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BUT THREE DAYS OF SPECIAL PRIZE CONTEST

Each Interested Candidate Should Try to Land One of These--Collect up and Send in Your Promised Subscriptions Before Nine O'clock on Saturday Evening--The Mail's Tour Contest the Topic of the Hour in Two Counties

But three more days remain of the special prize contest which will close on Saturday evening, Nov. 11, at 9 o'clock.

Below is given the standing of the candidates for these three special pin money prizes. No one has very much of a lead over another, and the prizes are yours for the winning. Collect up your promised subscriptions this week and land one of these prizes.

NOTES

The question has been asked as to how long a person may subscribe for the Daily or Semi-Weekly Mail in advance to help a favorite candidate. You may subscribe for as long as you like but the vote scale does not advance on the Daily Mail after the third year, thus: The first year gives 2000 votes, second year 3000 votes, third year 4000, making 9000 in all. After the third year the scale descends to its original 2000 votes again, so that a four year subscription would entitle the payer to 11,000 votes, five years to 14,000 and six years to 18,000 votes and so on.

Nine years on the Semi-Weekly will give 9,000 votes.

THE LEADERS

1st.—Miss Helen McKinnon
2nd.—Miss Ella Kelly

SPECIAL PRIZES

First Prize—\$20.00
Second Prize—\$10.00
Third Prize—\$10.00

To be given to the three ladies in the Tour Contest who bring in the greatest amounts in cash subscriptions during the ten days intervening between Thursday morning, Nov. 2 and 9 o'clock Saturday evening, Nov. 11.

Votes on subscriptions sent in may be cast or carried away for later polling as desired.

3rd.—Miss Myrtle Mitchell
4th.—Miss Eliza Campbell
5th.—Miss Kate Miles
6th.—Miss Mabel Miller
7th.—Miss Mary George
8th.—Miss Anna May
9th.—Miss Mary Ingraham
10th.—Miss Bertha Smith

Others are very close to the leaders and the price of only a few yearly subscriptions lies between them and the top of the list.

For the score by districts see page 2.

CITY COUNCIL MEETING WAS OF SHORT DURATION

The regular monthly meeting of the City Council took place last night. Little more than routine business was transacted.

Those present were His Worship the Mayor, Ald. Allen, Ald. Calder, Ald. Jewett, Ald. Burchill, Ald. Wilkinson, Ald. Kitchen, Ald. Guthrie and Ald. Hooper.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

The auditor's report for the month was adopted as follows:

Public Works.....	\$370 53
Roads and streets.....	77 57
City Hall.....	202 40
Contingent.....	157 94
Permanent Streets.....	22 26
Fire.....	468 14
Administration of Justice.....	73 18
Street Lighting.....	777 26
House Connections.....	231 42
Water.....	1,052 10

Total.....\$3,987 80

A petition from Edwin Ashford for relief from taxation was referred to the Assessment Appeals Committee.

On the motion of Ald. Calder the Road Committee was authorized to call for tenders and close contract for the winter's snow-ploughing.

Ald. Hooper complained of the street crossings in the West End being in a state of disrepair. Ald. Jewett promised to look into the matter.

WHARF MATTERS

Ald. Allen moved that the amount expended by the Crystal Stream S. S. Company upon the wharf used by its steamers be refunded.

On the suggestion of Ald. Calder the matter was referred back to the Wharf Committee.

IRREGULARITY OF CLOCK

Ald. Hooper read a statement that irregularity in the striking of the clock in the City Hall tower was due to the discharge lever being worn. The clock has been in service for thirty-three years. The irregularity consisted in the clock striking once twenty-five minutes before the hour.

LIGHT ON WHARVES

Ald. Hooper asked what had been done by Wharf and Street Committees about placing a light on the wharf at the foot of Regent Street. Ald. Kitchen said the matter had been discussed and it had been decided that the matter stand over until next spring.

Ald. Hooper thought immediate action should be taken.

Ald. Kitchen said he was willing to take action at once if the board desired.

On the motion of Ald. Guthrie it was decided to have an arc light placed on the wharves at the front of Regent Street.

