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They Want Sunday Cars on the Extension—Oil and Mineral Rights Will Be Subject to Taxation.

Toronto, April 4.—The bill extending the time for the continuation of the Hamilton, Grimsby & St. Catharines railway was approved by the railway committee of the legislature this morning, with some amendments. One of the amendments is a private bill, to be introduced in the next session, to give the railway committee of the legislature the right to purchase the railway for the government as for any other railway. The question will have to come before the railway board.

The government should not be permitted to purchase a private railway, or a portion of a railway, for the government as for any other railway. Competition is as good for the government as for any other railway, said Hon. Dr. Rheaume, before the railway committee of the legislature, this morning, when speaking in respect to the Silver Belt Electric railway bill, introduced by W.R. Smythe. The proposed route of the railway from New Lisheard to Haileybury, Cobalt and Latchford parallels the Temiskaming & Northern Ontario railway, the government line. The bill, with amendments confining the railway absolutely to the provisions of the act, was carried.

The municipal committee of the legislature, this morning, added a clause to the assessment act by which reserved oil and mineral rights will be subject to taxation. The clause was opposed by Mr. Wilson, representing the Canadian company. Some farmers in Kent county, declared Mr. Bowen, M.P.P., would be willing to pay \$1,000 to get mineral rights from the company, but the latter demanded \$3,000. This being the case he thought the company should pay taxes on \$3,000. This view prevailed.

An action for damages, in which the Canadian Pacific company is defendant, is being argued in single court this afternoon. W. W. Carter, mill owner, of Sudbury, sued the company for damages for cutting timber on his property without permission, and the master at Barrie awarded \$3,148. The company appealed and the case is being heard to-day.

WORK OF A MURDERER.

Man Terribly Mangled By An Infernal Machine.

Schenectady, N.Y., April 4.—By the explosion of an infernal machine, believed to have been sent to him in rivalry in love, Samuel Miller, of 431 Liberty street, was terribly mangled. Surgeons say he had an even chance of recovery, though he may be totally blind and a cripple for the rest of his life. Cellulohin is in jail charged with attempted homicide. The police believe he is the author of the outrage. The machine was sent to Miller by express from North Adams, Mass., and was handed to him when he returned from his work. He took it to his room, and a few minutes later there was a terrific explosion, which practically wrecked the house. Miller says he wrapped the package and that is all he remembers. The small wooden box which contained the dynamite was filled with copper nails, and a dozen of these were blown into the young man's body. Miller was to have been married in June. He expected to leave, last night, for New York, to buy gifts for his prospective bride.

GRAFT IN COLONIES.

Former Governors Said to Have Dickered With Capitalists.

London, April 3.—The circular issued by the secretary of state for the colonies, the Earl of Elgin, advising all former governors of colonies to refrain from engaging in commercial enterprises in the territories which they formerly administered, has resulted in establishing the fact that there had been an increasing tendency to resort to years on the part of retired governors of the smaller colonies to take a prominent part in the management of companies which have obtained provincial concessions in the colonies.

A number of questions on the subject were asked in the House of Commons during the past session, some of them intimating that former governors had used their political pull to secure concessions.

WANT NEW PROVINCE

Formed of New Ontario—A Meeting Held.

Fort Francis, Ont., April 4.—A mass meeting of both political parties was held, last evening, to initiate a movement in New Ontario for secession from the old province and forming a new province embracing Algoma, Nipissing, Thunder Bay and Rainy river districts. After a number of speeches had been made by the representatives of the several municipalities, and other leading citizens of both parties, a strong resolution, moved by F. H. Dethune, secretary of the district conservative association, and seconded by W. L. Price, a leading liberal of Burcis, endorsing the movement, was carried by a standing vote. A steering committee was also appointed to confer with the other districts.

Placed Under Arrest.

Montreal, April 4.—William Simpson, the young farmer of Hudson Heights, who shot his two infant children and then tried to kill himself, has been placed under arrest on a charge of murder, at the Notre Dame hospital, where he lies hovering between life and death. He was reported as somewhat better this morning.

