WHERE THEY WILL GO AND WHEN

Party will Leave Fredericton on December 27, Spending Almost Three Weeks Sightseeing in Boston, New York, Washington and Bermuda

So many inquiries have been made as to the itinerary of the tour to be given the winners in the voting contest, that a rough sketch has been drawn up. Its general outline will be followed, with few if any important changes.

Its members will be taken to Boston from Fredericton by rail, where one day will be spent in sight-seeing. From Boston to New York over the Fall River line. On arrival at this, the greatest city of the U. S., our party will board a large ocean steamer bound for the famous and beautiful Bermuda Islands, some 700 miles away.

A competent conductor from one of the big tourist firms of New York will meet the party in Boston and accompany them on all their travels to look after their comfort and pleasure.

Two delightful days will be spent on the ocean. At length the Islands rise into view, emerald green and sparkling white in a placid sea of richest turquoise. The colored pilot comes aboard and guides the ship through the coral barrier that protects the land. Inside the reef the ship speeds along; the coast for many miles, while the passengers enjoy a panorama of low, rolling, verdure-crowned hills, white houses nestling among the richest foliage, palms and cedars and tropical flowers, changing with every mile. At last the capital of Bermuda, (Hamilton), a beautiful, charming picture as the steamer reaches the wharf. On the pier are gathered many people, for the arrival of the New York steamship is an event in Bermuda. The formalities of the customs house are quickly and courteously transacted and serve chiefly to remind the visitor that he is in another land, but still within the realms of His Majesty King George V. Carriages will be provided to take The Mail's party to the big Hamilton hotel, where headquarters will have been reserved for them in advance.

Six days will be spent in Bermuda.

The many places of interest on these beautiful islands can be thoroughly explored. The scenery is diversified and the vegetation luxuriant; palms and many brilliant flowering trees and shrubs, the brilliant plumage of the birds, and the picturesque coast line, with its coral reefs, forming a constant succession of lovely pictures. Bermuda is an important naval military depot of Great Britain, and the presence of the garrison contributes greatly to the social attractions of the place, while the red-coats and bluejackets add variety to the street scenes.

Carriages will be provided on one day for the drive to St. Georges, a picturesque old town, once the capital of the Islands. Visit en route to the Devil's Hole and view the remarkable collection of many species of beautiful tropical fishes. A steamship trip to the reefs is made to view the "Sea Gardens"—coral grottoes. A trip in glass-bottomed boats is provided that our party may view the beautiful aquatic plants, anemones, seafans, fish, etc., in their native element at the bottom of the sea. The royal dockyard is visited on the excursion, also the celebrated Bermuda aquarium, one of the world's finest collections.

Other entertainments and excursions are being arranged for the party, so that their stay on the Islands will be one round of pleasure and profit, from an educational standpoint. The visit to Tom Moore's house, in which he lived in 1804, will be of special interest to lovers of the great Irish bard. Mr. Moore wrote of Bermuda:

Could you but view the scenery fair,
That now beneath my window lies,
You'd think that nature lavished here
Her purest wave, her softest skies.

ON TO NEW YORK.

Leaving Bermuda our party will be taken to New York on the Quebec Steamship Co.'s fine new steamer, "Bermudian," a trip requiring two days and nights. In New York two days will be profitably spent, the mornings in riding about the city in the great touring cars, the afternoons in visiting the shopping districts, the art galleries and museums of natural history. On both evenings one of the famous Broadway theatres will be visited, members of the party being allowed to choose the play they would most like to see. Among the most notable places to be visited while in New York are: Wall Street, Trinity Church, the Battery, the Aquarium, Flatiron Building, Singer Building, Madison Square and the famous Metropolitan Life Building, Central Park, Grant's Tomb, etc.

Leaving for Washington on the night train, our party will have three delightful days in that city. The itinerary includes visits to Congressional Library, the Mint, Senate Chamber, all Government Buildings, Mount Vernon, and a drive along the famous Potomac.

