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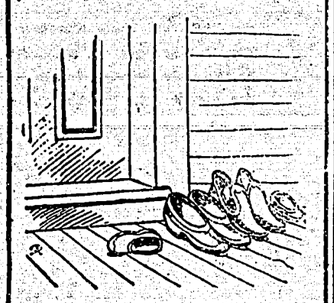

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### *VOTE STRAIGHT.*

Conservatives! This is the fight of a lifetime. It is the most important election contest of the whole campaign. There are scores of ridings in Ontario to day that would give anything to have the chance, which is presented to the electors of Yale-Cariboo and Burrard. The result of the general election in the other constituencies has left the issues on which it was fought plain and without disguise. They fought more or less in the dark. The contest here is being carried on in the face of plain and open facts. The Laurier government is in power by a majority of 40. Without the seats in the single province they would be in a minority of seventeen. In other words Canada outside of Quebec has declared against them. To the electors of Yale-Cariboo is given an opportunity, such as may never occur again of turning the scale in favor of Conservative principles and Conservative government. By your decision you can convey to the Laurier cabinet a message of coming defeat, sure and certain, in accents which they cannot disregard. Do not be led away by the specious claims of the so-called Independent Labor candidate. A vote for Foley is a vote for the Liberals. Anybody who attended Ralph Smith's meeting here last Saturday must see that this is true. You are Conservatives. Don't be beguiled into voting for a Liberal in disguise. You are Canadians loyal to the Empire and the flags. Are you quite sure what Foley's sentiments are on these points? He is said to be all the other way.

Vote for McKane, you know where he is at. There can be no mistake made there. He is a man of progressive ideas, A supporter of every feasible measure of social reform, a man who recognizes the immense possibilities of this district and who will urge upon the government its needs and requirements and above all an ardent and enthusiastic admirer of everything which as Canadians and loyal sons of the Empire you hold most sacred and most dear.

#### The Curling Club.

At a meeting held in G. S. McCarter's office on Friday evening the curling club was reorganized and officers elected as follows: H. A. Brown, president; G. S. McCarter, vice president; A. R. Hearn, sec.-treasurer; committee, A. J. McDonell, K. D. Johnson, D. M. Rae, A. McRae, A. M. Pinkham. The membership fee was fixed at $8.00 for the season and $1.00 extra for members not having stones of their own.

#### Ralph Smith's Meeting.

Ralph Smith, M. P. for Vancouver district was here on Saturday night and addressed the electors on behalf of Chris Foley in the opera house in the evening. W. A. Nettle was chairman of the meeting. Mr. Smith's speech, which was made to a good audience, was, as his speeches generally are, interesting. Practically the pith of it was elect Foley, if you can, and if you cannot then elect Galliher, or it might almost be put the other way. If you can't elect Galliher then elect Foley. It was a pure appeal for the Liberal government, only mentioning Foley quite at the end and the Labor leaders in town are wild about it.

**Vote For McKane.**

#### Japanese can Vote.

Chief Justice McColl gave his decision on Friday that the Provincial Legislature has no power to pass any legislation which does not apply alike to all British subjects, that in consequence section 8 of the Provincial Election Act which deprives the Japanese of the franchise is ultra vires and that in consequence Japanese naturalized subjects can vote in British Columbia. The World says that the Vancouver collector of votes declares that as the naturalized Japanese were illegally deprived of the votes by clause 8, which is now declared ultra vires, all that they have to do is to swear that they are properly qualified voters and they can vote in this election, without being on the voters list at all.

#### Fish River Winter Work.

There are 18 men working on the Black Bear and Wide West properties and 7 or 8 on the Eclipse, two miles above Camborne on Pool Creek. There are three miners at work on another claim just below the Eclipse and on the same lead. On the Eva, Highland Mary and Gold Dollar properties owned by the Imperial Ltd. of Rossland there are 16 men at work.

#### El President Cigars.

—Are good cigars, the kind that makes a man risk burning his lips to get the last whiff. If you are not one of our up-to-date customers who contribute to the enormous sale of these cigars, and you do not know how good they are, try one and be convinced. For sale at Brown's tobbacco store.

#### Voting Strength of the Riding.

The number of votes polled at the various polling places in this constituency last June was as follows:

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| Revelstoke | 400 |
| Trout Lake | 85 |
| Nakusp | 60 |
| Comaplix | 36 |
| Thomson's Landing | 30 |
| Halcyon | 7 |
| Illecillewaet | 25 |
| Albert Canyon | 9 |
| Glacier | 55 |
| Ferguson | 74 |
| Arrowhead | 54 |
| Burton | 21 |
| Fire Valley | 15 |
| Big Bend | 21 |
| Total | 916 |


# GREAT DEPARTMENTAL STORE

## ANOTHER BIG PURCHASE OF MEN'S UNDERWEAR

**The other day we heard of an underwear manufacturer who had a large assortment of Men's Underwear he wanted to clear out in a lump. They comprised his overmakes for the season and included what had been picked out from his best makes. We had the first chance to buy them and took all he had (some five hundred pieces) at a substantial discount. On Wednesday morning we place the entire assortment on sale at**

**ONE DOLLAR A GARMENT**

41 2-3 Dozen Men's Fleeced Lined Underwear, Ribbed Cuffs and Ankles, overlocked seams, Pearl Buttons. Most of this collection is made up of Undershirts in sizes up to 42. The goods were made to sell at $1.50 a garment. FOR SATURDAY OUR PRICE WILL BE ONE DOLLAR.

## Priestly Goods are Guaranteed Qualities.

When you see the Priestly name stamped on the selvedge of cloth you have then guarantee for the quality and dye of the cloth. We have proved the excellent qualities and superior merits of the Priestly goods and can recommend them to you. That means we refund your money if they do not give satisfaction. If you want to see a complete and up to date assortment of those worthy fabrics you can do so only at this store.

