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THE BATTLE OF BALLOTS

Americans Will Choose Between Roosevelt and Parker Today

Both Sides Confident of Victory--Betting Favors Republicans--Extraordinary Precautions Against Illegal Voting

New York, Nov. 7—Election eve finds both parties claiming the state. Today the leaders took the last estimates of their committeemen and then each side put forth its declarations, the democrats pinning their faith to a statement by Charles Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, that the vote for Parker in Greater New York would be the greatest ever given a democratic candidate, while the republican view was expressed by governor Odell, who said Parker's plurality in the city would have to be more than 100,000 if he was to carry the state. Two years ago, Coler, the democratic candidate for governor, had 122,600 plurality over Odell in the city, but was defeated, Odell having 130,800 plurality in the rest of the state. The feature of the election in this city promises to be a remarkably close watching of the polls. The plans to prevent illegal voting have been made on a scale that is far ahead of all former efforts. In addition to the party watchers and the city's 8,000 policemen, everyone of them will be on election duty, superintendent Morgan of the state election bureau for the metropolitan district, will have more than 2,000 detectives at work to prevent the casting of ballots by those not entitled to vote, and a force of 100 secret service men will watch for foreign born men who may present fraudulent naturalization papers.

With good weather promised, tonight's indications are that the vote cast tomorrow will be the heaviest ever known in New York city, and perhaps, throughout the state.

The betting on the presidential result was livelier today than at any other time during the campaign. It is estimated that nearly $200,000 were wagered on the Broadstreet curb and in the various hotels. Ruling odds were 6 to 1 on Roosevelt on the general result, two to one that Roosevelt will carry New York state and two to one that Herrick will defeat Higgins for the governorship.

One bet on the president was $5,000 to $800. One man offered $50,000 or any part of it at odds of 5 to 1 on Roosevelt without takers. The heaviest state bet was $12,000 to $8,500 on Herrick.

Another Herrick bet was $5000 to $4000. A Wall street house offered a bet of $5000 even that Roosevelt will carry New York, New Jersey, Connecticut and Indiana and West Virginia, but there were no takers. One bettor placed $6000 against $6000 that Parker will carry New York state. A Wall street firm put up $2000 at odd of 2 to 1 that the president will carry New York and announced that it had $10,000 to place at the same odds. On national and state issues it is estimated that $2,000,000 has been wagered in New York city.

Washington, Nov. 7.—A few hours before the balloting in the presidential contest finds the national capital practically deserted by qualified electors. From every department of the government hundreds of the clerks have gone home to vote. Only two members of the cabinet, secretary Hay and secretary Morton, are in the city tonight. On account of his health, secretary Hay felt that he ought not to make the trip to Ohio at this time, and secretary Morton is detained here by important business in the navy department.

Arrangements have been completed for the president's trip to Oyster Bay where he goes to cast his vote. A special car for the accommodation of the president and his party will be attached to the Pennsylvania railroad train which leaves here for New York at 12.30 a.m. Mr. Roosevelt will be accompanied by secretary Loeb and several white house attaches who will also vote at Oyster Bay.

The president will remain at Oyster Bay only long enough to cast his vote, returning to New York in time to catch the 1.14 train for Washington. The party is scheduled to arrive here at 6.16 o'clock. Returns from the election will be received by the president at the White House. At the headquarters of both parties tonight the utmost confidence is expressed.

Betting on the result is heavier than ever before. Odds on general results are 6 to 1 in favor of Roosevelt and Fairbanks, but many wagers have been made at shorter odds. The interest of betting centres on New York. Odds of 10 to one have been offered that Roosevelt would carry the state and they have been accepted. Many wagers have been recorded also on the result in Maryland and West Virginia. Republican money is as scarce on the former state as democratic money is on the latter.

Boston, Nov. 7—The final word of the campaign was spoken tonight to voters throughout Massachusetts, who tomorrow will ballot for presidential electors, state officers, members of congress in the 14 districts, members of the state house of representatives and senate and county officers. It is upon the vote for governor and upon the choice for congressmen that the claims of the republicans are in conflict, the success of the Roosevelt electors being conceded by the democrats. The democrats claim the election of William L. Douglas, candidate for governor, and they will be disappointed if this is not achieved, or governor Bates plurality is not reduced to a small margin. The republican leaders predict governor Bates' re-election by the customary large pluarality.

White River Junction, Vermont, Nov. 7.—The electors of this state have no interest in tomorrow's election and no campaign has been conducted. It is estimated that Roosevelt will carry this state by 35,000 plurality. No candidates other than those for electors of president and vice-president will be voted for.

Concord, N. H., Nov. 7.—No sensation marked the closing hours of the campaign in New Hampshire but activity on the part of the leading parties continues. A heavy vote is expected throughout the state.

Portland, Me., Nov. 7.—Maine is considered surely republican by 25,000 or more plurality and comparatively little interest in the result in this state is taken.

Providence, R. I., Nov. 7.—The political campaign was concluded in this state tonight. It is expected that 85,000 ballots will be cast during the day. A plurality of 10,000, a decrease of 3000 from McKinley's plurality, is confidently expected by the republicans for Roosevelt, though the democrats figure on a small plurality. Governor L. F. C. Gearvin, the democratic nominee for re-election says he considers the situation favorable. A plurality of from 20,000 to 30,000 is claimed for his opponent, lieutenant governor Utter. Mr. Utter also professed to be sanguine as to the result.

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 7.—The political contest closed in Wisconsin with speeches in many places tonight. The republicans claim their electors will carry the state by a plurality of from 50,000 to 75,000. Chairman W. D. Connor, of the republican state central committee claims that governor Lafollette will have 75,000 plurality and that his ticket will be elected from top to bottom. The republicans claim six congressmen will be elected and that they have more than a chance of electing four others. Democratic state chairman Warden claims that Geo. W. Peck will be elected governor by 25,000 plurality and that the democrats will control the legislature.

Denver, Colo., Nov. 7.—Despite a tense feeling resulting from the sharp contest over the governorship, indications point to a peaceful election, throughout the state, with the possible exception of Teller county where the republicans and democrats accuse each other of provoking trouble. Largely attended meetings were held tonight in leading cities and town, and enthusiasm reached a high pitch. Neither side has modified its claims of a sweeping victory, but republicans and democrats alike agree that Roosevelt and Fairbanks will get many more votes than former republican candidates.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 7.—Robert C. Dunn, republican candidate for governor and John A. Johnson, democratic candidate, spoke in Minneapolis tonight. Dunn claims the state by 50,000. The democrats estimate Johnson's plurality 26,000.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 7.—The republican state committee estimates a plurality of not less than 20,000 in the state with 7000 or more in St. Louis. The democrats estimate a gubernatorial plurality of not less than 48,000 with the remainder of the state and national ticket a little under that figure.

