## CANADA TO DECIDE ISSUE THIS WEEK

Gain of 22 Seats Must Be Made by Opponents to Beat Reciprocity.

QUEBEC IS PIVOTAL POINT

Question of Canadian Navy in That Province and Local Scandal in Alberta Complicate Political

OTTAWA. Ont., Sept. 17 .- The general elections of Canada, which will be held next Thursday, are expected to be decisive on Canada's attitude toward reciprocity between that country and reciprocity between that country and the United States, and on the continuance in power of the Liberal party under the leadership of Sir Wilfrid Laurier. The American Congress has already ratified the reciprocity agreement, and, after a protracted deadlock in the Canadian Parliament, the question of Canada's ratification was at referred to the judgment of the

The elections occur simultaneously in all of the ten provinces which make up the Dominion of Canada.

The elections are for the popular branch of the Dominion Government, the House of Commons, consisting of 321 members elected by ballot for five years. The strength of the two parties, Liberal and Conservative, at the time of the recent dissolution, was as follows:

This gives the present Laurier gov-ernment a normal majority of 42 out of a total membership of 211. To de-feat the government the Conservative opposition must make a gain of 22 seats opposition must make a gain of 22 seats while to carry on the government and organize the House they must make gains of at least 25.

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Sir Wilfrid Lauriet, now 79 years old, has been Premier of the Dominion more than 15 years, since June, 1856, when his party, the Liberals, defeated the Conservatives under Sir Charles Tupper, Bart, known to Canadian politics as "the old war horse of Cumberland," from the name of his first constituency, in his native province of Nova Scotia. Sir Wilfrid is a French-Canadian, and his own province, Quebec, with its overwhelming French population, has always given him strong support. Transaction "Purely Business."

Sir Wilfrid has toured five of the nine Canadian provinces during the campaign and everywhere he has mainnine Canadian provinces during the campaign and everywhere he has maintained that the reciprocity agreement was a purely husiness transaction and that the loyalty of Canada was not to be trafficked for any trade advantages. The Conservative opposition has been under the leadership of Robert Laird Borden, of Hallfax, who first challenged the reciprocity pact before the Canadian Parliament and afterwards carried the contest before the people. The grounds for this opposition are two-fold. On the one hand the conservatives are high protectionists and they contend that the present agreement is but an entering wedge, while on the other hand they contend that trade under such a pact would create a community of interest between the United States and Canada which could not but weaken the British connection, and would eventually bring about the annexation of Canada to the United States.

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During the campaign on the sums and in the newspapers the utterances of President Taft that "Canada is at the parting of the ways," and that the tie binding Canada to the Empire was a slight as to be almost imperceptible, have been used to prove that the United States has ulterior designs on her Canadian neighbor, while the anher Canadian neighbor, while the an-nexationist sentiments attributed to some American public men and news-papers have aroused the cry that reci-procity is the forerunner of annexa-tion.

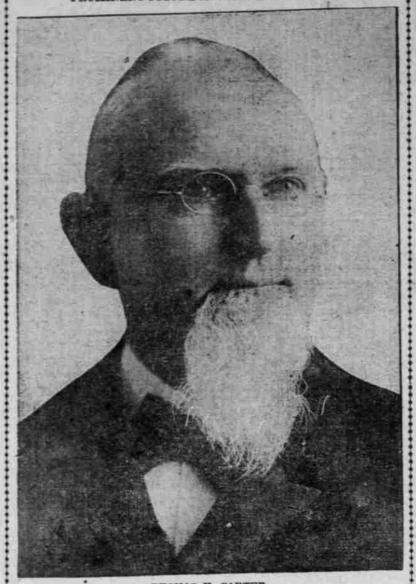
Fight Centers as Quebec.

The French-Camidian Province of Quebec is considered the pivotal point in this contest, as it was prior to the time Sir Wilfrid Laurier came to power. In 1896 the Conservatives carried only 18 of the 65 seats. In 1996 they had only seven, while in 1994 and 1993 they carried it seats.

