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### THE MACDONALD SCANDALS

Day after day the work goes on at Winnipeg, unearthing the "human" methods by which the Roblin-Rogers-Eorden combination won out in the Macdonald bye-election. The serious feature of the whole thing was the manner in which the bench appeared to have lent itself to carrying out the partisan plan of blinding Liberal workers and freeing government crooks. But at last the Roblin elements have gone too far and the whole west is up in arms at the amazing revelations. It has been shown that warrants were issued in blank like the infamous letters despatched of Bastille days, and Liberal workers such as Captain Sifton were arrested on perjured information whenever such a course seemed useful or possible. That they were held without bail and effort made to bully them into confessing to election crimes under promise of freedom. This was done in the case of young Prince. He was clapped into jail, held without bail and then they tried to bully him into pleading guilty of bribery, promising freedom if he would do so and threatening punishment if he refused. He had the pluck to refuse and now the whole infamous business is being exposed.

At the same time government crooks who were arrested were allowed to plead guilty before sessions of courts illegally called so as to dodge counsel and then let off with small fines for offences which according to law demanded imprisonment without the option of a fine. And then to cap the climax came the amazing attack by Magistrate McMicken upon the lawyers who dared to defend Liberal victims and the subsequent contemptuous dismissal of cases he entered against them. No such exhibition of the prostitution of courts for partisan ends has ever been known in Canada and it is small wonder that the Roblin-work in aid of Mr. Borden's candidature is denounced everywhere by the western press as worse than Russian methods.

In the Macdonald bye-election the Conservatives used special police, detectives and courts to bulldoze the electors into a proper expression of good Tory belief at the polls. In Richelieu less violent methods were used and the government workers fell back upon the more convenient method of bribery and threat. Sir Rodolphe Forget, M.P. for two counties and notable high financier, was sent to the riding. He knew that elections were not made with prayers and proceeded to promise the people of Richelieu a much needed railroad if they would elect the Conservative candidate, while if they dared to return a Liberal they were threatened with the removal of the big government shipyards from Sorel to Lewis or Collingwood. The Richelieu voters refused to be either cajoled or threatened and stood by their Liberal principles. Sorel should furnish some good material for the government axe.

There are four Naval attitudes for the Country just now. There is the Bourassa-Natelle-Pelletier cry of no navy, no contribution, no nothing; there is the Monk attitude of neither navy nor money until after a reference to the people; there is the Borden idea of an "emergency" contribution with some future policy to be worked as opportunity allows; and there is the Laurier Policy of a Canadian Navy to be built in Canada, as far as possible of Canadian materials, manned by trained Canadians, and maintained under the authority of the Canadian Government—but ready at any emergency to be placed at the disposal of the Imperial Government. The choice should not be difficult. It is not money that Great Britain needs. It is good material in ships and men and that is what the Laurier policy calls for.

The City Council has acted with commendable promptness on the ap-

plication of Fraser concern for some concessions in connection with the Victoria Mill property which they recently acquired. The road between this city and the lower mill has long been in a disgraceful condition and it will be decidedly in the interests of the public to have it properly repaired. This city has been too negligently in the past in dealing with big industrial concerns, and has suffered for it. It is most gratifying to note that in this connection there has been a marked change in public sentiment. The purchase of the Scott property by the Fraser concern is the best piece of good luck from an industrial standpoint that Fredericton has run up against for a number of years.

New York, Nov. 6.—The trial of Julian Hawthorne, son of the famous novelist, and Josiah Quincy, former mayor of Boston which was on the docket for today in the United States district Court in this city has been postponed until later in the month. Hawthorne and Quincy, with several associates, are accused of making fraudulent use of the mails in disposing of stock in the Hawthorne mining interests in Canada. Scores of alleged victims from all parts of the country are expected to testify at the trial.

