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PROF. MURRAY'S WORK

Everything that the go-ahead West does appears to be done on a large scale, but it will come as a surprise to most of us that in the matter of higher education, the Province of Saskatchewan aspires to the leadership of the Dominion. And yet the provincial university which is being reared at Saskatoon is, perhaps, the greatest undertaking of the kind in the history of Canada. In fact, it has recently been described by William E. Curtis, a distinguished American journalist and publicist, as "the biggest and most significant thing" he has seen in Canada.

"What," asks Mr. Curtis, in a lengthy and enthusiastic article in The Minneapolis Journal, "would John Harvard or Elihu Yale or Thomas Jefferson or John Witherspoon have said if they had been told that in this year of our Lord the dwellers upon a prairie that was absolutely bare ten years ago should employ a celebrated firm of architects to design a group of Tudor-style buildings costing \$1,000,000, 1,000 miles west of the Great Lakes to furnish the instruction demanded by the sons of the farmers who have taken up homes in that vicinity?"

But not only does Mr. Curtis consider Saskatchewan's university the biggest thing in Canada, but he looks on it as "one of the biggest and most significant things that ever happened."

"Taking everything into consideration," he says, "it is greater than the University of Oxford or the University of Bologna or the University of Leipzig or the Universities of Berlin or Paris. It represents an investment greater than any educational institution that has been founded since the beginning of the world. Although the founders have mortgaged the future to pay for it, it represents an investment of nearly one hundred and fifty dollars for every man, woman and child in the province."

The people of Saskatchewan, says The Halifax Chronicle, certainly are not lacking in faith and enterprise, and they are fortunate in being blessed with a government which has the foresight and the courage to provide for the great future which lies before that province. We in the East have more than a passing interest in the growth of the University of Saskatchewan, for the man at the helm is our own Walter Murray Dalhousie. We know the man and we know that his work will be well done. We take a large measure of pride in the fact that it is a Dalhousian and a Halligonian who is the leader and director of this great enterprise.

Moncton Transcript.—For fifteen years Sir Wilfrid Laurier insisted that the Protestant minority in the Province of Quebec, should have a portfolio in the Dominion cabinet. But what is the situation now? Premier Borden, yielding to Nationalist dictation, takes the portfolio away from the Quebec Protestant minority. The Liberal government gave the English-speaking Catholic minority in Ontario cabinet representation with a portfolio. Yielding to another movement Mr. Borden deprives the minority in Ontario of a portfolio as of old. The Tory cabinet compromise is based upon injustice to the Protestant minority in Quebec and to the Catholic minority in Ontario. It is a double injustice against which fair-minded electors should protest. In a country such as Canada, justice to the minorities is essential to general contentment.

Mr. Nathaniel Curry a former resident of Amherst, N. S. who now makes his home in Montreal has been elected president of the Canadian manufacturer's association. Mr. Curry when a young man worked as a carpenter and spent some years in the United States. In 1877, he started a wood-working factory at Amherst which soon assumed large proportions. In 1895 he promoted a company which purchased the Harris Car works at St. John and removed the plant to Amherst. The Canada Car and Foundry Company took over business two years ago and Mr. Curry on becoming president took up his residence in Montreal. He is now in the millionaire class and ranks as one of Canada's foremost business men.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier as leader of the opposition will still rank as the greatest Canadian.

Prior to the election the local Tory organ had potatoes selling in Maine for ninety cents a barrel. The organ has not given out much information on the subject since the election.

Mr. O. S. Crockett was a Liberal in 1896 and he was much dissatisfied because Sir Wilfrid Laurier went outside of the election representatives to select a cabinet minister for New Brunswick. Mr. Borden has followed the precedent set by Sir Wilfrid Laurier and what is Mr. Crockett going to do about it? If he is a consistent man he will stack his duds and leave the Tory.

(Canadian Collier's)

Premier Borden is having his little battle with the Egos. Nobody suspected that so many existed among the old brigade in the House of Commons. With perhaps a score of garrulous exceptions, they were quiet enough. It is the noisy ones that are putting forward their claims now. They seem to think that their chances of a cabinet portfolio, or a life-sized job on the tariff commission or the Transcontinental commission, are in proportion to the noise they make when they were in opposition. "Our Mr. Crockett was one of the noisy ones when in opposition."

