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BY LARGE MAJORITY

Second Reading of Bill to Grant Autonomy to Alberta Adopted

Vote Stood 140 to 59, Thirteen Conservatives Voting in Favor of Government Measure

(Special to The Daily News)

Ottawa, May 4.—The vote on Borden's amendment and the second reading of the bill raising Alberta to the status of a province was taken at 1 o'clock this morning, the galleries being crowded with spectators, including many ladies, who had patiently waited since 8 o'clock the previous evening to witness the climax of one of the most heated debates that has taken place in the house of commons in many years, a debate that had taken up 28 working days of parliament.

Borden's amendment was defeated on a vote of 59 for, to 140 against, and the second reading of the bill was adopted by the same division reversed, i. e., 140 for to 59 against.

An analysis of the vote shows:

For second reading, 140; against, 59; pairs, 4; absentees, 6; vacant seats, 4; speaker, 1; total, 214.

Of the absentees 5 were liberals and one conservative.

The vacant seats are, Caspe, North Oxford, Levis and North Wentworth, all liberal. .

The vote by provinces was as follows:

Quebec	61	1
Ontario	33	44
Nova Scotia	17	—
New Brunswick	7	6
P. E. I.	1	2
Manitoba	6	3
N. W. Territories	7	3
British Columbia	7	—
Yukon	1	—
Totals	140	59

The pairs were: Liberals, Germain and Logan; conservatives, White and Lefurgy.

The absentees were, Gladu, Conmee, Power, Ratz and Greenway, liberals; Seagram, conservative.

The one government supporter who voted for Borden's amendment was Leighton McCarthy, of Simcoe, Ontario.

The only conservative from the province of Quebec who voted in favor of Borden's amendement was Walsh, of Huntingdon.

The conservatives who voted against Borden's amendment were: Bergeron, Monk, Morin, Leonard, Forget, Pringle, Paquet, Ames, Perly, Worthington, Brabazon, Lewis and Thompson, 13.

It was 1:40 a. m. when the house rose.

The party whips were out for nearly twenty minutes after the division bells had first rung, and in their absence some of the members engaged in the customary interchange of chaff. The ministeral side of the house was plainly joyful while the vote was being taken, and after it had been announced there were few sad faces on the opposition side. If all the Catholics in the house had refrained from voting there would still have been a majority in favor of the second reading. British Columbia and Nova Scotia each cast a solid vote in favor of the second reading.

MARIE CORELLI IS WROTH.

Popular Novelist Scores Extravagance of London Smart Set.

London, May 4.—Following the example of the bishop of London and other prominent persons, Marie Corelli is out in an expression of her views on the simple life. She attacks chiefly what she calls "the overrich fools" who spend what would be an ordinary man's small fortune on one evening's entertainment.

After referring in scathing terms to the wanton waste of money in mere feeding at expensive luncheons and dinners given daily and nightly at fashionable restaurants in the west end, Miss Corelli answers a critic who asked where the smart set which she and others described could be found by declaring it to be "at public eating houses of luxury where can be seen at any time the admitted leaders of the world of fashion, familiar supporters of the stock market and well known millinery stands who carry dressmakers' creations into the view of a gaping world as sandwich men carry boards which announce the latest sensational novelty.

HALIFAX GARRISON.

Canada Begins Work of Defence—Shortage of Recruits.

Halifax, May 4.—The first step in the Canadianizing of the garrison at Halifax, was taken this week, when the entire permanent force stationed at Fredericton was removed to this city. Under agreement made with the imperial authorities, the Canadian government, it is stated, undertook to assume certain duties in connection with the garrison on May 1st, in order that the Canadians might become familiarized with the garrison routine and have the benefit of association with seasoned and well drilled troops before the imperial forces were withdrawn. There were at Fredericton more than 300 sol[illegible] of whom have been brought here. Of these 240 are raw recruits who have been enlisted in the Maritime provinces. Detachments will also be brought from St. John's, province of Quebec, London, and Kingston, Ontario, and it is anticipated that five hundred Canadians will be soon established in garrison here. Whence the remaining hundred soldiers required to man the several departments of the garrison will come is not easily answered, as Canadians are slow to enlist, and it is not improbable that the major portion of the imperial forces will remain on, their maintenance being assumed by the dominion. It is reported in Fredericton that the military school, which has been maintained there, will be closed.

CLASSIC RACING EVENT

SYSONBY AND RACE KING TIE IN METROPOLITAN HANDICAP.

GREATEST CROWD IN HISTORY WITNESSED PERFORMANCE.

New York, May 4.—The greatest crowd that ever gathered to see a thoroughbred race in America was at Belmont park today to witness the sensational running of the Metropolitan handicap, in which James R. Keene's highly bred three-year-old, Sysonby and O. L. Richard's four-year-old Race King finished so closely together that the judges were unable to separate them. Speculation was at once rife as to whether the race would be run off, but both owners soon announced their satisfaction with the result as it stood and the rich purse, amounting to more than $14,000 was divided.

Sysonby, for which horse Mr. Keene last year refused an offer of $100,000 was the favorite in the betting, his stable mate, Delhi, having been withdrawn. Race King was offered to the public at long odds and there were few who thought highly of the Tenny colt's chances. The time of the race was disappointing, showing that the Belmont tracks are still "new and slow."

Drawn by the dual attraction of the opening of the wonderful racing plant on the Hempstead plains of Long Island and the fourteenth renewal of the Metropolitan handicap, more than 50,000 people made the trip to Belmont park. The scene in the vast enclosure when the handicap horses paraded to the post was a memorable one. In the grand stand, capable of seating a city, not a vacant chair was seen. On the vast lawn skirting along the home stretch for a distance of nearly an eighth of a mile, people were packed together in one great black mass.

TO DISFRANCHISE ELECTORS.

Charge Preferred Against the Manitoba Government by Free Press.

Winnipeg, May 4.—The Free Press in a lengthy article exposes what it describes as an attempt by the Roblin government to disfranchise hundreds of voters. In the course of its remarks the Free Press says:

The annual registration for the revision of the provincial voters' list has been fixed, by proclamation issued by the local government, for June 1st.

Parties interested in the work of bringing the lists up to date, have been astounded to find, upon examination of the proclamation, that it provides for registration at but one point in each constituency, and that for but one day of only seven and a half hours.

The explanation of this extraordinary action is that the Roblin government, for party advantage, has determined that it shall be made impossible for the great bulk of those who are now on the list to register their names. As four-fifths of those who are available for registration are liberals, it is to the political interest of the local government to make registration difficult and expensive; and, in hundreds of cases, absolutely impossible.

The action of the government reveals a deliberate conspiracy to disfranchise thousands of voters. Within the next year the general elections will be held, if the government can secure a pretext for a dissolution; and it is possible that there may be some dominion bye-elections as well. It is the plain intention of the government to have the lists upon which these elections will be held heavily loaded in its favor.