Reno, Nevada, Nov. 7—The campaign which closed tonight has been conducted with much vigor by both parties. It is generally conceded that Roosevelt, so far as presidential electors are concerned, is in doubt.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Nov. 7.—The republicans are confident that their ticket in Ohio will be successful. The democrats expect to gain three or four congressmen.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 7—Chairman Walsh of the democratic state central committee said tonight that both Parker and Robertson will carry the state by magnificent majorities. Republocan state chairman Kennedy says Roosevelt will carry Connecticut with 15,000 majority.

Trenton, N. J., Nov. 7.—The republicans are confident of carrying the state for Roosevelt by from 35,000 to 40,000. The democrats are claiming that Parker will have a small plurality.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Nov. 7.—The republicans claim a plurality of 50,000 for Roosevelt. The state legislature will also be solidly republican.

Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 7.—The democratic managers in Arkansas claim not less than 50,000 plurality.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Nov. 7.—The republicans claim all five congressmen, and the state legislature, while the democrats say they will elect the five congressmen and will control the legislature on joint ballot, insuring a democratic senator to succeed senator Scott.

Lincoln, Neb. Nov. 7.—Roosevelt's plurality, the republicans say, will not be far from 40,000.

KILLED HIS SISTER.

Mayne Island Boy Shoots an Otter With Fatal Result.

[Special to The Daily News]

Victoria, Nov. 7.—Little Katherine David, aged 12, the child of a pioneer resident of Mayne island was buried today as the result of a shot fired by her brother two years her senior, on Saturday, while she was herself trying to save a younger member of the family from identically the same fate. The children had noticed an otter on the beach and the older boy got his rifle. As he was about to shoot, the girl saw that the baby of the house had got in the line of fire. She rushed out to save him and herself received the bullet through the abdomen. Suffering great agonies she was taken by rowboat out to a passing steamer and brought to the hospital here where she died within an hour. Strange to say the bullet after passing through the child killed the otter.

MADE A FATAL STEP

PROMINENT NANAIMO BARRISTER FALLS ON A MOUNTAIN.

C. H. BARKER, WHILE HUNTING WENT OVER A PRECIPICE.

[Special to The Daily News]

Victoria, Nov. 7.—Charles H. Barker, one of Nanaimo's foremost barristers is dying at his home as a result of a misstep in the dark, that plunged him over a precipice 30 feet in height. He and John Teague went deer hunting yesterday, Barker getting a fine buck. Nightfall found them still on the mountains, and missing the trail, Barker with his deer on his back went plunging down an abyss. Teague made his way down but found his companion unconscious. He stayed by him all night ina howling wind and rainstorm. At daylight he went in search of help.

Barker was carried into town this afternoon, still unconscious. It is said his spine is broken and that he has received internal injuries.

ANOTHER SEAT.

Liberal Candidate in Qu'Appelle Has Been Counted in Winnipeg, Nov. 7—L. Thompson, liberal, is elected for Qu'Appelle by 12 majority.

(In the first returns Lake, conservative, was reported to have carried this seat.)

WYOMING BANDITS ESCAPE.

Casper, Wyoming, Nov. 7.—Sheriff Webb and party returned to Casper this afternoon from their pursuit of the bandits who held up the First National bank of Cody and killed cashier Middaugh. Not a trace of the outlaws was discovered and it is the opinion of the officers that they have escaped.

POLITICIAN GOES TO JAIL.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 7.—State representative T. F. Curley and alderman J. M. Curley were sentenced today in the United States circuit court to serve two months in jail for having impersonated others at a civil service examination. T. F. Curley is a candidate for re-election.

WILL CONCEDE EVERYTHING

London, Nov. 7.—Colonial secretary Lyttleton in a speech at Leamington tonight said there was an excellent reason for the hope of the almost immediate agreement by Russia to all of Great Britain's desires in connection with the North sea affair.

CUBAN CONGRESS ASSEMBLES

National Leaders Decide to Abandon Obstructive Tactics

Havana, Nov. 7—The winter session of congress opened today. The nationalist leaders declare that they will not pursue the obstructive tactics which characterized the summer session. In his message president Palma refers to the amount due the veterans and suggests a perpetual debt at 3 per cent interest per annum. He asks for an appropriation for sanitation on the island, as health conditions render it necessary. Next year's expense budget totals $19,000,000 of which president Palma proposes to spend $2,500,000 on new roads and bridges. There are now 30 schools on the island with 1200 pupils.

SUIT FOR $50,000,000

Case Against the Standard Oil Dropped but Now Re-Entered

Boston, Nov. 7—The suit for $50,000,000 brought by Elizabeth T. Greenough of New York against Henry H. Rogers of the Standard Oil company, which was dismissed by agreement of the parties on Sept. 24th last, was re-entered today in the supreme court. Mrs. Greenough is administratrix of the estate of her husband Benjamin F. Greenough, an inventor, and seeks to recover for the use of an invention for the treating of petroleum to make it non-explosive.

FOUL PLAY SUSPECTED

George Gilley Drowned at Westminster Under Peculiar Circumstances

[Special to The Daily News]

New Westminster, Nov. 7—George Gilley, a prominent steamboat man, was drowned here Thursday night. The body was found this morning. There was a deep clean cut in the head. A pint of blood was found on the wharf from which he fell or was thrown. The inquest is adjourned and in the meantime the authorities are looking for Chester Jackson, who was last seen with him.

RESIGNED UNDER FIRE

Montreal, Nov. 7—David Legalit, chief of police has resigned. In the recorder's court saturday a number of women who run houses of ill fame swore they had paid the chief money for protection. The chief denied the tuth of the charges but has resigned.

The city council decided today to investigate the charges made against chief of police Legault, by keepers of disorderly houses, of accepting protection money from them. It is understood that a number of other members of the force are implicated. Sensational evidence is expected.

DROWNED AT PORT ARTHUR

Port Arthur, Nov. 7—The body of Thomas Kinleon was taken from the bay near the Canadian Northern dock tonight. He was reported missing about a month ago. He had been employed at the Empire elevator.

