

SASKATCHEWAN ELECTIONS

Legislature Only Six Months Old, Unexpectedly Dissolved -- Liberals Want Test of New Land Act.

Ottawa, July 21.—A message was received this morning by R. L. Borden from Hon. F. W. G. Haultain, announcing the sudden and unexpected dissolution of the legislature of Saskatchewan and that the nominations for the ensuing election will be on August 7, polling a week later.

The present legislature was elected on the 13th of December last, the standing of the parties being sixteen Liberals to nine Conservatives. Hon. Walter Scott is the prime minister and Hon. F. W. G. Haultain, former prime minister of the northwest territories, is the leader of the opposition. Mr. Scott was in Ottawa a little over a week ago and met Sir Wilfrid Laurier and doubtless the coup was then framed up to test the popularity of the new land act in Saskatchewan.

The opposition says the trouble is that the government sees the defeat of Laurier ahead and a loss of prestige thereby, and will try to snatch a snap verdict.

Hundreds of members of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and the Grand International Auxiliary are in the city, attending their annual meeting which began this morning with secret sessions at 9:30 o'clock. At the session of the brotherhood this morning letters were received from Grand Chief Engineer W. S. Stone and Assistant Grand Chief E. W. Hurley, expressing regret for their unavoidable absence.

All day yesterday the local committee were hard at work at the headquarters in the Russell House, receiving visitors, distributing badges and souvenir books, and seeing that every new arrival is made to feel at home. The trains are met by local men who direct the incoming brethren to the best stopping places. The number at present in the city is well over one thousand, and parties are still arriving by nearly every train. The visitors come from many towns and cities all over Canada and the United States.

PREMIER HAZEN, VISITS "BOBS"

Invites Distinguished General to Come to New Brunswick.

Quebec, July 21.—Premier and Mrs. Hazen are at the Frontenac this morning. At 11 o'clock the premier called upon Lord Roberts and on behalf of the people of New Brunswick extended to him a most cordial invitation to visit their province, as the guest of the government. He assured him he would receive an enthusiastic welcome.

Lord Roberts warmly thanked the premier and said he would certainly come to New Brunswick if time would permit of his doing so. He chatted pleasantly for some time and asked many questions concerning the Maritime Provinces and Canada and its relations to the United States.

The premier also had an audience with the Governor-General, who spoke with pleasure of his visit to New Brunswick last year and alluded to Fredericton as a beautiful city.

Among New Brunswickers here for the celebration are: Police Magistrate and Mrs. Ritchie, J. A. Morrison and wife, and Miss Randolph of Fredericton, Col. and Mrs. Jones, St. John; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Trites of Sydney.

ST. MATTHEWS CHURCH HAS NEW PASTOR

Rev. J. J. McCaskill Inducted Last Evening by St. John Presbytery.

Rev. J. J. McCaskill, late of Fort Kent, was last evening inducted into the pastorate of St. Matthew's Presbyterian church in the presence of a large congregation and a representation from the St. John presbytery. The church was prettily trimmed with daisies and other flowers.

Rev. A. A. Graham, moderator of the Presbytery, presided and on the platform were: Rev. David Lang, Rev. Dr. Fotheringham, Rev. H. R. Read, Rev. W. M. Townsend, Rev. J. A. McLean, Judge Forbes and Geo. T. Blewett.

After the devotional exercises, Rev. McCaskill was called forward and the moderator after a few words of congratulation, extended to him the right hand of fellowship on behalf of the presbytery.

Rev. Mr. Lang of St. Andrews church, then delivered the charge to the pastor. St. Matthew's, he said, was practically a new field which needed development. He then passed on to a delineation of a minister's duty. The words, "Like a voice crying in the wilderness, prepare ye the way of the Lord" could be aptly applied to the minister's place.

Rev. Mr. Townsend, of Fairville, delivered the charge to the congregation. He spoke of the difficulties a pastor had to meet and offered suggestions to make them lighter. The minister should not be regarded as an "employee" but a leader. A minister was a guide, philosopher and friend. He should be remembered in prayer and helped through all financial worry.

