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## THE CAMPAIGN

In Connection With the Laymen's Movement.

## MISSIONARY ZEAL

IN THE PURPOSE OF THE PRESENT MEETINGS.

Stirring Addresses Were Given in Sydenham Street Church on Wednesday Night—Other Meetings to Be Held.

The Laymen's campaign in Kingston has commenced. The first of a series of meetings, was held on Wednesday night, in Sydenham street church when the edifice was well filled, in spite of the inclement weather. Stirring addresses were delivered, on behalf of the Laymen's Movement, and the opening shot of the campaign was indeed well fired. Addresses were delivered by His Lordship Bishop Mills Rev. James Allen, and Rev. W. T. Gunn, Toronto, and E. J. B. Pense on the laymen's work, and a strong appeal was made for the carrying on of this noble work—work which has stirred the laymen of the west, and which is now being impressed upon the laymen of the east, with the request that it be taken up at once. The audience was also favored with a brief address from Rev. Mr. Ebina, a missionary from furlough, from Japan.

Bishop Mills occupied the chair, and the devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. C. A. Sykes.

### The Opening Address.

In his address, Bishop Mills referred to the origin of the movement in New York two years ago. The idea of the movement was not for the sending out of missionaries, but for the purpose of getting the men interested in the great cause of missions, so the whole world might be evangelized. There was a great work to be carried out, and that was to carry the Word of God to the ends of the world. The progress along missionary lines had been wonderful, but there were still many opportunities for the advancement of the grand noble work. Only a short time ago, it meant certain death for anyone to proclaim Christ, in Japan. Now, missionaries were not only preaching Christ in these far-off lands, but the teaching was now asked for. It was not only desired that the doors be opened for the work, but that the hearts of the people also be opened. Men should give according to their means, towards the advancement of the work. The work already undertaken had been inspired and strengthened by God. Good work had been done in Toronto, Ottawa, Winnipeg, Halifax and other cities. The speaker expressed the hope that the work which had just been inaugurated in Kingston, would have the same power bestowed upon it by God.

A great many would say that they were already giving much, and that they could give no more. The people should realize the fact that they were stewards for God, and that what they possessed they were simply keeping it trust for Christ. God Himself never remained a debtor to any person. The speaker hoped that the hearts of the good people of Kingston would receive His blessing in the work.

### E. J. B. Pense's Address.

E. J. B. Pense was then called upon by the chairman. The campaign he said, had started in cities in the west, and was now rolling eastward. All the cities in Canada were being touched. "The movement he characterized as being very modest one,

### DAILY MEMORANDA.

Dutch Tea, Queen St. Church, to-night. Mission Hall, at Sydenham street church, 8 p.m.

See the advt. of Brokers' Limited, Toronto, in the advt. column.

Meeting of Laymen, to-morrow, in conference of each denomination, 11 a.m.

Rummage Sale of excellent goods, Friday evening and Saturday, store next to Whig office.

Bijou Theatre—Splendid production of "Rip Van Winkle"; Pathetic Drama; "His Daughter's Voice"; Comedy, "The Lost Cake"; Song, "The Fairy Queen."

Oct. 29th, In Canadian History, 1727—An earthquake was felt along the eastern coast of Canada.

1898—The Hon. Henry Robert Emerson succeeded Mr. Mitchell as Premier of New Brunswick.

1900—The Board of Trade and citizens of Montreal gave a banquet in honor of Lord Sydenham.

1900—R. F. Bohlin succeeded the Hon. H. J. Macdonald as premier of Manitoba.

1907—The by-election for the Dominion House of Commons resulted as follows: North Wellington, A. M. Martin, Liberal, elected by a majority of 38,000. East Northumberland, C. L. Owen, Conservative, elected by a majority of 230; London, Major Thomas Beattie, Conservative, elected by a majority of 1,036 votes.

## For Thanksgiving

We are showing some very quaint sets of 13-piece in odd shapes.

### OLD BLUE AND DERBY WILLOW PATTERNS.

Robertson Bros.

with just a president, vice-president and a central council in Toronto. The campaign was not one that called for any individual duty. It was simply the work of every layman, and had for its main object the building up of a nation in the North-West.

The great work of missions was referred to, the speaker taking occasion to speak of the commission appointed in South Africa, which reported that without the influence of the missionaries, there would be very little hope for South Africa. The speaker referred to the origin of the movement, and pointed out the fact that not only were brotherhoods being organized in Canada, but in the States as well. And even in England the young men had been giving freely for the work.

That there was plenty of room for such work was evident. Toronto had set an example, such as bad or wretched before been given. The men had volunteered to raise a magnificent sum. They figured it out that while they were giving \$1,000,000 for their own church work they were only donating \$40,000 for foreign work, or for every \$25 given to their own churches only \$1 was given for the fighting cause. The average giving of each person for the good cause was found to be less than the price of six car tickets.

