 took Baptists; 11 took Congregationalists; 79 married Lutherans, 5 married Jews.

"SHOULD BE ADVERTISED"

"In our opinion, all licenses to marry should be advertised in a local newspaper. This would have the effect of checking clandestine marriages."

Such is one of the recommendations made by Dr. McCullough.

In summing up the total of marriages for the year 1910 in the Province, Dr. McCullough observes that the city of Windsor continues to be the "Greta Green of Ontario." In 1906 there was 1,193 weddings at that place, and in 1910 no less than 2,293.

MANY AMERICAN MARRIAGES

"The cause of the above abnormal increase," observes the report, "is due to the influx of Americans from all over the United States to this particular point for the express purpose of having their marriage celebrated under Ontario laws. This is not because our law is more binding but because it is so secret."

"Parties may procure a license for the statutory fee of \$2.00 and by declaring by affidavit that the reason for procuring the marriage to be celebrated in Windsor is not in order to evade due publicity or for any other improper reason, the marriage is celebrated and no questions asked."

There were 24,036 marriages registered for the year 1910. This is an increase of 4,670 for the year.

There were 55,871 births, males 28,664, females 22,207. Deaths totalled 33,539.

The Ladies of Fredericton May Now Have Beautiful Hair. Ryan has the Article and Guarantees it to Grow Hair or Refund Your Money

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SALVIA destroys Dandruff in ten days.

The roots of the hair are so nourished and fed that a new crop of hair springs up, to the amazement and delight of the user. The hair is made soft and fluffy. Like all American preparations SALVIA is daintily perfumed. It is hard to find an actress who does not use SALVIA continually.

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NEWS FORECAST FOR THE COMING WEEK

Washington, D.C., March 30—The Wisconsin primary election Tuesday is expected to furnish the leading subject for political discussion of the week. Delegates to the national conventions of both parties will be elected in the primaries, under the new Wisconsin law. The best impartial judges of the situation in the Badger State concede that La Follette will carry the majority of the state delegation, with delegates reported in many cases to favor Roosevelt for second choice. The state is strongly progressive. The Taft men are active but their hope apparently is not to get a majority of the delegation, but to prevent La Follette from having a unanimous vote from the state.

On the Democratic side, Wisconsin seems to present about the same situation as Oregon and Nebraska, all being primary election states with three tickets in the field. Harmon is supposed to be stronger in Wisconsin than in the other two states and, backed by the solid conservative element, it is thought possible the Ohio Democrat may win over Wilson and the latter will have to divide the vote between them.

Primaries will be held on Monday for the selection of delegates to the Baltimore convention. The Baltimore convention will express their opinion in the primary election. The primaries will be non-partisan.

BEAUTIFUL HAIR AT SMALL COST

A Simple Remedy Beautifies the Hair,
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What a pity it is to see so many people with thin, wavy hair, faded or streaked with gray, and realize that most of these people might have soft, glossy, abundant hair of beautiful color and lustre if they would but use the proper treatment. There is no necessity for gray hair under sixty-five years of age, and there is no excuse for anyone, young or old, having thin, straggling hair, either full of dandruff or heavy and rank smelling with excessive oil.

You can bring back the natural color of your hair in a few days and forever rid yourself of any dandruff and loose hairs, and make your hair grow strong and beautiful by using Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy. For generations common garden Sage has been used for restoring and preserving the color of the hair, and Sulphur is recognized by Scalp Specialists as being excellent for treatment of hair and scalp troubles. If you are troubled with dandruff or itching scalp, or if your hair is losing its color or coming out, get a fifty cent bottle of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur from your druggist, and notice the improvement in the appearance of your hair after a few days' treatment. For sale and recommended by George Y. Dibley, Druggist, opposite City Hall.

There is no doubt but Alabama will give a decided vote for Congressman Oscar D. Underwood, and the delegates will be positively instructed for the southerner first, last and all the time. At the same primaries candidates for congress will be named, also minor state officers to be voted for next fall.

The towns of the presidential aspirants will be watched with interest. Colonel Roosevelt is to be heard in several cities in the middle west, while Senator La Follette plans to invade New England. The reception of the Wisconsin senator in New England will afford an opportunity for an interesting comparison, as both Taft and Roosevelt recently visited that section.

Chemp Clark has accepted an invitation to speak at a Democratic banquet in Louisville Saturday night, while William J. Bryan and other party leaders will be heard at a similar gathering in Des Moines.

