

# NOMINATIONS IN GUARDIAN'S CONTEST APPEARS HEREWIT

## THE MCNAMARAS NOT COMMITTED

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 8.—(By Wire)—When the McNamaras would go to San Quentin penitentiary was as much mystery today as at any time since sentence was pronounced. A report that they had already had gone was denied by the sheriff and it was learned that their commitment papers had not reached the sheriff's hands.

## BANKING INDEX OF COUNTRY'S PROSPERITY

WASHINGTON, December 7.—The general business of the country as reflected in banking operations, was quite satisfactory during the year ending October 31st last, according to the annual report of Lawrence O. Murray, comptroller of the currency, submitted to congress today. Mr. Murray records a steady growth in the volume of business and the establishment of some high records in this connection. He points out, however, that while augmenting some of the important elements of banking during the year, business did not reach the average of increase for the past ten years. The comptroller makes the startling declaration that "during the year dishonest practices by officers of national banks offering personal compensation for loans made by the banks is a growing evil and has already reached such proportions to call for criminal legislation on the subject." The banking power of the nation, including the operations of every bank, national, state and private, is estimated by the comptroller at \$13,334,445,790, an increase during the year of \$285,212,407, or over 13 per cent. The total banking capital is estimated at \$2,032,411,085, and the total individual deposits at \$16,514,780,351. The net earnings of the national banks during the fiscal year ended June 30 last were \$156,658,513, from which dividends were paid to the amount of \$14,685,412, or 11.38 per cent. on the capital and 6.33 per cent. on the combined capital and surplus.

## MOTION PICTURES ILLUSTRATED MISSION WORK

structive, interesting and most enjoyable motion pictures shown in this city were those of last night and yesterday afternoon presented by Rev. Dr. Stephenson, Toronto, Secretary of the Young People's Forward Movement. The idea of presenting motion pictures as a means of illustrating the missionary work of the Church in foreign lands is a novel one and originated with Dr. Stephenson. The pictures shown yesterday were taken by a man sent out by the Doctor for the special purpose and cost \$4000 to obtain. The films are too expensive to be shown in the theatres and are well worth travelling long distances to see. In the afternoon in the Methodist Church about one thousand children attended a free performance at four thirty when a number of views illustrating life in China and Japan of interest to the young people were shown, Dr. Stephenson explaining the pictures as they were reeled off. The young people evidently keenly appreciated the opportunity to get a glimpse of foreign lands and thoroughly enjoyed the views and listened eagerly to the Doctor's comments. Col. F. S. Moore presided over the afternoon meeting. In the evening the Church was well filled and great interest was taken in the views. Rev. J. Heaney, the pastor, presided. The scenes from the two ancient oriental countries were fine. Harbor scenes in both countries, bookbinding shops in operation, natives coming out of church, students at drill and in college, scenes of the Methodist missions, etc., as well as views showing medical, educational and evangelistic work of the missions among the natives. Rev. Mr. Stephenson's explanations throughout added immensely to the interest and enjoyment of the picture show. A collection was taken at the evening performance, the proceeds of which will go towards defraying Dr. Stephenson's expenses.

## CLERGYMAN FOUND DEAD

LOWELL, Mass., Dec. 7.—Rev. Dr. A. St. John Chambers, rector of St. Ann's Episcopal Church, and one of the most prominent clergymen in New England, was found dead in bed today. Heart disease was the cause of death. He was born in England 71 years ago.

## FORTY-FIVE OF CREW DROWNED

VICTORIA, Dec. 8.—(By Wire)—When the steamer Aaw Maru which arrived today was two days out from Japan, the wireless operator received some particulars regarding the wreck of the Japanese torpedo destroyer Harusame briefly reported by cable. The destroyer struck on a rock near Kobe Duraha during a hurricane and foundered. Forty-five of the crew were drowned. Fifteen survivors reached the shore on wreckage and by swimming. The most of the officers went down with the vessel. The Captain when last seen was lashing himself to a railing.

