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LIBERALS ONCE MORE WIN

General Elections Result in Conservatives Being Badly Beaten and Their Leader, Mr. R. L. Borden, Meets Defeat at Halifax

Ralph Smith is Returned in Nanaimo Constituency by a Majority of More Than Three Hundred Over MR. Wolley

The Laurier government made a clean sweep of the country, not only keeping their lead but increasing their majority in the house. The Conservatives did not make the gains expected in Quebec, and in Nova Scotia as far as returns have been received, did not win a single seat. In British Columbia, too, all four of the constituencies where elections were held returned Liberals. From the very imperfect returns yet at hand, it appears as if the elections for far have resulted in 115 Liberals to 60 Conservatives, which indicates plainly that the majority of the Liberals will be very large. In Nanaimo constituency Mr. Smith is elected with over 300 majority with a few places yet to hear from that cannot have much effect on the result.

The vote in Vancouver was the largest ever polled there. It stood: Macpherson, Lib., 2,931; Ellis, Con., 2,062; Mortimer, Socialist, 743; McGeer, Independent Lib., 46. Total of 5,783 votes was polled.

In Victoria the election figures were: Riley, Lib., 1,690; Prior, Con., 1,192; Walters, Socialist, 336.

An Eastern estimate received by telegraph, places the figures at 133 Liberals to 74 Conservatives driving them up as follows:

| | Libs. | Cons. |
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| Quebec | 54 | 11 |
| Ontario | 37 | 48 |
| Nova Scotia | 18 | - |
| New Brunswick | 6 | 7 |
| Prince Edward Island | 1 | 3 |
| Manitoba | 7 | 4 |
| Northwest Territories | 6 | 1 |
| British Columbia | 4 | 0 |
| | 133 | 74 |

RALPH SMITH WINS.

Nanaimo constituency has returned Mr. Ralph Smith, the former member by a very handsome majority in spite of the able fight put up by both Conservatives and Socialists. In Ladysmith as many expected, the Socialists led the poll, but at Nanaimo and the lower parts of the constituency Mr. Smith had majorities with very few exceptions. As the returns began coming in last night the crowds around the committee rooms gathered, and until nearly ten o'clock when the results of the elections throughout the country were no longer in doubt, they eagerly awaited the news that came over the wires by telephone and telegraph. It was a very good natured throng, the defeated parties good humoredly answering the chaff thrown at them by the successful Liberals.

Ralph Smith, who has again been returned as member for Nanaimo, 1858 and came to Canada in 1892. was born in Cornwall, England, in He soon entered public life, running for the legislature in 1894 against John Bryden, but was defeated, losing his deposit. In 1898 he was elected to the provincial house for South Nanaimo and in 1900 was successful in his contest for the Commons, beating Mr. Sloan and Mr. Wolley, one of his opponents in the present election. He now for a second time returns to Ottawa. Of all the votes cast yesterday in Ladysmith there were only four spoiled, two being blank.

BRITISH COLUMBIA

Nanaimo—Ralph Smith, Lib., over 300 majority.
New Westminster—J. B. Kennedy, Lib., 43 majority.
Vancouver City—R. G. Macpherson Lib., 901 majority.
Victoria City—G. Riley, Lib., 508 majority.

THE VOTE

| | Smith | Fenton | Wolley |
|-------------|-------|--------|--------|
| Cobble Hill | 11 | 0 | 26 |
| Nanaimo | 382 | 377 | 250 |
| Chemainus | 17 | 2 | 28 |
| Duncans | 67 | 6 | 80 |

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| Ladysmith | 165 | 183 | 140 |
| S. Wellington | 11 | 7 | 6 |
| Shawnigan Lake | 4 | 10 | 4 |
| Crofton | 2 | 0 | 11 |
| Sooke | 18 | 0 | 5 |
| Saanich | 44 | 3 | 39 |
| Sidney | 80 | 4 | 30 |
| South Cedar | 14 | 7 | 23 |
| Northfield | 15 | 53 | 10 |
| Mt. Sicker | 23 | 18 | 19 |
| Esquimalt | 115 | 0 | 71 |
| Port Renfrew | 15 | 0 | 3 |
| Salt Spring | 56 | 8 | 31 |
| Metchosin | 36 | 2 | 35 |
| Colwood | 28 | 0 | 33 |
| Gabriola | 16 | 7 | 7 |
| Salt Spring | 56 | 31 | 8 |
| Thetis Island | 4 | 4 | 0 |
| Cedar Hill | 34 | 3 | 34 |
| Boleskin | 59 | 8 | 43 |
| Otter Point | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Willows | 54 | 5 | 34 |
| Total—Smith, 1,343; Fenton 738; Wolley, 961. | | | |
| Pender Island, South Sidney, Galiano and Mayne Islands, not yet in. | | | |