PREDICTS VICTORY FOR THE DEMOCRATS

(Canadian Press.)

Columbus, O., Nov. 8.—Expressed opinion upon the result in Massachusetts, Kentucky and Ohio and other points where democratic candidates were elected yesterday, governor Judson Harmon who is spoken of as a democratic presidential possibility, today predicted a national democratic landslide next year.

TWO MONTHS MAIL FREE.

As a further inducement to subscribers to pay now to help the young ladies in the contest, The Mail will make the following offer: All yearly subscriptions to The Daily or Semi-Weekly Mail given during the next five weeks to aid one of the contestants, will be started now, but dated January 1, 1912, thus giving subscribers one year and two months for the price of one year.

Send in your subscription now and profit by the transaction, as well as aid some young lady to win a delightful tour.

WILL HONOR SIR WILFRID

The Premier Canadian will be Seventy Years Old November 20

Liberal Members of Parliament will Celebrate Event—McBride Wants Better Terms for B. C.

Ottawa, Nov. 7.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier's seventieth birthday on Monday, Nov. 20, will be fittingly marked by the Liberal members of parliament.

A suggestion that the day be made the occasion of a renewed expression of the affection and esteem of Liberals for their leader has been enthusiastically endorsed in Ottawa and will doubtless be welcomed by every Liberal member of the commons and senate.

The Duke of Comaught paid his first visit to the senate and house of commons today, under rather inauspicious circumstances. Accompanied by two of his aides he strolled into the parliament building about noon. There was not even a messenger on duty to do the honors of the occasion. The house-cleaning process in preparation for the opening of parliament next week was in full swing, corridors were in semi-darkness and paint pots and floor sweepings were in evidence. His royal highness and aides, who had to find their own way about, must have had a rather unfortunate first impression of the capital's chief show place.

The governor general will not officiate at the first day of the opening on Wednesday of next week. Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, chief justice and deputy governor, will meet the commons in the senate chamber on that day, and in accordance with the usual procedure tell them to go back and first elect a speaker. His Royal Highness will officiate on the following day, when the formal opening will take place.

Premier McBride and his ministers, Hon. W. J. Bowser and W. C. Ross, had interviews today with Premier Borden. Hon. Robert Rogers, Hon. F. D. Monk and Hon. C. J. Doherty, with reference to the mission of the provincial ministers to the capital, namely, to negotiate for a larger annual federal financial subsidy for British Columbia; for the settlement of matters at issue as to the title to Indian lands in the province, and in regard to conflicting federal and provincial jurisdictions in regard to fisheries; for a change in the immigration policy that will promote a larger settlement of "whites" in British Columbia and keep out orientals, and finally for general liberality in the way of public works for the province.

All of these questions have been for some years past matters of debate between the McBride and Laurier ministers.

Premier McBride states that he expects "warm" justice from his political allies, who are now in power at Ottawa. It is understood that the question as to the title to the Indian lands in the province will be speedily settled practically along the lines proposed by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, but which for the time being were objected to by Mr. McBride for political reasons.

The balance of the provincial premier's budget of requests will be considered by the cabinet a little later after the present congestion of pressing business in preparation for the opening of parliament is relieved. It is understood that the cabinet is averse to granting any increased subsidy to British Columbia until the consent of the other provincial premiers is assured.

Premier McBride, with Mrs. McBride and daughter, will leave tomorrow for New York to attend the horse show. Thence they will go to New Orleans; returning to Victoria via the southern states.

MANY CANDIDATES ALREADY IN FIELD

(Canadian Press.)

Toronto, Ont. Nov. 8.—Forty one liberal, seventy one conservative and seven labor candidates are in the field for the provincial elections and the number is being added to daily.

ROTHESAY SCHOOL SATISFACTORY

Synod Received and Adopted Report of Education Committee

Reports of Committees of Church Literature and on Sunday Schools Received and Discussed

The business session of the Diocesan Synod opened this morning at ten o'clock when consideration of the reports of the various committees was taken up. Rev. H. A. Cody of St. James, Church, St. John presented the report of the Board of Church Literature which was received and adopted after discussion. The report of the Education Committee was taken as read. Rev. H. W. Hibbard presented the report on Rothesay Collegiate School and Rev. E. B. Hooper of St. Paul's Church that of the Standing Committee on Sunday Schools. The report on Rothesay School was adopted and at the time adjournment was made at one o'clock discussion on the report on Sunday Schools had not been completed.