COWAN GOES TO MONTREAL

Windsor, Ont., Nov. 7—M. K. Cowan, K.C., formerly member for South Essex, will with his family permanently reside in Montreal. He has accepted a position with the Grand Trunk and Grand Trunk Pacific terminal department.

END OF SIEGE DRAWS NEAR

Japs Gain Highly Important Position at Port Arthur

Bombardment Causes Extensive Destruction of Forts--Quiet Around Mukden--Activities Begin in Korea

Chicago, Nov. 7.—A Daily News despatch from Dalny, November 6th, via Kobe, November 7th, says: "After three days of continuous bombardment of Port Arthur, which caused extensive destruction to the Shojusan and Niryusan forts in the west centre of the Russian line of defense and also to Keekwan fort, the right wing of the Japanese army assaulted Shojusan yesterday afternoon. Having carried the approaches to the height, the assailants entrenched themselves under the glacis of the forts. In the evening, the left wing delivered an assault on Keekwan, fighting its way into the lower parapet. There the Japanese held their ground in face of the Russian counter attacks.

"Having been reinforced during the night, the Russians charged down upon the Japanese and a desperate hand to hand conflict ensued.

"The Japanese beat back the enemy and destroyed two covered positions in the front moat. A Japanese sub-lieutenant with 30 volunteers, then succeeded in making his way to the rear of the fort. There he engaged in a personal conflict with a Russian officer and killed him. Having discovered two more defenses in the rear moat the sub-lieutenant withdrew his force, losing two men.

Later in the night the advanced position of the Japanese was taken and retaken twice. The besiegers succeeded in holding the approaches and constructing their trenches. At dawn numbers of dead were visible on the slope. Fort "P" north of the new batteries in the left centre of the line was captured. These operations have successfully driven an effective wedge into the Russian centre.

"Several explosions and extensive fires have occurred in the fortress within the last few days. The total casualties of the Japanese in the late attacks were 1000. Over 600 were killed up to October 29th. The spirit of the men is magnificent: The firing of all the guns is wonderfully effective.

"The climax to the late bombardment came between 4 and 6 o'clock Saturday afternoon. It was a superb spectacle. Every fort of the enemy was engaged and the fighting in the trenches was severe. The outposts of the contending forces were only 40 feet apart. At 1 o'clock this morning one Japanese trench collapsed into the Russian gallery. The enemy, being surprised under ground fled in confusion."

ALMOST IN CONTACT.

Opposing Armies Only Separated By Yards in Some Places.

Mukden, Nov. 7.—The Russian and Japanese armies extending from Bentsiaputze on the east to the Liao river on the west, at places are almost within a stone's throw of each other. At Bensiaputze not more than four hundred yards separate the advance posts and at Sinchinpu on the Shakhe river, just west of the railway and 15 miles south of Mukden, the Japanese and Russians occupy the extreme ends of the same village. At Huang Shantse, the Russian centre has thrown advance posts across the Shakhe river. Both armies are still strengthening their positions all along the line. The slightest movement on either side is the signal for firing which occasionally lasts all night. The Russians are using six-inch guns on the railway which must greatly harass the Japanese. Undoubtedly the most decisive, if not the greatest battle of the war, will be fought in the vicinity of the Shakhe river. The Russians are confident of their ability to hold their positions. The soldiers are building mud huts for winter quarters. The nights continue cold, but the days are bright and crisp.

RUSSIANS ACTIVE IN KOREA

Japan Sends Reinforcements There Fearing Attitude of Natives.

New York, Nov. 7.—A despatch to Herald, from Wonson, Korea, October 28th, via Che Foo, November 6th, says that 15,000 Russian troops are south of the Tumen river with 32 guns. Of these 6000 of the main body are quartered at Kyung Sung, 2000 along the coast in town garrisons and 4000 cavalry are thrown out westward in small bodies menacing the Japanese line of communication and railway construction between Ping Yang and Wiju by frequent cross country raids. The remainder of 3000 are operating in strong scouting detachments to the south of Hoowan.

The Russian cavalry by long detours frequently appear in the rear of the Japanese outposts within a mile of the gates of Ham Hung, immediately disappearing upon the Japanese infantry making a sortie from the city.

The Russians have reoccupied Hamgatan pass, a small force of Japanese retiring to Yaksanung upon the Russian approach. Thus the outposts of both the east coast armies await developments some 300 miles apart. The Japanese are provisioning Ham Hung, where 2000 troops of their main body are now quartered. The Russians some days ago cut the telegraph near Sakho between Wonson and Ham Hung.

The correspondent is informed by an official at Wonson that the inequality in size of the two armies will be lessened by reinforcements numbering 15,000 who have already left Japan. Nevertheless the Japanese authorities display evident anxiety which is augmented by the attitude of the Ham Hung natives, who are distinctly unfavorable to the Japanese occupation, forming secret societies which promise speedy death to any Korean discovered assisting the Japanese and thus making it very difficult to obtain the much needed interpreters, guides and coolies. Statements from trusteworthy sources at Wonson indicate the use of Wonson harbor as a naval base this winter, harbors north being ice bound. This is foreshadowed by the arrival of transports loaded with naval stores and complete signalling apparatus.

MOBILIZING OFFICERS.

Many Required to Fill Vacancies Created By Jap Bullets.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 7.—The necessity for officers for service at the front has resulted in the mobolization of all reserve officers in St. Petersburg, Vilna, Warsaw, Kieff, Odessa, Moscow, Kazan, and the Caucaus. The loss of officers at Liao Yang and below Mukden was about 1300. The mobilization, while intended to supply the deficiency is also necessary on account of the grand scale on which the war in the far east is to be prosecuted.

The news from the front indicates that general Kouropatkin is giving his attention chiefly to keep ing the Japanese busy along the line of fortifications below the Shakhe river.

JAPANESE ATTACKS REPULSED

Mukden, Nov. 7.—The Japanese on Saturday night attacked some of the Russian outposts in considerable force, but the Russians had been warned and the Japanese were repulsed. They were not able to take away all their killed or wounded leaving 28 bodies on the field. The Russians lost only nine men.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 7.—General Kouropatkin announces the repulse of a Japanese attack on his right flank on November 5th. Six Russians were killed. No reports of fighting were received today.

Mukden, Nov. 7.—Quiet continues here. The Japanese are working hard entrenching their front.

DEWEY MAY ACT.

Will Probably Be Offered a Place on International Commission.