## Saturday Gainful Buying Opportunities.

Saturday must set the pace for the balance of the month with quick lively sales. We have counted the cost and are prepared to win your assistance with gainful buying chances such as these——

——10 Ladies' Tailor Made Suits made of all-wool homespun in light and dark greys and blue mixtures, the Jacket fly front sateen lined, the Skirt is lined with percalini and bound with velveteen—Our regular price $16 50—Saturday $12.50.

## Ladies' Flannelette Wrappers

In assorted colours, deep flounces—the waist is lined They are made from material the same as we used in making our $2.25 and $2.50 wrappers. Wednesday to sell at $1.65.

## Ready to wear Worthy to wear Stylish to wear

## Women's Top Coats and Dress Skirts.

We make a specially inviting price on these few coats—there are so few of them. The style is first class. The quality splendid and the weight as heavy as most people wear all winter long

10 Women's Imported Beaver Jackets cut with short front, double breasted, new coat sleeve. Colours—Black and Blue Black. Extra good value. Wednesday at $4.

12 Women's Unlined Dress Skirts cut double, inverted pleat back. Colours Navy Blue, good value at $3 Saturday at $2.25.

## TWO REMARKABLE BARGAINS

**$4.75 BLANKETS AT $3.75**

**Grey Cotton for Less than Mill Price**

It means a good deal when we say that these are the most Superlative Bargains ever offered in our staple department but that is the exact truth. Housekeepers will be enthusiastic over such tempting prices. The Blankets are of very fine quality with a half dollar more taken off what was already a low price, while the grey cotton is to be sold at quite a little less than mill price. These are most important items.

10 pairs only of extra superior Grey Blankets, soft, lofty finish, large sizes, regular price 4 50, Wednesday special 3 75

2 bales 36-inch Heavy Unbleached Cotton entirely free from sizing, round, even thread, good heavy weight, mill price to-day 8½, on Saturday we will sell 13 yards for $1.

## MEN'S OVERCOATS.

Short Box Back and Three Quarter Length are the correct styles,

Our clothing supremacy will be demonstrated once more on Saturday when we begin a week's business with this popular, stylish and most desirable top coat for TWELVE DOLLARS.

15 Men's Overcoats all new, stylish goods, made up in short box back, also three-quarter length, with full back fine Italian linings, regular sizes, special, Saturday, 12.00.

## BOURNE BROS.

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## MR. GALLIHER IS GUILTY

Finding of Independent Committee Unanimous.

Rossland, Nov. 29.—The committee appointed to investigate the charge made by John McKane against the Liberal candidate, W. A. Galliher, have found that it was well and truly made and fail to mention any extenuating circumstances. The following is the official report:

"The undersigned, having at your request investigated the truth of the charge made by John McKane, Liberal-Conservative candidate, at a meeting held in Rossland on the 15th day of November, 1900, to the effect that W. A. Galliher, Liberal candidate for Yale-Cariboo riding, had signed a certain petition to the minister of mines, dated April 1, 1899, requesting the suspension of the eight hour law, beg to report as follows:

That on the 29th day of November, 1900, Casimir Dickson, the secretary of the McKane election committee, appeared before us and submitted statutory declarations of himself and George S. B. Perry.

That Mr. Galliher was also present and made a statement to us.

Having heard the above declarations read, and Mr. Galliher's statement, we are of the opinion that Mr. Galliher signed the petition referred to by Mr. McKane."

We are, yours sincerely.
J. F. McCrae, Lib.,
Alexander Dick, Labor.
A. H. MacNeill, Cons.

#### That Eight-Hour Law Petition.

The way of it was this. There were two petitions got up against the eight hour law, one from the mine owners' association and one from the business men of Nelson. The mine owners' association was not a very hard one. Its main object was to get that date on which the eight hour clause was to come into force postponed for further consideration. It was signed by W. A. Galliher, as vice-president of the Dundee Gold Mining Co. The other petition, got up by the Nelson business men, as the opening words shew, "we the undersigned business men of Nelson," denounced the eight hour clause, predicted blue ruin would follow on its enactment and urged the Minister of Mines "to leave nothing undone or to take any action however strong or unusual to prevent any interference with the state of things which has hitherto existed here with regard to the relations between employer and employed." This is the petition, which Mr. McKane read on the platform here and which Mr. Galliher admitted signing as vice-president of the Dundee Gold Mining Co. As a matter of fact however he signed it as a Nelson business man, "W. A. Galliher, barister" and it was the other and much milder one got up by the mine owners association, which he signed as vice-president of the Dundee Gold Mining Co.

#### Church of England Concert.

The entertainment got up for last Thursday evening by the ladies of St. Peter's church drew a big house. The various numbers of the programme had been carefully prepared and a great deal of trouble taken to present them creditably. The result must have been very satisfactory to the ladies, who had taken such pains to get up the living pictures, cake walk and minuet, in which altogether nearly fifty people, many of them of tender age, took part. The living pictures were a novelty and were highly appreciated. The titles of the different numbers of the series and names of the performers were:

LIVING PICTURES.

1—Mary Mary Quite Contrary, Miss Eva Hobbs.
2—Little Boy Blue, Leo Solloway.
3—The Choristers, Tommy Corsan, Gordon Woodhouse and Jack Sibbald.
4—All Round the Year. Spring, Greta Shaw; Summer, Eric Coursier; Autumn, Francis Lawson; Winter, Frankie Carruthers.
5—The Doctor's Visit, Muriel Porter, Clifford Corsan.
6—The Guardian Angel, Miss Spurling and Isabell Henderson.
7—The Duchess of Devonshire, Mrs. E. H. S. McLean.
8—A Southern Beauty, Mary Edwards.
9—The Proposal, Mary Edwards and Harold Guerin.
11 Home From the Front, Miss Spurling.
12—Good Night, Aimee Grogan, Jean McLean, Helen Solloway, Isabel Henderson and Bessie Brundrette.

Another very attractive novelty in the programme was the minuet with the quaint costumes and stately movements of the dancers and the old fashioned plaintive music to which it was danced. The following is a list of those who took part in the minuet and who may be congratulated on their very successful performance of this graceful dance: Mesdames McCarter, McLean Risteen, Mademoiselles McConnell, Muckleston, Drake, Messrs. Wells, Pinkham, Macdonald, Fred. Taylor, Clark and Foster.