## OUR SHARE IN NORTHWEST LANDS

Following is the Hansard report of the brief speech of A. A. McLean, M. P., a few days ago, touching the rights of the Maritime Provinces to a share in the proceeds of the Northwest lands: Mr. A. A. McLean (Queen's P. E. I.) Let me call attention to the fact that the property which we are now asked to give to the provinces of Ontario and Manitoba is the point property of all the provinces of Canada, and is not the property of Ontario and Manitoba, as some seem to think it is. Before this parliament is called upon to give this property to the province of Manitoba, some provision should be made for the other provinces of Canada. It is true that the province of Ontario got what is called New Ontario, and today we find, according to statements made by an hon. member who has just spoken, that the province of Quebec seeks to have a great expanse of territory added to its bounds. If this parliament should add that territory to Quebec some provision should be made for the maritime provinces of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island which, owing to their situation, cannot enlarge their territory. We cannot add to our territory any part of Keewatin, or any part of the territory lying in the Hudson Bay. But we can ask this parliament to grant us something in lieu of any addition which may be made to any other province. Before this House passes an Act to grant this territory in question to the provinces of Ontario and Manitoba, I think some provision should be made for the maritime provinces, by reason of the possibility of adding to their territory. Now, Sir, I agree with the hon. member for King's and Albert (Mr. Fowler), that the members of the maritime provinces should not consent to any addition to the territory of Manitoba unless some quid pro quo is given to the maritime provinces.

## LONDON THREATENED WITH POSTAL STRIKE

LONDON, December 7.—In addition to the other labor troubles which threatened to reach a crisis at Christmas tide, this country is now menaced with a possible general strike of the postal servants during the height of the festive season. An important conference of the post employees will be held in Birmingham next Sunday to decide on an immediate policy of the service men.

## INDUCTION OF REV. DR. GIBON

MONTREAL, December 7.—The induction of Rev. Dr. Gibon, the new pastor of St. Matthew's church, Point St. Charles, by the Montreal presbytery, took place tonight, a large number being in attendance. Rev. Gibon comes from St. Stephen, N. B., Tomorrow night he will be tendered a reception by his congregation.

## KILLED IN LABORATORY

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Dr. Arthur W. Koelker, a chemist who held a degree of Doctor of Philosophy from the University of Berlin, was killed today while working in a research laboratory at the Roosevelt Hospital. He was found dead by one of the chemists assisting him in some experiments. It is thought that his death was due to inhaling the fumes of cyanide of potassium.

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## EVERY DISTRICT IS WELL REPRESENTED

### WHY NOT MAIL YOURS TODAY AND WIN?

The First Vote Standing Will Appear Saturday Next Dec. 16th. How Will You Stand.

DISTRICT NO. ONE. Includes Charlottetown, Summerside, Alberton, Kensington, Montague, Souris and Georgetown.

- Miss Evelyn Allan.....29 Fitzroy St.
- Miss Bessie Boyver.....32 Elm Avenue
- Miss Gertie Coady.....37 Pownall St.
- Miss Eva Evans.....Mill View
- Miss Eva Dickson.....47 Reserve St.
- Miss Minnie Mortimer.....94 Weymouth St.
- Miss Mabel Murphy.....213 Great George St.
- Miss Minnie McDonald.....Kensington Station
- Miss Hazel Newson.....157 Prince St.
- Mrs. Fidele Perry.....Summerside
- Miss Florence Revell.....243 Fitzroy St.
- Miss Maud Thorne.....11 Park St.

DISTRICT NO. TWO. Includes all Post Offices and villages in Queen's County except Charlottetown.