Rev. Mr. Graham read a letter from Rev. A. H. Foster, the retiring pastor, congratulating the congregation on the choice and wishing every success to the new pastor.

The benediction was pronounced by Rev. Mr. McCaskill, and after the service J. Fraser Gregory, chairman of the trustees and Geo. Corbett, clerk, escorted Rev. Mr. McCaskill to the door where he met the members of his congregation. Refreshments were provided by the ladies and a delightful social hour was spent.

Rev. Mr. McCaskill is youthful, but commanding in appearance and figure and made an excellent impression on the congregation.

BRIEF DISPATCHES OF GENERAL INTEREST

Toronto, July 21.—(Special.)—The Ontario lumbermen have decided to reduce their cut fifty per cent. this winter owing to dull times.

Woodstock, Ont., July 21.—One hundred and eighty hogs, big and little, thoroughbred Yorkshires, were shot on the farm of Jos. W. Boyle last evening, by order of the Dominion inspector. Hog cholera had gotten in the herd, possibly communicated from passing trains.

Gloucester, Mass., July 21.—The schooner Loring F. Snow, of Digby, N. S., which arrived today from the fishing grounds is the first British schooner to market her catch at this port in twelve years. Her captain was attracted to the market here by the high prices prevailing.

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PRINCE OF WALES DUE TODAY

Quebec Awaiting Arrival of Royal Visitor--Water Famine Causes Distress.

Quebec, July 21.—The second day of the tercentenary celebration was an uneventful one, everything awaiting the arrival of the Prince of Wales, tomorrow. Every train arriving in the city brought full quotas of passengers, of whom many had difficulty in finding accommodation in the already crowded city.

The performances today took much the shape of full dress rehearsals, and the results were such as to show that the state presentations will be worthy of the occasion for which they were organized. The main attraction for the crowd today was the city itself in the way it had been decked out for the celebration. The great features were the first formal performance of the pageants, and the first performance of Felicien David's symphonic ode "Christophe Colomb," both of which were well attended. In fact the crowd at the pageant was a surprise to the management, close upon 10,000 people attending. There was also a very large audience at the first performance of "Christophe Colomb."

From every quarter immense crowds of people have been coming in all day and there already are close upon 50,000 visitors here, counting the troops and sailors, which means that for the next week or two the population of Quebec will be doubled. Every train and boat that comes in, however, brings in capacity-loads of visitors, the crowds augmenting with the approach of the arrival of the Prince of Wales tomorrow.

The main difficulty which has been so far experienced is due to the breaking down of the city water supply, a difficulty which the city is accustomed to, but which proved very annoying to visitors. A break developed in the main water pipes last night, which almost entirely suspended the city water supply. Differing estimates of the amount of water required at intervals through the old pipes, but the supply was scant.

Coming at such a time, the break in the water pipes caused tremendous annoyance, the hotels being deprived of the usual supply for their guests. This morning the position of affairs was even worse, for not only were visitors unable to get enough water to bathe, but in many hotels the position was so bad that there was not enough for drinking purposes.

In the military camps the scarcity of water was felt much more. The camp on the Levis side of the river was particularly fortunate in this respect, since they had the regular supply from the town of Levis, while those relying upon the Quebec municipal supply were cast upon the resources of the river and such wells as they could find.

However, this difficulty was ended about 3 o'clock this afternoon, when the break was mended, and gradually the city water supply was resumed.

There was a general attitude of expectation in the performance today, the actors in the pageants and the visitors evidently all holding back until tomorrow when the arrival of the Prince of Wales will give the signal for the full opening of the national festival.

Not only will the Prince of Wales arrive tomorrow, but Vice-President Fairbanks, the representative of the United States, will also get here in the morning.

There will be a vast amount of powder burned in the formal welcomes. Vice-President Fairbanks is expected to arrive in Levis at 7:35 o'clock tomorrow morning and he will be at once taken across the river to the King's wharf and thence to the city.

