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BOOTH'S RECEPTION.

Great Gathering of Salvation Army People
to Welcome Their General.

WORK OF THE ARMY HEARTILY ENDORSED BY
ONTARIO PREMIER AND OPPOSITION LEADER.

Toronto, March 11.—(Special)—The enthusiastic reception accorded to General William Booth, founder and head of the Salvation Army, on his arrival here on Saturday, was renewed yesterday when three large meetings were held at Massey Hall, hundreds being turned away from the doors at each service.

The vast audiences seemed to hang on every word of the aged general with breathless interest.

The secret of the success of the Salvation Army was the subject of his address in the afternoon.

The chair was occupied by Lieut. Governor W. Mortimer Clark, the opening prayer being offered by Rev. Prof. Kilpatrick, of Knox College.

Hon. J. P. Whitney, premier of Ontario, moved the thanks of the audience to the general for his address. He intimated that his government which already had voted some thousands of dollars to enable the army to continue its work in this province probably would increase the appropriation before the close of the present session.

Hon. Geo. P. Graham, leader of the opposition seconded the motion in a speech of hearty commendation of the army's work.

Toronto, March 11.—Yesterday was one of the greatest days in the history of the Salvation Army in Toronto, and officers from all points in Ontario arrived to greet and hold

council with General Booth the great executive head of the organization. Crowded meetings were held at Massey Hall. At 11 o'clock a holiness convention was held addressed by the general; at 3 o'clock in the afternoon the general delivered an address on the secrets of success of the Salvation Army, Lieut. Governor Clarke presiding, and at 7 p. m. thousands without exaggeration, were turned away from the hall.

General Booth arrived here Saturday and is the guest of Lieut. Governor Clarke. He was given a civic reception at the city hall and in the evening was greeted by army officers from all over the dominion at a great meeting in Bond street congregational church.

Asked what he thought of the statement by labor men that the army was in league with the government to bring out strike-breakers to the colonies, General Booth said quietly: "Labor men should not tell stories of the Salvation Army. The army was absolutely independent and in league with no one."

He thought that labor men should be the last to object to the army's work. "When there are more pegs than holes then labor is at a disadvantage. When there are fewer pegs than holes then the demand is great."

General Booth said the Salvation Army never yet furnished strike-breakers.

BUSINESS FAILURE.

Big Toronto Boot and Shoe Manufacturing
Firm Has Gone into Liquidation.

Toronto, March 11.—(Special)—Partly as a result of the failure of the Ontario Bank in October last, the J. D. King Company Limited, one of the largest boot and shoe manufacturing concerns in Canada, will go into liquidation this week, Mr. E. R. C. Clarkson being installed as liquidator.

Mr. Clarkson has practically had an oversight of the firm's affairs for upwards of two months.

The liabilities will reach \$220,000 and among the largest creditors is the defunct Ontario bank, of which bank of Montreal is curator.

The debt to the late Ontario bank is \$156,258 of which only \$70,000 is secured.

In December the bank of Montreal decided that the King account with the bank must be reduced, but efforts to obtain the requisite capital for this purpose failed.

In January a winding-up order was seriously contemplated, but the bank in view of the large spring orders to be filled by the firm, decided it would be better in the interests of all the creditors to carry the firm along and fill these orders. It was then that Mr. Clarkson undertook an oversight of the company's affairs.

On February 4, negotiations were entered into with Mitchell and Company of Montreal for the sale of the business, but they came to nothing.

Last week two other firms one a Canadian and another an American company looked over the plant with a view to purchase but these negotiations have been interrupted, and a crisis is precipitated by the issue of a writ against the company by one of the creditors, Goulet Garant & Company of Quebec.

The firm was originally established in the early 70's under the firm name of Damer, King and Brown.

HOCKEY LEAGUE.

Crescents of Marysville and Marathons Play
Tomorrow Night at St. John for
Championship.

St. John, March 11.—(Special)—Frank White, president of the N. B. A. H. L. stated today that irrespective of the reports circulated that Sackvilles were hockey champions by default, the Marathons and Marysvilles will settle the question of the championship between them, and their second game will be played here tomorrow night.

If the Marysville win they win the championship, if not then another game will be necessary.

Mr. White said that Sackvilles had no claim to the championship because a certain number of clubs formed the N. B. A. H. L. and they made certain rules to govern them. Sackville broke away and consequently will not be recognized by the league.