ONTARIO

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| Algona East, A. E. Dymont, Lib. | |
| Algona West, A. C. Boyce, Con. | |
| Brant, Hon. W. Patterson, Lib. | |
| Brantford, Cockshutt, Con. | |
| Brockville, D. Derbyshire, Lib. | |
| Bruce, North, A. E. Belcher, Con. majority 324. | |
| Bruce, South, P. H. Mackenzie, Lib. | |
| Carleton, E. Kidd, Con. | |
| Dufferin, J. Bar, Con. | |
| Dundas, A. Broder, Con. | |
| Durham, H. A. Ward, Con. | |
| Elgin East, A. B. Ingham, Con. | |
| Elgin, West, Jackson, Con., 500 majority. | |
| Essex, North, R. F. Father and, Lib. | |
| Essex, South, A. H. Clarke, Lib. | |
| Frontenac, D. Avery, Con. | |
| Glengarry, J. T. Schell, Lib. | |
| Grey, East, T. S. Sprout, Con. | |
| Grey, North, W. P. Telford, Lib. | |
| Grey, South, H. H. Miller, Lib. | |
| Haldimand, E. Labor, Con. | |
| Halton, D. Henderson, Con. | |
| Hamilton, East, F. C. Bruce, Con. | |
| Hastings, West, Porter, Con. | |
| Hastings, East, Northop, Con. | |
| Huron, East, T. Christolm, Con. | |
| Huron, West, E. N. Lewis, Con. | |
| Kent, East, D. A. Gordon, Lib. | |
| Kingston, W. Harty, Lib. | |
| Lambton, West, Johnson, Lib. | |
| Lanark, South, J. G. Haggard, Con. 890. | |
| Lincoln, South, Lancaster, Con., 150. | |
| Lennox and Addington, N. Wilson, Con. | |
| Leeds, G. Taylor, Con. | |
| London, Hon. C. S. Hyman, 300. | |
| Middlesex, North, R. Boston, Lib. | |
| Middlesex, West, W. S. Colvert, Lib. | |
| Muskoka, W. Wright, Con. | |
| Nipissing, C. A. McCol, Lib. | |
| Norfolk, Hon. G. Tisdale, Con. | |
| Northumberland, E. Cochrane, Con. | |
| Northumberland, West, McColl, Lib. | |
| Ontario, North, G. D. Grant, Lib. | |
| Ontario South, Christie, Con. | |
| Ottawa, (two members) Belcourt, Lib., 5,998; Stewart, Lib., 5,561; Berkett, Con., 4,890; Champagne, Con., 4,476. | |
| Oxford, North, Hon. J. Sutherland, Lib., majority, 1,000. | |
| Oxford, South, M. S. Schell, Lib., majority 390. | |
| Parry Sound, R. J. Watson, Lib., majority 111. | |
| Peel, R. Bain, Con., majority, 7. | |
| Perth, North, McLaren, Con., 200 | |
| Perth, South, M. H. McIntyre, Lib., 69. | |
| Peterboro, West, R. R. Hall, Lib., 200. | |
| Prescott, M. Proulx, Lib., 1,100. | |
| Prince Edward, G. O. Alcom, Con., 300. | |
| Renfrew, South, A. A. Wright, Lib. | |
| Simcoe, East, Bennett, Con. | |
| Simcoe, North, L. G. McCarthy, Con. | |
| Simcoe, South, Lennox, Con. | |
| Stormont, R. A. Pringle, Con. | |

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| Toronto, East, Kemp, Con., 1,800. |
| Toronto, West, Osler, Con. |
| Toronto, North, Foster, Con. |
| Victoria-Haliburton, S. Hughes, Con. |
| Waterloo, North, Seagram, Con., 200. |
| Waterloo, South, Clare, Con. |
| Welland, W. M. Geeman, Lib., 300. |
| Wellington, North, T. Martin, Lib., 302. |
| Wentworth, W. O. Sealey, Lib. |
| York, North, Sir Wm. Mulock. |
| York, Centre, A. Campbell, Lib. |
| York, South, W. F. MacClean, Con., 500. |
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QUEBEC

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| Argenteuil, G. H. Perley, Con., 100. |
| Bagot, J. E. Marcell, Lib. |
| Beauce, H. S. Beland, Lib. |
| Beauharnois, J. G. R. Bergeron, Con., 26. |
| Bellechase, O. E. Talbot, Lib., 75. |
| Berthier, P. E. Archambault, Lib., 100. |
| Bonaventure, C. Marcell, Lib. |
| Brome, Hon. S. A. Fisher, Lib. |
| Chambly-Vercheres, V. Geoffroy, Lib., 157. |
| Charlevoix, R. Forget, Con., 35. |
| Chateauguay, J. P. Brown, Lib., 500. |
| Chicoutimi-Saguenay, Savard, Lib. |
| Dorchester, J. B. Morin, Con. |
| Drummond-Athabaska, L. Lavergne, Lib., 2,100. |
| Hochelega, L. A. Rivet, Lib. |
| Jacques Cartier, F. D. Monk, Con. |
| Joliette, C. Bazinet, Lib., 200. |
| Kamouraska, J. Lapointe, Lib. |
| Labelle, H. Bourassa, Lib. |
| Laprarie-Napierville, R. Lanctot, Lib., 203. |
| Levis, L. J. Demers, Lib., 35. |
| Lotbiniere, Reid, Con., 481. |
| Maisonneuve, H. Mayrand, Lib. |
| Menagiste/Savoie, Lib. |
| Missisquoi, D. B. Meigs, Lib., 300. |
| Montcalm, T. O. Dugas, Lib. |
| Montmorency, G. Parent, Lib. |
| Montreal, St. Anne's, D. Gallery, Lib., 730. |
| Montreal, St. Antoine, H. B. Ames, Con., 357. |
| Montreal, St. James, H. Gervais, Lib., 1,335. |
| Montreal, St. Lawrence, R. Bickerdike, Lib., 300. |
| Montreal, St. Mary's, C. Piche, Lib., 430. |
| Nicolet, R. Lemieux, Lib., 185. |
| Pontiac, M. S. Delisle, Lib. |
| Portneuf, A. Malouin, Lib., 300. |
| Quebec, East, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Lib., 2,040. |
| Quebec, West, W. Power, Lib. 395. |
| Quebec, country, Hon. C. Fitzpatrick, Lib., 1,088. |
| Quebec County, Fred Hodgins, Lib. |
| Richelieu, A. A. Bruncau, Lib. |
| Richmond-Wolf, E. W. Tobin, Lib., 500. |
| St. Hyacinthe, A. M. Beaupertant, Lib., 500. |
| Shefford, C. H. Parmelee, Lib., 600 |
| Sherbrooke, Dr. A. N. Worthington, Con., 200. |
| St. Johns-Iberville, L. P. Demers, Lib. |
| Soulanges, A. Boutonnais, Lib. |
| Stanstead, B. Lovell, Lib., 157. |
| Temisouata, C. A. Gauvreau, Lib. |
| Terrebonne, S. Desjardins, Lib., 140 |
| Vaudreuil, F. Bastien, Con., 477. |
| Levis, Demers, Lib. 660. |