"Dirty Politics," says The Montreal Witness, "has robbed Montreal of the harbor commissioners who redeemed our harbor from being a by-word of incapable management and made it a pride throughout the world. After having for a year endured the intrusions of the party boss, they have laid down the splendid task they were accomplishing for Montreal and for Canada with so much enthusiasm, devotion and ability and for five years with no interference."

It came out in the inquiry before the Police Commission on Monday evening that one of the special policemen who got into trouble belonged to "four lodges" and was looking after some work about the barracks. It is a safe gamble that the same man waved the old flag and voted Tory at the last election.

### SOUTH CAROLINA GETTING BUSY

Columbia, S. C., Nov. 6.—Plans to raise a \$50,000 fund is to be used in exploiting the resources of South Carolina with a view to attracting capital and desirable settlers were outlined at the annual meeting here today of the South Carolina Chamber of Commerce. A part of the fund is to be devoted also to the development of scientific agriculture in the various counties.

Mr. Morris A. Scovil and Miss Scovil of Gagetown are registered at the Barker House.

### DEATH AT ST. MARY'S.

The death of Miss Gertrude May Drillon occurred this morning at her home, St. Mary's, after a lingering illness. The deceased was in her twenty-seventh year. Her mother, three sisters and three brothers survive. They are Mrs. David Willis, Mrs. Samuel Cameron and Mrs. Jas. Williams of St. Mary's, Ernest and Henry of Foulton, and Fred of St. Mary's. Interment will be made at the Pickard Burying Ground, Douglas, the funeral taking place Saturday afternoon at 2.20 o'clock. The service will be conducted by Rev. Mr. Lake.

### TORY HEELERS GATHER.

The usual galaxy of Tory heelers and office-holders is here in attendance on the provincial government, which is now in session. Chief among them is W. B. Dickson, M.P.E., of Hillsboro, Tory provincial organizer, and inseparable appendage of the executive. Morris A. Scovil of Gagetown, is in attendance, while the three representatives of York County, in addition to the provincial secretary, are in the city to see how far the conflicting interests of the two warring Tory factions in this section can be advanced at the present. Messrs. J. R. Stone and W. E. Thorne of St. John, are also here today, and lesser luminaries are numerous.

### LATE MRS. ROBERT BONNER

The funeral of the late Mrs. Robert Bonner took place this afternoon from her late home, St. Mary's, and was largely attended. Interment was made at Sunnybank Cemetery Rev. M. A. Bates conducting the ceremony. The deceased passed away yesterday morning after a lingering illness. She was fifty-seven years of age and is survived by a husband, two daughters and three sons. The daughters are Mrs. Ludlow Payburn of Carleton County and Allie of Boston an adopted daughter. Marion is at home.

## STOCK MARKET SHOWS STRENGTH

(By direct private wire of J. C. Mackintosh & Co., Fredericton, N. B.)

New York, Nov. 7.—There was a large volume of realizing at the opening as was natural in view of extent of Wednesday's advance but the selling was really absorbed and some commission house which had failed to take advantage of that day's opportunities advised customers to buy on any moderate setback. Heavy selling occurred in first half hour but sales were absorbed with very little concession in prices from best figures. The buying was not done by traders for among them sentiment was still quite bearish. Great activity in U. S. Steel was the feature. Individual blocks of 2,000 or 3,000 shares were done from time to time and the stock showed ability to hold up to its high prices. Evidently the large interests are not apprehensive regarding effect of a reduction of duties on steel imports. One of the encouraging factors was pacific speech of Austrian Emperor and growing belief in Europe that there would be no serious complications in Balkan situation.

(By direct private wire of J. M. Robinson & Son, St. John, N.B.)