Washington, Nov. 7.—Unofficially though from an official source, officers of the navy on duty in Washington have learned that the American navy will be invited to send a representative as a member of the Anglo-Russian inquiry commission which will investigate the Dogger Bank affair. It can be stated that admiral Dewey will, of course, be given the refusal of this mission and his acceptance will be most agreeable to the officials. The admiral has given no intimation as to his decision.

ALEXIEFF MAY BE TRANSFERRED

St. Petersburg, Nov. 7—Viceroy Alexieff arrived in St. Petersburg Friday. There is renewed talk that he may be transferred as viceroy to the Caucasus on account of the situation there. General Grippenburg, commander of the second Manchurian army and his staff leave Vilna November 17th.

Besides the mobilization of the Plock and Czestochova rifle brigades the mobilization of other brigades stationed at Chemerinka and Sualawa is proceeding.

COLLIER PASSES BOSPHORUS

Constantinople, Nov. 7.—The Russian volunteer fleet steamer Van Roneja, loaded with coal and provisions passed through the Bosphorus at noon today bound for the Mediterranean.

W. C. T. U. MEETING

Mrs. A. O. Rutherford Addresses a Large Gathering

The lecture by Mrs. A. O. Rutherford of the dominion W.C.T.U. in the Baptist church Sunday evening at three o'clock in regular service was very largely attended, the proportion of men present being especially gratifying to the promoters of the meeting.

Mrs. Rutherford, whose whole life is devoted to the organization and encouragement of temperance work, spoke for about an hour. She is a very pleasing speaker, and held the very close attention of all her hearers from the beginning to the end.

Mrs. Rutherford quoted scientific and medical statistics from all the countries of Europe and America to show the advance that is being made by the temperance cause, and asserted that steady progress is being made everywhere, due in a large part to the efforts of organized temperance workers. Referring to Canada Mrs. Rutherford gave a brief history of the organization and work of the dominion council of the W.C.T.U. In British Columbia the organization is confined to the cities of the coast, where much valuable work is being done. An effort will be made to form local unions throughout the Kootenay and other districts of the interior.

At the close of the meeting Mrs. Rutherford asked for volunteers for a Nelson Union, and received many names. Yesterday was spent calling upon these, and others whose names were suggested, with gratifying results. The early organization of a strong union is now assured.

HUME SCHOOL MEETING

A meeting of the residents of the Hume Addition was held last night in Heywood's hall to receive the report of the committee appointed to look into the question of available sites for a new school and to find the probable cost of site and of a new building.

D. Munro was elected chairman and J. Irwin secretary.

John Patterson, chairman of the committee reported that three properties had been investigated, one at the corner of Nelson avenue and Cottonwood street, owed by three Victoria parties and assessed at $150; one owned by Mr. Labby, valued at $600 and a third consisting of three lots of the Ward estate, valued at $1,200.

The committee recommended the first mentioned site. It was decided that Harry Wright, M.L.A. for Ymir district, be asked to bring the matter to the attention of the education department and also to find out at what price the owners in Victoria will sell the property desired.

There was considerable discussion over the report and over the condition of the present school building. It was brought out in discussion that the building is valued at $1500. A letter, accompanied by plans, from Alex. Carrie, architect, was read, stating that a good building, capable of accommodating 160 children, could be built for $7800.

Votes of thanks were passed to the committee, the chairman, the secretary and to Mr. Heywood for the use of the hall.

B C STANDARD COMPANY

INFORMAL MEETING OF THE LOCAL SHAREHOLDERS

UNANIMOUSLY APPROVE PLANS FOR THE FUTURE

An informal meeting of the local shareholders of the B. C. Standard Mining company was held yesterday afternoon at 2.30 in the board of trade rooms. There was a very full attendance of those interested in the company's properties, the Standard and the Hunter V.

The directors and management gave the meeting an account of the properties, their operations and results. Some account of these have already appeared in these columns.

J. J. Campbell stated after the meeting that the directors' informal report might be fairly summarized by saying that both mines owned by the company are being operated with good results, the quantity and quality of ore in sight form the ground of bright expectations, on the ore already shipped and treated a fair profit has been made and there is no reason to doubt that this can be maintained.

The shareholders were quite satisfied with the conditions revealed in the report, and informally fully endorsed the plans for the immediate future laid before them by the directors.

CAPTURED THE RESERVOIR

R.M.R. Make a Night Attack—Press Correspondents Treated a la Japanese

The local laid forces stationed here have been somewhat put out at the prominence given in the press to the movements of composite Boska's special fleet and consequently when a representative of The Daily News attempted to gain some definite information as to the meaning of the rather mysterious advertisement which appeared in last Saturday's issue, calling on the local garrison as represented by No. 2 company R.M.R., to turn out on Monday evening, he got a taste of the new regulations which are evidently based on the Japanese idea. Captain H. E. Macdonell, the officer in charge, when asked what was doing, suddenly got busy in thought, and subsequently replied that "many things might happen." Evidently quoting from the new regulations, which are said to provide officers with stated answers for press correspondents. Mr. Becker of the C.P.R. staff, who is on the strength of No. 2 company, was taken aside and interrogated, but he acquired the Japanese habit right off; stiffened up, and remarked that newspaper men were strictly forbidden to ask questions of mere privates and referred the scribe to Col. lord Aylmer at Ottawa.

Briefly what happened last night follows: (This account is official and has been censored.) "No 2 company paraded at the armory at 7 p.m. Blank cartridge was served out and Sergeant Porter and a detachment were sent on to hold the city reservoir against all comers. Later the reservoir was attacked from three different points by the balance of the company and captured after a hot fight. The Maxim was hauled up to a commanding position that enabled it to sweep the defenders off the face of the —— reservoir. The company then formed up and victors and vanquished returned to the armory. Lieutenant Girouard was in command of the attacking forces." The list of disabled men is withheld. It is the intention to repeat the march out and attack at an early date.

L. O. T. M. INSPECTED

Mrs. Marion Baxter, an editorial writer on the Seattle Post Intelligencer, and deputy supreme commander of the Ladies of the Maccabees of the dominion, inspected the local hive last night. Later Mrs. Baxter stated that Nelson hive was one of the best and most progressive she had visited. The order is gaining rapidly in numbers and is being extended to Europe. Mrs. Baxter has organized the order in New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Manitoba. She has found that the influence of the lodge on women is excellent, it tends to develop intelligent interest in public affairs and to inspire confidence in themselves.