NOVA SCOTIA

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| Annapolis, S. W. W. Pickup, Lib. |
| Antigonish, C. F. McIsaac, Lib. |
| Cape Breton and Victoria, D. D. McKenzie, Lib. |
| Cape Breton South, A. Johnston, Lib. |
| Colchester, F. A. Lawrence, Lib. |
| Cumberland, H. J. Logan, Lib. |
| Digby, A. J. S. Copp, Lib. |
| Guysboro, J. H. Sinclair, Lib. |
| Halifax, W. Roche, Lib., defeats R. L. Borden. |
| Halifax, M. Carney, Lib. |

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| Hants, Dr. Black, Lib. |
| Inverness, A. A. McLennan, Lib. |
| King's, Sir F. W. Borden, Lib. |
| Lunenburg, A. K. McLean, Lib. |
| Pictou, E. M. McDonald, Lib. |
| Richmond, Dr. Finlayson, Lib. |
| Shelbourne-Queens, Hon. W. S. Fielding, Lib. |
| Yarmouth, B. B. Law, Lib. |

P. E. ISLAND

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| Prince, A. A. Lefurgey, Con. |
| Queen's, Alex. Martin, Con. |
| Queen's, L. E. Prowse, Lib. |

NEW BRUNSWICK

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| Gloucester, O. Turgeon, Lib., 900. |
| Northumberland, W. S. Loggie, Lib. |
| Restigouche, James Reid, Lib., 335 |
| Sunbury and Queen, R. D. Wilmot, Con. |
| Kent, LeBlanc, Lib. |
| York, Crockett, Con. |

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| Brandon, Hon. C. Sifton, Lib. |
| Marquette, M. J. Roche, Con. |
| Portage La Prairie, J. Crawford, Lib. |
| Winnipeg, D. W. Bole, Lib. |
| Souris, Schaffner, Con. |
| Selkirk, Jackson, Lib. |
| Lisgar, Greenway, Lib. |
| Macdonald, Staples, Con. |

THE TERRITORIES

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| Assiniboia, East, J. G. Turriff, Lib., leading. |
| Edmonton, R. Record, Con., leading. |
| Humboldt, A. G. Adamson, Lib. |
| Qu'Appelle, R. S. Lake, Con., leading. |
| Saskatchewan, H. Lamont, Lib. |
| Assiniboia, West, Scott, Lib. |
| Calgary, McCarthy, Con. |
| Alberta, McKenzie, Lib., leading. |
| Strathcona, Talbot, Lib., leading. |

GLAD TO HEAR IT.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 4.—Emperor Nicholas has personally acknowledged with a message of thanks and an expression of high satisfaction with which he received it, the address of the Saratoff Zemstvo conveying the deep gratification of that body at the interior Minister Sviatopolkmirsky's confidence in the Zemstvos. The address added that the Zemstvos was particularly grateful for the Emperor's care of the well being of his subjects amidst the anxieties and preoccupations of the war. His Majesty's message completely dispels the wild rumors of Minister Sviatopolk Mirsky's disgrace because of his liberal tendencies. The Minister's health is improving.

DOGS OF WAR.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 4.—The Japanese are using dogs to locate the positions of the Russian sentinels and outposts.

NO LOOTING.