If the minuet was all poetry the cake walk was all fun. The juvenile performers entered heartily in the spirit of the dance and their grotesque appearance and costumes added to the merriment inspired by the free and easy antics of the dance. Those taking part were Nellie Dunne and Frank Guerin, Harriet and Percy Dafne, Mary Edwards and Harold Guerin and Hazel and Walter Buck, the last couple securing the cake.

The programme concluded with a comedietta in two acts entitled A Box of Monkeys, in which Mrs. Wilkes as the American society woman, Mrs. C. Holten as the aristocratic English beauty and Miss Drake as the vivacious Western belle took their respective parts very naturally and pleasingly. C. J. Wilkes and C. E. Shaw took the male roles of the cast, which they rendered very well indeed. In fact the acting was better than the piece, which was more suitable for private theaterals than for a public stage. The gross proceeds of the show are about $180 with about $50 expenses.

#### A Boy Swallowed a Dime.

—The boy was a dime in as well as a dime out. Had he given his father that dime he might have purchased an El President cigar, making ten cents do the work of twenty—value considered.

## THE CONSERVATIVE MEETING

A Magnificent Speech by Mayor Goodeve of Rossland.

There was a good attendance in the opera house on Monday night at the meeting in Mr. McKane's interests, which was addressed by Mayor Goodeve of Rossland. W. E. McLauchlin, president of the Conservative association, was in the chair and in response to his invitation Mr. Craig came forward as representative of the Labor candidate.

The first speaker was R. Tapping, who opened the ball with a short speech, explaining why he as an old Conservative, after voting last time for Mr. Laurier, had determined to return to the Conservative fold. He compared the railway policy of the two parties and explained how the Conservatives had assisted the Labor party. He also touched on the broken pledges of the temperance plebiscite and wound up by asking the electors to cast their votes for McKane.

The next speaker was Frank Craig, who spoke on behalf of the Labor candidates. He related an instance of Mr. Puttee's usefulness in getting the union scale paid on the contract government work on St. Andrew's docks on the Red River. He criticised the Conservative government for the manner in which they had subsidized the C. P. Railway, although he gave them credit for the work, which was a necessary work. One good thing the Conservative senate had done was to defeat the Yukon steal. The Liberals had no excuse for continuing the subsidy policy of railway construction. One was as deep in the mud as the other was deep in the mire. He appealed to the working men to vote for the miner, who knew the wants and needs of the people. He put it to them if they wanted to vote for W. A. Galliher, who had betrayed the people by signing the petition against the eight hour law. As between Foley the miner and McKane the mine owner where did they think their interest lay?

Mayor Goodeve of Rossland, was then called on. He said that the present election was one of the most important that had taken place in the Dominion. The Conservative party was one which gave equal rights to all men and special privileges. If the Liberal government had failed to carry out its pledges it was right that this great constituency should enter its protest against them. He dealt with the various tariff policies of the Liberal party. The one iniquity of the Conservatives was the tariff. They had now been in power for four years, they had reduced it by fourteen one hundredths of one per cent. He did not complain that they had not reduced the tariff. He did complain that they had broken their pledges and had framed the tariff not in Canadian but in American interests. He showed how they had handed over the Canadian coal oil industry to the Standard Oil trust, with the result that every oil well in Canada is now in their absolute control and the price is raised from 15c. to 25c. in Ontario, a difference which came out of the pockets of the poorer classes in Canada. They had reduced the duties on steel and iron with the result that Canadian working men are paying 25 per cent more on tools into the pockets of the iron and steel trust of the United States. They had, on the other hand, increased the duty on cotton from 22½ to 25 per cent, though cotton could not possibly be produced in Canada. They had given the United States the duty on corn and got nothing in return. He contrasted the reductions in the tariff made by Mr. Foster in 1891 and those made by the Laurier administration. While pledged to economy they had increased the debt. They had failed to get reciprocity, because they had previously given away all the United States wanted. There never had been any such an iniquitous bargain attempted to be imposed on a free people as the Yukon deal, which the senate had rejected. Then there was the Drummond Railroad steal and the election frauds. In spite of a surplus of $8,000,000 they had increased the debt by $32,000,000 and had pledged themselves to a similar amount of expenditure in the future. Further they had increased the taxation derived from customs and excise from $5.02 per head in '05 to $6.58 in 00. They had made the plebiscite pledge simply to play with and fool the temperance people.

In Canada we were all working men and they asked for no sympathy. How had the Laurier administration dealt with us on the question of Mongolian immigration. In spite of the pledges they had done nothing. At the very last moment they had increased the tax by $50 to catch votes. He asked them did they agree with Mr. Blair's methods of dealing with section men, whom he discharged without any inquiry, which he did not consider necessary in the case of common working men. The old Conservative franchise act excluded Mongolians. In '05 the Liberals had destroyed that act and had given the franchise to all the naturalized Chinese and Japs in British Columbia. He challenged any Reformer present to name any single act placed on the statute book by the Liberal party of a national character. The preferential tariff had been of no advantage to Canada and absolutely of no advantage to Great Britain. The exports from Great Britain had only increased 12½ per cent, while those from the United States had increased 62 per cent.

After giving the real facts of the case with regard to the signature of W. A. Galliher on the petitions against the eight hour law, Mr. Goodeve wound up with a stirring peroration appealing to his hearers as Canadians to vote for the Conservative candidate. His speech, which was frequently interrupted with bursts of applause, was admitted to be the finest piece of oratory heard in Revelstoke during the campaign. Three cheers for the Queen and Mr. McKane wound up a meeting, which is bound to have a marked effect in the Conservative candidate's favor in this place.

**Vote For McKane**

—Fancy work baskets M. K. Lawsons.

—Buttercups are selling fast at 40c. at Gold & Lewis' Drug Store.

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## DR. MITCHELL'S NEW BOOK.

