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Seek New Trial for McCoskey---Mayor Angrove Legislature Candidate

ALD. T. A. KIDD IS CHOSEN AS CONSERVATIVE CANDIDATE: PLEDGED TO FERGUSON POLICY

Mayor Angrove Refuses to Allow His Name to Go Before the Convention and Withdrew From the Meeting---Mr. T. J. Rigney's Name Was Not Placed in Nomination As He Would Not Stand.

Conservative party in the riding of Godkin and Mr. W. P. Peters. Kingston and Portsmouth at the coming provincial election as the resuit of the action of the postponed minutes to address the gathering and Conservative convention which was Mr. Kidd spoke first. He endorsed resumed in Garden Hall on Tuesday night. Mr. R. N. F. McFarlane and Mr. Frank Hoag also allowed their he said, had much to be thankful to names to go before the convention the Ferguson Government for. but Alderman Kidd received a majority on the first ballot. It was closed convention, only delegates and Mr. R. N. F. McFarlane. "I worked members of the executive being al- tooth, and nail for the O.T.A. but I lowed in, and slightly over a hundred attended. Mr. J. F. Sowards presided.

nominated, refused to let his name of the men before them would carry go to the convention because of what | the Conservative party to victory on he termed the scurrilous underhand attacks which had been made on him. Before withdrawing he announced however that he intended that he would like to clear the atmoto run as an independent.

Both Mr. McFarlane and Mr. Hoag stressed the fact that they had always been earnest workers in the man present if he had anything cause of temperance but had come see that the act was not working out. Mr. Hoag said that as a druggist he would be ashamed to tell of the number of doctor's perscriptions for liquor filled in his place of business.

The first action taken when the the first. Immediately after his adseeting opened was to bring for- dress he withdrew from the convenward a resolution that all nominated be asked to pledge themselves to support the policy of the ret ballot and Mr. E. Smythe and Ferguson Government and to abide Mr. A. E. Day acted as scrutineers. by the decision of the convention. When they had completed counting The resolution passed without de- the votes the chairman announced bate and nominations were proceed- the result by saying "Mr. Kidd is

Mr. R. N. F. McFarlane was nomi- pressed his thanks to the delegates nated by Mr. T. Milo and Mr. H. for the bonor conferred on him. On Hunter; Mr. Frank Hoag was nomi- motion of Messrs. Hoag and McFarnated by Mr. J. Holder and Mr. T. lane the choice was made unani-Nicholson. Capt. John Donnelly was | mous. nominated by Mr. R. N. F. McFarlane and Mr. Frank Hoag but at his request his name was withdrawn. Mr. George Smythe was nominated Mr. T. J. Rigney's name was not by Mr. R. N. F. McFarlane but be- brought before the convention but it fore anyone could second the nomi- is understood that he would not connation Mr. Smythe asked that his sider the nomination. He was not two years ago, he said.

When Terrible Gale Wrecked

School House Disaster

at La Plata, Md.

two others died while being rushed

critically. A negro man and woman

while two were in Washington's

La Plata, which has a population

of only 500, was dazed by the dis-

aster: At 3 o'clock, only a little rain

was falling and everything was

alm. Two minutes later, the wind.

driving a torrent of rain before it.

descended upon the village. Dr. G.

G. Heath, Maryland health depart-

ment official, whose office was

across the street from the school

saw it twisted into a mass of

shut out the borror, A moment

pupil, rushed, sobbing with terror

and pain from his injuries, to the

home, nearby, of the Rev. W. S.

plinters, and closed his eyes to

later, John M. Burr, 11-year-old

long path of the storm.

Eleven perished in the ruins and movement.

Ald. T. A. Kidd will represent the | Angrove was nominated by Mr. J. I

The Candidates Speak. Each candidate was allowed five the policy of the Ferguson Government in its entirety and made no apologies for it. Eastern Ontario.

"Every man and woman within the sound of my voice knows whether I am for temperance or not." said have come to realize that it is not Smoking in Basement by Fe in the best interests of temperance," he declared.

Mr. Hoag stressed the point that Mayor T. B. Angrove, although the delegates should consider which election day.

