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THE NAVAL QUESTION

Now that the Tory leaders have found themselves in a hole on the naval question a determined effort is being put forth by the press of that party to have the matter taken out of politics. It is certainly a very laudable but it is doubtful if those fathering the movement have devoted a great deal of their time to a review of the history of the question. Possibly they may have forgotten that in the month of March 1909, the House of Commons of Canada without a dissenting voice adopted the following resolution:

"The House will cordially approve of any necessary expenditure designed to promote the speedy organization of a Canadian naval service in co-operation with and in close relation to the Imperial Navy along lines suggested by the Admiralty at the last Imperial Conference, and in full sympathy with the view that the naval supremacy of Great Britain is essential to the security of commerce the safety of the Empire, and the peace of the world."

Mr. Borden the then leader of the Tory party subsequently confirmed the above resolution in a public address delivered in the city of Halifax Mr. Monk who is now Mr. Borden's Minister of Public Works did some grumbling, and subsequently, allied himself with Mr. Henri Bourassa in an attack on the naval policy of both parties. An active propaganda was carried on by them in the Province of Quebec and resulted in an alliance between the Tories and the Nationalists. The government's naval policy was made the sole issue in a bye-election in Drummond-Arthabaska. The most inflammatory speeches were delivered by Monk, Bourassa, Blondin and others with the result that the Liberal candidate went down to defeat. The verdict was hailed by the Tory press all over Canada as a crushing blow to Laurier. Nothing was said then about both parties uniting on the naval question. Oh no, the Tories were looking for office and they were ready to sacrifice their principles to obtain it. They readily formed an alliance with the Nationalist leaders and the press supporting them had no word of condemnation for Bourassa and his un-British utterances. No form of partizan discussion on this question was not in the least objectionable to Mr. Borden, so long as its object was to win votes for the Tory party. Men who are now supporting him in the House of Commons went about the Province of Quebec telling the habitants that they owed nothing to England and the English and that they had to shoot the British flag full of holes in order to breathe the air of liberty.

We know that Mr. Borden did not approve of such sentiments but he lacked the courage to repudiate them. He played into the hands of Bourassa and other Nationalist firebrands and when returned to power he not only allowed Bourassa and Lavergne to name the Cabinet Ministers for Quebec, but he actually gave a pledge that there would be a plebiscite on the naval question. He did this to appease the Nationalists. He has since broken faith with them. Finding himself in a very deep hole on this question Mr. Borden now talks of inviting Sir Wilfrid Laurier to co-operate with him in outlining a non-partizan naval policy for Canada. Sir Wilfrid will do nothing of the kind. The Liberal policy on the naval question is already defined and they will not depart from it to please Mr. Borden. They stand for a Canadian navy composed of Canadian ships built in Canadian shipyards by Canadian workmen and they are going to adhere to that policy.

In the death of General William Booth, head and founder of the Salvation Army, which took place in London yesterday, the world loses one of its greatest men. His name was a household word in many lands and no man since the dawn of his-

tory has done more for the uplifting of humanity. Since his conversion nearly seventy years ago he has devoted his life to the service of the Master. His wonderful ability as an organizer made him a power for good, and he was easily the greatest evangelist of his time. Although his wonderful career has been closed his work for humanity, particularly for the submerged tenth will go on and his memory will be cherished by thousands of devoted followers, who have been led into the path of right.

The proposal to present the civic address to the Duke of Connaught at the railway station, immediately upon his arrival here, has not much to commend it. The place is scarcely suitable for such a ceremony neither from the standpoint of the vicaral visitors or the general public. When Lord Minto visited the city as governor general the civic address was presented at Parliament Square, and in the case of Earl Gray, the last governor general to visit us, the presentation was made in the opera house. It has been suggested that the grounds of the York Street School or the officers' Square might be utilized for the purpose on Saturday, and it is to be hoped that the civic authorities will give the matter due consideration.

The condition of the Springhill road is a positive disgrace to the Local Government and the men whom the electors of York elected to support it. Hon. H. F. McLeod, was able to secure a fat job for his friend Dr. Mullin in spite of the hostility of Mr. Pinder. Why cannot he take hold and have this road put in first class shape. The Hon. Harry is conceded even by his opponents to be an aggressive and talented man. He is familiar with the conditions and if he takes hold in earnest he can convert the Springhill road into a boulevard. Will the gallant Colonel rise to the occasion?

The Hon. Ward Chipman Hazen Grimmer, who is the most outstanding figure in the Local Cabinet is to be acting premier and acting surveyor general during the absence of Premier Flemming to the Pacific Coast. It is to be hoped that the acting premier will also be acting Chief Commissioner of Public Works. In that case he might be induced to take hold and put the roads in passable condition.

A commission appointed by the city of New York to investigate the high cost of living recommends the elimination of the middlemen. Here in Fredericton a large percentage of the people go to market and buy direct from the producers, yet they pay pretty stiff prices for what they get. The producer has his eyes and ears open these days.