AYLESWORTH TO BE SEATED

Solicitor General Lemieux Will Vacate Gaspe in His Favor

Montreal, Nov. 7—Solicitor general Lemieux, who was elected for both Nicolet and Gaspe, has, at the request of sir Wilfrid Laurier, decided to hold the Nicolet seat and turn the Gaspe seat over to Hon. A. B. Aylesworth. It is likely that Aylesworth will be elected by acclamation. Sir Wilfrid, who was elected for Wright and Quebec east, will sit for the former.

AFTERMATH OF ELECTIONS

Toronto polled 37,000 votes. It gave the five elected Tories a maority of nearly 500. J. K. Leslie, liberal, who ran against A. E. Kemp in Toronto east, lost his deposit.

The complete returns in the Winnipeg city election showed that Mr. Puttee, labor candidate, lost his deposit, the figures being as follows: Bole, liberal, 1252; Evans, conservative, 1066; Puttee, labor, 1277; Bole's plurality over Evans, 246. Much regret was expressed that the laborite had lost his deposit after his strong fight. Of the total vote on the registration list, 13,500, a total of 2535 ballots were cast.

MACKINTOSH AT MOYIE

Moyie, Nov. 7—C. H. Mackintosh, conservative candidate in Kootenay, addressed a large meeting here on Friday evening. W. Blakemore of Nelson, and J. A. Harvey of Cranbrook, also spoke in his interest.

W. A. Galliher was represented by J. C. Drewery and Alfred Parr of Ymir. A. P. McDonald acted as chairman.

At times the discussion waxed warm, but the crowd was good natured and had their fun at the wind up in giving three cheers for Galliher and sir Wilfrid Laurier.

END OF A STRIKE

Lasalle, Nov. 7—The Hoisting Engineers' union in Illinois is a thing of the past. All the coal mines in the district resumed operations today as if there had been no strike. The old engineers have returned to work and have joined the Miners' union.

STOPS WINNIPEG PAVING

Winnipeg, Nov. 7 — The asphalt plant owned by the city of Winnipeg was burned early this morning. The building was a light frame structure but the machinery was of the latest and the loss will be over $20,000. All work on asphalt street pavements will be stopped for a year.

FIRE AT CARDSTON

Winnipeg, Nov. 7—Meagre details of a large fire at Cardston, Alberta, reached here today. The Alberta hotel was among the buildings destroyed.

AYLESWORTH STILL IN IT

To be Provided a Seat and Probably Retained in Cabinet

Fitzpatrick to Succeed Blair on Railway Commission--No More Charters for Wireless Telegraph Companies

[Special to The Daily News]

Ottawa, Nov. 7.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier was in his office in the Eastern block this afternoon. He is looking exceedingly well after his arduous campaign.

The premier left at noon to call upon his excellency the governor-general.

Asked if Mr. Aylesworth was to be provided with a seat, sir Wilfrid replied that he could have either one of the two in the province of Quebec. One of these was Gaspe, where he could be elected by acclamation. Sir Wilfrid did not say where the other one was although there is no doubt it is Quebec east or Wright which he now holds.

If Aylesworth is allowed to be elected by acclamation the liberals will not oppose Borden in any constituency that is opened for him.

There will be a cabinet meeting on Wednesday when all the ministers are expected to be present.

Sir Wilfrid will leave in about two weeks for the south for a rest, that is if he can get away.

The report is current today that hon. Charles Fitzpatrick will be chairman of the Railway Commission in place of hon. A. G. Blair. In that case Aylesworth would become minister of justice.

The dominion government does not intend to charter any more wireless telegraph companies. It has been hinted from Great Britain that it would be advisable for the government to keep these under control in case of war. The government has got good control over the Marconi charter.

Full returns from Pontiac elect Brabanzon, conservative, by 80 majority. This makes a government majority of 70 out of a full house of 214.

Borden is to get an Ontario constituency.

SEAT FOR BORDEN.

[Special to The Daily News]

Lindsay, Ont., Nov. 7.—Colonel Sam Hughes, conservative member for Victoria and Haliburton, has offered to resign in favor of Mr. Borden, if his party approves locally.

WILL NOT NAME CANDIDATES

Quebec Tories Pow Over Short Time for Electioneering

Montreal, Nov. 7—The members of the opposition in the legislature met in caucus today and it was decided that the Conservatives could not put any candidates in the field in the provincial elections which are fixed for Nov. 25. The reason is that the time allowed is too short to permit of any effective work being done in presenting the issues to the people. Hon. Mr. Flynn has issued a manifesto protesting against the precipitancy with which the elections have been brought on.

NEW FORM OF REGULATION

Rev. W. W. Baer gave a very interesting lecture last night at the Success club hall on "Municipalization of the Liquor Traffic." He discussed the attitude toward the traffic assumed by the different classes and denominations. He declared that municipal morality is a department of municipal economics and from that point of view dealt with his subject. He described present regulation of the traffic as a failure and ascribed it to faulty methods and defective public opinion the result of unfortunate conditions and environment.

The speaker admitted that while he would like prohibition if it were feasible, the present and past conditions had established rights of individuals, manufacturers, dealers and consumers, which could not be disregarded. He opposed the objection that state regulation of any kind means partnership, the fact that such regulation exist now "and we must make the best of it." He stated as a fair aim that while the public share the responsibility they should share the profit and attempt to limit the evil. As the best means to this end he proposed control of the traffic by municipalities. He suggested one or more dispensaries in each municipality to be abolished when a two-thirds majority decide. He detailed the advantages of this; it would stop treating and carousing in bar rooms, remove the temptation to wasteful spending, and yet not irritate individuals by making dinking impossible.

Messrs. Black, Punnett, Ebbs, Mackay and Rev. G. Morton Walker discussed the address. There were different opinions expressed on details but all complimented the lecturer on having presented in lucid form a new and good suggestion on a well worn subject.

YALE-CARIBOO

Duncan Ross, the liberal candidate in Yale-Cariboo, came in from up river points last evening and leaves this morning accompanied by F. J. Deane of this city, for the remainder.

A meeting will be held on Tuesday night at O.O Demoro where Smith Curtis, among others will speak.

Mr Ross' itinerary will include a great meeting at Greenwood next Saturday evening at which senator Templeman, R. G. Macpherson and possibly Ralph Smith will speak. The following week Mr. Ross will go into the Similkameen and Okanagan country.