> Mayor Angrove Withdraws. Mayor T. B. Angrove remarked sphere in regard to his actions at the last election. Many underhand attacks had been made on him. said, but he would like to ask any against him. He had always been a Conservative and he had supported Dr. Ross in the last election. felt that he had been treated very badly and for that reason would not place himself in the hands of the convention. As for the policy of Mr. Ferguson, Mayor Angrove said that

The candidate was chosen by secyour next member for Kingston.' Mr. T. A. Kidd was nominated by The announcement was greeted with r. C. R. Webster and Mr. W. Laird; hearty applause and Mr. Kidd ex-

it was what he had advocated from

Mr. Rigney Not Mentioned. It was a supprise to many that

name be withdrawn. Mayor T. B. present at the convention.

which was strewn over a wide cir- this was done, as alleged by Dr. cle. Other children were running Wyllie, he said. about dazed and crying for help. Some had been carried by the

Chief Scout of Canada. Ottawa, Nov. 10 .- His Excellency the Governor-General has informed the executive committee of the Boy Intimation is Given by Acting had previously received the nomina-Plata, Maryland, Nov. 10 .- A Scouts that he has great pleasure in ting wind struck suddenly out accepting the office of Chief Scout of a sultry sky yesterday and shat- for Canada. In India and elsewhere tered a schoolhouse here in which His Excellency has always been a

establishment or at their homes, hospitals which were reached too Twelve Degrees Below Zero

Winnipeg, Nov. 10-Descending out of the Arctic wastes, winter released its first subzero broadside upon western

Before the concentrated attack the mercury retreated to its lowest point of the season at many points, with 12 degrees below zero reported at The Pas. and minus six at Minnedosa, Man.

For saying "Amen" too loudly in Miss Hopper, the V.O.N. nurse of Creek, was arrested and fined \$20 in the whole schoolhouse has blown Pembroke, has been appointed as municipal court here. It was point-

Ald. Thomas A. Kidd AN EMPHATIC

The Conservative nominee for Kin

Boys Worst Ottawa Ool-

legiate Offence Disclosed.

At the conclusion of yesterday

and fixing the responsibility of the

Dry Wyllie interjected the

suggestion that the things complain-

ed of had occurred under the eyes

Evidence submitted included

statement by Dr. Wyllie, in which h

MacDougall, principal of the Col

legiates, stated that the worst of

Collegiate and Collegiate "form"

dances which he had attended, he

EARLY IN DECEMBER

Premier Robb After

Cabinet Council.

Ottawa, Nov. 10 .- Parliament

A. Robb, acting Prime Minister, at

the conclusion of yesterday after-

While it is understood that no

definite decision has been arrived at,

it is rumored that Thursday, De-

cember 9th, now appears to be the

most likely date for the convening

of the House. Tuesday, December

7th, was originally suggested as the

possible date for the opening, but it

is intimated that, as the following

day is a holiday, it has been practi-

cally determined that Parliament

shall not convene on the seveneh of

next month. An announcement 'n

the matter is expected to be made

Another matter which, it is un-

derstood, was under consideration

was that of Hon, Vincent Massey as

Canadian representative at Washing-

SAID "AMEN" TOO LOUDLY.

The Result, for Art. Isaacson, Is \$20

Fine.

church, Arthur Isaacman, of Deer

Fergus Falls, Minn., Nov. 16 .-

within the next day or two.

noon's Cabinet Council.

mark that there was absolutely

Collegiate board."

of the authorities.

by Friday at the latest.

Thinks It Will Settle Liquor Question for Twenty Years.

VOTE DEC.

that his Statistics on the O.T.A. Are Incontrovertible.