Returning by way of New York again, our party will visit Boston and then return home by rail, tired out but happy and full to bursting with delightful reminiscences of a splendid tour with which to regale their friends.

HEAD OF SANITARIUM AT ST. JOHN TODAY

St. John, Oct. 31—The Disraeli Asbestos case came up before Judge McLeod under the Dominion winding up act in the Chambers here this morning. A large number of lawyers were in attendance representing nearly all the stockholders. His Honor adjourned the hearing until next Tuesday to allow time to file an appearance.

Mrs. Samuel McCormick, mother of Rev. Father McCormick of the Redemptorist fathers, died at her home here this morning.

Dr. David Townsend of Boston who is to be Superintendent of the Riverglade Sanitorium arrived here today accompanied by Mrs. Townsend. He will probably remain over until tomorrow to confer with Premier Flemming. Should the sanitorium not be

MONCTON WOMAN ATTEMPTS SUICIDE

Moncton, Oct. 31—The police here report an attempt at suicide at Falls Creek Bridge on Saturday evening. Mrs. Robert Leaman, a young woman who had been married only five days, attempted to end her life by drowning and was prevented doing so by her husband. She had previously written to a relative stating she intended ending her life and the relative in turn notified the police. On hastening to the scene the police found that the woman's husband had arrived there ahead of them. She was married in Amherst last week.

CHOLERA OUTBREAK IN BRITISH REGIMENT

(Canadian Press.)

Bombay, Oct. 31—There was a sudden and virulent outbreak of cholera among the members of the Royal Scots Regiment at Benares. During the twenty-four hours ending this morning there were eighteen cases, with five deaths.

TO STIR UP HORNET'S NEST OVER NE TEMERE DECREE

Ottawa, Oct. 25—There seems to be every likelihood of trouble ahead when the new House of Commons meets to do business.

People are always anxious to know what Mr. Borden proposes to do about the navy question, but while Imperialists and anti-Imperialists are bothering their heads over the future relations of Canada with the Empire, a large number of members are more exercised over rumors of trouble arising from religious questions.

The opposition to the application in Canada of the Ne Temere decree raised an opposition which is too well known and clearly defined to need futher mention. The application of that opposition to practical politics will come when legislation dealing with that decree is introduced on the floor of the House.

Such legislation is pending.

An Ontario member who would not allow his name to be used said yesterday that it was his firm intention to introduce a Bill the purport of which would be to make it a criminal offence to interfere in any way with the marriage laws of Canada. Of course the Bill would have to be drafted in such a way as to possibe disputes on the question of jurisdiction.

A HORNET'S NEST

The hornet's nest that would be stirred up by such action on the part of any member of the House, irrespective of politics, would surpass anything that has occurred for some years. Of course, it is impossible to say what the result would be, but it is altogether probable that in a question of this character party barriers would be swept away and each member be compelled to act as his constituency demanded.

Every pressure possible would be brought to bear on the author of such a Bill to compell him to withdraw it, but the man in question declares that he will refuse to listen to any opposition. It would put the Government in an awkward position were the Bill to be be quietly pigeonholed as many bill are. The great mass of people who favor a Bill would ask embarrassing questions.

POSSIBLE CABINET ROW

On the other hand, decisive action by the Government would mean the stirring up of violent opposition, no matter what that action should be, in the Cabinet it is unnecessary. With the strong Nationalist element that any such Bill should receive Government approval without a Cabinet row of the first magnitude. The only method of avoiding trouble will be to secure delay and delay is this one thing to which a large section of Ontario at least will not listen.

RUM RULE GOES WHEN WOMEN VOTE

New York, Oct. 24—"If the granting of the franchise to women depended upon the men of the country every State would have its women voters immediately," said Isaac N. Stevens, the man who nearly twenty years ago raised the money for the women who were at that time clamoring for the ballot in Colorado and who has since written two suffragette books. "The Liberators," and "An American Suffragette," the heroine of the latter being a portrayal of Miss Inez Milholland.

