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LIBERALS WINS IN HANTS.

O'Brien Defeats O'Brien By 158
Alter Hot Contest.

Hants, N.S., July 15.—The election to fill the vacancy in the local legislature in Hants county, caused by the elevation of Hon. Arthur Drysdale, formerly attorney-general, to the supreme court bench, resulted in the return of James O'Brien (liberal) by a majority of 158 over Everett O'Brien (conservative).

Drysdale's majority at the last general election over Everett O'Brien was 134.

See Bibby's display of neckwear. For campers, lime juice, Abbey Salt, (Saline Laxative, 15c., not 25c.) seal-tite powders, in tin boxes, marsh-mallows, Gibson's Red Cross drug store. Try Bibby's great \$1 negligee.

As a rule, 100 acres of land cover sustenance for 200 sheep or thirty-three horses cattle.

It is estimated that 3,000 marriages are performed daily throughout the world.

Glasses that satisfy at Dr. Chown's optician neckwear.

REPLY TO W. R. GIVENS BY A CANADIAN IN FLORIDA

Why Canada Has Been Backward—Her Present Progress Shows That She is in the Forefront.

Jacksonville, Florida, July 10.—In an article on Canada of to-day, recently published in the New York Independent, W. R. Givens informs us that Premier Deakin, of Australia, has said that the colony should be independent, while Sir Wilfrid Laurier, of Canada, proposes to continue the political and fiscal policy that has held Canada in chains. A Canadian and a liberal might be allowed to say that Sir Wilfrid's fiscal policy is far from that which the premier and every one of his intelligent supporters know might be to the country's best interests if the policy of the United States were different from what it is. They believe that a more liberal policy would have been better for the United States, as well as for Canada, but they know where the blunder and the blame properly belongs. We are not so "gullible" on this point as they correspond seems to think.

Mr. Givens refers to the almost total disappearance in Canada of the sentiment for annexation to the United States, which a decade or two ago was really not hard to find, but he attempts to give any reason for this beyond suggesting that it is due to the ignorance and retrograde tendencies of the Canadian people.

This cannot be true, for the Canadians are among the best informed people of the world, and with the possible exception of the Americans, the most widely read on current events. They have kept an eye on history in the making, and they now see that there is opening up to them an era of independent prosperity greater than any nation has ever enjoyed. While some formerly doubted whether Canada could ever surmount the difficulties incident to her geographical and political position, everybody now sees that the victory is hers. She has at last reached those portions of the domain where agriculture is profitable, and is beginning to tap the great primary source of the wealth of nations. Her products are demanded both from the east and the west, so that the United States, that once appeared to many an indispensable partner or aid, is now looked upon by all as a mere friendly neighbor.

That Canada should have waited before she began her term of industrial prosperity until the United States had reached a certain high mark of material development is not surprising to those who understand anything of national growth. Looking at the map of North America and understanding its resources and climate it would not have required a prophetic mind to know that the seats of commerce and industry would be for the most part in the north, and the mouth of the Chesapeake and the mouth of the Hudson. But the United States made comparatively slow progress, both in population and wealth until the people began to cross the Alleghany ridge and find their first great west in the fertile valleys that slope towards the Mississippi, although they had long occupied the whole eastern coast of the continent from Maine to Florida, with all its special advantages. When their new lands began to be occupied everything went forward with leaps and bounds. The details and causes of this American can read in their primary histories. But the case of Canada may not be so well understood. While the United States found her richest west almost at her back door with the sunny south at her right hand Canada found herself at her right hand either attempting invasion or erecting a wall of tariffs that made trade almost impossible, and on the other hand the wilderness and the north. When the settler attempted to move back from the shores of the St. Lawrence or Great Lakes he encountered in most places within a few hours a wilderness that was absolutely uninhabitable extending on the north to the Arctic regions and on the west for more than a thousand miles to the prairie beyond Lake Winnipeg. This rocky desert has at last been reached, and the fertile plains have been reached, and we have reason to expect for Canada an era of development comparable to that which took place in the United States after she reached the valley of the Mississippi.