The report of the Committee on Memorials to Deceased Members was also presented at this morning's session. Memorials on the death of the late A. C. Fairweather, the late Rev. Mr. Mathers and the late W. E. Vroom were presented and received. Later a memorial on the death of the late I. R. Golding of Fredericton will be presented by Rev. Canon Cowie.

The report on Rothesay School showed that the school was in sound condition with an attendance of 54 scholars. In the discussion on the report Very Rev. Dean Schofield suggested that as this diocese was about to aid King's College the collegiate school at Windsor, N. S., might be removed to Rothesay. His Lordship expressed the opinion that such a proposal would engender hard feelings. Several speeches praising the work of this school were made.

The Sunday School report showed this section of the church work to be satisfactory. The report was discussed by Rev. Father Connors, Rev. H. A. Cody, Dr. Campbell, Rev. C. W. Nichols and others.

THE STOCK MARKET HOLDING UP WELL

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

Copper.....	55 1/2	55 1/2
Atchinson.....	107 1/2	106 1/2
Brooklyn.....	78 1/2	77 1/2
Smelters.....	69 1/2	68 1/2
C. P. R.....	242 1/2	241 1/2
Great Northern.....	127 1/2	127 1/2
Northern Pacific.....	120 1/2	119 1/2
Penn.....	122 1/2	122 1/2
Reading.....	148 1/2	147 1/2
Southern Pacific.....	113 1/2	113 1/2
Union.....	169 1/2	169 1/2
U. S. Steel.....	60 1/2	59 1/2
Virginia.....	48 1/2	48 1/2

MONTREAL MORNING SALES.

Iron, pfd., 50 @ 102.
Bank of Montreal, 4 @ 240, 7 @ 238 1/2.
Royal Bank, 15 @ 239, 4 @ 240.
Bank of N.S., 1 @ 279.
Commerce Bank, 6 @ 208.
R. & O., 465 @ 125 1/2, 250 @ 125, 25 @ 125 1/2, 125 @ 125 1/2, 125 @ 125.
Textile, 25 @ 71.
Toronto Street, 290 @ 137, 50 @ 137 1/2, 75 @ 138 1/2, 100 @ 138 1/2, 270 @ 137 1/2, 272 @ 139.
Cement, pfd., 135 @ 90.
Steel of Canada, 250 @ 35 1/2, 250 @ 35, 135 @ 35 1/2.
Cement, com., 50 @ 28, 75 @ 28 1/2, 450 @ 28 1/2.
Iron, com., 90 @ 53.
Power, 175 @ 178 1/2, 75 @ 178 1/2.
Detroit, 50 @ 72 1/2, 60 @ 72 1/2.
C.P.R., 50 @ 72 1/2.
Shawinigan, 246 @ 118 1/2.
Converters, 40 @ 39.
U.S. Steel, 50 @ 90.
Ottawa Power, 25 @ 148.
Rio, 50 @ 114 1/2, 15 @ 115 1/2.
Dominion Park, 26 @ 75 1/2.
Smart Bag, 100 @ 60, 50 @ 60 1/2, 25 @ 60 1/2, 50 @ 64.
Smart Bag, pfd., 100 @ 105.
R. & O., 100 @ 125 1/2, 25 @ 125 1/2, 30 @ 125 1/2.
Iron, pfd., 50 @ 102.

NO HOPE FOR IMPERIALISTS

The Revolutionists in China are Making Gains on Every Side

Constant Acquisitions are Being Made to Their Ranks--Another City Surrenders

London, Nov. 8.—The Peking correspondent of the Times, making note of the absence of any anti-foreign feeling says that on the contrary it is certain that the immense majority of Pekingese would welcome it were possible the policing of the whole city by foreign troops.

