

MR. FOSTER ILL,

And Unable to Prosecute
His Campaign in North
Ontario.

THREE MILLION DOLLAR
FIRE—FIREMAN FATALLY
INJURED.

A Swindler Arrested.

FIREMEN INJURED.

(Special to the Daily Herald.)

New York, Feb. 26.—Several firemen were hurt, one fatally, at a fire in an eight story building, on Broadway and 13th street, this morning. The loss is \$250,000.

THE ICE BLOCKADE.

(Special to Daily Herald.)

Pictou, Feb. 26.—The ice blockaded steamer Minto delivered 40 tons of coal to the steamer Stanley last night off Arisaig, and arrived at Georgetown this morning.

MR. FOSTER'S MISFORTUNE.

(Special to Daily Herald.)

Toronto, Feb. 26.—Hon. George E. Foster is ill again. He addressed a meeting in North Ontario Monday night, which brought on a second attack of la grippe. He is confined to his room.

WHOLESALE SWINDLER.

(Special to Daily Herald.)

Panama, Feb. 26.—A man giving the name of Fermin Montero, was arrested here as he was about to sail for New York. He is accused of swindling several of the most important banks of Santiago, Chili, out of \$2,000,000.

LEGISLATURE OPENED.

(Special to Daily Herald.)

Quebec, Feb. 26.—The opening of the Quebec legislature today was more than usually brilliant, owing to the presence of Lady Laurier, which caused a large turnout of society people.

The speech dealt largely with the question of colonization and appointments to deal with this matter. The prosperity of the agricultural classes was noted.

PROBABLE DEAL.

(Special to the Daily Herald.)

Montreal, Feb. 26.—Nothing has yet developed regarding the reported purchase of the Allan Line by the Grand Trunk, but the project finds favor both in shipping and railway circles. The impression prevails that the Grand Trunk will be compelled to make some such deal for self protection.

The price paid for the Elder Dempster steamers was about 1,400,000 pounds.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.

(Special to Daily Herald.)

Cincinnati, Feb. 26.—This city has been visited by the most destructive fire in its history.

Twelve large buildings were destroyed, including Pike's opera house.

There were some very narrow escapes, but only one casualty is reported.

The loss is estimated at over two million dollars.

The fire started at 1.30 a. m. and is still burning.

John Keenan, night watchman, was fatally injured. Fire still burning and loss now estimated over three millions.

The Weather.

The weather probs today say: Moderate to fresh westerly winds, fine today and Friday, not much change in temperature.

MILL SETTLEMENT.

(Special correspondence to the Herald.)

Mrs Jacob Knorr is quite ill at present and several others are suffering from colds.

Quite a number of our boys who are working for Smith Bros. spent Sunday at home.

Mr and Mrs John McCracken are receiving congratulations on a recent domestic event—a boy.

Charles Knorr was called home from Maine last week on account of the illness of his sister Mrs. Wilford Cella.

Aaron Fowler is very sick. Dr. Dundas is in attendance.

Aged Lady's Death.

The death occurred at her home on Smythe street last night, after a brief illness from paralysis, of Miss Sarah Doherty, a well known spinster. She was a daughter of the late Hugh Doherty, and had reached the advanced age of eighty years. One sister, Mrs. Kay with whom she resided survives her. The funeral will take place tomorrow at 2 p. m. with services at St. Ann's church by Rev. Canon Roberts and interment will be made at Forest Hill, with John G. Adams, undertaker.

To be Taken Down.

The bell on St. Dunstan's church, which became cracked a short time ago, is shortly to be taken down and repaired or a new one substituted. It is understood that in future it will not be used in connection with the city fire alarm system.

Lever's Y-Z (Wise Head) Disinfectant Soap Powder is a boon to any home. It disinfects and cleans at the same time.

Bargains in Laces.

A great quantity of beautiful laces will be laid out on the counters tomorrow and Saturday and sold at bargain prices. Remember the coming season will be a great season for laces. Dame Fashion has decreed it.—d.

FRASER'S SPEECH.

(CONTINUED FROM THIRD PAGE.)

change." He goes out and meets a lassie with a feather in her cap. "Hazen's right," he says; "it's time for a change." Then home he goes and, to the anxious inquiry of his wife as to what is wrong, throws himself in a chair, says he's been to Mr. Hazen's meeting and "it's time for a change."

"That man would be just as sensible," said the speaker, "as every man who is caught by this chaff on Saturday next. It is not time for a change until he can better himself." (Applause).

EXPENDITURES NECESSARY.

He referred his hearers to the government's record. It was charged that they spent money, but how could they get along without spending money? This thing had been fought out in Nova Scotia and the people there believed in the future of that province. There must be bridges. Our forefathers could not do better than fell trees and make bridges of wood, but there had been progress and men today say the farmer shall pass over iron bridges, because they are cheaper and also not subject to the eventualities which so often come to wooden bridges.