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|-----------------------|------|------|
| Copper.....           | 87   | 87½  |
| Smelters.....         | 84½  | 84½  |
| C. P. R.....          | 257  | 256½ |
| Atchafalpa.....       | 109½ | 109½ |
| Great Northern.....   | 141½ | 140½ |
| Lehigh.....           | 176½ | 176½ |
| Northern Pacific..... | 128  | 127½ |
| Reading.....          | 174  | 174½ |
| Penna.....            | 123½ | 123½ |
| Union Pacific.....    | 174½ | 174½ |
| U. S. Steel.....      | 78½  | 78½  |

### MONTREAL MORNING SALES

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| Royal Bank—44 @ 224.                                      |
| National Bank—4 @ 141½.                                   |
| Textile—75 @ 80; 325 @ 79½; 25 @ 79½.                     |
| Detroit—225 @ 72½; 50 @ 73; 25 @ 73½; 50 @ 73½.           |
| Bell Telephone—25 @ 164.                                  |
| Cement Com.—150 @ 231; 25 @ 166½.                         |
| Montreal Power—365 @ 232; 25 @ 231; 5 @ 232½; 125 @ 232½. |
| Toronto Street—1 @ 140½; 25 @ 147.                        |
| R. & O.—56 @ 113.   |
| Cement, Pfd.—40 @ 93; 2 @ 92½; 5 @ 92½.                   |
| Steel of Canada—125 @ 62; 25 @ 28½.                       |
| Soo Rails—250 @ 144½; 25 @ 144½.                          |
| Ottawa Power—44 @ 172.                                    |
| Textile—120 @ 105.  |
| Cotton, Ltd.—10 @ 75.                                     |
| Halifax Tram—25 @ 152.                                    |
| Spanish River—1 @ 94.                                     |
| N. S. Steel—40 @ 87.                                      |
| Car. Com.—50 @ 79.  |
| Shawinigan—50 @ 135.                                      |
| Crown Reserve—100 @ 357; 100 @ 358; 15 @ 252.             |
| Nipissing—100 @ 825.                                      |
| Illinois—1 @ 92½.   |
| Cotton—25 @ 105½.   |
| Laurentide—25 @ 228.                                      |
| Twin City—25 @ 106.                                       |

### AFTER CHIEF RIDEOUT.

A Moncton despatch says:—"Provincial Constables McArthur, Doucet, Woodman, Steeves and Colpitts and County Constable Murray have lodged complaint with Judge Borden, chairman of the civic police commission, against Chief of Police Rideout. They allege that he has absented himself from duty at various times to do constable duty outside the city and has conveyed patients to the Provincial Insane Asylum, collecting fees therefrom which it is claimed are rightly due to the constables. The hearing of the complaint will take place on Friday."

### "THE YELLOW PERIL"

To The Editor of The Mail,  
Dear Sir—What special privilege or right has a large man driving a big yellow automobile to race around the streets of our City at the rate of twenty-five or thirty miles an hour. The police stand at the corners and watch him go by, endangering people's lives, but do not raise a finger to stop him. How long are the people of this City to stand for these abuses.  
Yours truly,  
CITIZEN

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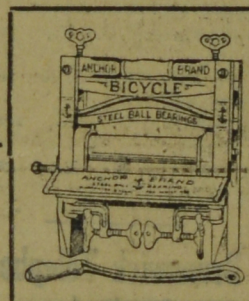
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### FIVE O'CLOCK TEA.

On Saturday, November 9th at the Church Hall the Fredericton Girls' Branch W. A. will hold their annual 5 o'clock tea. Price 15 cents. Home made candy and cake for sale. T.&F.

### FOOD SALE

The young people of the St. Mary's Adventist Church, are to hold a food sale on Saturday, Nov. 9th in the store on York Street formerly occupied by W. R. Logan.  
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## MAWS - - PINK PLATE WOOL

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The British Columbia Federation of Labor has a membership somewhat more than sixteen thousand. Societies affiliated with the British General Federation of Trade Unions have nine hundred thousand members.

Statistical reports show that during the last year the cases of sickness and accident caused by the nature of the employment of workmen in the United States totalled 13,400,000 entailing a wage loss of \$366,000,000.