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EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Chicago Chronicle estimates that it would take \$13,500,000,000 to buy out the railways of the United States. Wonder if they pay taxes on that valuation?

The Winnipeg Free Press estimates that Roosevelt's list of "reformed" words does not contain more than 20 that have not generally been adopted, and insinuates that the list has been padded out for the purpose of making the committee's work look big.

Hon. Frank Cochrane doesn't seem to think that the Hydro-Electric Commissioners are worth much consideration. The ignoring of them in the Healey's Falls franchise, which was leased by secret deal in violation of the declared power policy of the Whitley Government, is enlightening as to the ministerial estimate of the value of the commission.

There are now seven vacant seats in the House of Commons, four of them Liberal and three Conservative. They are as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Party. Includes East Elgin (Conservative), North Bruce (Conservative), North Renfrew (Conservative), Quebec County (Liberal), St. Mary's Montreal (Liberal), Nicolet (Liberal), Shelburne-Queens, N. S. (Liberal).

With the possible exception of devastating fire, the greatest enemy of forests is undoubtedly the insatiable demand for wood pulp. The promise of any relieving invention, such as the manufacture of paper from the fibre of the cotton stalk is, therefore, to be welcomed. This is now announced as having passed the experimental stage—though it should be admitted that there are doubters. It is a suggestive coincidence that in the forest-clad State of Maine a company has been formed for exploiting this method.

Weekly Sun: Of the ten and a half million dollars paid in iron and steel bounties in the last twenty-two years by the Dominion Government, upwards of \$4,000,000 has come out of the pockets of Ontario taxpayers, and chiefly from Ontario farmers, Ontario's contribution to the bounties paid is almost equal to the market value of the barley and oat crops of the counties of Simcoe and Grey; farmers know something of the toll required to produce these crops. How do they like having the product of their toil taxed that the beneficiaries of the bounty system may indulge in the luxury of summer palaces and fast yachts?

Hamilton Times: Dr. Sproule, M. P., Grand Master of the Orange Association, is endeavoring to organize a Canadian Protestant Federation, on the lines of the Imperial Protestant Federation of Great Britain. It is proposed union of all Protestant denominations and societies on the common ground of opposition to so-called political Romanism in Canada and that church's alleged interference in civil matters generally. Without knowing further about the proposed association, we may say that it looks like a full brother to the late lamented P. P. A., which had such an inglorious career some years ago, and died "unwept, unloved and unsung."

It is said that in Parish 4,000 persons die yearly of cancer, and that in France probably 30,000 perish yearly. Dr. Barnard writes to the Academy of Medicine, Paris, giving out a new theory of the origin of cancer. According to him, the cancer worm, if such it may be called, lays its eggs in refuse, which in the country districts lies often not far from the springs from which the water for drinking and gardening purposes is drawn. The water, mixed with food or drink, is contaminated, the cancer microbe introduced into the system lodges in certain corners of the body and sets up a cancerous growth. The theory is novel, but it does not fit well into some known facts regarding cancer, which is true of many theories.