The people were not so small minded as to send to represent them men who would not build iron bridges. They were camping in the graveyard of dead issues. Such people would have flat boat service across our big rivers and would ford the smaller ones. Everywhere we were now having bridges of iron and he would go farther and say that, as he believed Canada was to be one of the greatest and best countries in the world, he wouldn't build iron bridges, but bridges of stone to last for ages. "And are you going to turn out the government on this issue?"

Cries of "No."

He would add a little to the very able address of Mr. Carleton. He had worked barefooted and never saw a man other than one who worked, interesting himself in the laboring man but has some sinister motive. Ralph Smith and others had been sent to the Canadian parliament by the working men, and no better men were ever in parliament. They had worked up from the bottom of the ladder, they had spent their spare time—not in the dram shop—but in study, and when they went to parliament were able to teach every one there, from the prime minister down, the conditions surrounding labor. (Hear, hear.) The men to represent labor in parliament were not a flour merchant and a lawyer. (Applause.)

The man they want is one who can go down deep into the thoughts of the people, knows what it is to eat homely fare, to pay rent, to be able to afford only a small building to understand the issue of labor and capital. The speaker would never run as a labor candidate, for he felt he did not know enough about laboring men but he held that the only wealth that can endure in this world is labor, the foundation of capital, and it must be protected.

BIG FAITH IN LOWER PROVINCES.

He believed the lower provinces of Canada were destined to be the greatest, wealthiest and most important part of the Dominion, that the ports here, whether St. John, Halifax, County Harbor or Sydney—all were intended to be the place where the wealth of Canada was to come and go. The people, he felt, were not going to direct their shafts against Mr. Blair in the election of Saturday next. (Hear hear.)

The speaker was not here to interfere. He was here to present his views to the people and to call upon all Liberals to stand together. If they wanted things as before it was in their own hands, but he knew they would not forget what their members had done at Ottawa. He believed they would strengthen the hands of the minister of railways at Ottawa, and he predicted that ere long, St. John and Nova Scotia would be harboring more ships than ever before.

Not a man present, he continued, but might work day and night until the last ballot was cast on Saturday, and yet not begin to pay the interest on what the Liberal party had given to Canada.

Mr. Fraser was applauded to the echo as he closed his able speech, and then, with cheers for the king, Hon. Mr. Blair, Hon. Mr. Fraser and the candidates, the great gathering dispersed.

TO LET.

The house, with barn attached, on George street a little below Church street, known as the Captain Leigh property. Possession given first of May next. Apply to

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Feb. 17—deodtf

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The store in Coy's Block, at present occupied by D. J. Shea. Possession given first of May next. Apply to

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That desirable house on George street near the Kirk Church, known as the Atherton house. Possession given 1st May next.

R. W. McLELLAN.

Feb. 7—dtf

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A suite of offices in the building on Queen street opposite the Post office, at present occupied by Allan B. Wilmot, barrister. Possession given on May 1st.

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Feb. 5—dtf

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From the 1st of May, the upper flat of the Subscriber's House, 220 Brunswick street, containing 9 rooms. Good yard and shed. For terms apply on the premises.

E. A. DUFFY.

Feb. 10—dtf

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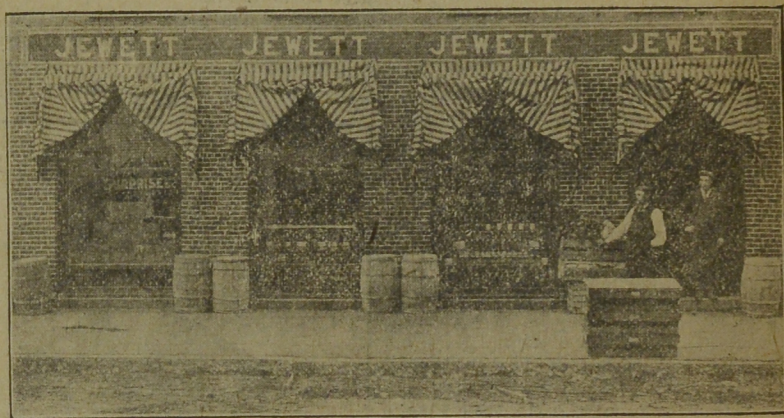
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January 29th, 1903

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Men's Oil Tan Moccasins, regular price 60c., reduced to 40c.
Men's Oil Tan Shoebacks, regular price \$1.15, reduced to 90c.
Boys' Oil Tan Brown Shoebacks, first quality, regular price \$1.15, reduced to 85c.
Youths' Oil Tan Shoebacks, one lot, sizes 11 and 12, reduced to 55c.
Boys' Moccasins, one lot, reduced to 15c.
Ladies' Felt Laced Shoes from 60c. up. Ladies' Skating Boots from \$1.00 up.
Misses' Skating Boots from 90c. up.

We have many other bargains, too numerous to mention in particular in this space. See some samples of bargains in broken sized lots of Winter Footwear, displayed in our store window.

We still have a quantity of pictures of Queen Alexandra on hand, which we will continue to give away with purchases of \$1.00 and upwards, while our supply of them lasts. Remember the place,

LOTTIMER'S Cash Shoe Store, 210 QUEEN ST.