ANOTHER LIBERAL ELECTED

St. Johns, Nfld., Nov. 7—The complete polls of Trinity district show the election of Miller, the third of the liberal candidates by a majority of 16. There remains only two districts to be reported. Stormy weather prevents the collection of the ballot boxes.

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KOOTENAY AND YALE-CARIBOO

The electors of Kootenay and Yale-Cariboo have still their duty to perform in the matter of choosing representatives in the dominion parliament.

Had the elections taken place in these two constituencies on the same day as elsewhere in the dominion, there is no reason to think that the verdict would have differed from that rendered by the four coast constituencies.

Both W. A. Galliher and Duncan Ross would have been elected by substantial majorities.

The reasons that would have impelled a majority of the electors to have cast their votes then for the liberal candidates hold just as good today.

Primarily the liberal candidates would have received popular support on the record of the Laurier administration. The liberal government had done a very great deal that commended itself to the electorate. Without attributing to the liberal government all the blessings that have come to Canada in the past few years, it was fair to urge that the liberal government had made the most of the opportunities as they arose and by good business methods had turned every advantage to the best interests of Canada as a whole.

The result of the polling on November 3rd shows clearly that this view prevailed with the great mass of electors in other parts of the dominion and here in Kootenay and Yale-Cariboo the same considerations should weigh.

Again, a very large vote would have gone to Galliher and Ross because of the practical steps taken by the government to assist the mining industry. The government's recognition of the claims of those engaged in silver-lead mining had not only a distinctly beneficial effect upon that branch of the industry, but materially stimulated other branches, including, especially, smelting.

There is just as strong ground today for this evidence of appreciation to be expressed at the polls as there was before it was known whether or not the liberal government would be sustained.

The liberal candidates in Kootenay and Yale-Cariboo had a fair claim to the generous support of every voter directly or indirectly interested in the prosperity of the mining industry. This claim still holds. In fact, if anything, it is stronger than ever now. For the next five years a liberal government will be in control. Much as has been done already for the mining industry, there remains very much more to do. We shall need representatives at Ottawa who will present our claims fairly and forcibly, men whose standing with the party in power will ensure their representations receiving friendly consideration.

Mr. Galliher has already given proof of his capacity to guard the interests of Kootenay. In Mr. Ross he will have a colleague, thoroughly conversant with our requirements and ready at all times to work in hearty cooperation with him for the advancement of the interests of southern British Columbia.

So far as can be learned there is not the slightest doubt of the election of both Mr. Galliher and Mr. Ross. Still it is very much to be desired that the vote on November 22nd should be an unmistakable evidence of the confidence of the electorate in the Laurier administration. In order that such an unqualified expression of opinion may be obtained every liberal should work hard from now on to ensure the polling of the biggest vote possible.

A thousand majority each should be the point aimed at by every supporter of Galliher and Ross.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Sir Hibbert Tupper telegraphed a Winnipeg friend day before the 3rd that the four contests in this province would be decided in favor of the conservatives. Sir Hibbert has no better luck in his guesses than had his respected father, whose "clean sweep" predictions, were formerly a feature of every dominion campaign.

A seat is to be found for hon. A. B. Aylesworth, probably Gaspe, Quebec. Mr. Aylesworth will make a valuable acquisition to the house of commons, both as a debater and as an advisor to the government. If it should prove to be correct that hon. Charles Fitzpatrick is to succeed hon. A. G. Blair as chairman of the Railway Commission, Mr. Aylesworth would fill the position of minister of justice admirably. He has the legal knowledge and the judicial mind that would eminently qualify him for that responsible office.

As an illustration of "adequate protection" our conservative friends might cite the $500 head tax on Chinese coming into Canada. This tax has proved prohibitive, not a Chinaman coming in since the new tax was imposed. Possibly some of the conservative leaders would intimate that this tax was more than adequate. Certainly sir Mackenzie Bowell and senator Macdonald would denounce it as a monstrous imposition. Protection for labor was a feature of the tory protective policy always conspicuous by its absence.

Colonel Sam Hughes is willing to vacate his seat in favor of leader Borden. It would be a terrible thing if the horrid grits were to beat Borden in Ontario, but happily for the present leaderless party a disposition prevails among liberals to allow Mr. Borden to find a seat.

ITALIAN ELECTIONS

Returns Show Present Government is Returned to Power

Rome, Nov. 7—Definite returns show that all the members of the cabinet have been re-elected. Former premier Rurin, baron Sonnie, leader of the constitutional opposition, Signori Prinetti, the former foreign minister and Ferrier, the socialist, have also been elected.

The government has been victorious over the extremists, who lost 20 seats. Turin, Naples, Palermo and almost all the large towns joined Milan and Genoa in defeating the extremists and showing a manifestation against the general strike.

Signor Nasi, former minister of public instruction and a fugitive from justice, accused of peculation, was re-elected unanimously by his fellow townsmen.

Signor Palizolo, who is considered to be the head of the secret society was defeated at Palermo.

ENGLISH SHAREHOLDER'S VISIT

Horace Mayhew of Chester Eng., Speaks of Canadian Investments

Horace Mayhew of Chester, England, one of the owners of the Alice mine, Creston, arrived in the city Sunday evening after a visit of inspection to the mine.

Seen last night by a representative of The Daily News, Mr. Mayhew said that there was very little to report in connection with the Alice since his visit here last spring. The mine is being steadily operated wth satisfactory results. All the machinery is in place and working well; the new aerial tramway is a success and the general equipment of the mine leaves nothing to be desired. Generally, Mr. Mayhew said, the property's condition is quite satisfactory to the owners and to the management, and operations will be continued as long as this condition prevails.

Mr. Mayhew is a shareholder also in the B. C. Standard company, and expressed his pleasure at the gratifying developments in that company's properties.

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Mr. Mayhew leaves this morning for Nova Scotia. He has large interests in Cape Breton mines, but, as he has not visited them yet on this trip, he did not wish to speak of them.

Asked as to the political and general conditions in England, he said: "I cannot tell you anything more than you can see in the English papers. Trade conditions are good; of course they might be improved, that is always possible, but as long as they are good we are not inclined to make any very great changes. Political excitement is all in the newspapers. Throughout the country we don't feel it."

On being told that telegraphic repots indicate that the geneal elections in Great Britain are approaching, Mr. Mayhew said: "I don't think so. The government has still a very large majority; there is nothing approaching a crisis in sight, nor, as far as I can see, likely to arise. I see no occasion for a dissolution and no likelihood of one.

