



H. B. THOMPSON.

Who will address a Mass Meeting in First Methodist church Sunday night.

MARITIME DAY IN CITY Y.M.C.A. WORK.

Sunday will be a big day in connection with the local Y.M.C.A. "Maritime Day" will then be observed and H. B. Thompson, the General Secretary of the Truro Y. M. C. A. will be in the city as the principal speaker.

THE QUESTION MAY AGAIN ARISE

It is said that a conference of all the Archbishops and Bishops of Canada may be held in Ottawa—Bishop McDonald of Charlottetown is now in that city.

OTTAWA, May 19.—It is stated that the visit of Archbishop O'Brien, of Halifax, and Bishop McDonald, of P. E. Island, to Ottawa, has something to do with a proposed conference of all the archbishops and bishops of Canada in this city at a future date.

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GOFF BROS.

TOWN OF FRANK AGAIN DESERTED

Because of Warning from Turtle Mountain—Royal Society Meeting at Ottawa—Disastrous Fire in St. Hyacinthe—Reported Sale of Yarmouth Bank to Bank of Montreal.

ROYAL SOCIETY MESSAGES.

OTTAWA, May 20. (Special)—The Royal Society at its meeting today decided to send two cables, one to the King and the other to the Duke of Argyll, the founder of the society in Canada.

INVITED TO SAINT JOHN NEXT YEAR.

A telegram from the Historical Society of New Brunswick was read, inviting the Royal Society to meet in St. John next year.

TO PROTECT HISTORIC PROPERTIES.

A resolution was passed to be sent to all municipalities protesting against the destruction of historical properties.

FIRE IN ST. HYACINTHE.

ST. HYACINTHE, Que., May 20. (Special)—Fire broke out today in J. A. & M. Cales'

shoe store and spread with great rapidity.

THIRTY LARGE BUILDINGS BURNED.

Thirty large buildings, including factories and stores, were destroyed and fire is far beyond control and threatening the whole lower town.

ALLEGED PURCHASE OF BANK.

MONTREAL, May 20. (Special)—Officials of the Bank of Montreal refuse either to confirm or deny the reported purchase and absorption of the Bank of Yarmouth. The impression prevails, however, that the deal is about completed.

FRANK AGAIN DESERTED.

BLAIRMORE, N. W. T. May 20. (Special)—The Town of Frank is again deserted, danger warnings having been posted that Turtle Mountain peak is sure to fall.



PAUL KRUGER.

Who passed through Paris yesterday.

STOCK MARKET WAS PANICKY

In Montreal Yesterday, and Much Liquidation

Closing Reserve Mine Caused Big Slump in Coal—Steel Common and Montreal Street Also Fall Heavily.

A PANICKY STOCK MARKET.

MONTREAL, May 20. (Special)—The Stock Market was panicky today, recent liquidation of speculative accounts having reduced values to such an extent that a fresh flood of liquidating orders struck the market.

STEEL AND COAL SUFFERED MOST.

The stocks particularly affected were Dominion Iron and Coal and Montreal Street Railway.

CLOSING OF RESERVE COAL MINE.

News of the closing of the Reserve mine from fear that the water in the flooded mine adjoining might break through caused a break in coal stock from 100 to 87.

SOME NOTABLE DECLINES.

Dominion Iron Common broke to 19 1/2 and Montreal Street from 25 1/2 to 24. Declines through the list were general but not so heavy as those mentioned.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, May 20. (Special).—May Wheat 80 1/2; Corn, 45 1/2; Pork, \$19.00. July Wheat 78 1/2; Corn 44 1/2; Pork \$17.70.

CANADIAN STOCKS.

Daily Quotation List Furnished by E. G. RYKERT & CO., MEMBERS OF THE MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE Montreal.

Table with columns for stock names and prices. Includes entries for C. P. R., Twin City, Montreal St., Toronto Ky., Halifax Street, Richelleu & Ontario, Dominion Coal Common, Dom. I. and S. Com, Pre'd., Bonds, Nova Scotia Steel, Montreal Power, Consol Superior, Ogilvie Bonds, and Detroit.

PAUL KRUGER VISITS PARIS

Is Well and Will Return to France Next Year.

Foreign Office in Correspondence With Germany Over Our Case—Mad Mullah's Forces Are Again Defeated.

CONFERRING WITH GERMANY.

LONDON, May 20. (Special)—Replying to a question in the Commons Lord Crinborne admitted that communications are passing between the Foreign Office and Germany regarding the latter's imposing differential duties against Canada.

MAD MULLAH'S FORCES DEFEATED.

A War Office despatch from Aden tells of a desperate encounter at Burrell, Somaliland resulting in the defeat of the Mad Mullah's large force of Dervishes with 300 killed and 2,000 wounded by British and Abyssinian forces.

KRUGER PASSING THROUGH PARIS.

PARIS, May 20. (Special).—Former President Kruger arrived today from Mentone on his way to Holland and received a sympathetic welcome.

Kruger said he expected to return to France next year. He spoke in strong voice and seemed in fairly good health.

A DENIAL.

TO THE EDITOR OF GUARDIAN. DEAR SIR,—The undersigned most emphatically deny that the evidence given by them before the commission on April eighteenth in the Presbyterian Church of Marshfield was "slandering or malignant," as stated by Rev. T. F. Fullerton on April 23rd, from the pulpit of said church, but merely a true statement of the circumstances connected therewith and we await Mr. Fullerton's response to the above before taking any further action.

JOHN F. MCFARLANE, CHARLES H. ROBERTSON, ALEXANDER STEWART, All of Marshfield.

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EMPIRE'S VOICE ON CHAMBERLAIN

Australian Premiers Generally Unfavorable But Lord Strathcona and Colonials Take a Different View—The Germans Say That England Dare Not Adopt Preferential Trade.

LONDON, May 19.—Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain's speech has elicited expressions of opinion from all corners of the empire. Sir Edmund Barton, prime minister of Australia, cables a denial that he promised Mr. Chamberlain that he would submit a preferential tariff to the parliament of the Commonwealth. He adds that the Australian opposition to such a scheme is so strong that his cabinet would not be justified in making such a proposal. Sir George Sprigg, prime minister of Cape Colony, refuses to discuss the subject. Sir Albert Hime, premier of Natal, expressed the view that free trade within the empire will be outside the range of practical political possibility for years to come. Lord Strathcona and the agents general for the British colonies in London, approve of the speech.

Sir Gilbert Parker thinks it will be found that Mr. Balfour and Mr. Chamberlain are in agreement as to the leading lines of an imperial fiscal scheme. Sir Alfred Jones, head of the Elder Dempster shipping concern, says: "We must bring the colonies into partnership with the motherland, allowing them representation at Westminster." Sir Robert Reid, a Scotch liberal M. P., who was solicitor-general in the last liberal cabinet, maintains that to give effect to Mr. Chamberlain's scheme would mean the beginning of a constant tariff war amongst the colonies themselves, and between the colonies and the home land the inevitable result of which would be the disintegration of the empire. The burden of Garnier's comment on Mr. Chamberlain's utterances is that England dare not sacrifice her present trade with foreign countries for the prospect of a possible larger trade with the colonies in the future.

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