Herewith the Free Press presents, for the information of the public, the particulars of this daring attempt to disfranchise thousands of men who are entitled to be electors in Manitoba.

LOOKS LIKE MURDER.

Body of Man Long Missing Found in Bow River at Calgary.

Calgary, May 4.—The dead body of a Galician named Sadlevery, who disappeared last September, was found yesterday in the Bow river and every indication points to his murder which has always been suspected. He had $130 on him when last seen alive, and a fellow countryman named Rushak is suspected of the crime. Sadlevery's head had been split open and his body concealed under stones in the river.

BRITT-WHITE FIGHT TONIGHT.

San Francisco, May 4.—Jabez White is at weight. He will do nothing indoors that will endanger his hands for the fight with Britt tomorrow night. White intends to stay here and fight Battling Nelson in the event of his beating Britt.

"I will fight Nelson next month," said White. He has 5done a lot of talking and nothing would suit [illegible]grim him should I [illegible]. If I lose I will return to England."

Among those who visited White's training quarters were Young Mitchell and Jimmie Carroll, the one time bright star of the lightweight division. Both Mitchell and Carroll were surprised at White's ability. They concede him everything that Britt has and much that James Edward lacks. Both agreed that the battle would simmer down to a test of strength and endurance.

The feeling that Britt will have it all his own way has changed and many of the fight experts look for a good battle. The scales today showed both Britt and White at the required weight, 133 pounds. There is not half a pound difference between them. White is somewhat taller than his opponent.

RUSSIAN LION CHAMPION.

Hackenschmidt Won Wrestling Match From Jenkins.

New York, Mak 4.—George Hackenschmidt, known as the "Russian Lion," won from Tom Jenkins of Cleveland tonight in their wrestling match for the world's championship in the catch-as-catch-can championship at Madison Square Garden in two straight falls. The crowd was greater than any seen in this city for a long time at a sporting event.

Hackenschmidt took the aggressive from the start and threw Jenkins with a half Nelson after 37 minutes and 5 seconds hard wrestling.

The second and last bout was somewhat shorter, for Jenkins had weakened, and Hackenschmidt won in 22 minutes and 4 seconds with a half Nelson and body hold.

The match was for best two out of three falls and both men have been in training for weeks. Before the match was started Frank Gotch, appeared and announced that he would challenge the winner.

MUST PAY INCOME TAX

COSTLY DECISION FOR DE BEERS CONSOLIDATED MINES.

DIAMOND TRADE CONTROLLED IN LONDON, HENCE RULING.

London, May 4.—By a decision in the king's bench the De Beers Consolidated Mines, Limited, will have to pay £77,859 13s. in income tax.

The De Beers Consolidated Mines appealed from a decision of the income tax commissioners that they were liable to pay income tax in this country on profits assessed at £1,557,193.

They contended that as they were a company registered in Cape Colony, with headquarters at Kimberley, they could not be considered as resident within the meaning of the income tax act of 1853.

Mr. justice Phillimore pointed out that the diamond trade was controlled from London, where the principal work was done. He dismissed the appeal with costs.

The company owns the De Beers and Kimberley diamond mines, and the greater portion of the Dutoitspan and Bultfontein diamond mines, all situated in South Africa; and has a nominal capital of nearly £10,000,000. In August, 1904, a half-yearly dividend of 25 per cent was paid on the new deferred shares.

It is understood that the question will be taken to the court of appeal and, if necessary, to the house of lords. So far, pending the judgment of a higher court, nothing has been paid on account of the claim of income tax commissioners.

BRUTALITY OF SOLDIERS

UNREST AT WARSAW INCREASED BY THEIR WANTON CRUELTY.

COSSACK SPLIT OPEN A CHILD BECAUSE BOY JEERED HIM.

Warsaw, May 4.—With the exception of a few minor disturbances, the day passed quietly. Crowds which gathered here and there were quickly scattered by troops armed with whips and several persons were seriously injured with them. Great popular unrest continues and it is being increased by the wanton cruelty of the soldiers. For instance, this afternoon a ten year old boy jeered a Cossack, who pursued him and cut him from the shoulder to the waist with one blow of his sabre.

PRESS STILL HOSTILE.

Japanese Papers Continue to Criticize French Neutrality.

Tokio, May 4.—The press of this city continues its sharp criticism of French neutrality in Indo-China waters and expresses surprise and indignation at what it describes as the elasticity of France's pledge. The Jiji urges the government to adopt independent action for the protection of national interests and insists that responsibility for the extension of hospitalities to the Russian fleet must rest upon France. It is understood that the Japanese government has addressed France on the question of her neutrality, but the nature of the correspondence is unknown.

NEWSPAPERMAN GONE

"Thirty" is In For One of Montreal's Well Known News Writers

Montreal, May 4—James Harper, one of the best known journalists of eastern Canada is dead. He had been city editor of the Gazette, Star and Witness. He has been in poor health for about a year.

SHERIFF IS IN CONTROL

Efforts to Check Chicago Disorders Given Over to That Official

Will Not Ask for Troops Unless Obliged to --Rioting Continued in Fashionable Shopping District

Chicago, May 4.—Sheriff Thomas Barrett will take control of the strike situation tomorrow morning. So much pressure has been brought to bear on him and mayor Dunne by business men who believe their interests to be seriously imperilled by constant rioting in the streets, that the sheriff has sworn in a large force of deputies and he will take active steps to do away with the present disorders. It is expected that two thousand deputies will be enrolled by tomorrow night. Sheriff Barrett said tonight:

"I will not call for troops until I see what can be done with the police and the deputy sheriffs working together. If I cannot control the situation troops will be asked for."

Fighting today was continued near the fashionable shopping district. A number of non-union men were clubbed and beaten and the wagon guards and policemen retaliated with vigor on the rioters. In every instance the crowds were dispersed after a brief, sharp scrimmage. The number of injured was about the same as that of the last two days.

Five coal wagons were atacked on Desplaines street. One man was shot in the hand and another was cut about the head. Volleys of stones were hurled at the wagons and several policemen and drivers were struck.

The teamsters made an attempt this afternoon to call out the employees of the Chicago Union Traction Company which parols all street cars on the north and west sides of the city, but W. D. Mahon, president of the national organization of street car men tonight ordered all members of the street car men's union to continue work.

PASSED SINGAPORE.

Nebogatoff's Division Has Entered China Sea.

Singapore, Straits Settlements, May 5.—The Russian naval division passed Singapore in semi-darkness and haze at 5:30 o'clock this morning. Six warships and four colliers were sighted.