EPIGRAMS AND FAMILIAR SAYINGS FROM SHAKESPEARE

MOTTO: "True wit is nature to advantage dressed, What oft was thought but ne'er so well expressed."—Pope. HAMLET PRINCE OF DENMARK. I have that within which passeth show. These but the trappings and the suits of woe. He was a man, take him for all in all, I shall not look upon his like again. Frailty, thy name is woman. Some say that ever 'gainst that season comes Wherein our Saviour's birth is celebrated, This bird of dawn's singeth all night long. And then they say no spirit can walk abroad: The nights are wholesome, then no planets strike, No fairy tales, nor witch hath power to charm; So hallowed and so gracious is the time. The world is an unweeded garden that grows to seed, Things rank and gross in nature possess it merely. Virtue herself escapes not calumnious strokes. The canker galls the infants of the spring. Too oft before their buttons be disclosed. The steep and thorny way to heaven. The primrose path of dalliance. He recks not his own rede. Give no unproportioned thought his act. The friends thou hast, and their adm'ptions tried, Grapple them to thy soul with hoops of steel. Give every man thy ear, but few thy voice. The apparel oft proclaims the man. Neither a borrower nor a lender be, For borrowing dulls the edge of husbandry. This above all—to thine own self be true; And it must follow, as the night the day, Thou canst not then be false to any man. I am native here, and to the manner born. It is a custom more honour'd in the breach than in observance. Something is rotten in the state of Denmark. I am thy father's spirit, Doomed for a certain time to walk the night, And for the day, confined to fast in fires. 'Till the foul crimes done in this days of nature Are burnt and purged away. But that am I forbidd, To tell the secrets of my prison house it would a tale unfold whose lightest word Would harrow up thy soul. O, Hamlet, what a falling off was there. Virtue, as it never will be mov'd Through lewdness court it in the shape of heaven. So look, though to a radiant angel link'd, Will pray on garbage. Meet it is I sit it down, That one may smile and smile and be a villain. There are more things in heaven and earth, Horatio, Than are dreamt of in your philosophy. The time is out of joint. Brevity is the soul of wit. There is method in his madness. What a piece of work is man! how noble in reason, how infinite in faculty! in form and moving how express and admirable! in action how like an angel! in apprehension how like a god! the beauty of the world! the paragon of animals. Murder, though it have no tongue, will speak (murder will out). 'Tis a consummation Devoutly to be wish'd. To die—to sleep!— To sleep! perchance to dream; ay, there's the rub. For in that sleep of death what dreams may come. When we have shuffled off this mortal coil. The undiscovered country, from whose bourne no traveller returns. Thus conscience does make cowards of us all. To the noble mind, Rich gifts wax poor, when givers prove unkind. What a noble mind is here o'erthrown— That noble and most sovereign reason, Like sweet bells jangled, out of tune and harsh. Speak thy speech trippingly on the tongue. Do not mouth it. Do not saw the air too much with your hands. Tear passion to tatters. It put herodia Herod.

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FULL WARSHIP INQUIRY.

Fishery Question on French Shore of Newfoundland Up Again. St. John's, Nfld., Sept. 8.—The French shore question has been revived under a new aspect. A French vessel fishing within territorial waters on the northeast coast, the coast destroyed her nets, British and French warships investigated and the Imperial Government invited the colony also to investigate and punish its subjects if found to be in the wrong. The colonial cruiser Fiona, with officials, has been despatched to the scene to hold a full inquiry. The incident is likely to lead to the adoption of Anglo-French regulations for conducting the fisheries on the French shore.

A. R. KEEFE TAKES POISON.

Receiving Teller Suicides When His Theft Became Known. Troy, N. Y., Sept. 10.—Arthur R. Keefe, receiving teller for the Security Trust Co., committed suicide at his home here Saturday evening by drinking cyanide of potassium. He lived but a few minutes after taking the poison. Mr. Keefe was short in his accounts at the banking house, and it is believed that fear of arrest and the disgrace attending such action prompted him to commit the deed.

Worried Over Money Loss, Suicides.

Toronto, Sept. 10.—Worried over the loss of some money until completely deranged, Christopher Little, aged 57, of 217 Dalhousie street, shot himself at 1 o'clock Sunday morning. Little ended his life in the presence of his wife and of William Thompson, son-in-law, the latter of whom had been called to try and quiet the aged man. Little was a carpenter by trade and a member of the L. O. L. and I. O. F. carrying \$2,000 insurance. He leaves a wife and two daughters. An inquest will be held.

Little Boy Shot Dead.

Kingston, Sept. 10.—News comes from Parham that Willie McGreggor, aged six, was shot through the heart by the accidental discharge of a gun in the hands of his elder brother, Charles. The McGreggor's live at Bobs Lake, three miles from Parham.

Murder Over Ball Game.

Hartford, Conn., Sept. 10.—Robert S. Jardine, 28 years old, was murdered Saturday night by Francis Curtin, 20 years old, during a dispute over a ball game. Curtin almost severed Jardine's head from his body with one stroke of a razor. Curtin has escaped.

Building Trades May Strike.

Winnipeg, Sept. 10.—It is reported the building trade unions of Winnipeg will go out on strike to-day in sympathy with the plumbers. Dam for the Red River. Ottawa, Sept. 10.—Tenders were received at the Public Works Department yesterday for the construction of a dam and locks on the Red River. Winnipeg, the construction of which would open navigation from Winnipeg and the Red River through to Lake Winnipeg.