Morris Wood, Fred Logan, and Bart Duffy have been matched here for skating races. Thursday night next at Victoria rink, Hilton Bell-vea may also start. Distances are to be 220, 440 and half mile.

THIEF SENTENCED.

George P. Barrett of Hampton, Goes
to Jail for Three Months.

Hampton, N. B., March 11.—(Special).—This morning Judge Wedderburn held a session of the county court for Kings County at which George P. Barrett was arraigned for stealing clothing and money, the property of Charles Little, from the boarding house of Mrs. McNaught, Hampton, on Monday, March 11th.

The prisoner elected to be tried without the intervention of a jury, pleaded guilty to the indictment and was sentenced to three months in the county jail with hard labor.

The prisoner is 18 years old.

SUDDEN DEATH.

Buctouche Hotel Proprietor Passed
Away with Short Warning.

Moncton, March 11.—(Special)—Andrew Hanigan, the well known proprietor of the Victoria hotel, at Buctouche, died suddenly on Saturday afternoon. He had not been well for the past few days, but was around the house as usual on Saturday. He was seized with a weak spell about four o'clock and suddenly expired. He was about 66 years old and was formerly a well known resident of Moncton, and conducted the Park hotel, on Telegraph street eight or ten years ago.

Mrs. A. K. Dysart of Cocagne is a daughter of the deceased.

REPEAL THE TAX

British Columbia Government Doing
Away with Commercial Travel-
ers' License Except in
Certain Cases.

Victoria, B.C., March 11.—(Special).—By a bill brought down in the legislature on Saturday, the McBride government repeals the tax on commercial travellers from other provinces, which had awakened much protest. The only exception is the case of travellers for tobacco and liquor firms who have no branch houses in the province.

THE LATE MR. BLAIR.

Mr. Tomkins Writes from Far Away
Georgia Referring to Mr. Lugin's Estimate of Deceased

To the Editor of The Herald:

Sir,—From a long acquaintance with the late Mr. Blair and correspondence from first to last, I feel much interested in whatever may be published concerning his life and character.

But I want to refer to a paragraph in the "Reminiscences" of Mr. Lugin, as reported in The St. John Telegraph, from your paper, which I imagine, is most interesting as communicating an opinion of Sir Wilfrid, his chief. It is as follows:

"The trouble with your friend," he said, "is that he always wants to play a lone hand."

However true the expression may be to the author, the comparison, or, rather, metaphor, may hardly be constructed as complimentary, in this instance, and may be susceptible of some extension, for which, I sincerely trust, opportunity may offer at a future time.

As to there having been "a corner of the distinguished statesman's mind in which were hidden his dominating ideas," and his lack of openness, how can it be known or even imagined excepting from the common experience, that more or less reticence is a part of executive administration?

Yours truly,
JOSAPH T. TOMKINS.
Thomasville, Georgia,
March 4th, 1907.

FUGITIVE CAPTURED.

Defaulting Bank of England Clerk
Arrested in Manitoba.

Winnipeg, March 11.—After having escaped pursuit of officers of the law for nearly seven months, Henry Douglas Anderson, former clerk in a branch of the Bank of England at Manchester (Eng.), was run to earth Saturday night near Dominion City, being arrested by Provincial Constable Waldege.

Anderson for the last three weeks has been working for a farmer in that vicinity, about twelve miles from town, and was apprehended made no attempt to deny that he was the man wanted or that he had occupied the position of clerk in the bank at Manchester. He refuses to admit the charge of theft on which he will be arraigned when he is taken back. It is alleged that Anderson while employed by the bank at Manchester stole £1,081.

CENTRAL ROUTE CHOSEN

Transcontinental Railway Will Traverse New
Brunswick in Direct Line from Grand
Falls to Chipman.

Ottawa, March 11.—Within a day or two it will be officially announced that the government has selected the central or back route through New Brunswick for the National Transcontinental railway between Grand Falls and Chipman, as recommended by the engineers. Surveys have shown that a good line can be obtained across country considerably shorter than by following the St. John river to Fredericton.