Also of political interest will be the local option elections in Illinois and Michigan, the municipal election in Milwaukee, where the Socialists are fighting for a continuance of power; the aldermanic elections in Chicago, and the Republican district conventions in Maine, Missouri, Iowa and several other states.

Some important decisions are expected to be handed down by the Supreme Court of the United States, when that body convenes Monday after a two weeks' recess.

Political New York is awaiting with much interest the trial of former City Chamberlain Charles H. Hyde, which is scheduled to begin Monday. Hyde was indicted for alleged bribery in connection with the financing of the Carnegie Trust Company and the Joseph G. Robinson banks. He will be the fourth of a coterie of prominent politicians, bankers and promoters to be tried on charges growing out of the failure of these institutions.

The launching of the torpedo-boat destroyer Henley, which is to take place at the Fore River yards on Wednesday, will be of considerable importance in naval circles because of the fact that this ship will be the first of the destroyers to be fitted with both turbine and reciprocating engines.

COULD NOT SWEEP FLOOR

Was So Terribly Afflicted
With Lame Back.

It is hard to do housework with a weak and aching back, and no woman can be strong and healthy unless the kidneys are well.

The weak, lame and aching back comes from sick kidneys and should be attended to immediately so as to avoid years of terrible suffering from kidney trouble. Mrs. Harvey W. Brownell, Northport, N.S., writes:—"I now take pleasure in writing you, stating the benefit I received by using Doan's Kidney Pills. About a year ago I was terribly afflicted with lame back, and was so bad at times I could not sweep my own floor. While looking through your B.B.B. Almanac I saw Doan's Kidney Pills were a great remedy, so thought I would try a box or two. After using five boxes I was completely cured, and I am very thankful to have found so speedy a cure."

Doan's Kidney Pills are 50 cents per box, or 3 boxes for \$1.25, at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont. In ordering direct specify "Doan's."

ANOTHER CHAPTER FROM THE AUDITOR'S REPORT

How the People's Money is Squandered
by the Economical Government--Labor
Saving Devices Popular with Officials

The Auditor General's report is by far the most interesting of the public documents issued by the Flemming government and evidence that the extracts from it which have appeared from time to time in The Mail are eagerly devoured, is furnished by scores of letters received from all parts of the country calling for "more information." In compliance with this public demand, the Mail has decided to devote another chapter to the report dealing with expenditures made in York County which were overlooked in previous chapters.

FIRE FIGHTERS REWARDED

Forest fires are admittedly an evil which causes great destruction to property, but that they do some good to some people is shown by the large sums paid out last year to the heroic fire fighters of York. No details are given as to who faked in the cash but the report gives a "pay list" of the localities where the money was paid out. It was as follows:

Wellington Sett.	20.00
Penniac 42.40	
Pokio 35.75	
Magaguadavic Lake	125.25
Maxwell 53.75	
Pokio 95.25	
Pratts Lake 5.25	
" " 19.50	
Upper Brookway 24.00	
Nagundy Stream 31.50	
Dunbar Stream 2.00	
Penniac River 3.00	
Southampton 24.00	
Northampton and Southampton	10.00
" " 18.50	
Mary's Sutton 3.00	
St Marys 2.00	

A LOCAL BENEFICIARY

Mr. B. J. Griffiths is the proprietor of a five and ten cent store in this city and it is most fitting that he should be called upon to furnish supplies to a five and ten cent government. When the present government came into power the members boasted that they had entered into a contract for stationery which would mean a saving of about thirty-five per cent to the province. Mr. Griffiths was not the contractor, however, and the representatives for York were not long in finding it out from his own lips. He had been a good Tory and gave the party leaders to understand in plain English that unless his claims were recognized, he would be such no longer. His "kick" was not without result, and last year his claims were recognized to the extent of \$1302.11. He figures on nearly every page of the Auditor General's report as a purveyor of stationery supplies, and the advertisement of having his name in print so often must be worth something to him although no rebate is allowed for it. So many new officials of both sexes have been added to the government offices of late years, that it was found that there were not sufficient custodians to go around so Mr. Griffiths was called upon to supply two dozen at a cost of \$6. Mr. Griffiths also supplied stationery, wire baskets fountain pens, glass knives and other articles too numerous to mention.