There was an idea abroad that the North-West itself was not doing its duty but to this the speaker did not agree. The men there were doing their share of the work. Calgary alone had promised \$40,000 for missions in 1909.

There was encouragement when it was known that not people were Christianized every day. The call to make at the present time was to take up the challenge. What armies would fight with the officers alone? The laymen should take their stand. There was never a time when the clergy did not want the assistance of the laymen. Men had been accustomed to allow the ladies and the Sunday schools to do the missionary work. No person was expected to give beyond his means.

The speaker said he could make no greater appeal than to ask that the North-West be made a great country. The motto with the laymen was as follows: "We can do if we will, we will do it for we can." He hoped that the conference to be held would have good results, and that Kingston would do her duty as a city of churches.

### Rev. James Allen.

In opening Rev. James Allen, secretary of Methodist home missions, said that at a recent luncheon held in Winnipeg the men decided that not less than \$10 should be given for the work by each member. The speaker's own special work had to do with the home department of missions. The movement was unique, so far as Canada was concerned, as it not only looked after the interests of foreign, but home missions as well. We should understand the responsibility which rested upon us. God made Canada, and governed it. Our only hope of progress was in finding out God's laws and in conforming with them. To disregard these plans

### SPLENDID ATTEMPT

### AN ENGINEER'S HEROIC EFFORTS FAILED.

Climbed to Cuckooer a Moment Too Late to Snatch Woman From Tracks.

New York, Oct. 29.—James Freeman, a Pennsylvania railroad engineer, made a splendid attempt to save a woman's life at the Market street station in Newark, yesterday. Freeman sprang through the window of his cab, climbed along the running board of the flying engine, and, leaping far out over the track, sought to pluck from the rails the woman, whose terror had motionless. The engineer was a moment too late, the woman was ground to death.

## HE IS THE HEIR

ST. GEORGE'S RECTOR  
Has Been the Selection of Laymen.

### A POOR MAN GETS A NICE WINDFALL.

### AND IT CAME WELL

NOTIFIED THAT HE IS TO GET BIG FORTUNE.

EMPLOYED AS LABORER WHEN HE RECEIVED THE GOOD NEWS—WILL LEAVE AT ONCE FOR ITALY TO CLAIM INHERITANCE.

Hammonton, N.J., Oct. 29.—With at least \$100,000 coming to him and prospects of becoming heir to a vast estate, Mac Crustory, of this city, declares that he will keep right on at his work as a laborer in the brickyard here. He and his wife are making preparations to leave for Italy to claim the inheritance which has come to him in most romantic fashion.

When Crustory, weary from the day's toil, went home one night some weeks ago, his wife gave him a letter from his mother in Italy, whom he had not seen since he was a child, and not old enough to remember. The missive informed him that he was heir to a large fortune and that he should return at once to the sunny land of his birth. Crustory sniffling at the letter. It was a hoax, he felt sure, for he remembered that his mother, stricken by poverty at the death of his father years ago, had placed him in a foundling asylum.

Crustory is thirty years old. When he was an infant, his widowed mother secured a position as housekeeper for a wealthy bachelor, and placed the child in a foundling institute. In time the mother became the wife of the bachelor. On reaching his majority, Crustory married and brought his bride to this country, locating here. The mother lost all trace of him and when her husband died she inherited all his fortune—an estate that runs into the millions. Then came the desire to find her boy. First one country and then another was canvassed until finally her letters reached him here. She has set aside \$100,000 for him. Crustory takes his sudden riches very calmly.

NO SALES THIS YEAR.

INDIAN GIRLS NOT SOLD—STOPPING POLYGAMY.

OTTAWA, Oct. 29.—This year, for the first time, at the great potlach in the North-West, no Indian girls were sold as slaves. On previous occasions they were bought and sold like cattle. The Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist church has asked the attorney-general to enforce the law relating to polygamy, with especial reference to the Chinese. One woman, a fourth wife, was bought for \$350. She was fifteen years of age, her purchaser sixty. An officer at Hong Kong sees papers allowing Chinamen to represent themselves as parents or guardians, and showing these papers bring these girls into a civilized Christian country, often to be sold again. These facts are known to the police.

A BOMB OUTRAGE.

DUBLIN, Oct. 29.—The agrarian agitation, in County Tipperary, culminated, on Monday night, in a dynamite bomb outrage, of which the residence of two well-known land owners, brothers, named O'Mallane, at Templemore, was the scene. The bomb was placed on a window sill and exploded, demolishing the window. Two old servants, women, had a miraculous escape from death.

AN ELECTION SUICIDE.

CHAGRINED OVER RESULT, RANCHER ENDED LIFE.

VICTORIA, B.C., Oct. 29.—Tired of life and full of chagrin at the result of the elections yesterday, Edward Griffiths, a chicken rancher, living at the Royal Oaks district here, placed a shot gun to his head and blew out his brains. He leaves a wife and three children. Griffiths thinks some time ago attempted suicide with a razor.