STONES AND REVOLVERS

CHRISTIANS FIGHT BATTLE WITH JEWS IN CRIMEA

CARNIVAL OF PILLAGE LASTED UNTIL PEOPLE WERE TIRED

St. Petersburg, May 4—Late news of the anti-Semitic disorders in the Crimea shows that they were on a larger scale than the first reports indicated. At Melitopol the people set upon the Jews and fought a regular battle with stones and revolvers. The few police and 30 soldiers in the town were powerless. When the Jews fled defeated, the Christians held a carnival of pillage and plunder from noon until midnight. Every shop except two jewelry stores were plundered, the crowd only desisting when exhausted. The arrival of M. Trepoff, governor of Taurida province, on the following day restered order. The number of killed or wounded is not given either from Melitopol or Simperopol, where rioting against the Jews began as a result of the circulation of a story that a Jewish huckster had thrown a sacred Ikon into a water closet. At the village of Orloffsky, in the Crimea, the rioting took the form of an attack upon the Baptists. No one is reported to have been killed.

BOWLING AT GREENWOOD

Ontario Team Wins for Third Time—A Prosperous Church

[Special to The Daily News]

Greenwood, May 4—The fourth of the series of bowling contests between teams representing Ontario and the Maritime provinces, resulted in a win for the former team on Tuesday evening last by 216 points in four games. This is the third win for the Ontario team. The scores follow:

ONTARIO				
W. McIntourney	135	132	119	164
A. Thomas	143	188	136	157
Geo. Findlay	139	125	140	103
E. B. Dill	142	124	128	140
E. W. Bishop	156	129	179	163
Totals	715	698	702	708

Grand total, 2815.

Maritime Provinces				
Crouse	131	129	133	145
J. Meyers-Grey	90	129	106	133
J. Cropley	106	143	142	94
K. C. B. Frith	151	134	168	127
A. D. Hallett	119	171	96	161
Totals	597	697	645	660

Grand total, 2599.

At the annual vestry meeting of St. Jude's (Anglican) church, recently held, a most satisfactory balance sheet was read. For all purposes the sum of $1500 was collected and at the end of the financial year there was a handsome balance on hand after paying off all liabilities. The rector, Rev. Lawrence Amor, was in the chair and seemed entirely satisfied with the progress his church is making.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Wardens, vicar's, W. M. Frith, peoples' G. R. Redpath; lay delegates to the synod to be held at Nelson on June 7 and 8, E. R. Redpath, E. A. Ashcroft and J. D. Daimpre (Boundary Falls); church committee, C. J. Eales, T. Williams, H. R. Plummer, W. H. C. Wilson, Robert Wood and W. F. Procter.

The parish is self supporting and paid last year three times the assesment to the missionary society of the Canadian church.

The young people are beginning rehearsals for amateur theatricals to be given some time next month.

The Last Chance is shipping two cars of ore to the Boundary Falls smelter this week.

USE GAS FOR SMELTING

MEDICINE HAT PEOPLE TRY TO INTEREST THE C. P. R.

WHYTE AND ALDRIDGE TO INVESTIGATE THE MATTER.

Medicine Hat, May 4.—A deputation waited on vice-president Wm. Whyte of the C. P. R. today to enlist his interest in a project to use the natural gas wells here for smelting low grade ores. Mr. Whyte was very favorably impressed and will revisit Medicine Hat in company with Mr. Aldridge, manager of the Trail smelter in the near future for further investigation.

MINIMIZE STRIKE'S EFFECT

Chicago Commercial Club Says Business is Not Affected

Chicago, May 4—The effect of the teamsters' strike has reached lake transportation companies and seriously crippled the freight business. Owing to inability to have goods transfered from the railroad depots to the docks, all the principal steamship lines have either abandoned or curtailed their service.

A. M. Compton, chairman of the ways and means committee of the Chicago Commercial association, has issued a special notice to members with reference to orders on shipments. The notice reads: "Exaggerated reports are being circulated throughout the country to the effect that the commercial facilities of Chicago are handicapped by reason of the strike of union teamsters. To the end that the commercial interests of Chicago may not be injured by this exaggerated report, members of the association are requested to notify its travelling salesmen and the trade generally, of the fact that orders are bing received and filled promptly. Shipments are being made as usual."

GRAND FORKS GOSSIP

(Special to The Daily News)

Grand Forks, May 4—A business deal of some importance is being arranged between the Hunter-Kendrick company, and W. K. C. Manly, both general merchants of this place. By the terms of the deal there will be an amalgamation of the two businesses. It is also understood that Mr. Manly will remove his present frame store building and will erect a large brick block on the site which will be leased to the new firm. It is also probable that Manly will have charge of the hardware department of the store. This new arrangement will take effect in two weeks time.

W. J. Penrose of the Lion Bottling Works, returned yesterday from a two weeks' trip through the Similkameen country. He spoke highly of that section and particularly of the prospects of Hedley City.

Judge and Mrs. Leamy are expected home about the 15th of the month from Victoria.

FIGHTING STANDARD OIL

INDEPENDENT MINNESOTA OIL COMPANIES IN ARMS

EXCESSIVE RATES CHARGED ON THEIR SHIPMENTS

Minneapolis, May 4—The hearing of the independent oil companies which have asked for a reduction on oil shipments in the state, so that they can compete with the Standard oil company, now in progress at the state capitol, promises to develop an interesting discussion, a seven independent companies and 30 Minnesota railroads are represented on their respective sides.

The complaint of the independent oil dealers is that an excessive rate is charged on their shipments to various parts of the state. The oil which they ship out in barrels from the Twin cities, goes as third class merchandise on the railroads, while the oil which the Standard company sends out to its distributing points is carried in tank cars and therefore goes as fifth class merchandise

The difference in tariff between these two classes si so great that the independent dealers claim it is "unequal, oppressive and discriminating, and in violation of the law."

The independents ask that the classification of their barrel shipments be reduced from third to fourth class, which will make an average reduction of about 1c cents per hundred pounds.

The independent dealers do not claim that they should have the same rates as the Standard company enjoys through the use of tank cars. They do ask, however, that the difference be made less between carload shipments and small shipments. And they claim that the reduction from third to fourth class on the smaller shipments would establish a more equitable rate.

Joseph Bartles of the Bartles Oil company, heads the list of complaining companies. He states that the reduction on classification on less than carload lots will save practically 50 cents per barrel, or nearly a cent a gallon, and as there are approximately 27,000,000 gallons of oil and gasoline sold in the state each year, it will mean a saving of about $270,000. "This will go to the consumers," said Mr. Bartles, "as it will enable a reduction in the price.

"The Standard company delivers its oil to its distributing stations all over the state in its own tank cars," said Mr. Bartles, "and is thus able to save 2 or 3 cents a gallon over the rate paid by the independent companies, who are forced to distribute in barrels. The Staadard Oil company, however, does not base its retail price on the cost of the shipment of its own products but beses it upon the prices at which its competitors can deliver the the oil at the same point. We believe that the great difference existing between carloads and less than carload shipments is, therefore unjust, and amounts to a discrimination."