Since 1998 the political complexion has changed in the French province. In 1816 the government adopted the navy bill, by which it was decided to establish a Canadian may, to be under the control of the Canadian government in times of peace, and to become part of the British navy in time of war. This was opposed by both the regular Conservatives, who proposed a large cash contribution instead, and by the French Conservatives and Nationalists, who opposed any move that would bring Canada into any of the foreign wars of the British Empire. Under the leadership of Henri Bournssa, who is especially effective as an orator when speaking French, the enthusiasm of French-Canadians has been aroused to a high pitch by appeals to them to show themselves the equals of their English speaking fellow-citizens in all things. The Nationalitis and Conservatives have combired generally in the province. The reciprocity cause is being upheld in the Irovince of Quebec by Rodolphe Lemileux Minister of Marine and Fisherles, one of the most eloquent of Canadian platform speakers, and Sydney Fisher, Minister of Agriculture, who is especially active among the farmers. Dr. S. Beland, who has lately become Postmaster-General, and the Soincitor-General, Jacques Bureau, are the other leaders among the government candidates. leaders among the government

Ontario Fears Annexation, Ontario Fears Annatana.
Ontario, the great industrial and agricultural province of Canada, has the largest population and the greatest number of seats at issue, 36 in all, as against 55 seats for Quebec, the next largest province. Ontario has been

EX-SENATOR FROM MONTANA. WHO FOR MANY YEARS WAS PROMINENT FIGURE IN NATIONAL POLITICS.



by George Eulas Foster, the Finance Minister in the last Conservative ad-ministration, and other leading candi-dates of the opposition. In Nova Scotia, the province by the sea, W. S. Fielding, the Canadian father of the reciprocity pact, is fightfather of the reciprocity pact, is indiing hard for his favorite project. R.
L. Borden, the Conservative leader, is
also a Nova Scotlan. Cape Breton,
which is a part of Nova Scotla, has
coal mines and iron and steel works,
and the Opposition has used these facts
to try and stampeds the electors
against the reciprocity measure.

Grain Growers Favor Pact. Grain Growers Favor Pact.

The prairie provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta are the centers where the reciprocity campaign had its warmest support at the outset. R. L. Borden, the Opposition leader, paid a visit to the three provinces while Sir Wilfrid Laurier was in London at the coronation. While at every continue the Grain Growers' Association. meeting the Grain Growers' Association presented memorials in favor of reci-procity, Borden maintained that it was not a good thing either from the eco-nomic or political standpoint for

and the so-tailed Oliver scanual, the prairie provinces are agitated over los-ing 20 seats because redistribution, which follows each census, has not yet been carried out. Each party blames the other for this. McBride Outspoken in Opposition. In British Columbia, William Tem-pleman, Minister of Mines, is again a candidate in Victoria against G. H. Barnard, who defeated him in 1908.

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The great railroad interests of Canada are not taking an active part in the struggle, though Sir Willim Van Horne, former president of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, a native of Illinois, has taken strong ground on the platform against the agreement. The Grank Trunk, which has generally been favorable to the government, has

been favorable to the government, has been quiescent in the campaign. Sir William Mackenzle, one of the heads of the Canadian Northern, at first declared against the reciprocity ment, but his partner, Sir Donald Mann, declined to be drawn into the contro-versy, and this company, too, has been

PYROTECHNICS END BEST DIS-PLAY OF DISTRICT.

Prize Stock Parades Despite Muddy Track-Trophies Are Awarded. Horses Left to Ruce Tuesday.

CENTRALIA, Wash., Sept. 17 .- (Special.)—A gorgeous display of fireworks at the fair grounds last night closed the most successful fair in the history the most successful fair in the history of the Southwest Fair Association, judging from exhibits. Yesterday was set aside for the school children to the two cities and was designated as "Modern Woodmen day." The races were called off in the afternoon owing to the muddy condition of the track, but all the prize-winning stock and horses paraded.

All prizes were awarded yesterday.

against 55 seats for Quebec, the next largest province. Ontatio has been strongly Conservative for many years. To these people the amexation cry possesses a strong appeal and the Opposition has had its emissaries hard at work in the United Empire Loyalists districts.

The brunt of the defense of the reciprocity measure had fallen upon George P. Graham, the Minister of Railways, who on the stump and through his newspaper has been maxing a vigorous campaign. Mackensie King, the Minister of Labor, has also been active on behalf of the measure. On the Opposition side, the economic and sentimental arguments against the measure have been set forth strongly

Defeat of Harbor Bill Among His Achievements.