The latest addition to The Herald's book table is a new work from the pen of one of the most delightful writers on this continent—Dr. S Weir Mitchell, whose "Hugh Wynne" has established itself among th greatest of American novels. The new book is entitled "Dr. North and His Friends."

Dr. North and his friends are charming people to know. From quiet corner in a shadowy backgroun you listen intently to their brillian converse, fearful of losing a word, or of missing one changeful expression of countenance. Here are no stiff portraits, no cold statuary, but warm, living people with whom you want to talk—to agree or argue as fancy tempts, only the thought of being an uninvited guest making you silent, checking speech that fain would come.

Review the circle; Mrs. Vincent and Mrs. North, side by side, gentle, quaint ladies—no new women they; Clayborne, the profound—a capita foil for the beautiful, poetical, reckless St. Clair; the legal Mr. Vincent; and Clayborne's little country bred cousin, guileless Sibly Maywood, a lovely lily on a broken stem, bodily deformed, but with an exquisite head—perhaps fit compensation—and a haunting voice described as one of those speaking instruments more rare than any voice of song. You nearly overlook Dr. North, so persistently does he sit in the shadow of his friends; but they all love him (and so will you) that large great man of mental and bodily healing: Mary North, the flitting child-life of the company, the dear glad little girl who loves big, wicked Xerexes Crofter, in whom her child heart saw nothing that was not good; and here we have the master character of the book, the huge Crofter, who "plays bear" so perfectly with baby Mary that the critical mind relapses, forgetting the man's badness, and thinking perhaps this unusual man has only been "playing bear" to terrorize an adult world.

The subjects selected by the author are so vital with interest, so nicely discussed—and Sibly Maywood's love story is alone worth reading the book for. No theme is neglected, from the secret of fly-fishing to the fate of a nation. Mr. Vincent gives a daring opinion regarding Canada as a colony, and whether we Canadians like it or not, we should read it, and arise to prove the sayer wrong.

Here are some bright sayings overheard in the circle:

Men are losing their instincts, and not getting brains fast enough to supply the loss of animal talents.

The thing is to make folks curious. You print a placard upside down or spell a word backward, and every second man will be mad to read them.

The worst of being a fool is that experience is of no use.

Words are like colors; the tints which surround them make or alter their values.

Entire forgetfulness eliminates the need to forgive.

Habit is the best moral legislator.

There should be a psychological consultant for schools. True education considers individuality. Teachers rarely do that or can do that.

When you present a man with a true picture of himself, he no more believes it is he himself than does a monkey who first sees himself in a mirror.

I had paddled up of a calm day from Temperance River. . . By the way, that river was so named by an early voyageur because it had no bar at its mouth.

We have stage artists, but no great actors. I think that never was the English stage so far from nature.

We may divide great men into two sets, those who die too soon and those who live too long.

Now when this artless child said "beautiful" it acquired a fresh value, like worn gold re-issued from a royal mint.

Genius is a glad freak of nature in good humor It has in a sense neither godfather nor grandchild.

He has always been happy in friendship, and luckless in love, and this I believe to be common.

"Oh, tact," said I, "is a gift of nature, unteachable. A duke may miss it, a meachanic have it."

I returned that there was no insurance against the fire of genius and that other folks were apt to get a trifle singed.

I do not think, my dear, that I know people who are like books, except that some people are unreadable, and some appear to have no table of contents.

I am for letting young people loose in a library. The reader is born, not made; you cannot help the others.

"Selling is a peculiar talent," said I. "Yes, some men can sell anybody anything. I once sold a threshing-machine to a confectioner. I could sell ice in Greenland or hot air furnaces in Ashanti."

## THE INJUSTICE OF THE LAW

Two Toronto judges have regretfully decided that the plaintiff in a certain libel suit, cannot refuse to answer questions concerning his relations 18 years ago with a woman who is now married and occupying a good position in society, and the disclosure of whose name would lead to her being ostracised. The decision is doubtless good law, but it is a striking illustration of what cruelty and injustice can be perpetrated in the name of the law. Were a newspaper to hold up this woman's past life to public condemnation, its publisher would be punished by the law and rightly punished for the misery he would bring upon a woman who for many years has been leading a respectable life, upon her husband and on her children. Yet, what the law will not suffer the newspaper to do directly, the newspaper can do through the machinery of the law itself. It is an open question whether our vast and complicated legal system is not a failure, whether it has not been more of a curse than a blessing to humanity; whether it has not done more harm than good. That it has been the fruitful mother of injustice everybody knows. Whole libraries might be written on the mistakes of the law. A client who is unfortunate enough to be dragged through all the courts of appeal may have a majority of all the judges of the courts collectively in his favor and yet by the decision of the final court lose his case and be saddled with costs sufficient to ruin him. His only consolation as a rule, is that the man who wins the case is only a degree better off. Had plaintiff and defendant agreed in the first place to refer their dispute to the arbitration of a layman of ordinary intelligence and to employ no lawyers, the probabilities are that substantial justice would have been done. In every age there have been men who were free from the legal superstition and who were disposed to revolt against the thraldom of an oppressive legal system. The most practical suggestion made to "Jack Cade" with a view to furthering the rebellion was made by "Dick the Butcher."

"The first thing we do, let's
Kill all the lawyers."

This kind of reform is of course open to objections; but it is possible that something less radical might be done to make the law what it ought to be, the handmaid of justice. We might begin by repealing all the statutes except the Ten Commandments and burning all the commentories. What we want is to get back to something like primitive simplicity in the administration of the law. When King Solomon rendered his judgment as to the maternity of the living child after proposing to divide it between the two claimants we are told that all Israel feared the king for the wisdom that was in him. Under the elaborate modern legal system if one of our judges were to try to administer justice on Solomon's principles he would be met with a demurrer, or an injunction, or a writ of quo warranto, and the baby would be seized for costs.—Montreal Star

## STOCKERS TOO PLENTIFUL

A Chicago live stock paper says: "The condition of the stocker trade is anything but pleasing to the producers who have shipped in the cattle and to the traders who have been trying to get rid of them to farmers, who have feed they want to convert into steer flesh. At this time of the year a good many people cull out their thin and ill-conditioned stock, which they don't want to feed through the winter. Just at present the Yards are full of these kind of cattle. Generally there is a pretty good outlet for these steers at low prices, but this fall the demand is exceptionally poor, principally because the price of corn is high. Many, it seems, would prefer to sell their feed than to put it in thin, poorly bred cattle."