Lieut. Governor Jette, where he will be a state guest during his visit to Canada. As the vice-president of the United States comes across the launch of the New Hampshire, will be greeted by salutes from the Citadel and the warships of Great Britain, France and the United States.

The main event of the day and in fact of the whole celebration will be the arrival of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, on the Indomitable, escorted by the armored cruiser Minotaur. The vessels conveying the representative of the King are reported as coming exactly on time, and they are expected to reach the harbor at 2 o'clock.

Everything is in readiness for the arrival of the Prince. The decorations are complete, and military camps are in readiness, the warships are arrayed in order along the St. Lawrence and the city is in readiness to receive his royal highness. There is every indication that when his royal highness lands on Canadian soil tomorrow morning he will be greeted by the greatest demonstration that this Canada's oldest city has ever seen and one worthy of what is really the three-hundredth birthday of Canada.

The first performance of the military tattoo, given by the assembled Canadian forces, was given this evening on the grounds of the Quebec Amateur Athletic Association. There was a very large attendance and the performance was enjoyed to the utmost. Shortly after dusk the bugles sounded "Lights out" and immediately afterwards the camp fires were lighted and the military festivities were started by torch light.

In the midst of the general festivities the sudden call "to arms" was sounded by the bugles, and the whole camp suddenly abandoned its amusements to rush to fall in for defence. There was the animated scene of regiment after regiment falling in and marching out to repel the enemy, and then a vivid reproduction of a night attack, which was met and after much expenditure of blank ammunition repelled. The whole mock battle ended with a miff of the victorious defenders.

St. Stephen, N. B., July 21.—Mrs. Dennis, in attempting to carry some goods down stairs yesterday, had the misfortune to fall and break her arm. About the same time a neighbor, Mrs. S. J. Topping, fell from a platform in her clothes yard and sustained a similar injury.

BISHOP POTTER DEAD AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Head of Episcopal Diocese of New York Passed Peacefully Away Last Evening--Was 74 Years Old and Twice Married.

Cooperstown, N. Y., July 21.—Bishop Henry Codrington Potter, of the Episcopal diocese of New York, died here tonight. Death followed a sickness of several weeks, which began with stomach trouble and developed complications. For the past week the bishop had appeared to gain but he suffered a relapse yesterday morning, and last night hope of ultimate recovery was abandoned.

Bishop Potter's illness first became publicly known early in the spring when announcement was made that he was unable to take part in the Easter service. He was said to be suffering from acute in-



BISHOP HENRY C. POTTER

digestion. His condition, which was said to have resulted from overwork, manifested no degree of improvement, and he was forced to give up all participation in church affairs. A diagnosis showed that the bishop was suffering from stomach and liver malady. On June 5 the bishop was brought to Ferleigh, the summer home of his second wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Clark Potter, in Cooperstown. The change of air had a beneficial effect.

With the beginning of the oppressive heat wave late in June, Bishop Potter became prostrated and his malady recurred in an extreme degree. The bishop's family, many of whom were in different parts of the world, were summoned to his bedside.

For several days the prelate lay at the point of death and only his strong constitution enabled him to survive. After

throughout the country a few years ago, when he took part in the dedication of the subway tunnel on Bleeker street, in New York.

It was the plan of those interested in the bishop to conduct an establishment where all intoxicants would be served under regulations which would promote temperance, and by example, improve the tone of the saloon. The bishop made an address in which he said he had hoped that the tavern would prove a success. After an uncertain existence the tavern failed.

A few years ago Bishop Potter married Mrs. Elizabeth Scriven Clarke, his second wife, whose summer home is in this city. Bishop Potter was the son of the Rev. Almon Potter, who was consecrated bishop of Pennsylvania in 1845. He was ordained a priest in 1858.

BROWN-TAIL MOTH INVADES BANGOR

They Probably Come on the Steamers From Boston--A Very Live Topic With Bug-ologists.

(Bangor Chronicle).