MANY HIGH OFFICES HELD

Montanan, Recently Retired From Senate, Lender in Councils of Three Administrations-Might Have Been Taft Manager.

adoption, and a Montanan long before that territory was admitted to state-hood, Mr. Carter jumped to the front almost from the outset of his work in Congress. Perhaps the most remark able of all his forensic achievements was his defeat of the big river and harbor appropriation bill which was regarded as a political "grab" measure during the McKinley administration.

tions interest to the localities that they at the that it was foreseen that the President's veto inevitably would cause animosity in many districts, and its total was so large that to have permitted it to remain on the statutes would have been to subject the admingance. Mr. Carter, always a strong administration supporter, began a speech against it at 10:20 o'clock at the day following, when the session of Congress expired at noon. As a lieutenant of Senator Aldrich, the Re years, he also did notable work.

Other Honors in Store.

At one time Mr. Carter was men-tioned as a possible successor to Judge Moody of the United States Supreme Court and it is said President Taft had considered him for Secretary of the Interior, to succeed Richard A. Ballinger. Among the men suggested as a possible head of the Republican Na-tional committee for the campaign of 1913 the ex-Senator's name had been His defeat by a Democrat for

election to the Senate caused Mr. Car-ter's retirement from that body March 4 last. President Taft then named him member of the international con sion. He framed and fought for con-servation legislation, opposed extrava-gance in irrigation projects, and cam-paigned for the Taft Canadian reci-

Mr. Carter was close to the heads of at least three Republican administra-tions. President Harrison made him Commissioner of the General Land Offloe and it is said recognized that de-feat in the second campaign was in no way traceable to Mr. Carter's cam-paign methods. Fresident McKinley appreciated his work in many ways in addition to his service in relieving him from embarrassment in the River and Harbor bill affair. Mr. Carter's first term in the Senate ended with the speech that killed the bill and Mr. McKinley appointed him to the position as head of the St. Louis Federal World's Fair Commission. As the representative of the present Administration, it is said, he recently made a tour of the West, observing political conditions, and Washington politicals declare that he reported, among other things, that Oregon would send a Taft delegation to the next National Republican convention. ddition to his service in relieving him

lican convention.

The honorary pallbearers at the funeral will be Chief Justice White and Associate Justice McKenna, of the United States Supreme Court; James A. Tawney and Frank S. Streeter, members of the joint high commission; Senators Brandegee, Penrose and Grane; ex-Senator W. E. Chandler, of New Hampshire; Hannis Taylor, of Washington, and Attorney-General Galen of Montana, his brother-in-law, who is now in the East.

Hall Pelts Beaverton.

BEAVERTON, Or., Sept. 17.—(Special.)—An electric storm passed over Beaverton at 11 o'clock Saturday night followed by hail. Pioneers say it was the hardest hail storm here for many years. Hailstones as large as walnuts fell and the streets were flooded.

# Facing the heating question The heating question must be faced in every home. It is usually easy to tell on bitter

cold days by the faces of your neighbors which of them are enduring the ills and paying the bills of old-fashioned heating and which of them are in

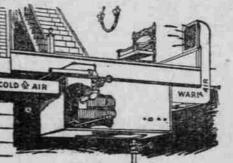
best mental poise because of having begun the preparation for the day's work in rooms genially comforted by

The family bread-winners are handicapped in the business competition with others unless they start the day in physical comfort. Then, too, an

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San Francisco Mayor Orders Out Taylor Cornerstone.

NEW ONE IS BEING CARVED

Immortality Not for Edward Robe son Taylor While This Executive Is on the Job-Hospital Is Started Over Again.

> SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 17 .- (Special.)-It was learned today that the huge \$00-pound cornerstone of City and County Hospital had been wrenched from its place. The act is laid at the door of the present administration.

With a silver trowel Dr. Edward Robeson Taylor laid a cornerstone of the hospital on November 21,

Roboson Taylor inid a contribution of the hospital on November 21, 1903. Under the corneratone were placed a copy of the charter, a copy of the rules and regulations of the Board of Health, and copies of the daily papers of November 21 of that year.

That corneratione did not please P. H. McCarthy. It had chiseled on its surface the name, "Edward Robeson Taylor, Mayor." Hence the order was issued to dig the offending stone from the masonry of the wall.

Then came order No. 1, which was that another stone be carved, bearing the name, "P. H. McCarthy, Mayor." "Where is the corneratone" a workman was asked.