Montreal Star.—What the net result of the selection will be, is impossible yet to foretell. Smarter forces have been granted admission to the Privy Council Chamber at a time when they might easily have been rigidly excluded; and this fact alone does not make for reassurance. But the Ministers with clean records are easily in a majority; and a majority if its backbone be stiff and strong—can rule.

It is said that Hon. W. T. White of Toronto, Minister of Finance in the Borden Cabinet, surrenders a salary of \$25,000 a year as manager of the National Trust Company to accept one of \$7,500. The National Trust Company is supposed to be a subsidiary Company of the Canadian Bank of Commerce of which Sir Byron Walker is president. The Bank of Commerce crowd are now in control of affairs at Ottawa.

There are a whole lot of Tories who are not greatly elated over the selection of Hon. J. Kidd Flemming as Prime Minister of New Brunswick.

There are many Tories in York who would like to see a candidate put up to oppose the election of Hon. J. D. Hazen to the Dominion Parliament.

The personnel of the Borden Cabinet furnished pretty good proof of the statement that the Liberals went down to defeat at the recent election fighting the battles of the common people.

Hon. R. L. Borden is an able lawyer and a gentleman possessed of many excellent qualities, but he has yet to make his reputation as a political leader.

The minister of marine and fisheries has returned to Ottawa. He has evidently made up his mind to wait until things quiet down a little before visiting Fredericton.

It would be almost a shame for the Liberal to oppose the reelection of members of the Borden Cabinet. Give them enough rope and they will hang themselves.

The Quebec Nationalists appear to hold the whip hand in the Borden Cabinet.

The Borden Cabinet is a combination of great unknowns and political medocrities.

NOMINATION BLANK

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PROFIT TAKING
SALES WERE HEAVY

New York, Oct. 16.—As was natural in view of the last weeks rise there was a heavy volume of realizing in the first half hour today but on account of increased buying power the selling resulted in only small price reactions in leading issues. U. S. Steel was heavy. Traders were bullish on trade position anticipating unfavorable report, but Pittsburghers said outlook was improving.

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

Copper	52½	51½
Atchison	107½	106½
Smelters	66½	65½
Brooklyn	75½	74½
C. P. R.	230½	229½
Great Northern	126½	126
Northern Pacific	118	116½
Penna	122½	122½
Reading	139½	138½
Southern Pacific	107½	109½
Steel	61½	59½
Union Pacific	163½	162
Virginia	48½	48½

MONTREAL MORNING SALES

Molson's Bank—8 @ 205
Royal Bank—2 @ 239
C. P. R.—50 @ 230½; 250 @ 230; 50 @ 229½
Cement Com—145 @ 26½; 250 @ 26½
190 @ 26½
Detroit—160 @ 74; 25 @ 74½; 25 @ 73½; 20 @ 73½
Telephone rights—261 @ 71
Cement pfd—350 @ 88½; 567 @ 88½; 10 @ 88½
Shawinigan rights—5 @ 71; 151 @ 70
Sherwin Williams—5 @ 88½
Textile com—25 @ 67½
Textile pfd—5 @ 99
Wards—80 @ 123; 30 @ 122
Toronto Ry—125 @ 136½; 100 @ 136
Steel of Canada—50 @ 31½
Montreal Street—3 @ 227
Iron com—375 @ 59; 25 @ 58½; 25 @ 58½
Rio—50 @ 114½
Ottawa Power—10 @ 145½; 5 @ 145½
Soo—200 @ 130
Shawinigan—3 @ 116½; 5 @ 115½; 100 @ 115
Crown reserve—100 @ 285; 200 @ 290½; 50 @ 295; 250 @ 290
Porto Rico—5 @ 69
Iron pld—60 @ 102
Winnipeg—4 @ 242½; 10 @ 243
Illinois—25 @ 90
R. & O.—25 @ 125½; 25 @ 121½
Montreal power—25 @ 172½