Picton, Nov. 19 .- Premier Ferguson last night expressed the firm belief that the vote on Dec. 1 would One settle the liquor question for 20 years. "It behooves you," he told his great audience of Prince Edward County electors, "to settle that question properly. It doesn't matter whether the Government stays in power or session of the royal commission. right, whether I am or not. Sane jail. under Mr. Justice Orde, appointed thought on the question is all I ask. Rev. Dr. E. B. Wyllie, conditions at tion in the right way."

the Ottawa Collegiate, brought out The Prime Minister invaded to three other cars, while on his mad the facts that the charges made by night the constituency in which Hon. career, in addition to striking a Dr. Wyllie were based on "hearsay," W. E. Raney, Progressive Leader, is couple of poles on the street. and that he had personally made no a candidate, and was greeted with own car and the other three sufinvestigations; that "the spirit of one of the largest audiences he has fered damage, and in addition moral looseness" which, he said. met since he began his present his seven days in jail, the reckless prevailed "among a very small per- speaking itinerary. But one refer- driver will have to make good the centage of the boys" was only apence, and that of a minor nature, did damage in each case. parent by scribblings on lavatory he make to the Progressive Leader walls; and that he made no allega- and his platform and press criticism tions of immorality against the of the Conservative Government's MAIUN policy of Government control

"Men will come into this riding." said Mr. Ferguson, "who will seek to abuse me. Well, when they get progress had been made in getting through, you good people ask them Will Run as Independent Canto contradict or deny the accuracy of the statistics I quote to show that conditions under the O.T.A. are not for the best. Will they deny them They will not. They cannot. These statistics are incontrovertible."

His Lordship announced that he Premier at Trenton. hoped to conclude the investigation Trenton, Nov. 10 .- Speaking at Trenton in the afternoon in the interests of William H. Ireland. servative candidate for West Hastings and former chief party Whip in the Legislature, Premier guson dealt at great length fence he had ever seen committed what he termed the uncontrolled in connection with school dances promiscuous distribution of liquor! was surreptitious smoking in the under the O.T.A.

basement by a few of the boys. School "We are now going to deal this discipline had greatly improved distribution in the open," said Mr. since he became principal twenty. Ferguson. In the permit system the of the opinion that the liquor busi-Government proposed to introduce ness should be controlled by the student, testified that of all the least, on the bootlegging business

Leeds Dry Candidate. Gananoque, Nov. 10 .- At a joint conference of Liberals, Progressives and dry Conservatives, held at Delta yesterday afternoon, Dr. J. P. Sinclair of this town was the unanimous choice of the prohibition forces to confest Leeds riding. Three delegates represented each of the parties. Dr. Sinclair, for the Liberals; T. I. Ellis, Gananoque, the dry Conservatives, and John Beatty, Mallorytown, the Progressives, all of whom tions of their respective parties, addressed the joint committee, which then went into private session. On the third ballot, which was a secret one, Dr. Sinclair was chosen. He ac- Fred Cook and Bill Cook, former will meet early in December. This cepted the nomination in a short ad- Kingston boys scored two of the six was the intimation made by Hon. J. dress.

> London Board of Works will ask | Hamilton Presbytery of the Unitthe street railway company to re- ed Church passed a resolution propair the tracks and road bed in testing against any change in the O.

He Would Expel Girls Who Attend Dances Unchaperoned

Ottawa, Nov. 10- In com-

menting upon school girls attending dances, Justice Orde, who is holding an investigation into the Ottawa Collegiate affairs, said: "I wouldn't allow a girl of school age to go. to a dance hall unless accompanied by her mother or someone who could be trusted to look after her. I wouldn't say even her own brother. There is too much danger associated with dance halls to imperil young girls. So far as responsibility of the school board is concerned. I would make expulsion from school the penalty for attending such dances as have been described."

ARE SENT TO JAIL

Driver Hit Three Cars While Under Influence Liquor.

whether I remain Prime Minister or strong drink, had better take warnnot, I want an emphatic pronounce- ing. In Police Court on Wednesday ment on this question from the great morning, two men who admitted mass of people. And whether it that they had been driving a car comes from one side or the other, while under the influence of liquor, Ottawa, Nov. 10 .- The first day's I'm certain that the people will be were each sentenced to seven days in

One of the drivers was captured by the provincial Government to in- Then the great sum total of the Prov- by the police on Tuesday night, folvestigate into allegations made by ince of Ontario will solve this ques- lowing a lively escapade on the part

didate in Favor of the "Wet Policy."

All smiles and ready for the battle. Mayor Thomas Angrove was found in his office at the city hall to-day. all set for the coming contest for the Ontario Logislature.

