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THE QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY.

The announcement in Parliament by the Premier, that the government does not propose at this session to introduce legislation making May 24 a statutory holiday, will be received by the people of Canada with a feeling of disappointment.

THE DAILY TELEGRAPH.

Since its establishment over thirty years ago, the Daily Telegraph has had a variety of editors, starting with John Livingston and William Elder, who were also the founders of the paper.

Now it is announced that the editorial chair is to be taken by H. F. Gadsby, of the Toronto Star, a young man who is said to possess considerable ability.

Mr. Ledne, who redeemed Nicolet from Quebec in the federal election of 1891, and was a promising public man, is dead of consumption.

"This is the dawn of the Steel Age in Canada."—Transcript. [This country experienced the steel age when the Tories were in power.]

A year ago today the Canadians at Paardeberg compelled Cronje and his 4000 men to surrender.

Who are you gambling on for speaker of the legislature?

Mr. Whitney wires from Boston: "Not a word of truth in rumor that Morgan syndicate have acquired control of iron and steel property. St. John people and all others in Canada may rest assured that nothing will be done to interfere with the development of the steel business, shipbuilding and incidental industries dependent on the Sydney works."

Moncton business men are making an effort to remove party politics from the civic arena.

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

Movements of People in Whom Our Readers Are Interested.

J. I. Taylor, of Montreal, is at the Windsor. J. W. Sparden was in St. John yesterday. T. I. Teed, of Montreal, is at the Barker House.

THE ROYAL VISIT.

Duke and Duchess of York Expected in September.

MR. COSTIGAN GIVES NOTICE OF MOTION ON KING'S CORONATION OATH.

Mr. Charlton Wants Dominion Lands Reserved for Actual Settlers

Ottawa, Feb. 26.—At today's sitting of the house, Hon. John Costigan on motion to go into supply, gave notice that he would move an amendment next time supply was taken up and he would read his motion now.

"I wish to declare here," said Mr. Costigan, "that in moving that amendment I expect the government to receive it as a friendly one, that it is not inspired by any political reason, and which should not be received as a vote of want of confidence because, if it is moved as an amendment to go into supply, that is simply because it is the only way of obtaining a free expression of opinion on a proposition of this kind."

The resolution is as follows: "That a humble address be presented to His Most Gracious Majesty the King, as follows:

"Most Gracious Majesty: Your Majesty's most faithful and loyal subjects, the Commons of Canada, in parliament assembled, beg leave most humbly to represent:

"That as a token of the civil and religious liberties and of the equality of rights guaranteed to all British subjects in the Canadian confederation, as well as under the British constitution, a British sovereign should not be called upon to make any declaration offensive to the religious belief of any subjects of the British crown.

"That, by virtue of the act of settlement of 1689, the British sovereign on the meeting of the first parliament or at the coronation is called upon to make the following declaration:

Here is inserted a copy of the oath taken at the King's accession. The resolution then continues:

"That such a declaration is most offensive to the dearest convictions of all Roman Catholics.

"That the staunch loyalty of his majesty's Roman Catholic subjects in Canada, comprising about 48 per cent. of the entire population of this dominion, and throughout the British possessions, should not be rewarded by their being chosen alone amongst believers of all creeds and branded as idolaters by their sovereign.

"That, in the opinion of this house, the above mentioned act of settlement should be amended by abolishing the said declaration and the British sovereign freed forever from the obligation of offending the religion of many subjects throughout the British Empire."

Mr. Charlton introduced a bill to amend the Dominion Lands act. It proposes in the first place to explicitly declare that public lands suitable for agricultural lands shall be reserved exclusively for settlers.

Mr. Fraser, Gushyboro, said that he would go further and support a scheme to estimate every acre of land due to corporations in the northwest, pay the companies for it and throw all this land open to settlers. He contended that it was essential for the progress of the country that this land should be open for settlement.

Hon. Mr. Blair, minister of railways, said that it might be inferred from Mr. Charlton's remarks that the present government had not adhered to its policy in regard to land grants to railways.

Col. Prior said that he read in the press a statement that their royal highnesses, the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York, intended landing at Halifax, and did not propose to go to the Pacific coast.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier: "I may inform my honorable friend that correspondence is now going on between Ottawa and London on this very subject. The correspondence at this moment is confidential, and it is not in my power to give the communication to the house. Without going into particulars as to the tenor of the correspondence, I may state that I am altogether with my honorable friend in thinking that it would be most unfortunate if their royal highnesses of Cornwall and York had not an opportunity of visiting every province in the dominion when they come to Canada next summer. I would be most convenient, and I believe the best mode of all would be for their royal highnesses, who are to return from Australia next September, to come by way of the Pacific instead of the Atlantic, landing at Vancouver, visiting British Columbia, the towns of Manitoba and so on down towards Halifax. That is the view, I think, we can assume is being represented at this moment to their royal highnesses. More than this I cannot say at this moment."