With five dredges operating in the river and Mr. O. S. Crockett gathering in a supply at the city's expense, it is beginning to look as if the Tories had a scheme on foot to corner the mud market.

A resident of Fredericton who is reported to have made a lot of money last spring shipping farm produce to the United States, is now enjoying a holiday in Europe.

The Duke of Connaught during his visit to Cape Breton, hooked a five hundred pound tuna, but like the proverbial big trout it got away.

The political blunder committed in September last has cost the farmers and lumbermen of York many thousands of dollars.

PERSONALS

Mr. J. T. Power arrived in the city last night.

Mr. G. P. Corkery of Woodstock is registered at the Barker House.

Mr. W. H. Hughes of St. John is at the Queen.

Mr. F. M. Humphrey of Cambridge, Mass. is in the city.

Mr. William Turnbull of Stanley is in the city today.

Mr. D. W. McLachlan of Ottawa is registered at the Queen.

Mr. John Walsh of St. John is registered at the Queen.

Mrs. H. Kilburn of Fort Fairfield, Me., Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McPhail and Wilfrid McPhail of Perth arrived in the city last night and registered at the Queen.

Mr. George G. Shortt of Halifax is at the Barker House.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Johnston of Andover arrived in the city last night.

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START NOW, BY READING THE ADVERTISEMENTS IN THE MAIL TODAY.

Ald. Edward Moore has been confined to his home for several days by illness.

Mrs. W. H. Clarke and little daughter of Boston, Mass., are visiting Mrs. A. F. Woodbridge of Forest Hill.

TO SOLEMNIZE MARRIAGE

Rev. Hugh Ellsworth Stule of St. John has been registered under provincial statute to solemnize marriages.

SHOE FACTORY TO CLOSE.

The management of the Hartt Boot & Shoe Factory has decided to close their plant tomorrow in order to give their operatives an opportunity to take part in the big festival to be held at Scully's Grove under the joint auspices of the Labor Council and Fredericton Baseball Club.

Insurance against death for travellers in heavier-than-air machines has been abandoned in Germany.

PROPERTIES WORTH INVESTIGATING

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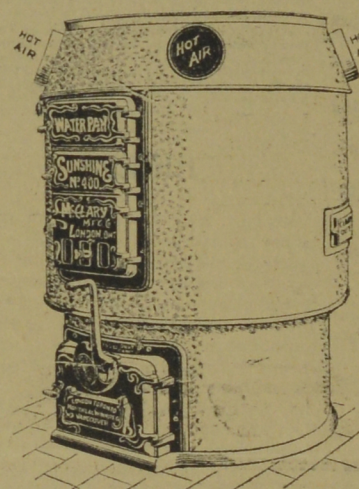
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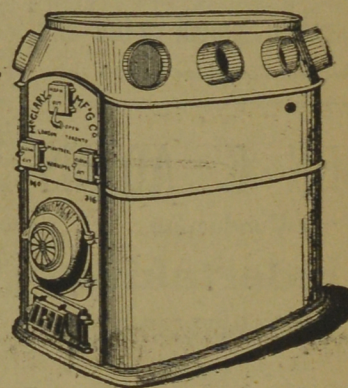
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Ottawa, Aug. 20—The west exceeds the maritime provinces by nearly double in number the companies incorporated, according to statistics issued today from the department of state, which reflects in a singularly clear manner the tremendous growth commercially and industrially of the Dominion during the past few years. The revenue of the department, which is derived from tariff of fees from granting of charters, is double for the first four months of the fiscal year than for the corresponding period last year, and equal to the revenue for the entire twelve months three years ago.

The tariff fees are collected as follows:

When the authorized capital is \$50,000 or less, the fee is \$100. When it is more than \$200,000 and does not exceed \$500,000 the fee is \$250 and 50 cents for every \$1,000 or fractional part in excess of \$500,000. For a \$2,000,000 company the fee is \$500 and for \$5,000,000 company it is \$1,300 and for a \$10,000,000 company \$2,300.

CARD OF THANKS

The management of the Old Home Week Celebration are indebted to City Auditor MacKay, who made a careful audit of the many accounts of the celebration, but refused to accept any remuneration for his valuable services.
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NOTICE

THE OLD HOME BREW

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CANADIAN UNDERWRITERS MEET

Montreal, Aug. 21—Leading insurance men from all parts of the Dominion assembled today for the annual convention of the Canadian Underwriters Association, the sessions of which will continue until Friday. L. Brackett Bishop, president of the National Life Underwriters' Association of the United States is among the scheduled speakers.

TO ATTEND ENGLISH MANOEUVRES

Montreal, Aug. 21—Among the passengers sailing on the Royal George today is Colonel Sam Hughes the Canadian Minister of Militia and Defence who is going over to attend the autumn manoeuvres of the English army. Colonel Hughes is accompanied on the trip by a number of Canadian military officers.