## SERIOUS CHARGES AGAINST A HIGH GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL

The charges which The Herald has repeatedly made against the Chief Veterinary Inspector of the Dominion have at last been backed up by one of the largest ranchers in Alberta. The charges, voiced by Mr. J. T. Gordon and republished in another column from the Winnipeg Tribune are of too serious a nature to be allowed to pass unnoticed by the government.

It is a matter for congratulation that at least one prominent raucher has the courage of his convictions.

## NICHOLAS FLOOD DAVIN

### Though Defeated He Has Many Warm Friends.

Among the letters received by Mr. Davin, Ex-M.P., since his defeat are some sentiments well worth quoting. The member elect for Bothwell writes:

"Wallaceburg, Nov. 10, 1900.

"My Dear Davin: I am pained more than I can tell you at your defeat in West Assiniboia. The House has lost one of its ablest and most conscientious members, and the Conservative party has sustained a severe loss in your defeat. Your defeat is a disgrace to the constituency. Has merit no longer any reward I sincerely hope that your exclusion may be merely temporary and that a seat may be found for you.

"Yours faithfully,
"J. CLANCY."

Sir Mackenzie Bowell says:

"I need not say to you that I deeply regret your defeat in West Assiniboia. Such, however, is politics. No man in parliament has done so much or fought more valiantly in the interest of the North West than Nicholas Flood Davin and your reward is defeat. Let me hope not for a long time."

Hugh Clarke writes from Kincardine:

"You may imagine how sorry Mrs. Clarke and I were when we learned of your defeat in West Assiniboia. We had more interest in that election than in any other and when it went wrong nothing could go right. The same sinister influence that prevailed against Hugh John in Brandon no doubt prevailed against you."

Probably no letter is more prized by Mr. Davin than the following from the Rev. H. C. Schmieder:

Lyons, N. Y., Nov. 10, 1900.

"My Dear Mr. Davin: Is it possible that over one half of the voters of West Assiniboia are so bare of common sense and sound judgment that they gave their votes to Scott! I feel very sorry for it and it is a poor consolation, which rather makes maters worse, that men like Geo. E. Foster, Sir Charles Tupper himself, Hugh John Macdonald and other real statesmen, were also defeated. I didn't dream of such a result. Believe me, Mr. Davin, that I felt keenly with you, as I know too well that you are born a statesman and you never were in politics to fill your pockets but for the love of public life and service. I never forgot the talk I had with you when you and Mrs. Davin so kindly visited us at Edenwald. Then you explained to me your predestination and liking for politics and from that time I loved you and admired you more than ever before. With kind regards to Mrs. Davin. Your true old friend,
"H. C. SCHMIEDER."

This is what a well known journalist has to say:

"Your defeat is not only a great blow to the West, but also deprives parliament of one of its great ornaments. There is no doubt that tremendous efforts were made to beat you, because the government knows you and fears you. I was aware that this would be done, but I hardly thought these efforts would be successful. I think it is small credit to West Assiniboia that they have succeeded."

## DAVIN'S FAREWELL

### The Bard of Regina Leaves His Former Constituents with Burning Words

Gentlemen: Let me thank those of you who cast your votes for me in the late contest. Let me thank those who were not allowed to cast their votes. Let me especially thank those who spurned temptations deliberately contrived and proferred by the machine. The means poovided by law for attaining the will of the electors were turned against them. Not in the worst days of the Third Empire in France was there ever a more flagrant attempt to guillotine electoral opinion. There is no provision whatever in the law for a policeman inside "each polling station." The policeman was placed there, as it turned out, to help the scrutineers of the government candidate successfully to browbeat electors and to enable deputy returning officers drilled to act illegally to succeed in refusing the ballot or refusing the oath to an elector.

I thank those who worked for me so nobly and who had to face in so many cases insolence, force and fraud, fraud suborning law and controlling the arms of justice. I thank my German friends, to mislead whom such herculean and desperate efforts were made.

I regret the result. But it is not the fault of the majority of the electors of Western Assiniboia. If the number of electors who were fraudulently deprived of their right to vote, the number of strangers brought from outside of Canada and voted, and the number of voters who were sent away for the purpose of rendering it physically impossible they should exercise their franchise were added together, the total would far exceed the adverse majority. I regret the result but not for myself. I would not have severed the tie. It is severed and I am free. For a time Boodle is King in Western Assiniboia, and his ministers have the farmers where they wished to have them.

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I know the opinion of this constituency and of the North West. I know they do not approve of Siftonism. I know they do not approve of Mr. Tarte and his methods. How then explain their conduct. I fear it is to be explained by what a farmer who, up to the late election always opposed me, said to me when I pointed out certain facts to him: "I am so busy I have not time to fully inform myself," and when the time to vote comes the old habit rather than the reasoned opinion controls.

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And now farewell. I thank you all for your kindness and consideration for thirteen, I might say eighteen years, for before we had representation I did the work of a member of parliament and general adviser. In those days there were grievances to be redressed and wrongs to be righted; we were in the wilderness. There are not many of you to whose business I have not attended. You know, or should know, whether I have spared or cared for myself, or spared any man or body, or government when your interest was opposed. I still believed in the North West when most, if not all, began to doubt; it was my duty to feed the fainting flame of hope; to bid, "be of good courage," and it has been my happy fortune to be at your head when we entered into abundant prosperity. Those whom I have watched in doubt, anxiety and care I have lived to see rich, confident and happy, and I pray God you may go forward, ever increasing in the possession of all that truly contributes to well being and happiness. I am

Your late member and faithful friend,
NICHOLAS FLOOD DAVIN.