The house went into supply and took up the post office estimates. Very little progress was made. The whole evening was spent in discussing the general administration of the post office department.

Mr. Mulock pointed out that post office revenue was, on January, 1901, \$29,000,000 larger than the revenue of last year of the three cent rate. He predicted that in a short time the post office department would be on a paying basis, judging from the gradual increase of revenue that had been taking place. He thought that dur-

A HUGE HOAX.

announcement that the roof of Parliament House is a veritable trap. The report urges immediate attention be given it. Should a fire occur no human power could grapple with it.

Authoritative Denial Given to Reported Sale of Sydney Steel Works.

It is learned from an official source that the visit to Ottawa of His Royal Highness the Duke of Cornwall and York, will take place in the middle of September. An intimation to this effect has, it is understood, been received at the vice regal residence here. The duke and duchess will visit Canada on their return from the ceremonies of the Australian confederation, and after touring through the Dominion, will go to Newfoundland, sailing from there for England about the middle of October. About one month, therefore, will be spent in Canada and Newfoundland.

MORGAN-ROCKFELLER | SYNDICATE DECLARE THEY KNOW NOTHING OF RYAN.

In view of the 4-6-10-10 announcement of the coming of the heir apparent, it is expected Ottawa will take the necessary steps to provide a fitting reception for the distinguished visitors.

OSSEKEAG STAMPING WORKS Will Probably be Removed to Moncton.

The rumor is current that the Record Foundry and Machine Co. have purchased the plant of the Ossekeag Stamping factory of Hampton. This industry was closed down a few weeks ago and all the surplus stock disposed of. It is said the Record Foundry will move the machinery to Moncton and operate it in connection with the foundry.

The stamping factory while running, turned out a good article and found a ready sale, and it is thought under proper management it would prove a profitable industry. Many of the leading stock holders of the Stamping factory are also largely interested in the Record Foundry.

A Moncton telegram says: Moncton bids fair to secure the Ossekeag stamping works, to be removed from Hampton. Some \$34,000 has been already subscribed towards the enterprise, but it will be necessary to raise \$16,000 more before the works will be brought here. A meeting of the board of trade was held last night and a committee appointed to solicit subscriptions for stock. Senator Wood has agreed to subscribe \$25,000, providing Moncton men subscribe \$50,000, and the works will be moved to this city.

A British expedition of 500 men, after making an eight days' march of 114 miles into the Somali country, east coast of South Africa to punish them for killing Sub-Commissioner Jenner, was attacked Feb. 19 at Sannasa, 29 miles from Afmahan, and lost 17 men killed, including Lieut. Col. Matfield. The Somalis were beaten off with the loss of 150 men killed. The cattle captured on the march were stamped and lost. The expedition has returned to Afmahan.

We are now renovating flock, hair and moss mattresses. This is the time to have this work attended to. Let us give you estimates on cozy corners, furniture upholstering, etc.

ARTHUR H. WOODS, King St., just above Westmorland, Feb. 27.—d.w.f.

Don't be Caught. Are you thoroughly equipped with clothes? Had you not better place your order with me at once for a working suit or a nice dress suit. I employ skilled labor, use good goods, and always give a good fit. I. C. Burden, opp. Front Business College York St. Flon.—d.

The Carpet Room. The carpet room at Edgecombe's is rapidly filling up with new carpets, oil cloths and rugs in the very latest designs, and also, in the way of curtains, Mr. Edgecombe is showing all that is new in this line. Housekeepers who like to purchase their carpets early and have them made up should make an early call.—d.

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LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.—At the solicitation of a large number of the ratepayers of the City, I have decided to be a candidate for the office of Mayor for the ensuing year.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.—In response to the urgent request of a number of citizens, I beg to announce my candidature for the Mayorship at the coming elections. I shall, if elected, give to the consideration of all public questions the attention their importance demands, treating them solely on their merits, undisturbed by any other interests than that of the public welfare.

Thanking you for the generous support given me in the past, and soliciting a continuance of the same, I have the honor to be, Your obedient servant, W. E. SMITH.

Fredericton, N. B., Feb. 18, 1901.—dtf.

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Wanted at Once. A GIRL for general housework. Apply to Mrs. A. R. WETMORE, St. John street, Feb. 21.—dtf.

W. C. CROCKET. I have the honor to be, Yours truly, W. C. CROCKET. Feb. 18, 1901.—dtf.

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