- Miss Angeline Huote.....Rusticoville
- Miss Gertie Bell.....Clinton
- Mrs. Edwin Craig.....Clarktown
- Miss Mary Callaghan.....Emryvale
- Miss Mary Drake.....New Glasgow
- Miss Lily Dorer.....Suffolk
- Miss Blanche Duck.....Pleasant Grove
- Miss Ella Gillis.....Bradabane
- Miss Gertrude Houston.....North Rustico
- Miss Jessie McLaughlan.....St. Catherines
- Miss Edna May McNeill.....St. Catherines
- Miss Edith McIntyre.....Mill Cove
- Miss Clara Marshall.....Covehead Road
- Miss Lina McDonald.....Tracadie Cross
- Miss Muriel McMillan.....Kingston
- Miss Lillian M. Prowse.....Sherwood
- Miss Bessie M. Stevenson.....Wheatley River
- Miss Edith Smith.....R. R. Pownall
- Miss Eliza Sharp.....Elliotts
- Mrs. G. W. Thompson.....Crappand
- Miss Mary Wonnacott.....Hunter River

DISTRICT NO. THREE. Includes the Post Offices and villages of Prince and King's Counties excepting towns and villages included in District No. One.

- Miss Hazel B. Aitken.....Lower Montague
- Miss Lucy M. Blanchard.....St. Edward
- Miss Russie Clark.....Wilmot Valley
- Miss Tisie Clark.....Cape Traverse
- Miss Alberta Caseley.....Burlington
- Miss Winnifred Davison.....Fortune Bridge
- Miss Elva Deagle.....Rollo Bay Centre
- Miss Louise Dawson.....Tryon
- Miss Jennie Douglas.....Hd. Hillsboro
- Miss Annie Green.....Central Bedeque
- Miss Mary Gaud Gallant.....Milo, Lot 5
- Miss Flossie Gamble.....Cherry Hill
- Miss Josephine Gallant.....Mt. Carmel
- Miss Josephine Gallant.....Bloomfield
- Mrs. Capt Wm. Hawbolt.....Bristol, Lot 40
- Miss Annie E. Hierlily.....Hebron, Lot 8
- Miss Alice J. Jardine.....Hd. Hillsboro
- Miss Florence Johnston.....Primrose
- Miss Annie M. Keough.....DelBois Station
- Mrs. P. J. Mitchell.....Peake's Road, Lot 52
- Miss Katie McLennan.....Victoria West, Lot 13
- Miss Fannie McCallum.....Lower Bedeque
- Miss Ida B. McKinnon.....Sturgeon
- Miss Mary M. McDonald.....Durell
- Miss Ruby Murray.....Brae, Lot 9
- Miss Fattie McIntyre.....Bayside, Lot 14
- Miss Loretta McDonald.....Rollo Bay East
- Miss Edna Prowse.....Murray Harbour South
- Miss Flora P. Pate.....O'Leary
- Miss Pearl Robertson.....Mt. Hope
- Miss Lymie VanDerstine.....St. Peters

The above list of nominations has been arranged in alphabetical order and not in the order received or as their present vote standing would merit.

We publish today, for the first time, a list of the nominations sent in by interested friends and acquaintances for the three Districts in The Guardian's mammoth \$2,300.00 Piano and Organ Voting Contest.

The Guardian impresses on every reader to look down the list for their favorite, and if her name is not there to send it in at once.

Do not forget that \$10.00 in gold will go to the first person who nominates the lady who secures the highest number of votes. Select your favorite lady and nominate her today. The first vote standing will appear next Saturday, Dec. 16th.

Many women who have all along appreciated the reliable offer presented by The Guardian, have withheld their names that they might have a chance to see who will be their competitors. Well, now the mystery is solved. The secret is out. Now that the facts are presented to you, ask yourself this question,—Am I not as popular, as capable and as deserving as anyone listed in my district? Is there a sufficient reason for you to deny yourself longer of an opportunity to be the winner of a \$500.00 Willis Piano? Are you willing to admit that there is a candidate listed who has you bested in the art of vote-getting?