NEW DENVER IMPROVING

Dr. J. E. Brouse Thinks Revival is Due for District This Year

Dr. E. J. Brouse of New Denver, spent yesterday in Nelson with some of his old friends. The doctor has not visited in Nelson for three years and was surprised at the change in appearance. He thought the evidences of permanent prosperity were very striking. Asked about conditions and prospects around the Lucerne of North America. Dr. Brouse said: "Things have been very quiet for several years, but there is a more hopeful spirit among mining men this spring than I have ever seen before. I don't know that I could give any good reason for it, but there is undoubtedly a general and lively expectation that the coming summer will bring a revival throughout the Slocan lake district.

"Around Silverton several mines are being operated, on a small scale, it is true, but quite successfully. The people there are hopeful. I should say that there must be about 300 people still in New Denver and its immediate environs. The town will hold its own from now on."

The doctor leaves for home this morning He is the only physician around the head of the lake and is kept busy.

STRANGLED TO DEATH

Child Loses Life by Singular Mishap in Southern Alberta

Lethbridge, May 4—News has been received from Taber, a small settlement a few miles north of the international boundary, of a queer accident there, resulting in the death of year-old Ivan Bennett. The child wandered away from home and not until after a search for over two hours was he found. Then one of the searchers saw the child's hands protruding about two inches above the top of a bored well, the bore being only eight inches in diameter. The body was wedged so tightly in the well that it was not until it hade been almost divested of clothing by cutting and tearing was it possible to extricate it. Life was extinct and an autopsy showed the child had smothered to death in the small bore.

TRAIN ROBBERS KILLED

Men Who Held up C.P.R. Express Meet Death in New Mexico

Montreal, May 4—A Winnipeg despatch says the Bates brothers, who held up the C.P.R. westbound express at Whonnock last September, have been shot and killed in Separ, New Mexico, by a sheriff's posse, who were pursuing them for robbing a saloon in Lordsburg, N.M.

STORM DAMAGED SHIPS.

Rojestvensky's Vessels Said to Have Suffered From Typhoon.

Amoy, China, May 4.—The typhoon which swept over the coast of south China this week is said to have damaged the Russian second Pacific squadron considerably. The lighter vessels are reported to have been scattered. Shipping men expect further delay in the execution of admiral Rojestvensky's plans as a result of the damage sustained by the squdron.

CHAMBERLAIN'S POLICY

LEANINGS OF UNIONIST PARTY ON FISCAL QUESTION

GREAT MAJORITY FAVORABLE TO SOME CHANGE IN SYSTEM

London, May 4—Joseph Chamberlain has given out the following particulars of the leanings and composition of the unionist party on the fiscal question:

One hundred and seventy-one unionists who have advocated Mr. Chamberlain's policy.

Seventy one unionists, including several members of the government, who would be in favor of Mr. Chamberlain's proposals if they became part of the policy of the government.

Ninety-nine who are in favor of retaliation alone (including some favorable to colonial preference, although they cannot see their way clear to advocating a policy involving a rearrangement of food taxation.)

Twenty-seven unionists opposed to any change in the fiscal system; while four (including the prime minister) are not classified.

ANTWERP'S AMBITION.

Anxious to be Greatest Port in the World—Scheme Underway.

London, May 4.—By the Antwerp chamber of commerce unanimously deciding to fall in with the Dutch government's gigantic project for enlarging the port at a cost of £10,000,000, they have settled a question about which the central government and the city have been at loggerheads for the past twenty years.

The entire country is enthusiastic over the prospect, says the special correspondent of the Daily Telegraph. It will make Antwerp the greatest port of the world in area. Ten years will be occupied in completing the works.

DISASTROUS STORM.

Detroit, May 4.—The lower peninsula of Michigan was swept today by a storm that caused several deaths by lightning and in the vicinity of Garnd Rapids resulted in nearly $100,000 damage to greenhouses and peach orchards from heavy hail.

Near Hillside, Willis Swift, and his 20-year-old son Claude, who fled to their barn on the approach of the storm, were killed by lightning. The elder victim's body was consumed with the barn but the younger man's body was snatched from the flames by neighbors.

CONTROL TOUGH RESORTS.

Albany, N. Y., May 4.—The bill introduced by senator Ambler to put into effect the new Raines law at once against disreputable hotels passed tonight. It provides that the building authorities of the city shall inspect hotels upon the application of any ratepayer to see whether they comply with the building provisions of the liquor law as well as the local hotel building ordinances.

SCHWAB NOT TO BUILD NAVY.

St. Petersburg, May 4.—It is learned on the most trusted authority that the story about Charles M. Schwab making a contract with the government to build warships is untrue.

DINNER FOR OSLER.

New York, May 4.—Dr. William Osler, who is shortly to take the Regius professorship of medicine at Oxford university, England, was tonight a guest at a dinner of the New York graduates' society of McGill university.

MAY GRANT HER RELEASE

Nan Patterson's Freedom Depends Largely on Vote of Jury

If Majority Favored Acquittal She Will Likely be Admitted to Bail and Not Tried Again

New York, May 4—Dramatic in the extreme were the closing scenes early today of the Nan Patterson trial before recorder Goff. When the foreman had finally assured the court that there was no possibility of reaching an agrement, the prisoner was in a dead faint. At 9:28 o'clock the recorder declared the jury discharged and ordered Miss Patterson to return to the Tombs prison. She was caried out in a chair by attendants, and two doctors had a hard time restoring consciousness. When told of the result, she smiled faintly. In the streets below thousands of persons held back by mounted police, cheered the news, but were somewhat disappointed. They evidently favored the young woman and had expected her acquittal.

Various rumors gained currency as to how the jury stood. Information received by the Associated Press is to the effect that the poll stood 7 to 5 in favor of acquittal. It is quite certain that the former show girl will be given her liberty on nominal bail and the indictment will be quashed. She has faced trial three times. Twice the jury disagreed and once there was a mistrial owing to the collapse of one of the jurors. In the court annals of this city, nothing has yet approached the tensity of the climax in the Patterson case.

Although in a state bordering on complete collapse when she went to her cell early today after the jury had been discharged, Miss Patterson soon was quieter and slept peacefully through the night. A deputy warden, making his rounds at 8 o'clock, found Miss Patterson and her sister, Julia, still asleep. He carried with him 11 letters addressed to Miss Patterson and left them without disturbing either of the women. About this time crowds began to gather in the streets around the Tombs, awaiting possible developments which make it necessary for Miss Patterson to once more cross the bridge between the prison and the court building.

Lawyer Levy, counsel for Nan Patterson, said today: "I will apply for Nan Patterson to be admitted on nominal bail at once. The disagreement is equal to an acquittal as far as her liberty is concerned. It may be that the district attorney will apply to have her admitted to bail. If he does not, then I shall take the step. She will never be placed on trial again. Of this I am certain. I am disappointed that she was not acquitted."

Doctor F. A. McGuire, the prison physician, today give out a formal statement regarding the prisoner's condition. He said: "She is a nervous wreck. She is unable to retain food. She is physically so weak that she cannot lift a cup of beef tea to her lips. It will take two or three days for her to recover her normal strength."