A dispatch to the London Daily Mail says: In view of the false reports that have reached home regarding looting in Tibet, it is only fair to state that the strictest discipline has been maintained, and the troops have shown extraordinary restraint. The large quantities of Tibetan curios sent to India have either been purchased by officers or are legitimate from the enemy's abandoned camps at Karu and Karola, and part from the spoils of war. Part was taken from Niani Tse-chan monasteries which were strongly held by the Tibetans and were entered by our troops after hard fighting. Most of the valuable and interesting articles at Gyantse were reserved for the government, but innumerable small images were divided among the officers by a court appointed to decide the question. The great Pankhor Choide monastery was left intact, though we warned the Tibetans that no buildings

NEWFOUNDLAND RETURNS BONDS

Elections Result in Overwhelming Defeat for the Opposition

(Associated Press Despatches)
St. Johns, N. F., Nov. 4.—Completed returns from Twilling show the election of Premier Sir Robert Bond, surveyor General Clift and Mr. Roberts, Liberals, defeating Allan Goodridge, Donald Morrison and Frederick Mews, opposition. Mr. Morrison is a former judge of the Supreme Court. He resigned two years ago to re-enter politics and advocate the union of Newfoundland with Canada. Mr. Morrison is grand master of the Orange Association in Newfoundland and is one of the five Tory leaders opposing Premier Bond. The government has now twenty-five seats and the opposition five.

STOLE HER JEWELRY.

San Francisco, Nov. 4.—Arnold Gundelinger, a retired merchant and his wife were held up on their apartments at the Hotel Dorchester and robbed of jewelry valued at \$2,500. According to Mr. Gundelinger's story, a former bellboy of the hotel James Gates, was admitted to his apartments to look at the plumbing. Gates then drew a revolver and compelled Mrs. Gundelinger to surrender her jewels. Gates made his escape.

KAY TO HANG.

Young Kay, the youth who has been on trial at Vancouver for the murder of a rancher named last January, was found guilty yesterday afternoon and sentenced to hang on January 17. Kay is only 17 years of age.

WHAT IS ALLOWED.

London, Nov. 4.—Foreign Secretary Lansdowne in a letter dated Nov. 3, has informed a British ship owning firm that, "It is not permissible for British owners to charter their vessels for the purpose of following the Russian fleet with coal." The letter was in reply to a direct query from the firm which drew the attention of the foreign office to the British collier Roddam which was then lying at Vigo waiting the arrival of the Russian squadron and asked if the British owners were entitled to charter their vessels for this purpose.

STUDENTS RIOTING

Innsbruck, Austria, Nov. 4.—The rising of the students at the university here became so serious during the night that troops with fixed bayonets, marched into the midst of the German demonstrators at 2 o'clock this morning. The latter were besieging and wrecking the hotels occupied by the Italians. An artist was killed by a bayonet thrust through the heart and many persons were wounded. The building occupied by the Italian faculty of the university was wrecked.

HARD TO KEEP WARM.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 4.—While no formal reply will be made to the Japanese protest regarding the use of Chinese clothes by the Russians, it is understood that foreign minister Lamsdorff, when the protest was presented, informally denied the charge that there had been a violation of the Geneva convention. He explained that there might have been some isolated cases where soldiers whose winter overcoats had not arrived, had donned Chinese overcoats, but not for the purpose claimed.

used for military purposes would be spared.

No enemy has been treated with such leniency as the Tibetans. Except at Gyantse, all produce taken on the road was paid for, and compensation was given to the villagers for damage done to the crops.

No doubt there were a few cases of individual looting during and after the protracted operations at Gyantse, but the perpetrators when discovered were severely dealt with.

At Nigartse two Sepoys were sentenced to two years' imprisonment for attempting to rob a monastery, and another who took the earrings from a native of the country was severely flogged.

MCGREGOR AGAIN BEHIND BARS

Attended Political Meeting at Nanaimo After Breaking Out of Jail

Tells How He Came to Take Clothes and leave Ladysmith

The lockup again holds as an unwilling guest the man McGregor who took French leave through the bars on Halloween. He returned in company with Provincial Constable Cassidy from Vancouver last night and tells a very interesting story of his exploits from his point of view. He maintains that he never intended to steal the clothes that stuck to him when he left the vicinity of the Wheatstheaf. He lay down in a barn and was cold, so he rose and found the clothes handy and wrapped them round him. Then he was frightened out of the barn by a person coming in with a lantern and the clothes incidentally accompanied him on the road down here, including some blankets that Mr. R. Hughes identifies as his. Then after being locked up, a couple of good fairies disguised as hunters approached and spread the bars for Mr. McGregor to escape. The mark of the stove poker on the wood work inside to force the window up, however, does not quite tally with this. Then he proceeded to Chemainus, but fearing pursuit, doubled back to Nanaimo, which he reached on Tuesday morning and being a good politician, he attended Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper's address there on Tuesday evening. Had Mr. Cassidy been properly interested in the political issues of the day he would have come across Mr. McGregor sooner, for the latter remarked that he had expected to come across Mr. Cassidy at the meeting. To this Mr. Cassidy responded that had he known of McGregor going he certainly would have attended. However, McGregor next boarded the Joan on Wednesday for Vancouver, and was locked up by the crew for stowing away and was handed over to the police. That was how he was recognized and the reason for his return to the Ladysmith lockup. He was brought before Mr. Timson today and remanded.

DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

After a long illness contracted years ago in South Africa, John Nicholas died yesterday at the residence of his brother, Wm. Nicholas. He was 32 years of age and a native of Cornwall, Eng., going to the Transvaal he engaged in mining, but just before the war he left the country, having contracted phthisis, which eventually caused his death. He went to Colorado, and thence to Utah, coming here last fall to his relatives in hopes that this climate would improve him. He leaves a wife and one child in England, where his father and a sister also reside. His relatives in British Columbia are his brother, W. Nicholas of this city, Elias Nicholas, another brother and an uncle of the same name in Victoria. The funeral will take place from the residence of his brother on Sunday at 2 o'clock, to the Church of England.