Mr. Givens refers to the great number of Americans going into the Canadian west and says it is wholly on account of the rich land, and that there are no commercial or educational advantages there. Let me tell him that that country has greater trade facilities than any other community of the same age ever had before.

fore on the face of the earth. They have more railways, more warehouses, more banks and a better banking system, better police system, better order and more education than were ever realized in so young a community before. The Canadian west not only produces more wheat per acre than any other part of the world, but has also the greatest facilities for handling it. Things are done there on a scale so colossal and rapid as to almost astonish Americans.

The newcomer, to that land is not obliged to tramp across unknown regions beside a prairie schooner. He is able to choose his route, from well-prepared maps, and is given a chance to see the country in a palace car and may choose the site of his future home from an observation car. Are these what Mr. Givens calls old fogyish ideas?

Although there may be in Canada "something like hostility" to certain American tendencies it is hard to see what cause for "jealousy" the Canada of to-day can have towards the United States, and every Canadian is pleased to know that England and the United States are closer together than in years.—W. H. AYKROYD.

Associate Professor.

O. J. Stevenson, M.A., Paed., St. Thomas, has been appointed, by the trustees of Queen's University, an associate professor of education in the new faculty of pedagogy. He has high recommendations. Hector Anderson, M.A., of Cambridge, has accepted the professorship of education. The curriculum of the new faculty has been drawn up and submitted to the department of education for approval.

Due To Strenuous Life.

Dr. D. E. Munnell, chief medical examiner of the Oddfellows' Relief Association, attributes the increased mortality during the past year to "the strenuous life of the present day." More deaths are occurring from heart and kidney disease than before.

Designers of Yachts.

George Owen, who designed the sailing yacht Kathleen, also designed the White, of Toronto, the Chiappa and Thistle, of Kingston, and the Heather, of Gananoque. Hugh Weir, of Hamilton, designed the Verona and Kestrel.

"For An All Day Outing."

Take the steamer America for Gananoque, Brockville and Ogdensburg, Friday, 8 a.m. Home early. Meals on board. Fare 75c.

Sale of Ladies' White Waists.

We will sell 300 ladies' white lawn waists on Friday and Saturday at 35c. each, all sizes, from 32 to 42. Corrigan's.

For A Change Of Scenery.

Take the steamer America's tours, Saturday 2.30 p.m. Home early. Supper on board. Fare 50c.

White House coffee, in one and two lb. tins, at Gilbert's store.

Bathing caps and water wings at Chown's drug store.

Red Livingstone's advt.

Bibby's sale of straws, 69c.

STEAM YACHT WAS RELEASED

Creditors Thought The Albani Had Been Stolen --The Claims Had Been Paid

There was quite a sensation this morning over the disappearance of the steam yacht Albani, owned by F. Wagner, of Detroit, Mich., who formerly was at the head of the Frontenac Cereal works here. The Albani was to have been sold by sheriff's sale at eleven o'clock this morning, but when creditors went down to attend the sale, the yacht had disappeared. It was in the slip at the west side of the cereal works at 10.30 o'clock last night, but at midnight, Watchman Polson reported it missing. The owner was credited with playing a cute game, and carrying off the yacht under the very eyes of the law.

However, when Sheriff Dawson came over from Wolfe Island to his office at eleven o'clock this morning, he relieved the minds of the oppressed. It seems that late last evening representatives of the owner waited upon him and paid the claims registered against the Albani. Acting under instructions from the admiralty court, the sheriff immediately released the craft, and it was towed away during the night. The chief claims were those of the Kingston Foundry company, about \$210; Charles Cummings, \$300; W. G. Craig & Co., \$105.

Perhaps the largest claimant was R. A. McLelland, the present manager of the Frontenac Cereal works, but he had nothing registered. It was he who brought the yacht here, paying the claims against it at Detroit. When the Albani reached Kingston, the other local creditors had her seized by the sheriff and a sale was ordered. Mr. McLelland claimed to be part owner of the yacht. The release of the yacht was a great surprise to him. The claims in the sheriff's hands were paid but Mr. McLelland had none there. Mr. Wagner's representatives took the yacht away at a time when there was no chance of detaining them. They had the sheriff's release order, and took possession without waiting to consult with Mr. McLelland as to his claim.