No positive steps were taken today to have Nan Patterson released on bail, it being agreed upon by her counsel and father that although bail was possible, at once, it would be better for the girl to remain quietly in the Tombs for a rest after the ordeal she underwent last night. During the day alarming reports were circulated as to Miss Patterson's condition, it being declared that following her collapse at 2:30 this morning, when the third jury was dismissed, without a decision of her case, she had lain for hours in a comatose state and was today a physical wreck. It was stated at the Tombs tonight that Miss Patterson's condition was practically normal. She shows the effects of her trial but is far from a real breakdown.

Miss Patterson's lawyers tomorrow will endeavor to reach an agreement with the district attorney's office as to the amount of bail their client shall be required to give. They hope the sum will be a nominal one, but they say they are ready to furnish bondsmen for any amount within reason.

There is much speculation as to what course the district attorney will pursue with reference to the trial of J. Morgan Smith and his wife on the charge of conspiracy and what effect the testimony adduced at their hearing might have upon a possible fourth trial for Miss Patterson.

Albany, May 4—District attorney Jerome, who has been here since yesterday looking after certain legislation, said tonight that the vote of the jury in the case of Nan Patterson would to a large extent determine his decision whether to put her on trial again for the murder of Caesar Young. If the jury was against her he might try her again. If the majority were in her favor, he might consent to her release. He said he was not yet reliably informed as to how the jury stood. He would not comment on the jury's disagreement, though it evidently did not greatly surprise him.

UNFAVORABLE TO AMERICA

New York, May 4—President Herbert of the New York produce exchange, today forwarded to the second assistant secretary of state at Washington, a protest against the "apparent deliberate intention of the German government to discriminate against American trade" under the new German tariff, and expressing the hope that a treaty will be negotiated with Germany which will place American products on an equal basis with those of other countries.

DR. CAMPBELL DEAD

Montreal, May 4—Dr. F. W. Campbell, late dean of the medical faculty of Bishop's college, died today. He had been in ill health for some months and death was not unexpected. This makes the third death in the family within a year. But a few days ago his son, F. W. Campbell, died of typhoid fever and Dr. R. C. Campbell, the eldest son, died about a year ago from the same disease.

KILLED IN LUMBER MILL

Kamloops, May 4—William Childs, an edger at the Kamloops Lumber company's mill here, was almost instantly killed this evening before the mill closed down. The cause of death was a flying board from the edger. Childs was a young man and was said to be engaged to be married to a local young woman.

ONTARIO CROP CONDITIONS

Toronto, May 4—Crop reports to the Globe, from the chief centres in Ontario, indicate that the season is distinctly backward all over the province, that there is a serious lack of moisture in most localities, but that wheat and clover came through the winter in very good condition,

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A GREAT OPPORTUNITY.

The new minister of the interior, Hon. Frank Oliver, can render the mining industry of Canada a very great service by making the dominion bureau of mines as efficient an auxiliary to those engaged in mining and allied industries as is the department of agriculture, under the energetic administration of Hon. Sidney Fisher.

In some quarters there is a strong feeling in favor of the establishment of a distinct department of mines, to be presided over by a responsible minister. This may come about some day, but in the meantime it is possible for the minister of the interior to make the existing bureau of mines of far more practical service than it is today. No fault is found with the work being done, much of it is very useful and desirable, but it is felt that in several directions not now touched at all the dominion bureau could do work that would materially assist in the rapid development of the mining industry.

The mining industry is assuming such proportions throughout the dominion that it is incumbent upon the Ottawa authorities to take steps to have at their disposal the information that will keep them thoroughly well informed as to what is being done and the possibilities of expansion. The minister in charge of the mining bureau should have at his command the data that will enable him to deal intelligently with all matters pertaining to the industry that may form time to time be brought to his notice.

It cannot be said of the mining industry that it is any more a purely provincial concern than is the agricultural industry. Yet we find that a dominion minister of agriculture is able to render services of incalculable value to that industry. Mining is being carried on to a greater or less extent in every province of the dominion. It is an industry that calls for large investment of capital, the exercise of the highest scientific and business capacity, and one that gives, directly and indirectly, employment to a very large number of wage earners. It is therefore an entirely reasonable request that the dominion government should devote to this industry a fair measure of attention and consideration.

Hon. Frank Oliver is fully alive to the importance of the mining industry, and with the energy and thoroughness that have characterised all his past undertakings turned in the direction of creating a really useful bureau of mines at Ottawa, big things may be accomplished. The new minister has a splendid opportunity to assist in the upbuilding of an industry that is bound to place Canada in the forefront of producing nations and those who know him best are confident that Frank Oliver will not overlook the opportunity.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

According to H. D. Davis, Ohio state fire marshal, tobacco smokers cost his state $122,321 during 1904 for buildings and their contents destroyed through the agency of hot cigar stubs and pipe ashes. "Carelessness with matches" on the part of smokers caused additional losses. In his published report Mr. Davis states that 103 fires took place in Ohio that were accountable to smoking, and 298 originated through the careless use of matches. Fires were started by cigar and cigarette stubs thoughtlessly dropped through sidewalk gratings under which rubbish and litter had been permitted to accumulate. Butts thrown into sawdust filled cuspidors and into waste paper baskets were also potent factors in fire losses. Barn fires began only to frequently just subsequent to the departure therefrom of smokers who had enjoyed within their precincts the "solace of mankind."

The United States supreme court has decided that a New York state law limiting a day's work in bakeries to ten hours is unconstitutional. The grounds upon which the decision are based are the following: "It appears to us that the real object and purpose (of this law) was simply to regulate the hours of labor between the master and his employee in a private business not dangerous in any degree to morals, or in any real and substantial degree to the health of the employee. Under such circumstances the freedom of master and employee to contract with each other in relation to their employment and in defining the same cannot be prohibited or interfered with without violating the constitution." Judge Harlan dissented from this decision. He said: "Let the state alone in the management of its purely domestic affairs, so long as it does not appear beyond all question that it has violated the constitution." It is worthy of note that both the passage and the annulment of this law were due to the efforts of one man, Henry Weismann. As secretary of the bakers' union, he secured the passage of it. After he became an employing baker his views underwent a change. He studied law and then as counsel for the master bakers he took an appeal to the supreme court and obtained the decision referred to above.

The adoption of the second reading of the first of the autonomy bills, creating Alberta a province, by a majority of 81 in a total vote of 199 is surely a decisive refutation of the alleged dangerous nature of the measure. It is not to be supposed that the party leaders could have held their followers so unanimously in line had there been justification for even a tenth part of the furore that was raised in Ontario, and particularly in Toronto, against the autonomy bills. The more the educational clauses were discussed and the more thoroughly enlightened public opinion became as to their true intent, the less interest was taken in the sectarian extravagancies of a few partisan newspapers that attempted to raise a race and religious issue. In the opinion of most fair minded men, who appreciate the difficulties that confronted parliament in dealing with this question, the amended bill is accepted as an equitable solution of the problem.