## COMMUNICATION THROUGH PROVINCE AND WITH MAINLAND

The Northumberland left this port yesterday at 7.30 a. m. with passengers, freight and mail docking at Picton at 11.00 a. m. She left on return at 2 p. m. with passengers, freight, express and N. S. mail arriving here at 5.30 p. m. Yesterday the eastern express was on time, the southern accommodation was 15 minutes late, the western accommodation was on time, the Summerside accommodation was 55 minutes late, the eastern accommodation was 10 minutes late and the western express was 1 hour and 55 minutes late Thursday, the western accommodation was 10 minutes late.

## WEATHER FORECAST &c.

TORONTO, Dec. 9.—Moderate winds most variable, fair and mild. The temperature at three o'clock this morning by the Rexall Store Tested Thermometer was twenty-nine degrees above zero. The lowest temperature recorded yesterday was 30 degrees above zero and the highest recorded was 36 degrees above. The highest recorded the previous night was 37 degrees above. At nine a. m. it was 33 degrees above.

## CHINESE FAVOR NEW REPUBLIC

SHANGHAI, Dec. 8.—(By Wire)—The Provinces of Kwang Tung, Kiangsu, Su, Kian Si, Fu Kien and Hu Peh will not accept less than the Emperor's abdication. They have decided upon the establishment of a republic. Kwang Tung announces that it will remain independent, even if all other provinces consent to a limited monarchy. The Kwang Tung delegates assert that General Li knows the majority oppose a limited monarchy and do not trust Yuan Sha Kai and that the Wu Chang conference with Tang Shao Yi will prove fruitless.

## MANY WORKMEN WERE DROWNED

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 8.—(By Wire)—Between 150 and 200 workmen were today plunged into the Voga River through the collapsing of the railroad bridge near Kasan. The bridge was under construction and was carried away by the pressure of ice. Only four four corpses thus far have been recovered.

## FIFTEEN TEAMS FOR SIX DAY BIKE RACE

NEW YORK, December 7.—Fifteen teams will go to the post in this year's international six day bicycle race, which starts Sunday night in Madison Square Garden. The entries, which were announced tonight, include the winners of last year's race, Jimmie Moran and Eddie Root, the former being teamed up this time however with Frank Raner, who Root has Fred Hill, of Boston, for a riding mate. Lorenz and Saldow comprise the German team George and Breco, the French-Italian combination, and Lapise and Van Houwaert the Franco-Belgian pair. "Pedlar" Palmer and "Gumbo" Wells are the Australian pair entered, while E. A. Pye, another Australian, is teamed up with Elmer Collins, of Boston, and Jackie Clark with Joe Fogier. Demara and Lawrence are two San Franciscans working together. The week's riding will be preceded by short distance championship racing in the Garden on Saturday night.

## KILLED BY BANDITS

BATTLESVILLE, Okla., Dec. 7.—Bandits today shot to death J. C. Terry, proprietor of a road house near here, when Terry attempted to prevent their robbing, L. O. Blair, a hotel man.

grees above and at nine p. m. it was 30 degrees above.

The length of today will be eight hours and fifty-five minutes and of tomorrow eight hours and fifty-three minutes.

The tide will be high this afternoon at 1.42, tomorrow afternoon at 2.33 and Monday afternoon at 3.24; it will be high tomorrow morning at 12.41, Monday morning at 1.36 and Tuesday morning at 2.44. The sun sets this afternoon, tomorrow and Monday afternoons at 4.19; it rises tomorrow morning at 7.26, Monday morning at 7.27 and Tuesday morning at 7.28.

The moon rises tonight at 8.18, tomorrow night at 9.38 and Monday night at 10.54.

## CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

- NEW YORK, fresh and cured at Tanton's. 12-9d31pd.
- FRESH HALIBUT, Haddock, Codfish, Smelts, Finnan, Haddies at Tanton's. 12-9d31pd.
- FOR SALE, milk cow, due to call, Dec. 15. Apply to Arthur Burke, Southport. 12-9d31pd.
- SAUNSONE SAUSAGES made fresh every day. Saunders, Newson & Co. 11-13d2mpd.
- FOR I pay highest prices for milk, fox and muskrat, J. D. Jenkins, Charlottetown. 11-18d1mpd.
- LOST on Wednesday night, in People's Theatre, or between there and Eldon Hotel, gold watch and fob. Finder please leave at 259 Richmond St. 12-9d31pd.
- LOST at the telephone office, city, on Dec. 4th, a pair of gold rimmed glasses. Owner may have same by proving property at their office. 12-9d31.
- FOR SALE, one gasoline engine, 5 H. P., also, lobster boat 4ft for sail or gasoline. Apply to Frances Doherty, Southport. 12-9d31.
- BOWLING, Burke's Alleys, under market, open lawful days ten to eleven. 2-25d1f.
- Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria

## HIS WITCHCRAFT DID NOT WORK

MONTREAL, Dec. 8.—(By Wire)—Because the witchcraft which he is alleged to have practised failed to bring to light buried treasure, supposed to be buried under ground since the French occupancy of Canada, Arthur Gillery has been haled before the courts by Narcisse La Plante, who brings complaint that he and a third man each paid Gillery \$16 on the strength of their belief that he possessed occult powers.

## MONTREAL IS HEDGED IN BY SMALLPOX

MONTREAL, December 7.—That Montreal is literally hedged in by a wall of smallpox, which is rampant throughout the province, is the statement of Dr. Pelletier, secretary of the provincial board of health. There are hundreds of cases in the province, one small center near the city having no less than thirty-four cases. In one town a public campaign has begun, and in the course of one day, last Saturday, 60 per cent. of the population voluntarily submitted to vaccination. On Monday and yesterday a door to door canvass was being made by the physicians of the town, and in this way every mother's son of the remaining 40 per cent. left unvaccinated will submit to the operation.

## REV. MR. NEWCOMBE IN NEW BRUNSWICK

HAMPTON, December 6.—On Thursday evening the Hampton and Norton branch of the New Brunswick auxiliary of the British and Foreign Bible society held its annual meeting in the Hampton Presbyterian church, President Dr. W. S. Morrison in the chair. The speaker of the evening was the Rev. A. F. Newcomb, the newly appointed travelling field secretary of the Canadian Bible society, and he proved himself to be both an interesting and convincing exponent of the aims, work and prospects of the British and Foreign Bible society. He divided his subject into two divisions, the direct and indirect work of the parent organization, and illustrated his remarks with pointed anecdotes of occurrences which had arisen in the course of his labors of the colporteurs in various parts of the world. He also made a strong appeal to laymen to enter with zeal into the work of giving the Bible to the thousands of immigrants coming into Canada, so that the country may grow into a God's truth into individual hearts. His address was a strong one from first to last and brought a hearty vote of thanks at the close. A unanimous vote of thanks was also given to the ladies and gentlemen of the choir.

## HON. J. J. FOY HAS NOT RESIGNED

TORONTO, December 7.—Sir James Whitney was indignant to read in the Ottawa Journal a dispatch purporting to be from Toronto and announcing the resignation of Hon. J. J. Foy from the provincial cabinet. He sent the following telegram: "The statement in your newspaper of yesterday that Hon. Mr. Foy has resigned is utterly untrue. It is a falsehood and manufactured without any foundation whatever, and with all confidence I ask you to put the matter right before the public at once. (Signed) 'J. P. WHITNEY'."

## 18 FAVOR SUFFRAGETTES

TORONTO, Dec. 7.—In reply to a query sent by the Canadian Suffragette Association, eighteen candidates for the Legislature have given their endorsement of the principle of women suffrage. Two others, from whom word has been received, are disappointing.