MANY DROWN IN COLLISION

Bona, Algeria, Nov. 4.—A hundred persons were drowned last night by the sinking of the French steamer Garrone after having been in collision with the French steamer Schialino near Herbillon. The Garrone left Bona with 110 passengers and of whom one hundred were Algerian natives.

CARNEGIE RECTOR.

Edinburgh, Nov. 4.—Andrew Carnegie has been unanimously re-elected Lord Rector of St. Andrew's University.

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THE ELECTIONS.

The old saying that there is nothing certain about a horse race or an election has again been proved by the result of the vote throughout Canada yesterday. Both sides were very confident of success, but it was hardly to be supposed that the Liberals would have won a very decisive victory, for it was generally admitted that the majority, whichever party was returned to power, would be fairly narrow.

the woolly aphid or even clear the dreaded cut worm from his land. The usefulness of the department might be increased wonderfully by the addition of one of the "Circle of Divine Ministry" as an expert to lecture before the Farmers' Institutes on the subject.

A SOLITARY HONEYMOON

Accompanied by his bride in spirit only, J.B. Forest of San Francisco, husband of a California heiress is in Chicago obeying her injunction to have a good time, says a Chicago despatch. He is doing it by spending large amounts of money on champagne and automobile rides and scattering bills among the employees of a local hotel.

It was about 9 o'clock when there came the toot of an automobile, and Mr. Forest leaped out from the machine.

They started for the register. He entered and he did not stop to take off his gloves, but spread, "Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Forest!" all over the register.

"Wife in the ladies' parlor, I guess?" said the clerk.

"No, not with me. Only in spirit. On my honeymoon. But she couldn't come and we are playing just as if she was."

The clerk gave him a suite on the parlor floor. Two bellboys picked up his belongings and the three were gone. Evidently the bridegroom believed in distributing his money, for there was a dollar in the pocket of each of the bellboys when he left.

Two minutes later a waiter from the buffet was summoned.

"Might open a small bottle," suggested the "one bridegroom." The waiter disappeared and returned a few minutes later.

"Send the best machine around to the entrance?" requested Mr. Forest. "I want to look at the town."

He returned at noon. The ride had cost him \$20. He was in a gracious mood in the afternoon.

"You see, it was like this," he began, after extracting another cork. "I used to be a professional escort. My business was to look after the comfort of ladies at so much an hour. One of my clients—that's what we call them in San Francisco—took a fancy to me. It was returned, I assure you."

Mr. Forest was silent a moment.

"Well, the upshot of it was that we were married. Now, she had traveled much, while I had never been outside of San Francisco.

There was another silence and another empty bottle.

"She suggested that we travel to New York on our honeymoon. Perhaps I've failed to mention that she possessed money. Well, as I was saying, she had planned to take me to New York. We were married but she became indisposed. Nothing serious, mind you, but she didn't feel like traveling."

Mr. Forrest stopped for just a moment.

"Of course I wanted to postpone the honeymoon," continued Mr. Forest. "It didn't make any difference whether I started one day or one year after the ceremony, but my wife insisted. I simply had to give in, and here I am."

"We planned it all very carefully. I'm to do just as I would if she was here. When I register it is for both. When I go sight-seeing, I'm to remember what I see that I may describe it to her. I'm not to be lonely. I'm to enjoy myself and have a good time. Rather odd honeymoon, don't you think?"

Old Gentleman—Since your uncle left you that legacy, Mrs. Casev, you must find your path in life much smoother.

Mrs. Casey—Shure, Oi dummo, sor. Oi foind the more ye hove to ate, the more dishes there is to wash.—Brooklyn Life.

Giffle—I notice you're smoking lots of good cigars lately.

Spinks—Yes; my oldest daughter has just become engaged.

Giffle—What's that got to do with it?

Spinks—Well, her young man takes

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'em out of his pocket each night before the regular seance begins, and puts 'em on the piano. In the fervor of parting he forgets 'em, and I gather 'em in the next morning.—Houston Chronicle.

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NEW INSECT PEST CURE.

The attention of the provincial department of agriculture is respectfully called to a new cult that has arisen in the state of New York. It is something novel to have religion applied to ridding the country of pests, but the people who have adopted these new tenets claim that applying the power of right thinking strongly enough will banish any evil. This is of course, somewhat after the theory of the Christian Scientist, but the prophetess of this new movement says that she has known of cockroaches having been driven from a house and acres of potato bugs cleared from Colorado fields by this power of thought instead of total immersion of the insect in Paris green. Just imagine what a boon this would be to the fruit grower or the farmer. Instead of working a spraying machine overtime, he could sit under a tree and by the exercise of a powerful lot of thinking rid his trees of

CHAIR OF COURTSHIP

Half in jest and half in earnest, a United States writer has set himself the task of advocating a Chair of Courtship and Matrimony in all women's colleges. Do mistake his initial idea. It is not to encourage the art of attracting the male bird—Nature has already endowed them with great powers in that direction—but "to aid them in the far less understood and vastly more important matter of selection." Of such education he is convinced that there is no class of women more in need than those who have embraced "the higher education." How does he propose to confer this matrimonial knowledge? First, there shall be a Professor of Courtship and Matrimony, a woman of "mature years, high native intelligence, and great social experience." She must have been courted and married, and if possible also undergone the experience of divorce. "It shall be her duty to lecture three times a week on the perils of modern society, and to illustrate her discourse, whenever possible, by placing on the platform specimens of the different types of men that a young girl may expect to encounter when she leaves college and begin to take up the serious duties of life."