POACHING ON ENGLAND

NEBOGATOFF'S SQUADRON IN WATERS OF JAPAN'S ALLY.

MAY CREATE COMPLICATIONS—IN STRAITS OF MALACCA.

Malacca, Straits Settlement, May 4th, 4:30 p. m.—A Russian division, consisting of four battleships, an armored cruiser and a gunboat, accompanied by five colliers is now passing Malacca.

London, May 4.—The identification of the war ships sighted in the Straits of Malacca this morning as rear admiral Nebogatoff's division of admiral Rojestvensky's squadron is considered liable to develop an interesting situation.

Jugrah, off which the division was seen, is a town of the state of Selanger, which is a British protectorate and is not far distant from where a Russian division was sighted so long ago as April 27th. It is not yet known whether the Russian war ships are within territorial waters or whether they are obtaining supplies from the neighboring land, but a brief telegram on the subject from Singapore is taken to indicate that for a week the Russians have been practically enjoying the hospitality of the waters of Japan's ally in the same manner that admiral Rojestvensky's ships utilized French waters in Cochin China.

A cable dispatch received in London this afternoon says that two of Nebogatoff's transports have put into Sabong on the north coast of the island of Sumatra with their boats stove, evidently having been in collision. Thier names are given as the Mariechen and the Permine Hesseumiller.

MINING IN THE LARDEAU

OUTLOOK FOR THE SEASON VERY ENCOURAGING

CONCENTRATOR FOR SURPRISE—SILVER CUP RESUMES

The outlook for the Trout Lake mining division and the Lardeau generally is very bright, says the Lardeau Mining Review, published at Trout Lake City. The proposed work for this season will surpass anything of the past. Starting up the North Fork, the extreme northern point of the divlion, the Review learns that the Consolidated Company (Old Gold and Primrose) has laid out an extensive program of development, which will be under the charge of judge Miller. The Guinea Gold also intends to resume operations as soon as the summit is clear of snow.

At Surprise creek Dave Morgan has been working a force on the Surprise group, and preparations are now being made by the eastern owners to put in a concentrator and operate the property on an extensive scale. Up the South Fork and Gainer creek a large amount of money is waiting favorable road and trail conditions. At the Mohican, where a small crew has been working all winter, operations will be carried on more extensively. The parties who have the Badshot under lease intend resuming at an early date.

At the Trinue, where work has been pushed all winter, a tramway will be put in, which on its completion will allow the employment of about 50 men in the mine. This property has large ore resources, the high grade part of which will be handled this summer. The low grade or concentrating ore will be stored until the installation of the reduction plant. At the famous Silver Cup and Nettie L., both of which are controlled by the Ferguson Mines, Ltd., the payroll will be larger than ever before.

The promoters of the big tunnel proposition, which is being financed by Minnesota capitalists, are getting all preliminary matters settled, and will work from 20 to 30 men. The Five-Mile plant which cost over a quarter of a million, is in good running order, and will be in a position to handle the increased output of the Silver Cup and Nettie L.

At Trout Lake the Lucky Boy looks better than ever, and it is the intention of the management to largely augment the working force at an early date. The Willow Grouse, under the conditions of the lease, keeps three men employed steadily. The Horseshoe will be worked on a more extensive scale by lessee Alex. McLean. On the lake slope of the Cup mountain, Bruce White will develop the Winslow. The I.X.L. company, composed of Minnesota men, will push work on the I.X.L.

Edge and Daney will work the Silver Plate for all its worth.

Justice Mobbs has made financial arrangements for the operation of his Canyon creek property. Tony Lindgren will resume operations on the Linsen View as soon as the trails are in condition to get supplies over. At Rapid creek C. T. Porter has announced his intention to work the Broken Hill group on a large scale. Rogers and Smith are already at work on their free gold property on this creek. At Poplar the Spyglass company will resume operations at an early date. It is said on good authority that the Great Northern Mines will put in a stamp mill within a month. Taken in connection with the above work and proposed work, the large number of individuals opening up in a small way and the assessment work necessary on the claims, the Review thinks the Lardeau is very much all right.

LICENSES LAPSED.

Affidavit Recorded Affecting 7 Men and 14 Claims.

In connection with the pending litigation affecting titles to mineral claims, the standing of certain men as free miners, within the meaning of the statute, during the time since the claims were recorded, becomes a matter of importance.

The mineral claims in question are 14 in number. They are Storm King, Copper King, Duplex, Banner, Golden King, Annie G., Nowell, Big Four, Colby, Silver Tip, Mammoth, Robber King, Tamarack and Gem.

NOTICE

TENDERS

Will be received by the undersigned, up till the 10th day of May, 1905, at noon, for the sinking of a main hoisting shaft to a depth of three hundred and sixty (360) feet, more or less, at Lundbreck Mines, located at Lundbreck, Alberta. Plans and specifications may be seen either at the office of the Breckenridge & Lund Coal Co., Ltd., at Lundbreck, Alberta, or at the office of the Crow's Nest Lumber Co., Ltd., at Wardner, B. C. or copies of the same will be mailed to the address of those wishing to tender on this work, on payment by them of the sum of ten dollars ($10), the same to be refunded by the company on receipt of bona fide tender.

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PETER LUND, Secretary.

W. A. Macdonald, K. C., yesterday recorded an affidavit that from May 31st 1902, to May 31st, 1903, W. S. Lewis, J. F. Burns, G. O. Evans and W. R. Ramsdell had no miners' licenses, and that from May 31st, 1904, to May 31st, 1905, Robert Lockhart, John J. Noble, and E. B. Horsford were without licenses.

CONTRACTORS NOT ALARMED.

W. P. Tierney Denies Obstruction of Channel of River.

W. P. Tierney, one of the contractors for the construction of the city power plant on Kootenay river, was asked yesterday what he thought of the letter from A. H. MacNeill on behalf of the West Kootenay Power & Light Company, in reference to rock being dumped in the river. Mr. Tierney replied: "The statements in the letter are not in accordance with the facts. Very little rock has been thrown into the river. What has been deposited there cannot affect the company's plant at Bonnington, as it is 600 feet distant. Our operations will not affect the volume or depth of the river at all. As soon as we do about 3,000 yards more of excavating, we shall begin to save all the rock for our masonry work. We will then be very careful for our own sakes that as little rock as possible shall go into the river."

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(Signed) TRADES AND LABOR COUNCIL,
A. GUAY, President.
F. PHILLIPS, Secretary.
Nelson, B. C., May 2, 1905.

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FARMERS TO COOPERATE

ARRANGE FOR SHIPMENT OF FRUIT ON COMMISSION

DEPUTY MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE WILL BE HERE NEXT WEEK

The fruit growers and farmers of the Nelson district are working together very effectively. Arrangements have been made for the sale on commission, at a store in Nelson, of early fruit and vegetables produced by local men. Arrangements were made for an afternoon session on Thursday next, May 11, of the Farmers' Institute in the board of trade rooms. The principal speakers will be J. R. Anderson, deputy minister of agriculture and, James Murphy. The principal topic of the day will be the best method of detecting impurities in grass and clover seed.