"No I can't say what the result of the next general elections is likely to be, nor when they will probably be held. I don't expect them for two years yet at the earliest."

ALLEGED INCENDIARY FIRE

Part of Hazelmere Company's Plant Destroyed at Hazelmere

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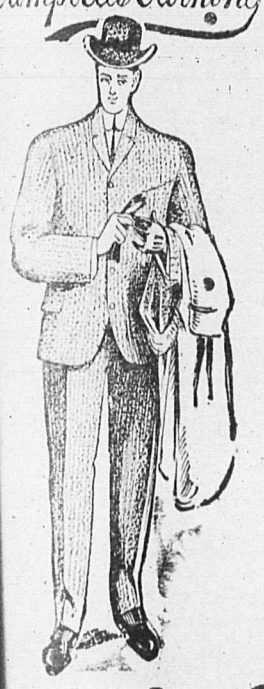

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GIVES IMPORTANT EVIDENCE IN THE YMIR ARSON CASE

HIS SUSPICIONS AROUSED BY REMOVAL OF GOODS

[Special to The Daily News]

Ymir, Nov. 7—The Atkinson arson case was continued here today, the witnesses examined being W. Stewart Newitt, T. H. Newitt, A. C. O'Neill and S. H. Seaney. W. S. Newitt, aged 12, stated that he, with a number of the town boys, were around on Hallowe'en playing tricks, but that they never went near the fire hall; that he was awakened by the whistle of the mill and of his running down to the fire, which at that time was on the back of three buildings, how that he with Graham, Atkinson and his father, went searching for the nozzels and of his noticing something bright under the Mirror office, which on examination proved to be the missing nozzels.

Mr. Newitt testified to his reaching the fire and of his being present when the nozzels were found.

A. C. O'Neill, postmaster at Ymir, stated that he left the office the evening of the fire at 10 o'clock and that everything apparently was in order.

S. H. Seaney proved an important witness, his place of business being next to Atkinson's building. He stated that he left his store about 9:30 p.m., when everything was all right. About 2 o'clock he was awakened and ran down to the fire and looked into Atkinson's building from the front and saw the whole inside on fire. He next looked into his grocery side and did not see any fire. He then went to the back of the buildings where the fire was the fiercest. He testified to seeing Harry Jackson take into Mr. Atkinson's store about October 20th, a quantity of gasoline, which was 74 per cent, while that which he used for his lamps was 76 per cent. He had seen goods taken from the drug store from time to time, which first aroused his suspicions. Atkinson some time ago asked him if his cellar was frost proof, stating that his own was not and that he was going to take some of his freezable goods to his house. Witness had paid particular attention of late to the drug store stock. What first aroused his suspicions was when he noticed a show case that contained expensive goods, replaced with toilet paper and also noticed advertising matter being hung to hide empty spaces on the shelves. Some time ago he went for some change and while Atkinson was getting same he examined a patent medicine, carbon and found that it was empty. He considered the stock about two-thirds rifled before the fire. Witness admitted an interest in the present prosecution. The case is certainly being well handled by both sides, every point being contested and it is hardly possible that the case will be through by tomorrow.

Provincial constable Young of Nelson, is assisting provincial constable Fraser in handling the case.

YMIR NEWS NOTES

[Special to The Daily News]

Ymir, Nov. 7—The Hunter V aerial tram will be operated in two shifts, which will enable the management to bring down 125 tons of ore per day instead of 75 tons as heretofore this being effective the beginning of the present week.

Newitt & Co. have assigned to E. B. McDermid of Nelson. This is the result of the late fire here. Their stock was about $7000, with insurance $500. Much sympathy is expressed for Mr. Newitt who has a large family, and through no fault of his own, is left without anything.

Joseph W. Leahy of the firm of Jackson & Leahy, is the proud father of a 10 pound daughter which was born Saturday.

The Ymir mine, under the new management of S. J. Speak is rapidly being improved and will soon be on a substantial paying basis. At present the outlook is certainly extremely bright.

MINING RECORDS

At the mining recorder's office on Monday certificates of work were issued to Peter Lindsay on the Charterstone, the Athabasca-Venus Co. Ltd on the Little Hope and to Alexander Long on the High ore and the Sad Note.

The following locations were recorded: H. W. Sterrett, C. E. Legg and C. P. Legg, recorded the Maud S and the Lucky Find near the international boundary line, about 200 feet south of Fish creek.

L. J. Winslow and Conrad Wolfle the Gold Coin on the Salmon river.

Conrad Wolfle the Pauline on Wild Horse creek, 9 miles from Ymir and adjoining the Foghorn on the west.

SOCIALIST MEETING

There was a large attendance at the regular meeting of the local socialist society in Miners' union hall on Sunday afternoon. A. Lackey presided and the chief speakers were Rev. E. H. H. Holman and Charles Winr of Kaslo. The Kootenay election, in which James A. Baker is the socialist candidate, was only touched upon incidentally, the topics referred to being existing industrial conditions and how socialists proposed to better them. Mr. Baker was not present, being away electioneering in the Slocan.

FAVORS THE LASH

Ontario Judge Says Certain Crimes in England Were Almost Stopped by it

In closing his address to the grand jury at the opening of the Toronto fall assizes Mr. Justice Macmahon, the presiding judge, dwelt on the question of sentences and punishments. Six or seven years ago, he stated, a bill was introduced into parliament providing for the whipping of offenders convicted of certain crimes, but for some reason or other the bill had never been passed. It was a pity that these offences were not punishable by the lash. In Toronto during the month of August there were 20 robberies on the streets, the perpetrators of which had never been apprehended. In London, Liverpool, Birmingham, Manchester and other English cities these crimes were very prevalent until the introduction of the lash, when they ceased almost entirely. "The lash," said Mr. justice McMahon, "might well be tried to put an end to that species of crime in our city." When offenders, he continued, had been convicted two or three times for similar offences, further imprisonment was useless, as they had determined to make crime their profession. He read extracts from articles read by Mr. justice Wills and sir Robert Anderson, both of whom were in favor of the lash.

When queen Victoria ascended the British throne in 1837 there were 53,000 criminals in penal servitude. The lash was introduced and today there were 3700 persons in penal servitude. In 1837 there were 25 millions of people in England and today there were twice that number.

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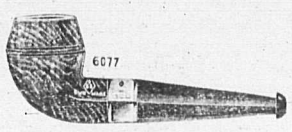

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NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

The directors of the Kootenay Lake general hospital will meet this afternoon.