The Albani is thirty years old, and was formerly owned by W. H. Comstock, of Brockville. She is a vessel of fifty-eight gross tons, 78.5 feet long, 13.6 feet beam, and 7 feet depth. One local man had an order to bid \$1,500 on her.



PERSONAL MENTION.

Movements Of The People—What They Are Saying And Doing.

Miss Mabel Weir, of Winnipeg, is the guest of Mrs. W. Elliott, University avenue.

Prof. Cecil Lavell, M.A., left on Wednesday for Muskoka to spend his holidays.

Rev. Dr. Gordon left on Wednesday for Montreal, sailing this week for England.

A. J. Richardson, of the Northern Island Pulpwood company, was in the city, to-day, on business.

Dr. Mylka will return to Kingston on July 20th, after which date he will be in his office for consultation.

Misses Marnie Field and Mildred Jones, have returned from Clayton, N.Y., after a short visit with friends. Robert Drexell has been appointed inspector of the street railway company in place of James Brown, who resigned.

Dr. J. McLachlin is spending a few days in the city before going to British Columbia, where he intends practising.

Michael J. James, Birmingham, Alabama, is home to spend a few weeks with his mother, at 203 University avenue.

Dr. C. Y. Ford has been appointed one of the judges at the kennel show in connection with Toronto exhibition.

Children's Aid Society Officer, Misses Braatford, is spending a few days in the city with the local agent, Rev. Mr. McCallum.

James McCambridge is home from Pittsburgh, Penn., on a visit. He will spend a fortnight down the Rideau before returning.

It was Gordon Byron, not George Byron, for whom the magistrate issued an arrest warrant, yesterday. The two are not related.

The Misses Sybil Bickford, and Josephine Preston, Oswego, N.Y., are guests of Miss Florence Carnovsky, Johnston street.

Mrs. W. D. Atkinson and two children, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McIlwain, Portsmouth.

Mrs. John Abern and family, arrived, to-day, from Troy, N.Y., to spend a vacation with her mother, Mrs. John Saunders, Queen's hotel.

Mr. H. Moss, who has been mayor of Duran for four years, was one of the representatives at the Oddfellows' Relief Association meeting yesterday.

The old man named Waugh, aged eighty years of age, who was struck by the K. & P. train, about two weeks ago, is able to be around again as well as ever.

G. S. Johnson, of Fortar, has been elected a deputy grand master of Frontenac district, A.F. & A.M. A. E. Geiger, Brockville, is the D.D.G.M. of Brockville district.

Try Bibby's for nifty straws. At the age of three score and ten most men like to boast of their powers as sowers of wild oats when they were young.

Bibby's for neat steam hats. Generally a woman likes to brag about the numerous good traits of her husband just as if he really had them. Bibby's \$1-shirts are great.

NEW DEPOT FOR OTTAWA.

Plans For Million Dollar Station and Hotel.

Ottawa, July 15.—Plans for the new Grand Trunk station and million-dollar hotel in Ottawa have been filed with the railway committee of the privy council. The plans contemplate a terminal station on the site of the present Central station to cost one-quarter of a million. The station will be oblong shape and will be surrounded by a large dome.

The hotel will be just to the north of the station, abutting the east bank of the canal and Rideau street on the north. The building is planned in a semi-Gothic style, and will overlook Major Hill Park and Sappers Bridge. No room is left for a lawn and a single line of track leads under an awning of the hotel out to the C.P.R. line running over the Inter-provincial bridge to Hull.

FOUR DAY AT BISLEY.

Four Canadians in King's Second Stage.