At Foo Chow, the Manchu garrison fearing an attack has requested permission to take refuge in the British Consulate.

A despatch to the Times from Hong Kong, says that through trains to Canton have stopped running by the Viceroy's order, for fear of pillage. Now the railway guards have been withdrawn.

Peking, Nov. 7.—The legations consider that the end of the Manchu dynasty is imminent. There seems no hope of saving even a nominal throne. The provinces north of the Yang-Tse are now declaring for a republic. The only force of Manchu troops large enough to cope with the local situation are in Peking but there are indications tonight that the capital will be surrounded before many days by Chinese soldiers.

Where the court will take refuge is a question. There are evidences that the court intended to proceed to Chang Kia Kau (Kalgan). Troops guarding the route to that town, which lies in the province of Chi-Li, 125 miles northwest of Peking, were expected to dynamite the tunnel after the passage of the train bearing the emperor and his household. Report have now been received that Chang Kia Kau is unsafe.

The national assembly is holding meeting without a quorum, but certain members are endeavoring to maintain a nucleus. Na-Tung, vice-president of the privy council, has taken rooms for his family in a hotel in the legation quarter. Prince Ching's palace seems to be deserted. It is believed that he is in the Forbidden City.

American soldiers with a supply of rockets were sent to each outlying mission compound tonight. The legation has advised the Americans to come into the quarter or seek other places of safety. A concerted attack upon the foreigners is not feared, but there is many within the city who are apposed to foreigners.

The government proposed today to cut the Peking-Tien Tsin railway beyond Peking to prevent additional troops from arriving. It is understood that the British minister, Sir John Jordan protested on the ground that Great Britain was entitled to operate the railway in the event of the suspension of service in accordance with an old agreement. Consequently the line is still open.

The Chinese report that the Kalgan railway is in the hands of the revolutionaries, while a rebel force is proceeding apparently in the direction of Peking at a point on the railway about seventy miles from the capital. All the railway connections with the capital are threatened.

It is expected that the assassination of General Wu Lu Cheng will lead to the revolt of the remainder of his old sixth division which is now with Yuan Shi Kai. The government reports, however that two train loads of imperial soldiers are on their way to Hankow and these may be sufficient to prevent a mutiny.

A hundred carts left Peking tonight for Jehol and 200 mounted Manchus proceeded in the same direction early in the day. The Chinese believe that this advance party is preparing the way for the flight of the court but many Manchus are fleeing and troops are constantly moving in the direction of Peking.

DR WU BURNS HIS BRIDGES

Shanghai, Nov. 7.—Dr. Wu Ting Fang, who has been chosen director of foreign affairs in the reform government, established by the revolutionists in the province of Kiang-Su, today gave a long statement to the press, in which he announced his adherence to the movement designed to establish a republican form of government in China.

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REPUBLICANS MADE GAINS IN THE STATE ELECTIONS

Captured the New York Legislature from the Democrats by a Two-thirds Vote--Tammany Forces Won out in New York City--Governor Foss, Democratic, Re-elected in Massachusetts by a Reduced Plurality--Democrats Won out in Boston--Returns from Other States

(Canadian Press.)

New York, Nov. 8.—Election returns from various states this morning clear up some of the uncertainties apparent in the late reports last night.

In Massachusetts Governor F. N. Foss, democrat will be head of the state for another year but he will as in the past be surrounded by state officials elected by republicans. Foss was the only democratic candidate to pull through yesterday. Returns early this morning from Albuquerque, N.M. indicate a triumph for the democratic party. This is the first election held in New Mexico which is a new state. The republicans however, still hope to control the legislature and elect the two United States senators. In Maryland, the returns are coming in slowly. At 10 o'clock this morning the election of Phillips Lee Goldborough, republican as governor was apparent. There were reversals from the republican to the democratic party in the states of Kentucky and Ohio. In the former State, majorities were given to practically all the democratic candidates and James Bennett McCreary, governor was re-elected by over thirty thousand. The state legislature will have a democratic majority of probably eighty-five sufficient to secure the election to the United States Senate of Congressman Ollie James.