## MR. TARTES RACE CRY

There was no race cry in the West, although Liberal papers may charge that there was; certainly not in Alberta, where several French districts gave majorities for Bennett. It is but a step from the race cry to the religious cry and whatever may have been the tone of one or two Ontario papers, they found no echo West of the great lakes. As to Mr. Tarte, that is a different matter. If to attack Mr. Tarte is to attack the French Canadians, then many Conservative papers have offended. But however that gentleman may view matters, he can not be regarded as a leading French Canadian, nor can any hostile criticism of him be construed into an attack upon the French Canadians. He and those about him have taken a few rabid utterances of Ontario newspapers and have quoted them as expressive of Ontario's hostility to the French Canadians. Were they so we would say that the trend of events was towards civil war. The fact is that Mr. Tarte is not held in high esteem any more in Quebec than he is in Ontario. Especially is this the case with Conservatives. They detest Mr. Tarte not because he is a French Canadian, but because he is a renegade Conservative, who not only deserted to the Liberal camp for personal advantage, but because he carried to that camp with him the confidences and secrets that he became possessed of when he was a Conservative organizer. That is the reason why the Conservatives pursue Mr. Tarte and will continue to pursue him. Mr. Tarte will not look on this side of the case but will persist in construing Conservative assault upon him as an attack upon his race. It took the Conservatives upwards of 20 years to reckon with Thomas Greenway, who betrayed them just as Tarte has done, but they have seen Greenway's finish, just as they will see Tarte's. There is not the least doubt about it. No matter how long they have to wait, they'll get at him at last. The French Canadians are Conservatives by history and tradition, and the many French Canadians in Alberta who voted for the Conservative candidate but showed their natural affiliation. The French Canadians are all right. Some day they will tire of Mr. Tarte, will see through him, in fact, and it will be useless for him to picture himself as a man persecuted because of his race, and they will help those who are out after Mr. Tarte's political life to turn him out. Mr. Tarte has done more with his race cry than any other man. He has used it at home and abroad, for political purposes, but he can not fool the people of Quebec all the time. And we believe the end of him is not far off.—Edmonton Post.

## COWBOY MURRAY'S NIGHT OUT

San Francisco Call: With blood in his eyes, cartridges in his revolver, and a plentiful supply of whisky in his stomach, Charles Murray rode into Sunol last night. He increased the supply of blood in his eye, and whiskey in his stomach and decreased the number of cartridges in his revolver while he took possession of the town for an hour. Murray came from somewhere out of the darkness in the canon over near Pleasanton. As Sunol is a quiet little town Murray's presence was soon noticed for a fusillade of shots from a revolver does not occur there every night in the week. When the shots attracted The attention of the good people of the town and they peered cautiously out into the night they beheld Murray charging up and down the street shooting as he went. This was not exciting enough, so Murray did the usual thing in such cases made and provided. He rode his horse into the saloon owned and operated by a man named Ager. Murray wanted more whisky, and when it did not come fast enough he shot a few bottles to pieces with his revolver. This accelerated the movements of the barkeeper, and Murray added still more to his overplus of whisky and blood. During these antics Murray's horse was charging around the saloon and a large oil lamp was overturned. In a moment the room was in a blaze, and Murray rode his horse out into the back yard. Here he found himself inclosed with a high board fence on three sides, with no hope of escape, and the burning saloon on the other. Digging his spurs into his horse he charged through the fire and down the road up which he had come. The people of Sunol turned out to fight the fire first, and when they had succeeded in putting that out they turned to look for Murray, but Murray had already gone, and nothing remained but the damaged saloon and the recollections of a lively night for Sunol.

## THE FOREIGN VOTE

According to the Moosomin World respecting the election in East Assiniboia, Douglas, Lib., Lake, Con.:

"Taking their own figures for it south of the Qu'Appelle river representing people almost exclusively of Anglo-Saxon origin (Britishers) Mr. Lake had a majority of 437. North of the Qu'Appelle, representing a large percentage of voters others than Anglo-Saxon, Mr. Douglas had a majority of 714. These are their own figures, and they need no comment when it is remembered that in 1896 Mr. Douglas had over a majority of over 1,000."

The Free Press has the following which is actually comic in its sincerity:

"The constituency in which six or seven thousand Doukhobors are settled, East Assiniboia, endorsed the government and the immigration policy, and Selkirk, through which all these immigrants passed and which became well acquainted with them gave a substantial majority to the administration candidate."

What were the foreigners imported for?

## GENUINE PATRIOTISM

Ladies of Canada:

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British-grown Black Teas hold the Canadian market. Drinkers of Japan tea should try the Greenn now coming on the market, and your dainty palates will approve them. Yes, we hear your grocer's excuse; but insist. Remember how you ran your husband to—well, do they still think it Paradise? They certainly will if you give them Ceylon and India green tea. Blue Ribbon and Salada packets are now obtainable. Colonist.

## HIS GLADSOME REVENGE

"There was a bo'swain I knew, McAllister, by name, who unexpectedly came into a small fortune—just enough capital to bring him interest of £80 or £100 a year," says a noted British admiral in his just published reminiscences. "You may be sure he was not long in quitting the service and taking to the beach, where he secured for himself a snug little cottage as far away from the water as it is possible for man to get in England. When he got comfortably settled he employed a boy to come to his door every morning at 5:30 and knock. The boy was instructed to say when he knocked, "Bo'sun, the commander wants you," whereupon every morning the now free bo'swain had the joy of turning over in his cosy bed and singing out in his grandest voice:

"'Tell the commander to go to the devil!'"

## TEXAS IN GOOD SHAPE

Thus far there are no evidences that South Texas will have a hard winter. The rule has been, however, that a rainy season is followed by a more severe winter than a dry one. Stockmen are feeling cheerful and have no dread of even a severe winter. They do not regard the season of 1900 as being a wet one in the general acceptance of the term. Such a one would have been a detriment to the range. The rains have fallen at opportune times and the range and cattle are in better shape than they have been in years at this season. Pastures are not overstocked and cattle men generally have made ample provisions for the winter be it severe or otherwise. If they do not feed their cattle this winter they can save it over for another year.—San Antonio Express.