"I am running in this campaign as an independent candidate." Mayor Angrove stated, when interviewed by a representative of The British

stand on the matter. I am strongly mouth compared very favorably at noon, Donald Lynn, a former Collegiate the Premier saw a partial check, at Government, and it is a policy that I have always supported."

Canada's Jubilee

London, Nov. 10 .- Although it has not yet been officially announced, it is understood that His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales will probably visit Canada for the diamond jubilee celebration next year.

Rangers Won 6-0. The New York Rangers last night defeated London in an exhibition game at Toronto by the score of 6-0.

MONUMENTS OF STONE

"Across the night they speak-these rigid figures of the market-place and street, voicing the ideals of those who died."

A thousand thousand blocks of stone they've raised In memory of things we did in blood Praying in doing them, they might be free To do the things we vainly dreamed to do. And they have pictured hardship, filth, and mud, And made of that great sordidness-Glory. Not knowing of the Vision as it grew Within our hearts, they've wildly praised.

How can we tell them now we sought to seize Young immortality, but not for these Vile things for which they think we won the stake? The blood and tears of those long bitter years Were shed to quench a world's long nameless fears. We whisper now,-How long until they wake ? -Norman Campbell.

Better Managed Than American Prisons---Sanitary Sleeping Accommodation Fine---Visitors Remarked on High Type of Men at Head of Canada's Penal Institutions---Declare Crime System Is More Effective in Canada.

The New York State Crime Com- | with any of the penal institutions were greatly impressed with the order in which everything is out. The convicts are managed in an entirely better manner than those in American prisons and they found that the Canadian system of management could be adapted to their prisons and thus improve them.

Senator Caleb H. Baumes, chairman of the commission, was quite willing to speak when interviewed by a Whig reporter, and he said that one outstanding difference between the Canadian prisons and those in New York state was that there is very little entertainment provided for the prisoners here. (In American prisons, he said, the prisoners play baseball and have regular entertain ments, but here the entertainments and sports are lacking.

Sanitation Fine.

dation of the Portsmouth institution said was exceptionally fine. The meand are left there throughout the ing with law-breakers. day, sports being their only exer-

mission, which visited the Ports- of the United States, although it was, mouth Penitentiary this morning, considerably smaller than Sing Sing. "Our reason for coming over here was because your system seemed to be much more effective than ours." Mr. Smith continued.

you wouldn't tolerate such a long drawn-out affair as the Hall-Mille trial which is going on now in New Jersey." When he was told that there was a prisoner in the county jail awaiting the execution of the death sentence on November 26th who had only committed the crime on August 28th, he commented: "Well, that's pretty quick work."

The Commission The commission which includes

beside the chairman, Senator Caleb Baumes, Newburgh, Senators John Knight and B. Roger Wales: and Assemblymen Joseph A. McGinnies, Burton D. Esmond and Walter Gedney; Col. George Fletcher Chan-The sanitary sleeping accommo- dier, former head of New York State Police; Thomas S. Rice, Brookwas another thing which the com- lyn; David S. Taylor, Buffalo; and mission especially noted. This they Jane M. Hooey, New York, was escorted through the penitentiary by thod of exercising the prisoners in Brig.-General W. S. Hughes, superthe Portsmouth penitentiary differs intendent of prisons, and Deputygreatly from the system in use in the Warden Tucker. The party left the Here the Frontenac Hotel shortly after 9 gangs are taken from each depart. o'clock for the prison and spent the ment separately and given exercise, entire morning studying the prebut in the institutions across the line ventive and curative methods used the men are put to work in the shops by the Dominion Government in deal

The New York State Crime Commission was formed for the purpose The members of the commission of discovering ways and means of marveled at the fact that the offi- combating crime in New York State cials can dispose of prison products and the commission is making an so easily here. In their prisons the investigation into the methods emproducts cannot be sold due to the ployed in Canada. The body, which is objection made by labor unions. The composed of prominent legislators. prisoners make only the necessities | members of the bar and bench and of the institution and cannot dis- criminologists, was addressed in Torpose of any products outside of the onto by prominent men who are dealing with crime and criminals every day. At Montreal tomorrow there will be a similar conference "You seem to have a very high and when the commission returns type of men at the head of your in- home it will prepare a report to be Smith, secretary of the commission, the assembly. Writers from New The mail bag contract at Portsmouth York newspapers are accompanying "I am out as an independent, but was commented on by Mr. Smith, the party and they will present the I am strongly in favor of the 'wet who felt that it was an excellent facts to the American public in policy' of Premier Ferguson. The thing that the prison labor could be newspaper articles. The party left people of Kingston know where I turned to some good account. Ports- for Montreal on the C.N.R. express

Asked of First Divisional Court -The Argument Is Proceeding.