One of the first lessons to be taught is that in order to make a really good match "it is necessary to wed either a pauper or a multi-millionaire." Girls are to avoid a man with only a small income, for he will be inclined towards laziness. They must also be cautious about the millionaire. "If you wish to make a really brilliant match, seek out some promising pauper who is congenial to you, and bestow your affections upon him. He will work hard in order to win you, and, having thus formed the habit of work, will continue it for the sake of providing you with the best that he can. "Don't accept a man at their own valuation, is another maxim to be remembered. Another man to be avoided is the "interesting man," of the sex are to be considered com-
Lessons in dealing with this species pulatory. Women are also to be warned of the "Histrionic Fakir," this is a very dangerous specimen, and the glamour of his profession offers many charms to silly women. The neglected genius of the brush is another type whose claims are always to be very fully examined and criticized.

One must not, however, forget the presence and power of the unappreciated dramatist. And, finally, comes the minor—the very minor—poet. Verse has its claims upon womanly susceptibility, hence the immediate danger of this worthy subject of attention of the incumbent of the new Chair of Courtship and Matrimony. This, of course, does not really exhaust the list of types to be avoided; it simply indicates a few of them. At the end of such a course of lectures it is presumed that the survivors will have learned some useful lessons in the great and important art of judging men. One is afraid, however, that such a Chair of Courtship and Matrimony can never turn the bent of a woman's will or the course of a woman's love. Love she must, and will; even if such love hurts her, and no scheme so ludicrous can ever hope to secure the control of her instincts.

FAULTY WARSHIPS.

The San Francisco Chronicle says: "Naval officers have succeeded for many months in keeping secret a peculiar structural feature of the new battleship Ohio, which, in the opinions of themselves as well as others, is nothing else than a glaring defect of a nature so serious that as one officer expressed it, amounts to an invitation to an enemy to do the vessel enormous damage in action. The defect consists in omitting to put armour around the after end of the superstructure, within which are mounted ten 6-inch rapid fire guns. This omission, it is held makes the big warship dangerously vulnerable in a vital part to hostile shots coming from either quarter. Furthermore, shells entering this place might do great damage to the engine room, the hatch of which is well aft inside the casemate, and a shell bursting inside the casemate of the armor would probably send fragments into the engine room.

The fault does not lie either with the builders or the naval constructors detailed to supervise the work. The Ohio was built strictly according to the plans and specifications which were made in the navy department in Washington, under the direction and scrutiny of the board of construction.

The Chronicle further says: The Ohio is not the only one of the new battleships with this fault. Her two sister ships, the Maine and the Missouri, as well as the Wisconsin, Alabama and Illinois, have this om-

ission.

Automobilists who violate the speed law have discovered a sure means for escaping minions of the law who pursue them. Ammonia, thrown by some sort of a syringe, is the safe-guard. At least, its use has been demonstrated successfully in a thrilling chase by a New York policeman mounted on a bicycle. The officer has arrested scores of automobilists and has become somewhat of a terror to those exceeding the speed limit. As he was pedalling up Fifth Avenue watching the endless streams of carriages and motor cars a big touring machine dashed past bearing two men and two women. He called upon the chauffeur to slow down, but a derisive laugh was the only answer, and the policeman took after the party. He did his best from Eighteenth street to Fortieth street, and had just reached the back of the machine when a puff of vapor shot into his face, and he tumbled headlong from his machine. The automobile party had disappeared when the officer regained his breath and trundled his broken bicycle to the station house.

FIRE FLIES.

The Smithsonian institution, while making inquiries into the cheapest forms of producing light, experimented with Cuban fireflies, among other things. The insects were placed in the centre of concave mirrors, and the most delicate instrument in the government observatory was employed to measure the amount of heat radiated by them.

A sperm candle was used for comparison, and a flame spot from it which was just as big as the firefly was thrown into the mirror. The instrument recorded the heat from the candle at once, but no movement was caused by the insect, although the instrument was so delicate that, had firefly produced even as little as one-eighth thousandth part of the heat produced by the tiny spot from the candle it would have shown on the records. It was different with light. Comparing the flame spot of the candle and the light from the insect, the instrument showed that the firefly gave one-eighth as much light as the candle, size for size.

MUSIC ON TAP.

Music out of a tap to be turned on or off like gas is the plan of a company which has asked for a concession from the Lewis and Clark Exposition. The company is represented by F. O. Abbott, a Seattle attorney, who is now in Baltimore, Md., but who promises to incorporate a company for \$75,000 and exploit the invention. The concession at the exposition is to advertise the scheme.