The brown-tail moth seems to have come to Bangor to stay. At least, all the amateur entomologists think they have the situation figured out correctly and some of their dissertations on bugs in general and on the brown-tail moth in particular, are worth sitting in the dark to hear. Wherever a party gathers on the veranda in the evening, the subject of brown-tail moths is sure to come up for discussion. Wherever a light shows, a myriad of moths of all sizes and shapes is to be seen fluttering about it. Every white cloth or paper hanging in the room is a target for the moths. It is impossible to state because nobody has yet reported seeing them do so. Doubtless the moths could be and are carried in clothing, baggage or freight. The entomologists say the brown-tail does not fly in the daytime and as the steamers are in town only during daylight, there would not be much chance of the bugs getting ashore then. The boats are here every Sunday and Monday, and the moths might fly ashore then easily enough.

Dr. Swadlow, city entomologist of the city of New York, has written a book on the brown-tail moth, and he says will exterminate the moths, brown-tail or any other species. The mixture is made from the mixture of green and hordeum mixture in the proportion of one part of the combination to 49 parts of water. Fill a barrel with the mixture and spray the tree with a pump, the latter being manufactured for the purpose and sold by all seed dealers.

MASTER PAINTERS HELD ANNUAL OUTING YESTERDAY

The members of the Master Painters' and Decorators' Association and their friends held a most successful outing yesterday to celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of the organization. The day was spent at View's End, Black River road, the summer home of John H. Tonge, the president of the association. Dinner and tea were served in tempting style and much enjoyed. Sports were indulged in with much enthusiasm. The winners and prizes were as follows:

Quits—M. J. Johnson, 1st prize, slippers; J. Craig, 2nd prize, maple leaf badge; G. Dunlavy, 3rd, honorable mention.

Walking race—E. W. Paul, 1st, maple leaf spoon. Throwing stone—J. Noble, 1st, pipe rack.

Foot race—M. Tonge, 1st, ink stand. Cards—J. Stenford, 1st, fruit spoon. Race—John H. Leah, 1st, statuary.

Hop, skip and jump—S. Drury, 1st, pocket knife. Centre bit—B. A. Dennison, 1st, pipe. Wheelbarrow race—J. E. Wilson, 1st, pocket book.

A vote of thanks to Mrs. Tonge and the ladies who waited at the table was unanimously adopted.

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LIBERALS IN KINGS ELECT OFFICERS

County Association Yesterday Passed Resolutions and Heard Addresses.

Hampton, N.B., July 21.—The Liberal Association of Kings County met this afternoon, the president, Geo. G. Scovill, ex-M.P.P., in the chair. There were about forty delegates present, representing the several local organizations in different parts of the county.

The following officers were elected: George G. Scovill, president; Ora P. King, vice-president; E. S. Carter, secretary, and Dr. McAllister, W. H. Culbert, S. H. Flewelling and H. Gilbert, executive committee as numbers ex officio.

Shortly after 3 o'clock the Committee on Resolutions, having completed their work, the convention session was resumed, and the secretary read the following preamble and resolution, which was moved by Dr. G. G. Scovill, unanimously.

"Whereas this Convention of supporters of the Liberal party, residents and ratepayers of the county of Kings in the province of New Brunswick, duly called together by the president of the Local Association, G. G. Scovill, unanimously declares its approval of the general policy of the present administration, as led by the Right Honorable Sir Wilfrid Laurier, premier of Canada, and also that a continuation of the present Liberal party in power is essential and necessary for the welfare of the Dominion of Canada at large, and especially for the progress and prosperity of the province of New Brunswick, so that further opportunity may be given for the completion of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, the full and final establishment of the port of St. John, N. B., as the Winter Port of Canada; the adoption and carrying into effect of the branch railway policy as introduced in parliament by Mr. Emerson, and supported by Hon. W. A. Pugsley, Minister of Public Works, in which policy the most vital interests of Kings County are involved and that further opportunity be given the present administration to complete and carry into effect the many and beneficial legislative acts foreshadowed by the general avowed policy of the administration.

"And further Resolved, that this Convention desires to express its appreciation of the great services rendered this country and province by its former honored representative, Hon. Dr. Pugsley, now Minister of Public Works for Canada, and to hope that he may long be in a position to carry out his plans for the prosperity and advancement of the province and Dominion."