"I have just returned from a tour of California making speeches during the campaign which has just ended in victory; for the women of that State," said Mr. Stevens prior to embarking on the City of Cleveland yesterday for a trip round the world. "And everywhere I found the same conditions—prejudice against giving woman the ballot in the city and in the country perfect sympathy with the suffragists and willingness to let them share in the making of laws.

"The farmer as a class is for suffrage. No one knows better than he how competent women are to undertake responsibilities. The country man is a democrat, and all true democrats are suffragists.

"In the cities it is different. The liquor interests are arrayed against the women and for the best of reasons. Women voters won't be run or even dictated to by the liquor interests. They have already proved that in Colorado, and the liquor men look upon them as active and formidable enemies. It is a disconcerting fact—to some worried anti-suffragists—that women in the states where women may vote necessarily do not vote as the men of their families do. The possession of the franchise seems to have developed the secretive instinct among women, and they no longer confide their intentions to their doting husbands. They are more apt to listen to the masculine words of wisdom and—vote the secret ballot as they please. They are seldom party partisans.

"Take San Francisco," which went anti-suffrage. Why? The women had fought to defeat McCarthy, who was elected by the liquor interests, and because they wanted what they considered a representative mayor for the forthcoming exposition they worked for Rolphe and won. In the meantime McCarthy was out for vengeance and with all the power of the mayor's office behind him he worked to defeat the suffrage amendments. He succeeded as far as San Francisco was concerned.

"But he is out now and the women are in.

"The campaign was carried on with few sensational features. There were street meetings and stump-speaking, the usual campaign work, but no parades or special demonstrations."

N. B. APPLE SHOW A GRAND SUCCESS

The second annual apple show of the New Brunswick Fruit Growers' Association was formally opened Monday in St. Andrews Rink. The exhibits are more numerous and of much finer quality than ever before, and the large numbers of people who visited the rink appeared to appreciate the display. President C. N. Vroom called upon Hon. D. V. Landry, who in an interesting speech formally opened the show. Hon. Robert Maxwell and Prof. W. Saxby Blair, of Macdonald College, one of the judges of the fruit also spoke. It is confidently anticipated that most of the people of the city will visit the rink to-day and Wednesday. Altogether the exhibit is far superior to that of last year, and the displays by the St. John River Valley Farm and Fruit land Co., Ltd., by the provincial illustration orchards and by individual exhibitors are a revelation as to the possibilities of New Brunswick and indicate the and n all respects the display a great possibilities of applegrowing in this province. The quality and colour ing of the fruit are particularly fine, ahead of last year's and a credit to the fruit growers and the government and a source of pride and satisfaction to the people of New Brunswick.

AMERICAN YACHT MADE LONG TRIP

(Canadian Press.)

North Edgecombe, Maine., Oct. 31.—The yacht Ottoman has completed her voyage to Newfoundland and return, the trip covering about 5,000 miles, and being perhaps the longest coastal cruise ever attempted single-handed. The trip was made by G. C. Curtiss for the purpose of studying the Atlantic coast. Nearly all of the deep bays of the southern coast of Newfoundland, many of which were uninhabited, were explored by Mr. Curtiss. The skipper believes they rank in picturesque and geological wealth with the well-known George fords of Norway.

Mr. Albert Ashford, who went west on the Farm Laborers' excursion has returned home.

STRANGE MISHAP TO OCEAN LINER

Halifax, Oct. 31—Captain Chambers of the Furness Line steamer which arrived here today relates a curious incident which occurred in mid ocean. He says the stem or came to a full stop by reason of the circulation pipes refusing to work. Upon investigation it was found that the feed pipes were clogged with a new kind of fish which had been ground to a pulp. After the obstruction was removed the steamer continued the voyage without delay.

NOTED SPECIALIST HAS PASSED AWAY

(Canadian Press.)

New York, Oct. 31—Dr. John Bunston Palmer, eye, ear, throat and nose specialist, is dead at his home here from heart disease. He was widely known as a surgeon and author of medical works.

Messrs M. A. Thompson and E. A. Niches of St. John arrived in the city on Saturday and spent the week end and Thanksgiving Day in the city.