Toronto, Nov. 10 .- On behalf of Thomas McCoskey, sentenced to hang on Nov. 20th, for the murder of a guard at Portsmouth penitentiary, where he was a prisoner, on Aug. 28th. A. B. Cunningham, K.C., this morning asked the First Divisional Court for a new trial." Counsel for the prisoner claimed that McCoskey was insane at

the time of the crime. Mr. Justice Magee asked if the prisoner had said he was in-

"He said he didn't know what. he was doing, that he was mad and didn't realize what he was doing till he saw the blood," replied Mr. Cunningham. The case is proceeding.

Searchers Fail to Find Man Missing Since Friday

Gananoque, Nov. 10-Charles der the leadership of Capt. A. Light. Kirkland, proprietor of a meat market at Lyndhurst, eighteen miles north of here, disappeared on Friday | forenoon after delivering an order & for meat at Jones Falls. His car was | DRANK QUART OF GIN found on the wrong side of the road |. near Morton, having skidded a few . feet off the road. No trace of the . Cambridge, Mass., Nov. 10 .-driver was found, Search parties, led & George Tinker, known to genby a Provincial constable, have derations of Harvard men as part de scoured the surrounding countr . proprietor of "Jimmie's Lunch," side, but, so far, in vain, It is said | agreed to drink a quart of gin . that Mr. Kirkland had a consider- o if Princeton defeated Harvard . able sum of money on his person o at football last Saturday. He . when he left Jones Falls. He is about | lost the wager, an dto-day he is . 28 years of age, and married.

Snowfall halted trains near Chi-

ARMISTICE DAY

The signing of the Armistice on Nov. 11th, 1918, will be commemorated to-morrow in several fitting ways. The Canadian Legion is holding a memorial service in Memorial Hall Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. The two-minutes of silence will be observed throughout the city at eleven o'clock. The Independent Order of Daughters of the Empire will place a wreath on the cenotaph in Macdonald Park Thursday morning.

The Canadian Legion are anxious that all who bought poppies last Saturday will wear them Thursday. as that is the real motive of seiling them. They also invite the general public to attend the Memorial Service to be held Thursday evening. The service is to be inspiring and fitting for the occasion.

The programme at the Memorial service is to include speeches by Rev. Pather Nicholson, chaplain of the local Post of the Canadian Legion; Rev. A. G. Payne, Athens, National chaplain of the Canadian Leglon; and Rev. (Col.) W. Beattie, London, chief chaplain of the C. E. F. Solos will be rendered by Mrs. A. Hinks, C. B. S. Harvey and E. Warburton. Special music will be provided by the R. C. H. A. band un-

AS WAGER AND DIED 4

dead as the result of its fulfil-

4 ment.

ighan, Episcopal rector. Please tell everybody." he cried.

up the little knoll on which the schoolhouse stood. Injured chil- had never known of any drinking dren lay in the twisted wreckage. It was "highly improbable" that

wind several hundred feet; others PARLIAMENT MEETS

about 50 children were studying, warm supporter of the Boy Scout

to Washington fog treatment. At Sues Police Magistrate. least 20 more were injured, some Toronto, Nov. 10 .- Patrick Lawlor, by writ filed at Osgoods Hall yeswere killed in their dwelling, one terday, claims damages against of three caught in the narrow mile-George Frederick Jelfs, Hamilton for assault and false imprisonment Eleven of the torn bodies of chil- G. F. Jelfs is a police magistrate dren tay in the town's undertaking Hamilton.

Is Recorded in Manitol

Canada yesterday morning.

Snowfall was fairly general in Alberts, with local flurries in Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

separate school nurse as well as the ed out in court that reverence, not The whole town soon was rushing public school nurse in that town. | clume, constituted a proper "Amen."