Condition Unchanged.

Toronto, April 4.—Hon. J. W. St. John, it is announced this morning, passed a fairly good night, but there is no noticeable change in his condition.

See the new hat set derby hats at Bibby's, \$2.25.

HAD A JOLLY TIME.

A Meeting of "Teddy's Own Social Twenty."

A well-attended meeting of "Teddy's Own Social Twenty," a military social organization, composed of members of the R.C.H.A., the F.A.M.C. and the C.P.A.S.C., was held last night at the Provincial hotel. The president, Corp. Atkins, C.P.A.S.C., occupied the chair and considerable business affecting the interests of the club was transacted. Following the business meeting a dinner was given by the club by the vice-president, Henry Jackson, and needless to say Host Home had spared no pains to make the evening a success. After full justice had been done the good things provided, toasts were in order, and the usual ones were proposed and responded to. Lieut. Roak, of the R.C.H.A., and Lieut. Dean, of the C.P.A.S.C., were present and addressed the club, assuring the members of their hearty cooperation in promoting its success, and fully approving of the social side of the organization. Song and story then helped to pass away an evening, the pleasure of which will long be remembered. "Mac" added his share of good stories. About twelve o'clock the party dispersed voting Mr. Jackson a prince of good fellows. The club is now composed of its twenty members.

Mme. Le Grand Reed.



A pupil of Jean de Reszke, Mme. Le Grand Reed gave special interest to Victor Herbert's concert at Daly's theatre last night. In the "Jewel Song" from "Tosca" she made a distinct hit with the audience. And so, for that matter, did the rest of the programme.—New York Globe, Nov. 12th, 1906.

BURNED TO DEATH.

San Francisco, Cal., April 4.—Twenty men were burned to death and twenty others injured in a fire which started in a tenement Italian hotel at Seventh and Connecticut streets in the Pot Row district early this morning.

A TAX ON WHISKERS.

Bill Introduced Into New Jersey Assembly.

New York, April 4.—The Times' correspondent at Trenton, N.J., has sent the following special: Assemblyman Cornish of Essex introduced in the house to-day a bill which provides a tax for securing the hair on the face as follows: To be paid to the tax collector yearly: Ordinary whiskers, 5c; side whiskers, 8c; Van Dyke beard, \$10; mutton chops, \$15; "billygoat," \$30; red whiskers, 20 per cent. extra. The tax collector is to receive 25 per cent. for collecting the tax. Speaker Elkins sent the bill to the committee on fish and game.

BASEBALL LEAGUE

With Kingston, Watertown and Other Places.

There is a movement on hand to form a baseball league, to embrace teams from Kingston, Watertown, Oranburg and Brockville, Prescott and Gananoque are also mentioned as possibilities. Such a league would undoubtedly prove an attraction and it is hoped that negotiations are made for the formation at once.

Yacht Club Dance.

Some of the younger people enjoyed a dance at the Yacht Club, on Wednesday night, getting Mrs. Easton Burns to chaperone them. They overcame the absence of a piano by engaging Crosby & O'Connor's orchestra.

Oddfellows To Organize.

The Oddfellows Baseball team is expected to organize in the near future. The team will not join the City League, but will play independently again this season.

A Town Without Crime.

London, April 3.—There have been no convictions in the police court at Weston, Herts, a town of about 500 inhabitants, for more than two years.

"Arrah Wanna," an Irish-Indian song, a great success. "Do, Re, Mi, Fa, Sol, La, Si, Do," the latest song craze. All the latest music, 15c. per copy, at McBurnett Bros. "They make rich, red blood," Blaud's Iron Tonic Pills. The genuine are sold at Gibson's Red Cross drug store. New, dry, nearly potatoes, 35c. per bag, at Mullin's. The best \$1 gloves are at Bibby's.

PROFESSOR SHORTT WRITES ON CANADA AND COLONIAL CONFERENCE.

Anything More Than Advisory Gathering Not Compatible With Self-Government—An Important Contribution.