At the next meeting of the institute the members will discuss an attack on farmers' institutes that recently appeared in the Victoria Colonist, in which it is stated that no good is accomplished by them and that they are a useless expense to the province.

The regular monthly meeting of the Fruit Growers' association and Farmers' Institute of Kootenay was held in the city hall yesterday afternoon between 3 and 5 o'clock. F. Starkey presided at the former and George Fleming, president at the later.

The fruit growers' meeting came to order a little after 3 o'clock. F. Starkey was voted to the chair, T. Morley, secretary, and many members were present. After the reading and adoption of the minutes, a long discussion followed on the subject of cooperation, growing out of the report of the last meeting. It was announced by T. Morley, on behalf of the executive committee, that W. R. Campion and W. H. Carter would act as commission merchants and that all members were invited to send their produce to them for sale locally or for shipment.

A resolution was adopted instructing the secretary to communicate with the British Columbian Fruit Growers' association, and ask that a session of that body be held in Nelson in July or August of the current year.

The meeting was then resolved into a session of the Kootenay Farmers' Institute with George Fleming in the chair. Secretary Morley announced that J. R. Anderson, deputy minister of agriculture and James Murphy, would be in Nelson for an afternoon session on Thursday, May 11, and that the subject of their address would be "Impurities of seed and means of detecting them." It was decided that the meeting should be held in the board of trade rooms.

Another letter from J. R. Anderson was read calling the attention of the institute to an article in a recent issue of the Victoria Colonist. The article drew a comparison between Ontario and British Columbia farmers' institutes, which was very unfavorable to the latter. An accusation was made that the institutes were afflicted with dry rot, that no attempt was made to provide for meeting the special needs of the various districts, that nothing practical was accomplished, and that the public money spent in encouraging the institutes is wasted.

The deputy minister quoted figures from the last annual report of the department of agriculture. Between 1903 and 1904 the membership of the institutes had increased from 1,969 to 2,062, the number of meetings from 175 to 225, the attendance from 2,673 to 7,171, and the number of addresses from 250 to 327. On the benefits of the institutes and their meetings Mr. Anderson invited an expression of opinion from the local members. The subject was felt to be one of great importance. The members generally considered the article unfair and untrue, and particularly inaccurate as applied to the Kootenay district. A resolution embodying these opinions will be presented at the next meeting.

A GOOD SUGGESTION

Mr. C. B. Wainwright of Lemon City, Fla., writes the manufacturers that much better results are obtained from the use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in cases of pains in the stomach, colic, cholera morbus by taking it in water as hot as can be drank. That when taken in this way the effect is double in rapidity. "It seems to get at the right spot instantly. For sale by all druggists and dealers.

LIST FOR ASSIZES

Four Criminal and Eight Civil Cases to be Tried

The list of cases for the spring assizes, which open next Tuseday, May 9, was completed yesterday. The criminal list comprises four cases which have already been published. W. A. Macdonald, K.C., has been retained as crown prosecutor. Atkinson, Fera and Roberts will be defended by S. S. Taylor, K.C.. Regan has not yet elected for trial nor engaged counsel for his defence.

On the civil list there is first the "remanet" case of the Bank of Montreal vs. the Arlington mine and Collom. Elliot & Lemple appear for the plaintiff and W. A. Macdonald for the defendants.

The new cases are: Paul Nipou vs. the Nelson Electric Tramway company for damages for injury. Taylor & O'Shea will act for Nipou and W. A. Macdonald for the company.

Athoe vs. Blochberger and Gowing vs. Blochberger are cases of adverse mineral claims. Taylor & O'Shea appear for the claimants and C. R. Hamilton of Rossland, for Blochberger.

Campbell and Langford are plaintiffs in two cases, the former for trespass and the latter for an account; both are against the East Kootenay and Cranbrook Lumber companies. The plaintiffs are represented by Taylor & O'Shea, the defendant companies by W. A. Macdonald.

Warren and others vs. Coleman and others is an adverse mineral claim case, Taylor & O'Shea appearing for the plaintiffs and W. A. Macdonald for the defendants.

Harrington vs. the Granby Mining & Smelting company is up for a new trial, the jury having disagreed after the first hearing. It is an action for damages brought under the Employer's Liability act. Taylor & O'Shea appear for the claimant and A. Whiteside of Greenwood and J. A. Macdonald of Rossland, for the company.

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RATIONAL ADVERTISING

Board of Trade Will Work for the City Through Newspapers

At the regular monthly meeting of the local board of trade to be held in the board rooms next Thursday evening, the committee on advertising will present a report. The recommendations will be based chiefly on the reply received from the Winnipeg board of trade in answer to an inquiry. The Winnipeg board states that the pamphlet system has been entirely abandoned. The city is efficiently advertised by railway companies and real estate agencies. The means employed by the board of trade is an agreement with the Associated Press company for special articles on Winnipeg in the despatches, and for the contribution of articles on Winnipeg to papers of eastern cities.

The committee will recomend that a similar system be adopted by the Nelson board as it is believed by the members that money spent in securing the writing up of Nelson in short articles for the Associated Press and in longer articles for publication in eastern papers will accomplish far more than the same amount would if it were spent on pamphlets.

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MINER MACKIE'S MISADVENTURE

Fell 75 Feet, Broke Collar Bone—Traveled Long Way to a Doctor

(Special to The Daily News)

Ymir, May 4—William Mackie, a miner at the Second Relief mine, fell a distance of 75 feet down an incline and broke his right collar bone, besides sustaining some scalp wounds. The injured man rode a saddle horse from the mine to Erie, a distance of 13 miles, and then took the train to Ymir, where he is now resting easily at the Ymir general hospital under Dr. Elliott's care.

Charles Cameron, lessee of the Canadian Girl group, is shipping a couple of cars of ore to the Boundary Falls smelter. Doyle brothers are also shipping from the same property, a car of ore to the Boundary Falls smelter, where a $4 rate for freight and treatment is made. No other mountain in this section has such good mineral showings as Dundee hill. Much work has been done which shows up mineral in ledges from 4 to 12 feet in width.

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY THE VERY BEST

I have been using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and want to say it is the best cough medicine I have ever taken," says Geo. L. Chubb, a merchant of Harlan, Mich. There is no question about its being the best, as it will cure a cold or cough in less time than any other treatment. It should always be kept in the house ready for instant use, for a cold can be cured in much less time when promptly treated. For sale by all druggists and dealers.

WORK IN FLATHEAD DISTRICT

(Special to The Daily News)

Crow's Nest, May 4—W. J. Langley and G. M. Judd of Fort Steele, have left here for the Flathead district to develop a large group of claims in which they are interested with Galbraith, Harvey and others of Fort Steele. They took with them three miners and a large supply of provisions and tools, as they intend to work on the claims all sumer. They were packed in to their destination by the pack train of A. Good.