Municipal elections in Ohio resulted in the election of George J. Karb, democrat, as mayor of Columbus. Democratic mayors in Cincinnati and Cleveland also were elected. Two States New York and New Jersey, re-elected democratic assemblies with republican. New York elected an assembly that will have a republican majority greater than the present democratic majority in the lower branch of the legislature. The republicans will hold the assembly of upwards of fifty, as against the present democratic majority of 24. In New York City, the republicans generally speaking had the best of it. Tammany retained its grip on Manhattan and the Bronx but it lost the control of the Board of Aldermen.

New York, N.Y., Nov. 8.—The next New York State Assembly will be overwhelmingly republican. The republicans will number 101, while the remainder of the chamber will consist of 48 Democrats, and 1 Socialist. The State Senate holds over from last year and therefore, it continues Democratic.

Heavy inroads were made in the democratic representation in great New York, making gains of nine countries, while in Ross Brooklyn Bridge, Kings County, exactly the same number of gains was registered. Results in other states showed varying results, with little indication of a widespread wave of public sentiment.

In Massachusetts, Governor Foss, Democrat, was re-elected by a reduced plurality of about 8,000 compared with 35,000 one year ago. In Rhode Island Governor Pothier is a native of Quebec. New Jersey elected a legislature; the assembly is Republican; the senate will probably be of the same political complexion. In Maryland the republicans elected a governor for the second time in thirty years.

Mississippi elected a Democratic governor; the Socialist candidate for lieutenant-governor ran strong.

The municipal elections in Ohio re-

sulted in the election of Democrats as mayors of Cincinnati, Cleveland and Columbus. Brand Whitlock was re-elected mayor of Toledo.

In Kentucky, Jas. B. McCreary, Democrat, was elected governor by a majority estimated at 20,000. A Democratic legislature will elect Ollie Jones as United States senator.

New Mexico will probably elect a Democratic candidate for governor. Indications point to a Republican legislature, which will elect two Republican United States senators.

Democrats were elected to Congress in the third Nebraska and second Kansas districts. In the fourteenth Pennsylvania district, a Republican was elected in place of a Democrat.

Philadelphia elected Rudolph Blankenburg, Independent Republican, who headed the fusion ticket by 4,364 plurality, defeating George H. Earle, Jr., the candidate of United States Senator Penrose.

Eight Ohio cities elected Socialist mayors.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 8.—Complete returns for governor in the state election give:

Foss, Democratic, 210,622.
Frothingham, Republican, 202,888.
Foss' plurality, 7,734.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 7.—On the face of the returns from 954 out of 1,070 election districts, the Democrats won the state election today and kept Massachusetts in the party column by continuing Governor Eugene Foss in office for a second term. The returns gave Foss, Democrat, 187,553; Frothingham, Republican, 177,074. Last year the same districts gave Foss 201,324; Draper, Republican, 167,497. It is years since Massachusetts has had an election in which the result was so long in doubt as in the contest that was fought in the old Bay State today. The early returns were decidedly in favor of the Republicans and the party leaders and many of the newspapers declared for several hours that Lieut.-Governor Louis A. Frothingham had won over Governor Eugene N. Foss, the Democratic candidate for a second term, by a plurality estimated variously from 10,000 to 40,000.

But as additional returns rolled in from city and county the Republican lead dwindled until at eight o'clock it began to dawn upon the politicians of both parties that the contest would not be settled until the last election district had reported.

In former years the new governor was able to read his title clear within three or four hours after the polls closed, but it was well along toward midnight before even Governor Foss had the courage to claim the election by 12,000. At that time the state was far from complete.

BOSTON DEMOCRATIC BY 24,000.

Governor Foss with a vote of 50,170, as compared with the 65,553 given him last year, carried Boston by 21,741. The vote given Louis A. Frothingham was somewhat in excess of that given Governor Draper last year or 28,429, which reduced Mr. Foss' plurality from that of last year by 5,976.

Walsh for lieutenant-governor, carried the City of Boston by a plurality of 24,094, more than 4,000 ahead of the plurality accorded Mr. Cassidy the Democratic candidate last year.

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