Provincial constable Charles Young is attending the trial of the Ymir arson case.

No. 2 company R.M.R. will give a dance in the armory on the evening of Thanksgiving day, Nov. 17th.

At the Kootenay Lake general hospital on Monday, Nov. 7th, the wife of R. G. Brown of Waneta, of a daughter.

A. V. Mason, manager of the Nelson Electric Tramway, returned Sunday evening from a business trip to Vancouver, Victoria and Seattle.

Miss Gretchen Phair left for the east Sunday morning. She will spend a couple of months in Toronto and will then visit her old home in Fredericton, N. B.

As announced in another column of this issue, the At Home of Nelson lodge, No. 25, K. of P., which was to have been held this evening has been indefinitely postponed.

There is on view today a handsome oil painting to be raffled at the Sisters' fair. It is the work of the students of Gonzaga college, Spokane, and was presented by them.

His honor judge Leamy left for Trout Lake yesterday and will hold county court sittings there today, going to Kaslo and holding sittings there on the 10th, Thursday.

No one appeared yesterday before C. D. Blackwood's court of revision of the voters' list for Nelson City electoral district and no changes were made in the list as closed six weeks ago. The court simply met and adjourned.

R. J. Beaty, now of Vancouver, but who was in the real estate and insurance business in the Kootenays some years ago, spent yesterday in the city, leaving last night for Rossland.

G. O. Buchanan is at the Strathcona. "Lead has gone higher again," he said last night. "It is now quoted at £12 10s. 3d. and that means a lot of calculations for me in reference to the lead bounty. If lead will go to £15 10s. I will have to take a holiday."

Captain Pete Nelson of the cruiser Klondike, has returned from a somewhat perilous trip to Lardo, a run of 150 miles. He took a shooting party along and although the hunters had no particular luck, the trip north and back proved a thoroughly enjoyable one. Pete says there were the most strange craft around Kaslo, but he never sighted the vessel, and reached this port in safety without being fired on, or challenged, let alone searched, by any man-of-war.

James A. Baker, the socialist candidate for the Kootenay riding, returned last evening from a successful electioneering tour through the Slocan country. He visited Slocan City, Silverton, New Denver, Sandon and Kaslo, holding public meetings that were well attended at the last two places. Mr. Baker said last night that his future movements were uncertain and he could not say when he would start out again but it is his purpose to cover the riding before election day.

A meeting of the works committee of the city council was called for the council chamber yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Aldermen Giker and Kirkpatrick appeared, and discussed the matters referred to them, but as they wanted definite reports on the probable cost of works asked for, they decided to meet again before the next meeting of the council, Thursday night. The matters to be decided are a petition from William Park, asking for a sewer to his property on Vernon street; and one from E. C. Traves and others asking for the grading of Edgewood avenue.

Chief of police W. H. Bullock-Webster has returned from attending the sittings of the assize court at Vancouver. One of the principal cases heard was that of Rex. vs. Johnnie Kay, the 16 year old lad finally convicted of the murder of a farmer last spring. Mr. Webster says that the stories circulated about Kay being in a dying state from consumption are incorrect. Kay was worn out through nervous tension and showed it. From previous convictions it appears that Kay had become an habitual criminal before he committed the murder in question. If the executive clemency is exercised, Kay will probably be kept away from further temptation for a long period.

At the exhibition building on Vernon street this afternoon at 2 o'clock, Charles A. Waterman & Co. auctioneers, will hold a sale of valuable household effects. The goods will be on exhibition this morning.

Tonight at the Methodist church there will be a meeting of the Young People's society. A literary and musical program will be rendered which has been prepared by Mrs. Baer. A very cordial invitation is extended to all friends of the society.

Mrs. A. McCuaig, wife of Archibald McCuaig, carpenter, died yesterday morning at her residence, Silica street. Mrs. McCuaig has been suffering from phlebitis for about six weeks. It was not decided last night whether or not the body should be sent to Seattle for burial.

P. Lamont, president of the Canada Drug & Book company, returned Sunday night from a visit to the maritime provinces. Mr. Lamont left Nelson over a month ago and has spent most of his time at his old home on Prince Edward Island. He also visited New Brunswick and Nova Scotia and saw something of the election excitement in all three provinces. Business conditions do not change rapidly in Canada's far east, but this year has been particularly unfortunate for the agricultural interest. A severe and continued drought has reduced the crops to less than half their normal value. Nova Scotia has suffered most and farmers there have practically no surplus product to ship. On the contrary they are importing largely from Ontario and Quebec to meet the winter demand. The hay crop was almost a total failure; vegetables and fruit have suffered also but not so much. There is a boom in Halifax, between Halifax and St. John for the terminus of the new transcontinental railway. The people of Nova Scotia trust that Mr. Fielding with a solid provincial representation behind him will be able to secure the prize for their capital city.

SUCCESS CLUB PROGRAM

A meeting of the program committee of the Success club was held last night in the club committee rooms and the program for the season was completed. When approved by the board of managers, which meets this evening, it will be printed and circulated. The program provides for five or six lectures under Women's Council auspices; eight more sessions of the mock parliament; two more club lectures and three debates.

Nothing is provided for December 26th or January 2nd, 1905, as Christmas and New Year's day falling on Sunday, it is presumed that the Mondays following will be celebrated as holidays. One of the remaining lectures will be by A. L. McKillop, the other is not arranged finally.

The subject for the first debate, which will be held on November 28th, is "Resolved that war is inconsistent with Christianity and modern civilization."

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QUEENS—T. R. Newman, McCoy's ranch; H. J. Stewart, Portland; R. Barker, Toronto; F. Adie, Waneta; Mrs. J. M. Barton Creston; J. Hamblin, Poplar; R. Cumming, Sandon; A. Sheridan and wife, Ainsworth; R. Lawrence, Lardo; I. Dickson, Corvell.

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J. W. ROSS' ESTATE

Probate has been granted by his honor, judge Leamy, of the will of the late J. W. Ross, justice of the peace, of Ymir, who died very suddenly on the 25th of last month. The widow, Sarah Francis Ross was the applicant, and under the terms of the will made on the 2nd of August, 1899, all of the estate of the deceased, both real and personal, is bequeathed to her, the testator stating in his will that he had already provided for his son and that he left it optional with his wife to make their child any further allowance or not. The personal estate of the deceased amounts to about $600. P. E. Wilson appeared for the applicant.

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