Bisley, Eng., July 17.—The chances of a Canadian carrying off the King's prize this year are decidedly slim. But four of the Canadians succeeded in getting in the second stage of the match, the team going to pieces at the six hundred yard range this afternoon. Up to this time the scoring had been good, but at this range no less than thirteen members failed to put on thirty and fell out of the race. The four successful ones are Caven, Creegan, Milligan and Converse. Of the four, Caven got a place on the Daily Telegraph prize list, and Creegan on the Alexandra prize list.

HITS MAN ON SIDEWALK.

Almost Instantly Killed, While Pedestrian May Die.

Utica, N.Y., July 18.—Charles Stucka, a well-to-do Pole, fell or jumped from a window of the seventh story of the Mann building, in this city, yesterday, and was almost instantly killed.

The body in its descent struck Joseph Matthews, of Macy, who was passing. Matthews was taken to an hospital with a lacerated skull, a sprained ankle and internal injuries. His recovery is doubtful.

Stucka may have seated himself on the window sill and fallen out, or he may have jumped. He leaves a wife and three children.

Rumors Without Foundation.

London, July 18.—Mr. Lloyd George, president of the board of trade, assures the Canadian Associated Press that there is no foundation for the rumors that the government committee has decided against the all-red route. The committee's inquiry, he said, is not nearly concluded yet. No Australian witnesses have been heard yet, and still further evidence must be taken from Canada.

How The Record Stands. London, Ont., July 18.—With seven dead, nine lying in the hospital more or less seriously injured, and a number of others suffering from shock and bruises, the calamity which cast its shadow over the city, on Tuesday afternoon, though not so appalling as at first feared, has left an impression that from the minds of many time will never efface.

Died From Injuries. Toronto, Ont., July 17.—James Swan, teamster, of 70 Belmont street, was loading sand from a pit, on Bloor street, this morning, when the sand caved in on him. His skull was fractured at the base and his lower jaw broken. Swan died at Grace Hospital, a couple of hours later.

Drowned At Petawawa.

A special despatch from Petawawa camp to the Whig says: "Private Charles Smith, of the Royal Canadian Regiment, Fredericton, was drowned while bathing here this (Thursday) afternoon."

A Snap To-Night. All baskets red cherries, worth \$1.25 and \$1.40, unsold at 5 p.m., will sell for 95c. We must have room for large lots expected Friday morning. Store closes at 7 p.m. Carnovsky, "on the corner."

Drowned At Yarker. Matthew Tobin, a bachelor, about thirty-five years of age, was found in the river underneath the B. Q. railway bridge, near Yarker, Ont. He had been working in a garden at Yarker.

Try Bibby's for 45c. fancy hosiery. The fountain at Gibson's Red Cross drug store is doing good work cooling people these days. Pure Fruit Juice dispensed. There is also ice cream made from pure cream.

Bibby's for latest in neckwear. Our idea of a feminine diplomat is a woman who knows how to manage a man—and at the same time keep him from knowing that she is doing it.

Bibby's for beautiful neckwear. There is a daily average of thirty-five immigrants who apply for admission to the port of New York and are rejected.

The new lives to be 2,500 years old, ask 1,200, color, 900; chestnut, 600; ivy, 450, and elm, 225.

Perfect-fitting glasses, the result of a perfect test, when you get glasses at Chown's drug store.

Try Bibby's \$1 outing shirts. The chances of sudden death are greater among men than women in the ratio of one to eight.

It wouldn't be so bad if people who say they have nothing to say would only let it go at that.

Try Bibby's for fancy hosiery. All the paper you can carry at D. E. Fraser's for 3c. a roll, 75 Wilkiam street.

When in doubt if wanting glasses go to Dr. Chown's.

Ten dressed by collapse of sailboat in Sweden.

Try Bibby's for new collar. Said Mrs. Gould is to marry Prince Heloise Sagan.

Bibby's sale of straws, 69c. Bir Regda in West Virginia; many diamonds.

Bibby's 69c. straw hat women's.

The beginning and the end of the meals of the day should be Chase & Sanborn's SEAL BRAND COFFEE. It's the first thing for breakfast—the last for dinner—and the "best thing" in every meal.

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