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

9.45 A.M.—For Fredericton Jet connecting for St. John and points East.

4.00 P.M.—Via Gibson Branch. For Woodstock and points North to and including Aroostook Jet.

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

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

ARRIVALS

9.10 A.M.—From St. John and East
 11.50 A.M.—From Boston Montreal, St. Stephen, Woodstock, and North and Houlton.

12.30 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.

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WORST APPREHENSIONS HAVE BEEN REALIZED

(Kali fax Chronicle.)

Although the census figures are as yet incomplete, enough is known to show that the worst apprehensions, with respect to the Maritime Provinces, have been realized. The population of Canada has increased, during the past decade, about 1,730,000, or 32 per cent., and to this increase the three Atlantic Provinces, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island, have contributed the beggarly total of somewhat more than 13,000 souls. One of the surest tests of a country's progress is the growth of its population. Judged by this test, the Maritime Provinces, during the past ten years, have scarcely held their own. In fact, they have not retained the natural increase in population.

During the recent election campaign we pointed out that the trade of the Maritime Provinces had largely perished with the enactment of high protection in the Dominion, after the so-called National Policy election of 1878 and the retaliatory tariff legislation in the United States. We showed that since that time the story of the decadence of these Provinces had been vividly told in the census returns, and the recorded prices of real estate. The figures made public in the preliminary bulletin of the Census Bureau add another chapter to that tragic story.

In 1871 the population of Nova Scotia was 387,000. In 1881 it was 440,572—an increase of 52,772. In 1891 it was 450,396—an increase of 9,824. In 1901 it was 459,573—an increase of only 9,178. In 1911 the population of Nova Scotia is given as 461,847, showing an increase of only 2,273! There are some districts yet to be reported but it is safe to say that the increase in population, if any, will be considerably less than that of the preceding years. This showing is lamentable and deplorable, particularly when we recall the fact that Nova Scotia's population had been increasing by well over 50,000 every ten years, from 1851 until after the adoption of the National Policy in 1873 and the tariff reply thereto of the United States.

The figures for New Brunswick offer scarcely any more comfort. The growth of population in that Province is shown in the following Census figures:

1871	335,594
1881	321,233
1891	321,263
1901	331,120
1911	351,815

Thus, from 1871 to 1881 the population of New Brunswick increased 35,629. From 1881 to 1891 it increased merely 30. From 1891 to 1901 there was an increase of about 10,000, while, during the last decade, the alleged increase is 20,695.

But the story of the Census concerning Prince Edward Island is, as we pointed out not long ago, even more tragic. Here it is:

1871	94,021
1881	108,891
1891	109,078
1901	103,259
1911	93,722

These figures show how sadly the Maritime Provinces, which in many respects offer the greatest opportunities for development in the whole of Canada, have suffered from the beginning of the policy which has built up the Big Interests and the Big Cities of Quebec and Ontario at our expense. The net increase in population of the three Maritime Provinces, during the decade, is only about 13,000. One result of this tragic decline is that in the coming redistribution, Nova Scotia stands to lose two members in the House of Commons, New Brunswick two members, and Prince Edward Island one member—a total loss of representation of five members.

The total increase in the population of Canada during the decade is somewhat less than was expected, but it is still very large, and, as was generally anticipated, it has been confined solely to the central and western Provinces, which have been drawing the bulk of the immigration and which have been developing otherwise at a much more rapid rate than the Provinces by the sea. The population figures for the central and western Provinces from 1871 down to the last Census will illustrate the rate of growth.

British Columbia.

1871	36,247
1881	49,459
1891	98,173
1901	178,657
1911	362,768

Manitoba.

1871	25,228
1881	62,260

Ontario.

1871	1,620,851
1881	1,926,922
1891	2,114,321
1896	152,506
1901	255,211
1901	2,182,947
1911	454,691
1911	2,519,902

Quebec.

1871	1,191,516
1881	1,359,027
1891	1,488,535
1901	1,648,898
1911	2,000,697

North-West Territories.

1871	18,000
1881	25,515
1891	66,799
1901	158,940

Since the Census of 1911, the Provinces of Saskatchewan and Alberta have been carved out of the North-West Territories, and they have now a population respectively of 453,508 and 372,919, or, combined, over 800,000, as compared with a total of 158,940 ten years ago. Thus the central and western Provinces of the Dominion have made practically the whole gains in population during the last decade. Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick are still paying the price to the Big Interests and the Big Cities, as they have been doing since the adoption of the National Policy, in the loss of the very flower of their people.

The decline in population has brought the inevitable result—loss of representation in the Federal Parliament. The figures of the Census furnish ample vindication of the policy of the Liberal party in the recent campaign. Had that policy prevailed there was at least good ground for the hope that we would be able to keep our young men and women at home, and so be in a stronger position to resist any reduction in our representation. But half of the people were fooled by the specious cries of the Flag-Flappers. They voted blindly against their own interests and against their own Province. They lost the best chance ever offered to them to retain their declining prestige and to mitigate, if not remove, the disabilities under which they have suffered all these years. The figures of the Census should arouse them to the folly of their decision.

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Edinburgh, Oct. 27.—The ancient Scottish capital was the scene today of an international wedding in which the usual order of American bride and British bridegroom was reversed. Dr. Ernest P. Magruder, a well known physician of Washington, D. C., was the bridegroom at today's ceremony and the bride was Miss MacGregor, daughter of Lady Helen and the late Sir Malcolm MacGregor, who was a rear admiral of the British navy. Dr. Magruder will take his bride to Washington, where he is superintendent of one of the hospitals.

ARIZONA TO HOLD PRIMARY

Phoenix, Ariz., Oct. 23.—The Statehood machinery of Arizona will be set in motion for the first time tomorrow, when a general primary will be held for the selection of candidates to be voted for at the first State election, which is to be held early in December. The nominations will include candidates for governor and all other State officers, members of the legislature, three judges of the supreme court and judges of the district courts, representatives in Congress and county and precinct officers. Additional interest is given the primary by the fact that the voters will express their choice for two United States senators. According to the constitution the choice of senators in the primary will be binding upon the legislature.

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MISSISSIPPI STATE FAIR

Jackson, Miss., Oct. 23.—On the eve of the opening of the Mississippi State Fair all signs point to the largest and most complete exhibition of the kind ever given in this State. The last of the exhibits was installed today and everything is in readiness for the opening ceremonies tomorrow. Every department is well filled, but especially notable will be the display of live stock and horticultural and agricultural products. The annual conventions of the State Poultry Association, live stock association, bee keepers, swine breeders and other organizations are expected to add largely to the attendance of visitors during the week.

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