## BLESSEDNESS OF GOODNESS

Goodness and happiness are inseparable. The happiness of the wicked is a momentary thrill, which vanishes away and leaves a sting behind. The joy of the righteous is a holy stream, which flows on forever. The sorrows of the righteous are on the surface of his life, while his joys are as deep as eternity. That good men have sorrows is not to be denied. But they are not like the sorrows of the wicked. For one thing, the trials of the righteous do not overthrow them. "Blessed is he that endureth temptation," says the apostle. Trouble and sorrow do not move him. His house is built upon a rock. Moreover, the dark experiences of the righteous affords them an opportunity to let their light shine. Light shines better in darkness. Has someone wronged you? He shall receive his punishment. He is not only to be blamed, but pitied also. Avenge not yourself. As for you, the occurrence has opened to you a grand opportunity to let the light of your patience, your forgiveness, your love shine out clear and bright. It is the life that has been broken by sorrow and disappointment that is the strong and noble life. It is the unevenness of the life of the good man that gives it beauty and value and strength and blessedness. We are deeply interested in the life of Joseph because it was an uneven life. It had its tragic passages and its thrilling episodes. If the life of Joseph had been an even way from beginning to end it would not have been worth recording. The world would not have profited much from it. The grand, strong characters of history were men who waded through deep waters and scorching flames and encountered furious tempests. They fought hard battles and made narrow escapes. The deepest humiliation is often the way to the highest exaltation.

## AN INDICTMENT FACES SANFORD

PORTLAND, Dec. 8.—(By Wire)—An indictment containing six counts for the death of six of his followers on the cruise of the yacht Coronet, was reported today by the grand jury against Rev. Frank Sanford, leader of the Holy Ghost and Us society. The trial of the Shilohite teacher was begun immediately.

## SHEEP BREEDER'S ASSOCIATION IS FORMED

AMHERST, December 7.—Today in the Board room the Maritime Sheep Breeders' association was organized as follows:— President—Stanley A. Logan, Amherst Point. Vice-President—Albert Boswell, P. E. I. Directors—For New Brunswick—Donald Innes; For Nova Scotia—B. K. Baker, Jr. Prince Edward Island—O. Saunders, Secretary—James A. Tilford, Sussex.

All the sheep breeders were in attendance and paid the membership fee of one dollar. The meeting was a large and enthusiastic one and the Maritime Sheep Breeders' association will no doubt do much to stimulate this important and hitherto much neglected industry. A very practical and interesting address was given by W. G. Rich, of Ottawa, through whose influence and at whose suggestion the new association was organized. Mr. Rich is all enthusiasm and sheep breeders have benefited much by his lectures during the past few days. The annual meeting of the Maritime Poultry association was held in the board room yesterday. There was a good attendance and much interest shown. The report of the officers and directors of the different provinces was very encouraging and showed progress. The following were elected officers for the ensuing year:— President—L. H. D. Foster, Marshfield, P. E. I. Vice-President for New Brunswick—Seth Jones, Sussex. Vice-President for P. E. I.—L. A. Haszard. Vice-President for Nova Scotia—Harry Hendry. Vice-President for Nova Scotia—Secretary—Treasurer—Joseph P. Landry, Truro, each two directors from each province.

## BOSTON SHIPPING AND FISH NEWS

BOSTON, December 6.—A dozen fishing vessels sold for sale at T. Wharf yesterday, the receipts consisting of 219,700 pounds of haddock, 73,500 pounds of cod, 24,200 pounds of hake, 15,500 pounds of pollock and 8,600 pounds of cusk. Of the cusk the Aspinet had 800 pounds Hortense 500 pounds, and the Mary B. Green 100 pounds. Dealers' prices yesterday: Haddock 6c., steak cod 7c., markets 5c., steak pollock 3c., hake at from 3c to 5c. a pound.

## AN EDICT ORDERING REMOVAL OF QUEUES

PEKING, December 7.—An imperial edict has been issued today sanctioning the cutting off of queues. A telegram from Wu Chang says that the revolutionaries there are hopeful that the extension of the armistice will result in peace. The leaders are willing to concede full power to Premier Yuan Shi Kai, provided that he agrees to the entire elimination of the Manchus from the central government.

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Minard's Liniment cures diphtheria in cows

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