It is reported that a large amount of development work will be done in that district this season. A. Good is in receipt of several letters from parties expecting to move in shortly. He intends keeping a large pack train freighting steadily on that trail this summer.

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Every family should be supplied with a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. For cuts, bruises, burns, scalds and similar injuries, which are of frequent occurrence, it is the best. It soothes the wound and not only gives instant relief from pain, but causes the parts to heal in about one-third the time required by the usual treatment. As it is an antiseptic all danger from blood poisoning is avoided. Sold by all druggists and dealers.

OFFENDERS MULCTED

Two Police Court Cases Result in Payment of $30 and Costs

Two sessions of the police court yesterday enriched the city treasury by $30 and costs. At the morning hearing a woman pleaded guilty to a charge of being drunk and disorderly. She was fined $10 and costs. The Chinaman accused of peddling without a license, pleaded not guilty and H. A. Stewart appeared to defend him. The case was adjourned to the afternoon.

P. E. Wilson then appeared to prosecute for the city. The evidence of constable Wightman showed that the Chinaman had sold goods at one house and had entered another for the same purpose. Mr. Stewart moved for dismissal on the ground that a second sale had not been proved as required by the law. The magistrate overruled the contention and imposed a fine of $20, which was promptly paid.

It will pay you to keep Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in your house. It only costs a quarter. Sold by all druggists and dealers.

MURDERED HIS WIFE

Italian Did Not Like Conduct of Woman Toward Other Men

New York, May 4—Nicolo Murdod of Jersey City, an Italian laborer, was arrested today charged with the murder of his wife. The body of the woman was found lifeless in the Murdod home with a frightful wound in her head, which had been inflicted with an axe lying near by. The attention of the neighbors was attracted by the screams of Murdod's little boy, who said his father had killed his mother. Murdod is said to have complained to the neighbors of the conduct of his wife towards other men.

RAILWAY CONGRESS MEETS

Every Important Railroad is Represented at Washington

Washington, May 4—The seventh session of the International Railway Congress was formally opened here today by vice-president Parker W. Fairbanks. The opening ceremony took place in the hall room of the Willard hotel and was attended by nearly 500 delegates and as many of their friends. Three hundred of the delegates are foreigners and every railroad of any importance in the world is represented.

The discussions of the session are held behind closed doors in order that there may be no report on expressions of opinion of delegates. The topics to be handled are entirely scientific. This is the first session of the congress ever held in the United States.

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London, May 4—Silver, 26 1-8; lead, £12 12s. 6d.

NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

A. H. Gracey and Mrs. Gracey left last evening for Camborne, where they will reside in the future.

Judge Forin held sittings of the county court at Rossland yesterday. He will hold a chamber session here this morning.

The decpatch of mails from Fernie and Coal Creek is to be changed from 2:30 p.m. to 11 a.m. daily except Sundays.

Captain D. C. McMorris, city clerk, left last evening for Kamloops. The duration of his stay will depend upon the improvement in his health.

Edward Baillie of Poplar, was in the city last evening on his way down from the north. He leaves for Rossland this morning.

E. J. Coyle, general passenger agent of the C.P.R. on the Pacific division, arrived from the coast last evening and is at the Strathcona.

The examination for assayers ended last evening with a written paper at the court house. The results cannot be published for several days.

James Hawkins of the city street railway service, left the isolation hospital yesterday. He has been confined for a fortnight with a mild attack of diphtheria.

The funeral of the late F. S. Roberts will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from his late residence Latimer street, to the Methodist church and thence to the cemetery.

A meeting of the Nelson curling club will be held at the Vernon street rink this afternoon at 4 o'clock. The purpose of the meeting is to finally pass on the accounts in connection with the bonspiel.

Many transfers of Juno stock have been made in the last few days. The definite announcement of a resumption of work next Monday has had the effect of sending up the price of the stock rapidly.

The court of enquiry opened at Princeton to investigate the official conduct of Hugh Hunter, mining recorder, by deputy minister of mines Tolmie, has been adjourned by him to reconvene at Victoria on June 27th.

The Breckenridge & Lund Coal company are inviting tenders for the sinking of a main hoisting shaft to a depth of 360 feet at the Lundbreck mines, Lundbreck, Alberta. Further particulars will be found in their advertisement in another column.

F. C. Green has purchased the property formerly occupied by William Davis of the Myee mine. He will erect a handsome frame residence. Tenders for the building are all in, and the contract will probably be awarded today.

Two mineral locations were recorded yesterday. John Meyers as agent, located the North Star on Evening mountain, two miles south of Nelson, for J. L. Porter, and the South Star, adjoining it, for D. G. Porter. Both were located on the 1st of May.

The auction sale of Fernie Annex lots takes place at Fernie tomorrow (Saturday) at 10 a.m. It is anticipated that there will be lively competition for the best situated lots as, owing to the steady progress being made at the mines, the town is growing rapidly and real estate values are increasing in proportion.

The Nelson Association football club met last evening in the Athabasca billiard room. There was a large attendance. The officers elected were: President Harry Wright, M.L.A.; vice-president, F. B. Hawthorne; manager, Jas. Meighan. At the next match in Nelson the club will be uniformed in green and white. The manager was authorized to choose a committee of three to elect a captain. Negotiations with Kaslo for a game on May 24th, are pending. If they fail a match in Nelson with a local team will be arranged.

J. O. Patenaude received a telegram yesterday afternoon announcing the death at San Diego, Wednesday night, of his elder brother, Dosithe Patenaude. Deceased was 48 years of age. He leaves a widow and one son, aged three years. The cause of death was nervous prostration, from too close attention to work. The remains will be brought to Helena for burial. J. O. Patenaude leaves Sunday morning to be present at the funeral which will take place Tuesday or Wednesday.

The practice of Rose Maiden held on Wednesday evening was the most successful one yet, and gave assurance to those present that the performance to be given next Wednesday evening in the opera house will be worthy of the efforts made to bring it to perfection. The chorus especially showed a confidence and precision that is the result of steady, conscientious study; and while an occasional lack of finish called for criticism on the part of the exacting conductor, the polish of the next few rehearsals is all that is necessary to ensure satisfaction to the most critical audience.

McLachlan Bros., hardware merchants, have sold out their Nelson business to the Ashdown Hardware company, who will take over the stock on hand here on May 15. McLachlan Bros', business will for the future be confined to Vancouver.

Arthur Shirley Blakemore, son of William Blakemore of Nelson and Nina Marianne Burnett, daughter of F. Burnett of Vancouver, were married yesterday afternoon in the church of Holy Rosary, Vancouver. They will spend their honeymoon on a northern trip and then take up their residence in Vancouver.

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Henry's Sour Pickles, 40 cents.
Henry's Fancy Sweet Gherkins, 50 cents.
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