The government has had the choice of three routes, one on the river, one of standard grades back from the river and one with a "pusher" grade back from the river. The standard grade back route is 29 miles shorter than the river route, and the "pusher" route is 47 miles shorter than

the river route and 18 miles shorter than the standard track route. The "pusher" grade will be about 12 miles in length and consists of a one per cent. grade, but only against west bound traffic. For the east bound grain traffic there will be less than the promised four-tenths of one per cent. grade. The cost of construction by the "pusher" route will be about the same as by the river route, but four or five million dollars less than by the standard grade's back route, which would involve a great deal of the most expensive forms of railway building.

It is understood there will also be a short pusher grade on the portion of the Transcontinental between the New Brunswick boundary and the Quebec bridge.

I. C. R. SMASH.

Rear End Collision Between Two Freight
Trains—Rolling Stock and Track Damaged

Moncton, March 11.—(Special)—A rear-end collision between two special freights, two miles east of Moncton at 8.30 o'clock this morning, caused a bad smash-up and blocked the line for three or four hours.

Armstrong's special from Springhill to Moncton stopped east of Buctouche Crossing, and Welling's special running in the same direction without the line being clear, smashed into the rear of Armstrong's train making kindling wood of the van, and breaking up four other cars, besides

badly damaging one of the new Pacific type of express engines on Welling's special.

Fortunately no one in Armstrong's van was injured.

The track was torn up some distance and the auxiliary crew was engaged all morning clearing up the wreck and repairing the track. It is said the brakes were not working properly on Welling's train, and the engineer was unable to stop the train when he caught a glimpse of the other train standing on the track ahead of him.

DROPPED DEAD.

Sudden Call to an Elderly St. John Citizen.
Fell Lifeless on the Sidewalk this Afternoon

St. John, March 11.—(Special)—Benjamin French, an elderly man who resided with his family at 133 Metcalfe street, dropped dead this afternoon at 1.20 o'clock on Main street in front of W. J. McMillan's drug store, while walking along the street.

Apoplexy was the cause of death. Dr. Pratt was summoned and arrived quickly, but saw that death had been instantaneous.

Coroner Roberts subsequently viewed the body and gave permission for its removal to Chamberlain's undertaking rooms.

NOTES FROM GIBSON.

Mrs. J. E. Simmons to go West—
News of the Churches.

Mrs. James E. Simmons will leave Gibson shortly for Greenwood, B.C., where her son, Dr. Simmons, and her daughter reside. She will be accompanied by her daughter, Miss Edna Simmons, who lately came here from the west. Mrs. Simmons will reside in the west in the future and her residence at Gibson will be occupied by Mr. C. J. B. Simmons and family, who now reside in Fredericton.

Rev. D. H. Simpson, M. A., who lately resigned from the pastorate of the Gibson Baptist Church, has decided that he will positively leave there. Mr. Simpson came to Gibson from Nova Scotia, where he previously labored in several important fields. During his stay in Gibson, he fully sustained the high reputation he had when he came here.

Rev. Father McLaughlin, who has been acting as pastor of St. Anthony Roman Catholic church during Rev. F. Ryan's absence, will finish his duties this week, on the arrival from Ireland of the pastor.

Father McLaughlin has been at St. Mary's for the past four months, and has made many friends while there. He is an eloquent preacher, an energetic worker and gives promise of a very successful career in the ministry.

Recorder Skinner of St. John is among the guests at the Queen.

STEVENSON CHOSEN.

Man Who Made It Hot for Land Dealers
Before Insurance Commission
Is New Chief of Foresters.

Toronto, March 11.—Elliott G. Stevenson, supreme councillor of the Independent Order of Foresters, was chosen supreme chief ranger in succession to the late Dr. Oronhyatekha Saturday.

The election took place at the Temple Building, and was in the hands of Supreme Executive Victor Morine, Montreal, past supreme chief ranger J. D. Clark, Dayton, Ohio, supreme vice-chief ranger, Robert Mathison, Toronto, supreme secretary, Harry A. Collins, Toronto, supreme treasurer Dr. Thomas Millman, Toronto, supreme physician, and E. G. Stevenson, Detroit and Amherstburg, supreme councillor.

The new chief is a member of the law firm of Dickenson, Stevenson, Warren and Butzel, Detroit, and is one of the best known and most popular leaders of the order. The executive also adopted a series of memorial resolutions relative to the death of Dr. Oronhyatekha.

The appointment of Stevenson to the supreme chief ranger renders vacant the position of supreme councillor, and it is understood that J. D. Clark of Dayton Ohio, will receive this appointment.

The Arctic Roller Rink will reopen this evening, skating with band in attendance.
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