VALUABLE PEARL FOUND.

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 29.—Elmer Lusk, a contracting blacksmith, of this city, found a large pearl in an oyster, and Lusk has already refused a \$1,000 offer of a Market street jeweler for the gem, which is more than half an inch in diameter. Lusk came near swallowing his treasure; also he came near throwing it out into the ash pile.

THREE SWALLOWS.

SIR JOHN POWER & SONS.

"THREE SWALLOWS, IRISH WHISKEY,

FAMOUS FOR OVER A CENTURY,

OF HIGHEST STANDARD OF PURITY,

DISTILLERS TO HIS MAJESTY THE KING."

ANOTHER LIBERAL CHOSEN.

VICTORIA, B.C., Oct. 29.—W. Sloan

(Liberal) was elected by acclamation in Comox Atlin, on Wednesday.

TO BE PROTESTED.

OTTAWA, Oct. 29.—It is stated that the liberals will protest every seat which the conservatives have won in the province of Manitoba, and that an attempt will be made in the courts to prove that intimidation and bribery were resorted to by the conservative workers to capture the seats they did.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

ANOTHER VOICE IN FAVOR OF ALD. COOPER AS MAYOR.

KINGSTON, Oct. 29.—(To the Editor)

I beg to second the nomination of Ald. Daniel Cooper for the mayoralty next year. The letter of a "Citizen" suggesting Ald. Cooper, was timely, and I hope that steps will be taken to get Ald. Cooper reelected. If he does, he can depend upon it that he will win against all comers, for he has certainly taken a creditable stand upon all civic questions. His city council record shows that, by all means let us have Mr. Cooper as mayor of Kingston for 1909.—CATAR-AQUIL WARD.

CHEAP MARKET RATES.

THIS MORNING the former cheap market rates over the K. & P. railway

were resumed, and a big crowd of

people came to the city from rural

points. The merchants are delighted.

Quite a number of young people from the city left, this afternoon, to drive to Seeley's Bay, to attend a large

dance there this evening, in the Ma-

tinon hall. Crosby and O'Connor's or-

chestra will supply the music.

Sweet oranges, 25c. a dozen, at

Gilbert's.

JUMBO HICKORY NUTS, 15c. a lb., at

Gilbert's.

W. W. Gibson returned, to-day, from

Toronto.

## MADE ATTACK

### UPON A MAID AT THE BARRACKS.

### JEALOUS INSANITY

SAID TO HAVE TROUBLED THE CORPORA.

THE YOUNG WOMAN WAS WOUNDED FROM A BAYONET IN HANDS OF A SOLDIER—HE HAD WRITTEN A LETTER WHICH PROVED HE PREMEDITATED DEED.

WATERTOWN, N.Y., Oct. 29.—Jealous insanity, it is said, on the part of Corp. W. W. Cunningham, of "C" company, 24th Infantry, resulted in a murderous assault on Edna McMullin, a colored servant girl, about twenty-four years old, and employed in the household of Capt. T. T. Frizzell and Pte. Jones of the company. The alleged assailant occupied a government reservation at Madison Barracks, Sackets Harbor. The case will first be taken care of by the military authorities before it is passed into the hands of the civil authorities.

Cunningham, who it is claimed, by his friends is insane, has for some time been afflicted with a religious mania and would walk around muttering religious sentiments. For some reason he was insanely jealous of the girl, who it is said is almost white, and is very beautiful and to whom Pte. Jones has been paying some attention.

That a crime was premeditated is suspected from the fact that an open letter addressed to the members of his company was afterward found upon his person, stating that he had killed his girl for reasons of his own. It is thought that he intended committing suicide afterward and for that reason wrote the letter. After his arrest he admitted, it is said, that he went to his barracks and procured the bayonet.

Meeting the girl by the side of the walk, it is alleged that he stabbed her in the abdomen, but was prevented from doing her further injury by Pte. Jones, who was at once attracted to the scene and who, in the struggle, received an ugly wound under his left shoulder blade. Jones and the girl are now in the barracks hospital and Cunningham is in the guardhouse awaiting an examination as to his sanity.

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A rumor is current that Longboat, the long distance runner, will turn professional, and that he intends to run in the races in New York, to be held in Madison Square Garden shortly.

John Butler, a resident of Lindsay, 106 years of age, voted at the elections Monday. He is by far the oldest voter in this riding, and it is probable that he is the oldest in the province.

W. R. Smythe, the conservative, has

defeated Mr. Dymont, in East Algoma,

and McCool, the liberal, is leading in

Nipissing by two votes, with ten polls to hear from. This leaves the net result in Ontario unchanged at thirty-five liberals and forty-eight conservatives, and the government's total majority stands at forty-eight.

ALL THE PEOPLE AT NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS GREATLY PLEASED AT THE RESULT OF MR. WALLACE'S VICTORY.

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