"Don't ask me," he answered. "I think they burled it. There's the hole where it was."

"They're having another corneratone made," another workman volunteered.

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"They're having another cornerstone made," another workman volunteered. "Go down to McGilvray's stoneyard and you'll find it, but don't let 'em know I told you."

And, sure enough, down at McGilvray's yard the new cornerstone was discovered. It is a new, 1911 McCarthy model, nicely carved out of red sandstone and bearing the inscrip-

P. H. McCarthy, Mayor.
Board of Works: Michael
Casey, president. Charles S.
Laumeister, William A. New-President Board of Health, George Lee Eaton J. J. Thorp—Architects—H.

Gaston Folk Would Incorporate. FOREST GROVE, Or., Sept. 17.-Special.)—A petition will be presented

to the County Court by citizens of Gaston, a growing town six miles southwest of this city, on the Southern Pacific West Side division, to make an order calling for an election to incorporate the community. The Commercial Club, of that place, which was recently organized, is heading the movement, which bids fair to receive the approval of the voters, if given a chance to decide the matter. The aim is to give Gaston a standing among the cities of the state. At present there are but three incorporated towns in the county.

PIPE AIDS ENTOMBED MEN

Rescuers Brave Dangers to Succoi Three in Leadville Mine

LEADVILLE, Colo., Sept. 17.—A note carved on wood, in the Finnish language tied to the hoisting cable in the Morning Star mine brought the information to the surface last night that three miners were entombed 350 feet below by a cave-in of the shaft. Rescuers set to work immediately and if no unforseen difficulties are experienced, the men will be released tomorrow morning. Laborers are working in short shifts, but the work is slow and dangerous.

An iron pipe was driven today from An fron pipe was driven today from the top of the cave-in to within 30 feet of the drift and food and coffee were lowered to the men:

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WOODBURN, Or., Sept. 17.—(Special.)—What is thought may prove an important arrest was the apprehension here of two men giving the names of Roy Ogden and Will Wood, who were jailed on the charge of carrying concealed weapons. The men held up James Leithe, a farmer, near Gervals and compelled him to drive them to this place, where the alarm was given. The men were arrested by Marshals Butterfield and McMorris. One of the men attempted to use his gun, but failed. Each carried a loaded 38-call-ber revoiver and a good supply of extra ammunition. They also had a pocket searchlight, bunch of skeleton keys, drills, callpers, plyers, rules, one dozen razors, a lot of pocket knives, fountain pens, a large collection of infountain pens, a large collection of In-dian arrowheads, and \$40 in gold. There was nothing to indicate where they had obtained their stock of mer-chandise, and the men refuse to talk.

Concrete Walk Laid.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL OREGON AGRICULTURAL COL-LEGE. Corvalits, Or., Sept. 11.—(Spe-cial.)—Among the many improvements going on at the Oregon Agricultural, College is the laying of a large amount of coment walk. Approximately 30,000 square feet has already been construct-ed and during the next few weeks 10,-000 feet more will be completed. The work is being superintended by S. M. Dolan of the civil engineering depart-ment.

Archbishop Honors Portland Mam FOREST GROVE, Or., Sept. 17.— (Special)—Rev. J. J. Conway, of Port-

land, has been assigned by Archbishop Christie to the pastorate of the Roy Christie to the pastorate of the Roy parish, four miles northeast of this city. Father Conway was formerly as-sistant pastor of St. Francis parish in Portland, and succeeds Father Daum transferred to the Beaverton

Forest Grove to Improve Walks. FOREST GROVE, Or., Sept. 17.—
(Special.)—An ordinance providing for the repair of all defective sidewalks and governing the width and material of all new walks laid within the city limits was passed by the City Council at its monthly meeting this week. No dilatory tactics on the part of the property owners will be tolerated and by the beginning of Winter all walks will be in good condition. The ordi-

nance requires that sidewalks in the business districts be constructed of co-ment and be 12 feet wide, and those it residence districts five feet fo

Property-Oowner Awarded \$400. CHEHALIS, Wash, Sept. 17.—In the Superior Court Frank Kain, who suce the Traction Company of this cit; for damages to his property, was awarded \$400 by a jury, in the same court William Martilla is suing the Veness Lumber Company of Winlock for personal injuries amounting to \$5000.

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