A whole lot of money was expended during the year on contingencies, for the various government offices. The word contingencies seems to be capable of a very broad interpretation judging by the numerous articles which the government pays for under that heading. The list runs from rubber stamps to typewriters and young women to operate the same, and there are scissors, fountain pens, envelope sealers and about every other kind of labor saving device on the market. Here is a list of expenditures in the several departments:

Attorney General	\$489.78
Provincial Secretary	1,047.24
Receiver General	819.00
Crown Lands	2,198.37
Public Works	1,343.03
Solicitor General	171.69
Executive Council	428.92
Lieutenant Governor	1,367.35
Education	1,694.24
Total	\$8,549.62

The Solicitor General has an office in the departmental building but he has no executive staff. His contingencies therefore are smaller than those of other departments. His account of \$171.69 last year was made up as follows:

Postage	\$40.00
Box Rent	5.00
Telephone tolls	19.50
Typewriter ribbons	2.00
Telegrams	16.41
Expressage	1.50
Stationery	93.63
Total	\$171.69

The Solicitor General received in addition \$657 for travelling expenses

and \$96 as a hospital commissioner, making his total perquisites \$924.69. As Provincial Secretary his opportunities this year will be much greater.

A FAMILY COMPACT.

Some well meaning people unfamiliar with the ins and outs of the political game wonder why the Blair boys of St. Mary's, are so enthusiastic in their support of the Tory party at election times. The answer is not far to seek; it is found in the auditor general's report. Provincial Secretary McLeod is the family godfather of this industrious family, which probably accounts for the fact that no less than four of them were able to dig into the public trough last year. Mr. Thomas Blair in his capacity of a concrete inspector, seems to have fared better than the other boys, his total receipts amounting to the respectable sum of \$1,105.10. He worked 181 days on the Fredericton bridge and was paid \$4 per day or a total of \$724. He also inspected the work on Sterling's concrete protection wall, and was paid the sum of \$196.60. Having a little spare time on his hands he then went to Sunbury, where there are no concrete inspectors, and looked after the Mill Settlement bridge, and was paid \$30.55 for his services and expenses. Afterward he took a jaunt to the noble county of Westmorland and put in 45 days at the Babcock bridge, for which he was paid \$196.60. For work in Sunbury he gave a cut rate of 50 cents, but for the other jobs he was paid \$4 per day.

Three years ago Mr. Harry Blair was appointed assistant auditor general at a salary of \$700. As he became efficient in the work his salary was boosted and last year it amounted to \$1,000. It is only fair to say considering the valuable services he continues to render the party in civic local and Dominion elections, he is not any too well paid.

Mr. William Blair, another member of the family, did divers jobs of carpenter work about the Departmental and Normal School buildings last year and was paid \$575.60.

It seems that the government, in the interest of economy no doubt, still utilizes old Surprise soap boxes in connection with the school book department. To have uniform boxes made at some mill or wood-working factory would be extravagance, so the second-hand article is called into use. Mr. James D. Blair, merchant of St. Mary's, appears to be the only one who keeps in stock this particular brand of box that suits the fancy of Supt. Thomas and he gets a monopoly of the business. Last year his little bill for boxes amounted to \$108.50, being at the rate of ten cents per box.

To recapitulate the total payments made to the members of this progressive family amounted to the handsome sum of \$2,734.20, an average of \$696.05 for each of the particular members. Since the year closed Mr. Harry Blair has been appointed to the position of secretary of the public works at a salary of \$1,400, while Mr. J. D. Blair has been made postmaster of St. Mary's at a salary of \$500. If some event unlooked for by them does not happen in the meantime, the family should be able to pass the \$4,000 mark this year.

A YORK COUNTY MINE.

The people of Fredericton are foolish to send to Nova Scotia for their soft coal when according to the auditor general's report, a mine has been discovered at Stanley at a cost of \$700 to the provincial treasury. In other words, that amount was paid last year to Mr. Eldon Douglas as "one-half the cost of exploration." Particulars are somewhat lacking, but it is to be presumed that having attended to the exploration, we will be getting the coal before a great while.

The members of the Legislature seem to prefer spring water to the filtered article dealt out by City Engineer Feeney. Last session they consumed 216 gallons and a five gallon bottle, for which the estate of F. P. Robinson was paid \$12.60. Rugs and lineoleums sold to the government by Mr. Howard Rogers cost \$452.77, and Tennant and Forder were paid \$286.03 for similar goods. Mr. C. H. Fowler sold a clock to the Normal School for \$25.50. Mr. G. T. Pinder, a son of the King of the Nackawick, was paid \$6 per cord for wood, which was the maximum price.