"It seems strange," said the organist, running his hand through his bunch of hair; "when I am playing the choir seems to be out of tune, but when I stop playing they seem to be singing all right."—Yonkers Statesman.

Lawyer: "Are you acquainted with the prisoner." Witness: "I've known him for twenty years." Lawyer: "Have you ever known him to be a disturber of the public peace?" Witness: "Well—er—he used to belong to a drum and fife band.—Pearson's Weekly.


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# Two Assassination Plots.

## LORD ROBERTS AND PRESIDENT McKINLEY THE INTENDED VICTIMS.

### Splendid Reception Prepared for Returning Soldiers.—Boers again Aggressive on the Borders of Cape Colony.

London, Nov. 28.—According to a special edition of the Standard a plot to assassinate Lord Roberts in which 20 foreigners are concerned, has been discovered. It appears that the conspirators laid a mine which was designed to blow up on Sunday when Lord Roberts was in church at Johannesburg, but the police and Lord Roberts bodyguard frustrated the conspiracy. Ten men have been arrested. Further details, the Standard says, it has been unable to verify before going to press.

To Assassinate McKinley

New York, Nov. 28.—A plot to assassinate President McKinley has been made known to the police of Hoboken, N.J., says the Evening World. They have communicated with Secret Service bureau at Washington, furnishing the name of the man who is accused. The police received their information through a letter written by a Frenchman whose knowledge of the English language was exceedingly poor. The name of the accused is withheld by the police for obvious reasons. They have located the writer and say that his story is at least worthy of investigation.

A SPLENDID PROGRAMME

Being Arranged for the Reception of Returning Troops in London

Toronto, Nov. 28.—A London cable says: "Close upon 300 officers and men of the Royal Canadian regiment of infantry, including the commanding officer, Colonel Wm. D. Otter, will arrive at Southampton this morning on the Hawarden Castle, from Cape Town.

"A deputation of influential London citizens, headed by Lord Grey, one of the best friends possessed by the colonel, has been busy arranging to entertain the Canadians and the programme that is to be carried out is varied, and provides for plenty of enjoyment for the homecoming soldiers. The evenings will be spent at the theatres while the days will be passed in viewing the sights of Old London and its vicinity. Several banquets are to be given in honor of both officers and men and a number of the nobility will entertain the Canadians.

"On Thursday, the day after their arrival Colonel Otter and his men will be inspected at Windsor by Her Majesty the Queen. This will be the great event of the visit of the colonials to England. On Monday of next week, his royal highness the Prince of Wales will review the Canadian troops. The following day they will pay a visit to the great navy yards at Portsmouth, proceeding to the celebrated English resort, Brighton, on Wednesday.

"It is expected that the Canadians will sail from England for Canada on December 8th, in order to reach Canada in ample time to enjoy their Christmas at home."

## BOERS AGAIN AGGRESSIVE

London, Nov. 28.—A despatch from Pretoria, dated November 25th, says it is reported that the Boers propose to strike again at the borders of Cape Colony, where it is believed a number of disaffected Dutch with supplies and hidden weapons are waiting to join them. The Boers seem to be taking fresh heart. They have become energetic in almost every part of the Transvaal and Orange River colony.

Colonel Evans Reports.

Ottawa, Nov. 28.—Additional reports were received yesterday from South Africa. Colonel Evans in his report says there were 156 on parade and 117 sick.

Portuguese troops have gone to Catambe to watch General De Wet.

Commissary General Gearson, of the Transvaal, in an interview in New York stated that General Buller was the best of the British generals.

According to Lord Roberts the most serious affair of last week was General Clements' encounter with General De La Rey, in which the Boers were completely dispersed.

The coming meeting of the British parliament is awaited with great interest by the public as the war is costing $7,500,000 a week and its indefinite close requires some explanation.

Disaffection In Cape Colony.

London, Nov. 28.—The Mail publishes this morning the following despatch from Cape Town: "The anti-British feeling in Cape Colony is assuming dangerous proportions owing to false stories spread of British barbarity in Orange River colony and the Transvaal. The loyalist cry of the Dutch congress next week will be the signal for a rising. They demand that martial law be proclaimed throughout the colony. The situation is declared to be graver than at any period during the war."

Referring editorially to the Cape Town despatch the Mail adopts a most serious tone asserting that the British movement is accentuated by the withdrawal of troops from Cape Colony, and calling for vigorous action by the British government.

## LORD ROBERTS' DEMAND

### He Asks for a Portfolio and Will Not Accept Command of the Army.

London, Nov. 26.—It is persistently reported here in official administrative circles that Lord Roberts will decline to accept the appointment of commander-in-chief to which he has been gazetted in succession to Lord Wolseley, who retires next week on the completion of his term of office. The action of Lord Roberts, which excites little or no surprise, is ascribed to the rejection of his demand for a seat in the cabinet, so as to place him on a level with the Secretary of State for war.

ANOTHER WAR

Great Britain Has a Black Rebellion on Her Hands.

Zanzibar, Nov. 27.—The Somalis have risen in Juba Land, a province of British East Africa. About 4,000 well armed men are on the war path. Sub-Commissioner Jenner, who has been on a tour inland with a small force, is said to have been attacked. It is doubtful whether he will be able to return safely to the seaport at Kisma. Reinforcements from Mombassa have been sent to Kismaya.

BECOMING ACUTE

Relations Between Turkey and the United States Look Ugly.

Constantinople, Nov. 28.—The relations between the United States and the Porte are becoming acute. Mr. Lloyd C. Griscom, the American charge d'affaires, went to the Yildta palace on Sunday and had an interview with Tewirk Pasha, minister of foreign affairs, and Tapsin Bey, first secretary at the palace. The interview was barren of results.