Election in Cardwell.

Toronto, Sept. 11.—For the election of a successor to Mr. Little, who was appointed surrogate clerk of Simcoe, nominations will be held for Cardwell on Friday, Sept. 21, and the election will take place on Sept. 23. A Conservative convention will be held on Thursday at Beeton.

Horses and All Burned.

Winnipeg, Sept. 10.—A peculiar mishap happened at the farm of W. J. Ferguson, near Macgregor. While a team and load of sheaves were passing a thrashing engine, a spark set fire to the load and the horses, taking flight, ran away, and crumpled the wagon, which was consumed, together with the animals. The fire also spread to the separator before being extinguished.

Great Storm Off Bermuda.

Hamilton, Bermuda, Sept. 10.—A great storm is prevailing off here. There is a heavy southerly gale, which is increasing rapidly. The barometer is 29.50 and falling. The British battleship Dominion reported by wireless message at 11 o'clock yesterday morning that she was fifty-two miles outside and was unable to reach port.

Deserter Sentenced.

Montreal, Sept. 6.—John Bishop, a deserter from the Allan steamship Victoria, who was caught in Toronto, was yesterday given the maximum penalty of 12 weeks in jail.

Americanists Officers.

Quebec, Sept. 11.—The fifteen International Congress of Americanists opened yesterday morning at the Legislative Assembly chamber, Parliament Buildings. About one hundred scientists from all parts of America, and delegates from European countries, were present. The new officers elected are: President, Dr. R. Bell, Ottawa; vice-president, Mgr. Lafame, Quebec; David Boyle, Toronto; general secretary, Dr. N. E. Dionne, Quebec; associate secretaries, Lecomte de Perigny, Paris; Nas Levasseur, Quebec; Dr. McIver, Eng.; Rouillard, Quebec.

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DEATH'S CALL WAS SUDDEN.

Mrs. Penrose Macdonald Succumbs From Heart Failure. Toronto, Sept. 10.—One of the most familiar figures in the old days in the Government House circles died yesterday, in the person of Penrose Ann Macdonald, widow of the late Colonel G. F. Macdonald.

Death occurred after an illness of only 20 minutes at the residence of son-in-law, C. E. Brooke, 496 Ontario street. The aged lady, after dinner, was talking reminiscently with a friend when she complained of not feeling well. A doctor was sent for, but before he could arrive Mrs. Macdonald was dead. Heart failure was the cause.

She was a daughter of General Sir John Savage, one-time commander of the troops in Ireland, and a granddaughter of Sir John Savage, Bart. 5th, of Dublin. Mrs. Macdonald was the daughter of St. Hilliers, Isle of Jersey, she married Colonel George Macdonald of the 6th Regiment, and came to Canada with the regiment at the time of the Trent affair in '64.

She is survived by three sisters—Lady Sophie MacKenzie, Monkton, Dublin; Mrs. Bailey of London, Eng., and Miss Savage, St. Hilliers, Jersey. She was a sister-in-law of Baron Templemore. Her surviving daughters are Mrs. Hill, Beverley Hall, Yorkshire, Eng.; Mrs. W. C. Dick, Toronto, and Mrs. Chas. Brooke, Toronto. Two sons—George and Wesley Hastings, also survive. Mrs. Dr. Murray MacFarlane, Toronto, and Mrs. Edgar Jarvis, Melport, Sask., are among the grand-daughters.

Mrs. Macdonald was well-known as a fearless horsewoman. As a child, she would dash the head of a squabbling horse over her shoulder.

Her husband, Col. Macdonald, died nine years ago. He was well known in the city as the staff officer of positions.

A PRETTY RACE.

Cambridge Defeats Harvard in International Varsity Boat Race. Putney, Eng., Sept. 10.—By the decisive distance of two lengths Cambridge won the great international boat race Saturday, stilling off by a steady, powerful stroke all Harvard's desperate efforts.

The light blues got away at the start and had the advantage of the choice of stations, which gave them at least a length to the good water on the Surrey the wind-sheltered water on the Surrey side of the river. They were enabled to maintain their lead and increase it as soon as they reached the wind driven water at Chiswick. It was a pretty race throughout.

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