THE PARRY SOUND
MYSTERY UNSOLVED

Parry Sound, Oct. 16.—The mystery surrounding the disappearance of the Toronto school teacher, Miss Violet Smith, who has taught the Dillonport School, for the past six weeks has not been lifted and nothing definite has been learned. After a most careful search, provincial constable Markel who led the party which carefully dragged the Shebashkon River has returned without finding anything that can be regarded as the slightest clue. Two detectives are here who will endeavor to follow up all possible clues to see if there is any grounds for the suspicions so freely talked of, foul play. The greatest interest in the fate of the bright and pretty young girl is being shown in the fate of the bright and pretty young girl, and nothing will be left to chance.

BYE-ELECTIONS TO BE
HELD NOVEMBER 3

Ottawa, Oct. 15.—It is more than likely that there will be a short session of parliament commencing on or about November 15th and ending before Christmas, parliament being prorogued then until next autumn.

It had been expected that there would be a session lasting only a month this fall and then another after the holidays. The cabinet is considering at present crowding all the work into one session. The new ministers believe that even a session called after Christmas would hardly give them time to outline a comprehensive legislative program.

Of course with a session lasting only until Christmas a number of important measures, such as the banking act, would have to stand over. The present act would likely be extended for a year without amendment. The date of the opening of parliament and whether there will be one or two sessions, will be decided upon next week.

Dr. Roche, new secretary of state, left Saturday night for Winnipeg.

Within half an hour of attending the banquet in his honor on Parliament Hill on Saturday afternoon, the Duke of Connaught signed his first order-in-council at Rideau Hall, fixing the dates of the ministerial bye-elections. Nominations will be on October 27 and polling, if any, on November 3. The outlook is that all the ministers will be returned without opposition. At the council meeting held on Saturday, after the return of the cabinet from Quebec, the change in dates was decided upon.

METHODISTS OPPOSED
TO SUNDAY FUNERALS

(Special to The Mail).
St. John, Oct. 16.—The Methodist ministers met this morning and passed a resolution against the custom of holding funerals on Sunday. It was decided to ask the Evangelical Alliance and the undertakers to co-operate.

SUAREZ ELECTED VICE
PRESIDENT OF MEXICO

Mexico City, Oct. 16.—The result of balloting in the electoral college in all of the principal cities and a number of the smaller towns indicates the election of Jose Epino Suarez to the vice-presidency by a scant majority. De la Barra was second with Vasquez Gomez behind.

C. P. R. FIREMAN
MET TRAGIC DEATH

Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 16.—Joseph Landreville of Argyle, Minn., a fireman on the C. N. R. was killed under his engine near Gypsumville, Man., on the Oak Point branch. He was repairing some part of the machinery, while the engine stood on the main line, and another engine ran into the train. It took twelve hours to release his body.

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ARKANSAS TOWN
MAY BE WIPED OUT

Fort Smith, Ark., Oct. 16.—An excited telephone message early today from Col. F. P. McConnell, cashier of the Bank at Bonanza, a town of 800 inhabitants fifteen miles from here says that the town is doomed as a result of the fire which started there late last night. During his conversation the wire parted and all efforts to get again into touch with the town were unavailing. When Col. McConnell telephoned, the hotel and two big store buildings were in flames and the telephone exchange was threatened. What caused the fire is unknown.

It is likely that Mr. W. B. Dickson the distinguished looking M. P. P. for Albert will continue to act as a member of the government without portfolio.

Waldron W Maxwell
YORK STREET.

A man isn't to blame if he has red hair, but he is if his wife has.

R. W. McLELLAN,
Secretary.

MAIL PUBLISHING CO., LTD.

A Special General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Mail Publishing Company, Ltd. will be held at the office of Mr. W. J. Osborne (corner of Queen and York Streets) in the City of Fredericton, York County, on Monday the sixteenth day of October A. D. 1911 at the hour of four o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of altering, if thought advisable, by-law No. 5 of the Company relating to the notice and publication and posting thereof, calling the annual or any meeting of the Shareholders of the Company. And generally to do and transact such business of the Company as may be requisite and proper. Dated this third day of October A. D. 1911.