According to the story told the exposition officials by Abbott, the inventor, whose identity remains unknown, plans to place an orchestra in a central station. Tubes fitted with the inventor's secret apparatus will run from this station to the offices, stores or residences of the customers. The programme will be carried out daily. A customer notes that at a certain time his favorite piece of music will be played. He turns a key and a burst of music from brass, reed and stringed instruments fills the room. The subscriber gets the music he wants, sweeter and more natural in sound than when produced by a phonograph. It is believed that the music may, by this means, be served to customers as far distant from the central station as are the customers of a central steam-heating plant, which supplies an entire city by underground pipes.

The details of this invention are of course, closely guarded by Abbott. He is willing to put up a heavy bond to carry out his part of the contract, should the concession be granted. The phonograph plays no part in the invention, for the music is heard first-hand by the customer. It will it be necessary to stand as close to the music tube as to a phonograph, for the gas-pipe symphony may be heard for a considerable distance.

A PIONEER ENGINE.

Stanford University is placing in its museum the first locomotive to cross the continent from the Pacific coast. It is named the Governor Stanford No. 1. This engine was built in the early 60's, and was shipped from the east around Cape Horn in 1867. After the driving of the golden spike, the last act of the completion of the Central Pacific road, on May 10, 1869, this engine was used by Governor Stanford to draw his private train through Nevada to the scene of the exercises. The Central Pacific presented the engine to the university several years ago and it has been stored in a shed on the university campus, but it is now to be given a permanent place in the museum and to be polished and made to appear as nearly as possible as it did when it was in use.

Mrs. Henrietta E. V. Stannard the English novelist, more widely known as "John Strange Winter," is the latest recruit to Christian Science

from among the lesser notabilities of English society, and the Eddyites they are making a great to-do about her as disproving the charge that acceptance of their beliefs is dependent upon lack of intelligence.

The Prince of Waldenberg, a wealthy Viennese nobleman, and his newly wedded bride are spending their honeymoon in an original manner. Accompanied by a white mule which carries a small traveling outfit, they are making a walking tour through Italy. A large staff of servants with heavy luggage travels ahead of the bridal pair to arrange for their reception at the best hotels at the towns visited.

The crown prince of Sweden is not only a keen motorist, but he is a first-rate mechanical engineer, and it is even said in Stockholm that he has suggested several good improvements to existent French automobilists. King Oscar's eldest son and heir is, perhaps the most serious minded of future sovereigns; he led a studious youth and is highly cultivated. His royal highness is married to a first cousin of the German Emperor.

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LOCAL ITEMS

C. E. Stevenson, of Drysdale & Stevenson, is here from Nanaimo.

Mr. B. Weinrobe returns today from a week's trip to Union.

Mr. Freeman, of Lenz & Leizer was in town on business today.

And today the politicians are telling how it happened.

Mr. T. Heddle has an advertisement in this issue.

Everybody now agrees that the new wharf will be completed.

E. Rowland went up to Nanaimo on the noon train.

W. Fletcher, who has been away for some time on a vacation, returned today.

Geo. Williams, manager of the Nanaimo branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, is in town.

Married men must now invent some other excuse. They cannot claim that they have just been down to the committee rooms.

The Clay building on High Street has been rented, it is said, by an island rancher, who will open it up as a feed store, soon.

And now that white winged peace has spread her pinions over the land let the man who didn't elect his man conclude that the world will still move along.

AT THE ABBOTSFORD.

F. T. Moore, Victoria.

R. S. Grant, Seattle.

A. F. Ede, Toronto.

Jim McGeer got 46 votes for member in Vancouver. There are 45 more idiots in the Terminal City than there should be.

"I told you so."

Ladysmith young men are gallant, chivalrous and generous. A Ledger scribe noticed an instance of it last evening as he passed a plate glass window on First Avenue. A young man was giving a young lady every other bite of his apple. The core, he wrapped up in his handkerchief to keep as a relic.

MARINE

The Princess Victoria, fier of the S.P.R. fleet and the speed champion of the Pacific Ocean, has been docked at the Government dock at Esquimalt to undergo a general overhauling and receive a new tail shaft. After the accident to the Victoria some four months ago in the Narrows her starboard tailshaft was removed, trued up and its bearings rebushed. When the job was completed and the steamer given a trial spin it was found that her starboard engine was making several more revolutions per minute than her port engine. The defect could not be remedied, and it went into dock this fall the lame port tailshaft is to be removed side should be doctored a bit. Now was finally decided that when she and a new one, with new bushings in its bearings, is to be substituted. It is expected that the lameness of the steamer will thus be cured. The work on the Princess Victoria is being performed by Bullen and Company. While the Victoria is out of commission her place on the Vancouver-Victoria route is being taken by the steamer Charmer.

The schooner J. H. Lunsman was delayed at Port Townsend on arrival there from Victoria on account of two Jap members of her crew, who were rejected by the immigration authorities, and Captain Johnson was compelled to put them in the detention station awaiting a vessel for their native land. There is some doubt among the shipping fraternity regarding the legality of this action as to seamen, says a Port Townsend despatch. The shipping interests seem to think that the immigration officers have not the right to reject any seamen, if sound mentally and physically, and a test case will be made if the deporting continues.