Prof. Adam Shortt has an article in the April number of Queen's Quarterly, in which he discusses the coming colonial conference, and especially the attitude of the Canadian government toward the proposal to change the constitution and function of the conference into those of a council of the empire clothed with executive power. Prof. Shortt says:

Another colonial conference is about to assemble, and although few have any longer a feverish anxiety as to the outcome, yet many throughout the empire will follow the proceedings with considerable interest. The force of imperialistic sentiment which followed the South African war is steadily on the wane, and the motley collection of visionary schemes for consolidating the empire which lately jostled each other before the foot-lights of the forensic and literary stage are now playing with listless spirit to empty benches. Now, therefore, that the atmosphere has been somewhat clarified, and that so much of the impracticable has been demonstrated to be what it is, and not what it is supposed to be, it may be possible for some modest but real advance to be made towards a better understanding among the various factors of the British empire.

While very little change has taken place during the last century and a half in the structure, and none whatever in the realization of those periodically re-announced and rigidified projects for federating the empire, a very remarkable progress has been made in that time towards the concrete development of a better understanding and more normal and harmonious relations between the different portions of the empire. The more important sections, however, instead of moving towards federation, have moved steadily in the opposite direction; in governing and self-responsible status. But this movement, by bringing the chief factors of the empire on to a common level, has at once diminished the attitude of suspicion with which the self-reliant colonies regarded the paternal administration of the mother country, and has equally mitigated the air of condescension with which the typical representative of the mother country regarded his colonial possessions.

Influence Of British Reformer.

It is to be noted that this responsible self-government on the part of the different portions of the empire is not primarily a feature of their relation to each other, but is essentially an expression of their domestic development which carries with it as an incidental though necessary feature a change in their external relations to each other. Further, this development of democratic self-government did not first emerge in the colonies, but in Britain itself, whence it was copied by the colonies. The long struggle for responsible government in Canada was supported and encouraged entirely by the example of what was being realized in Britain, and it was the sympathy and co-operation of the radical reformers in Britain with their disciples and followers in the colonies which in the end secured for the latter the possible recognition of their right to self-government. The imperialist element, on the contrary, steadily maintained that to commence such claims or permit their realization involved the dismemberment and ruin of the empire. It was indeed just because the democratic reform element in Britain, in demanding responsible self-government for themselves, frankly favored conceding it to the colonists as well, that they were branded as anti-imperialists and Little Englanders. However, they have argued that, even through such concessions could the affection and respect of the colonies be fostered and retained. How completely their policy and predictions have been vindicated history records.

STOCK FIGURES.

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| Toronto, April 4th. 1 p.m. | 27 | 23 |
| Albion | 5.30 | 4.35 |
| Collingwood | 1.57 | 1.54 |
| Foster | 50 | 74 |
| McKinley | 1.75 | 1.25 |
| Nipissing | 14.00 | 13.00 |
| Niagara Falls | 1.03 | 1.00 |
| Silver Lake | 1.04 | 1.51 |
| Silver Queen | 1.20 | 1.70 |
| Tremont | 1.32 | 1.27 |
| C.P.R. | 1.77 | 1.77 |
| Twin City | 90 | 1.04 |

LAST SALES.

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| Foster | At \$ 1.56 |
| Silver Lake | 1.16 |
| Nipissing | 13.23 |
| Peterson Lake | 53 |
| Collingwood | 4.50 |
| McKinley | 1.02 |
| Silver Queen | 1.76 |

Military Land Grants.

The Veterans' Locating and Colonization Association report the three townships recently opened by the minister of lands and mines in the Clay Belt, for location by veterans as well situated, lying between the Matazami and Frederick House rivers. The land is well adapted for agricultural purposes, the soil being a rich black loam free from stone, well timbered with spruce, tamarac, poplar, etc.

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FOR EARLY SUMMER.

White Victoria Lawns, 10c, 12c, 15c, 20c, and up to 40c.
 White India Lawns, 10c, 12c, 15c, 20c, and up to 50c. yard
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