Addresses were delivered by Messrs. McAllister, Wetmore, O. P. King, S. Ryan, M.P.P. for Albert, and E. A. Wall. Mr. King briefly touched on the points alluded to in the resolution, and added the All Red line, which he characterized as "the Imperialistic dream of that great statesman, Sir John A. Macdonald." He thought the present was not the time or place to enter into particulars of the aggressive and progressive measures of the administration, as they are fully before the people, and need no eulogy. What was needed was organization of the party in every part of the constituency, which alone would assure success.

Mr. Ryan affirmed that he always had been and always would be a Liberal. He had a good word for Mr. Wall, the organizer, although after a recent meeting in Albert County, where the speaker had made what he considered a rather forcible address, Mr. Wall had congratulated him in the following terms: "That was a nice little speech of yours, but there was a little in it." After the laugh which followed, Mr. Wall called a select and secret meeting of the executive, and the Convention adjourned.

Dr. W. Bell Dawson, of the tidal survey, Ottawa, is at the Royal.

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Members of the Natural History Society and their friends who wish to spend a pleasant afternoon on the seashore will have an opportunity of doing so on Saturday afternoon next, when a field meeting will be held at the summer home of Dr. Percy Bourne, Red Head. Buckboards will be in attendance to convey members to and from the place of meeting, leaving the museum at 2 o'clock sharp.

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DESPERATE SHOOTING

IN BOSTON BARROOM
One Man Dead and Another Dying After Attack by Three Ruffians Who Looted Till and Escaped ---Police on the Track.

Boston, Mass., July 21.—Three desper-

ate men, armed with heavy calibre revolvers, dashed into a crowded Jamaica Plain bar-room ten minutes before closing time tonight and yelling "hands up," began "shooting up" the place. When they had grabbed the till, emptied it, finished shooting and made their escape, one man was dead on the floor, another lay dying and a third seriously wounded.

Dashing out of the door, the three men were met by Officer S. C. Butler, who drew his revolver and began firing on the men, one of whom was injured, but all eventually escaped.

The dead man is Frank J. Drake, aged 32 years, of 25 Byron street; Patrick R. Doran, aged 40 years, of 5 Atherton street, is dying at the City Hospital, with a bullet wound in the abdomen, and Thomas Winterston, one of the proprietors of the saloon, is suffering from bullet wounds in the back of the head and arm.

The saloon which was the scene of the shooting is run by Winterston & McManus, and is situated at the corner of Washington and Boylston streets in Jamaica Plain in a thickly settled part of the city.

The saloon was crowded just previous to 11 o'clock, fifty or sixty men being in the place.

Suddenly three men made their appearance in the doorway. Simultaneously they yelled "Hands up," and began shooting rapidly, aiming apparently at the bartenders. Some ten or fifteen shots were fired.

With a leap one of the men jumped over the bar and grabbed the cash register, pulling it to the floor. It was opened quickly and the contents seized, the man being covered meantime by the fire

from the guns of his companions. Securing the money the man leaped back to his companions and the three backed to the door.

Patrolman Butler had heard the shooting and arrived in time to see the three men backing out and shooting at those in the saloon. The patrolman opened fire at once on the men and hit the first one to come out. Then some one cried "Don't shoot those who are not to blame," and the patrolman stopped firing. The men then leaped out and made their escape down Weld avenue. One of the men concerned in the robbery it is believed gave the cry to stop the firing by the officer and thus effected the escape.

A good description of the three men has been gained and officers are now searching every part of the city in an effort to round them up.

WORK IS RUSHING AT SILLIKER PLANT

(Halifax Herald.)

As showing the advantage to Halifax of the establishment of the Silliker Car Works, it may be stated that the company's weekly pay roll on Saturday amounted to about \$2,000. It also demonstrates the place there was for their works in the industrial life of this city and province. The company are rushing work on their car contracts and have about half completed the order for fifty freight cars from the Intercolonial railway. The woodworking mill is also a very busy place and a large force of men are at work there.

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