Under the heading of permanent bridges Messrs Robert and Charles Forbes were paid \$1,847.31 on account of their contract for constructing Sterling's concrete retaining wall on the Nashwaak. Mr. Charles Forbes was also paid \$108 for overseeing the removal of the centre pier of a bridge on the Nashwaak. Mr. John Oldham of this city spent seventeen days inspecting a retaining wall in connection with the Fredericton bridge and was paid \$68 for the making and

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TO LET—A lady will rent for the summer months or perhaps longer, her well furnished home, with lawn and garden, on Waterloo Row. Barn if desired. Electric lights throughout and all modern fittings. Possession at any time. Apply to P. O. BOX 136, CITY. 161—April 2

TO LET—Large store in Howie Block, Queen Street, premises lately occupied by Bijou Theatre Co. Possession May 1. Apply to MRS. JAMES R. HOWIE. 160—April 2.

NOTICE

The Board of Assessors of Taxes for the City of Fredericton in the present year, hereby require all persons liable to be rated, forthwith to furnish to the Assessors true statements of all their real estate, personal estate and income; and hereby give notice that blank forms on which statements may be furnished under the City Assessment Law can be obtained at the Office of the Assessors, and that such statements must be perfected under oath and filed at the Office of the Assessors, within thirty days from the date of this notice. Dated this 1st day of April, A. D. 1912.

A. A. STERLING
Principal Assessor.
163—April 8.

Special Meeting

A special meeting of Division No. 1 Ancient Order of Hibernians, will be held in their hall on Regent Street, Tuesday evening, April 2nd, at eight o'clock sharp. Business of importance. Full attendance is requested. By order of the president JOSEPH A. CAIN. 164—April 1.

FRESH, CRISP, CURLEY LETTUCE IN ABUNDANCE

BEBBINGTON & SON Florists, City

GAS FOR POWER.

London, March 29—Sir Wm. Ramsay, in a speech last night, announced that an experiment was likely to be made in the way of carrying out the suggestion made by him at the opening of the senate, that an ideal state of things would be to have reservoirs in the bowels of the earth to produce gas for power.

"I firmly believe," he said, "that something will be done in the way of not raising coal, but letting it remain underground, burning there, and taking off the gases. I have been in communication with a large collier and he is going to give me a chance of making an experiment on a very small scale."

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use of tools he received an additional \$10.

"Various persons" were paid \$247.28 for draining the St. Mary's approach to the bridge; the same party got \$160.50 for cutting out masonry walls to allow of expansion and \$69.88 as wages "re St. Mary's railing."

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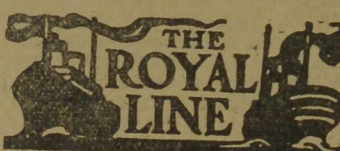
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DEPARTURES

20 A.M.—For St. John, St. Stephen, Andrews, Houlton, Woodstock, Plaster Rock, Grand Falls, Edmundston, Port Fairfield, Caribou, Presque Isle, and for Portland, Boston etc.

7.45 A.M.—Via Gibson Branch for Woodstock and Houlton, connecting at Newburg Jct for points North. Plaster Rock, Grand Falls, Edmundston, Port Fairfield, Caribou and Presque Isle.

7.45 A.M.—For Fredericton Jct connecting for St. John and points East.

7.00 P.M.—Via Gibson Branch. For Woodstock and points North to and including Aroostook Jct.

7.45 P.M.—For Fredericton Jct. connecting with Montreal Express which connects at McAdam for St. Stephen, Houlton, Woodstock and points North to Aroostook Jct. Also connects at Montreal for all points West. Also connects at Fredericton Jct with Boston Express.

7.00 P.M.—For St. John and points East.

ARRIVALS

9.10 A.M.—From St. John and East

1.50 A.M.—From Boston, Montreal, St. Stephen, Woodstock, and North and Houlton.

2.30 A.M.—From Woodstock and North via Gibson.

8.55 P.M.—From Woodstock and North via Gibson.

7.55 P.M.—From St. John and East

10.40 P.M.—From Boston, St. Stephen, St. Andrews, Woodstock, Houlton.

W.B. Howard D.P.A., St. John. N.B.

Zeider and Collins are two of the best players in the city. Callahan likes them both, but is said to look with a very favorable eye on "Tex" Jones.