SPORTS

Victoria plays the Nanaimo Hornets at Nanaimo to-morrow in a senior league Rugby match. The Victoria team will be composed of the following: Full back, A. Newcombe; three-quarters, S. Patton, F. A. Mcrae (capt.), L. Bell, A. Sargison; half-backs, W. Newcombe, H. Patton; forwards, Barnacle, Benson, Targett, P. Austin, A. McLean, L. Foot, W. Heath, R. Janion; reserve, C. Keefer. J. D. Quine will act as referee. The Nanaimo team will be composed of—Full back, A. Cassell; three-quarter backs, W. Graham, V. Stewart, A. Stewart, H. Killeen; half-backs, O. Randle, F. Snowden, A. E. Snowden, B. Ashman; forwards, Norman, O. Dobson, A. Waring, R. Vipond, C. Killeen, A. Sanford; reserves, M. Wilkinson, J. Killeen, C. Drake.

FISH HATCHERIES.

On Saturday last water was turned into the new hatchery at Harrison Lake. The hatchery has taken less than six weeks in construction, which is quite a record considering the size of the building. The construction of the Superintendent's residence is now being rushed forward. The new hatchery at Pool Creek is to be ready for next season's operations.

Judge Was Wrong.

A correspondent writes that in a certain family history it is related that "when Morgan county Ill. was first organized, a certain farmer was selected for justice of the peace. When the county was added to a circuit and a supreme court justice came down to hold a court, this justice of the peace, with the county attorney and others, called on him. The justice of the peace said, 'Judge, I want to ask you a question of law.' 'Ask your county attorney and these other lawyers of your county,' said the judge. 'Oh, I know as much law as those fellows. I want to ask you.' 'Well, what is it?' said the judge. 'Can a justice of the peace grant a divorce?' 'Certainly not; he has no jurisdiction,' said his honor. 'Well, judge, you're wrong,' said the justice of the peace. 'He can, for I granted one myself yesterday, and the gal's gone back to Missouri and the man's working down there in that field.'—Case and Comment.

A Furniture Party.

In some of the English periodicals devoted to feminine interests the exchange department is a feature. All sorts of things are offered for exchange and the swapping opportunities would delight the soul of an old fashioned Yankee. The following advertisement which appeared lately is out of the common: "Furniture—An antique Welsh oak dresser and six Chippendale chairs would entertain a Sheraton sideboard." In commenting upon this advertisement a London paper says: "Is this a new invitation to a furniture party? We know that servants in the absence of the family are said to occasionally receive their friends in the drawing room, but it would really be expensive if our chairs, tired of being sat upon so long, were to insist upon entertaining strange and heavy sideboards."—Exchange.

Greenwich, Ind., boasts of having the one of the strangest freaks in the country. It is a tree growing sturdily on the top of its courthouse tower.

The public health department of the city of London issues certificates to restaurants and bakeries which have been inspected and found in good sanitary condition.

Union bartenders, waiters and brewery hands recently went on strike in Bakersfield, Cal. The public hunger and thirst were only partly assuaged by the employment of Japanese strike breakers.

A Russian official in Egypt some time ago bought in the papyrus market a document which has proved to be a valuable addition to Greek literature. It is a commentary on Plato's "Theaitetos." It is to be printed at once.

The people of the Caucasus are said to be concealing imported arms by burying them in coffins with the usual funeral ceremonies, the police are not noticing that the death rate is rather higher than usual.

Japan's exports show their greatest gains in manufactured goods. In cotton goods it is most marked. Three cotton mill companies have ordered an aggregate of 1585 weaving looms to meet the expected further increased demand from China for cotton manufactures.

WHY THEY BLUNDERED

St. Petersburg, Nov. 4.—(1 p.m.)—The possibility that there may have been some misunderstanding the signals during the trawler incident in the North Sea, is suggested by a fact made public in an order of the day issued by Vice Admiral Choukmin, commander of the Black Sea fleet, which records the fact that officers of the latter fleet are so unfamiliar with the new code system adopted by the Admiralty that during the recent manoeuvres not a single ship understood or obeyed the Admiral's signals.

JUST FOR COMPANY.

A man well advanced in years is almost a daily visitor to Central Park. He is generally accompanied by a young woman. Some of the Park employees who observed the two thought they were father and daughter. After a while it was noticed that a different young woman appeared with the man about every two weeks. It was not possible that any man could have so many daughters. A person of an inquisitive turn of mind constituted himself an investigation. This is what he learned:

The old man is a person of means, and he pays fifty cents an hour for the society of any young woman of education who is willing to accompany him and entertain him on his rambles through the Park with bright conversation on any topic but love. As they pass about six hours a day in the Park, the girl earns \$3 a day just by talking. The different

objects in the Park evidently supply the different themes of discourse. Why the man changes his escorts every two weeks remains a mystery. Perhaps a young woman talks herself out in that time. Maybe he thinks it best to take no chances.

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TO OUR LADYSMITH CUSTOMERS

We are pleased to inform you that we shall open the South Store in the Williams' Block as a "Particular Grocery" on or about Thursday, Nov. 10th. We shall endeavor to run a clean, up-to-date Grocery business, not selling cheap goods, nor dear goods, but selling the very best goods, at close prices. We shall pay particular attention to cleanliness, prompt delivery, and to our customers' requirements.
Who was it wrote--"To err is human, to forgive divine."
It shall be our endeavor to avoid mistakes in Groceries, for those we make, we ask your forgiveness
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