THE HEATHEN CHINEE

Pittsburg, N. Y., Nov. 27.—Two Chinamen were captured near here and four more in Malone last night, while being driven from points in Canada to railroad stations in the United States. The indications are that these arrests will lead to the uncovering of a scheme to bring in Chinese to the United States

New York, Nov. 27.—Among the passengers who arrived yesterday on the steamer Statendam from Rotterdam were five refugees from South Africa. They are S. Pearson, commissioner general of the Transvaal army; Commandant W. Snyman, Orange Free State; H. Snyman, Jr.; A. Liebenberg, and Hercules D. Viljeon, of Snyman's command.

NIHILISTS PLOTTING

To Overthrow the Government on the Death of the Czar.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 27.—Political complications are threatened by the illness of the Czar. It is reported that the Nihilists are plotting a revolution intending to overthrow the government upon the death of the Czar. The police are active and many arrests are expected.

INTERESTING NEWS FROM RUSSIA

Copenhagen Nov. 27.—The Danish court has received advices from Livadia that the condition of the Czarina is such that before long Russia will have an heir to the Czar's throne.

# A THOUSAND CANADIANS RETURNING

## ONLY STRATHCONA'S HORSE WILL REMAIN IN AFRICA.

### President McKinley May Abandon Diplomatic Efforts for Peace,—The New York Central to Run Into Ottawa.

Ottawa, Nov. 27.—A cable from the war office states that 1,000 men and 50 officers of the Canadian contingent will leave Cape Town for Canada on the steamer Roslyn Castle. It evidently means that all the soldiers now in South Africa are returning except Strathcona's Horse.

The following cable has been received at the militia department: "Cape Town, Nov. 27—L. B. Scott, 157, Strathcona's Horse, accidentally killed, Potchefstroom, on November 21. (Signed): Milner." He was of A squadron. His next of kin is R. A. Scott, Regina.

WASTED DIPLOMACY

United States Minister Likely To Be Recalled From China.

Washington, Nov. 27.—President McKinley is reluctantly coming to the conclusion that Minister Conger must be recalled from Pekin, unless there is a very decided change in the conduct of the peace negotiations.

The state department is informed by Minister Conger in despatches which have been coming in all day of an agreement or understanding or preliminary treaty. It is not possible now to learn in just what form the matter stands that has been reached by the foreign ministers in Pekin. It is not regarded as proper to give out for publication at this time any detailed information respecting the agreement. It may be said, however, that the arrangement stands a very poor chance of receiving the sanction of the powers represented in the Pekin conference, unless some material changes are made.

Colonel Mulhenfel's Progress.

Berlin, Nov. 27.—A despatch from Count Von Waldersee, dated November 24th, says that Colonel Mulhenfel's expedition hoisted the German flag over the great wall which was reached on November 22nd, by way of Heyling Cheig, after a difficult march. The despatch added that the French had a severe fight with the Boxers south of Paoting Fu.

STEAMER GUTTED

The Persia Badly Damaged at the Toronto Wharf

Toronto, Nov. 28.—The steamer Persia, which plies between Hamilton and Montreal, was badly gutted at her wharf here last night and now lies on the bottom of the bay in 20 feet of water. The fire was occasioned by an explosion of a lamp.

When the flames were discovered Captain J. H. Scott, of Kingston, the stewardess, Sarah E. Loore, of St. Catherines, and several of the crew were on board. The stewardess fainted on seeing the fire and was carried off the boat by Captain Scott before the vessel sunk. The vessel is valued at $18,000 and the damage is estimated at $10,000 which is fully insured. She was owned by Carruthers, Meddes & company.

A GARRISON FOR VANCOUVER

Vancouver, Nov. 28.—The Vancouver World publishes a statement that the announcement has been made officially that steps will be taken at the next meeting of the house of commons, probably in February, to enact such legislation leading to the establishment in Vancouver of a regular garrison with from 100 to 200 men to be the strength of the force. It is also the intention to erect a barracks. The announcement also states, as far as enquiries in this direction have advanced, that the military authorities have received the proposition with favorable hearing.

NEW YORK CENTRAL

Will Probably Run Into Ottawa Before Long.

Ottawa, Nov. 27.—It is stated that there is a possibility of the New York Central railway acquiring the Ottawa and New York railway, and in that way gain an entrance to the Dominion capital. It is said that negotiations have been in progress and are not unlikely to fructuate when the local road is finally completed.

## THE CIVILIZED SOUTH

### A MOB PUTS 500 BULLETS INTO A NEGRO.

The Body Exhibited to Crowds at the Court House Gates.

Lake City, Fla., Nov. 28.—Spencer Williams, a negro gambler, was shot to pieces near this city today by a mob. Williams, who recently arrived here from Pensacola, last night shot and dangerously wounded City Marshal Strange and William Strickland, a business man of this place while the marshal was attempting to arrest the negro.

As soon as the news of the shooting became known a number of citizens formed a posse and overtook Williams in the swamp. Williams was literally shot to pieces. Fully 500 bullets were found in his body, which was brought to town and placed in front of the court house gate where it was surrounded all afternoon by a crowd.

MURDERESS ON TRIAL

Cut Her Successful Rival's Throat With a Razor Last June

Eldorado, Kan., Nov. 24.—Miss Jessie Morrison, charged with killing Mrs. Olin Castle, last June, by cutting her throat with a razor, was placed on trial here today. The case is one of the most remarkable in the history of Kansas crimes. Miss Morrison's alleged motive for the murder was jealousy, she having been a former sweetheart of Castle, who is a clerk in a store. Miss Morrison, who is 26 years old, is the daughter of Probate Judge M. H. Morrison, and the family has been prominent in Eldorado society for years. Mrs. Castle, who was Miss Mary Wiley, was the same age as her alleged murderer. Her family also was well-to-do. One afternoon a few weeks after the wedding the neighbors were attracted by Mrs. Castle's screams and broke into her house. They found her lying in a pool of blood and several gashes in her throat and Miss Morrison, razor in hand, bending over the prostrate woman. Miss Morrison, too, was bleeding from several cuts.

Mrs. Castle lived for 18 days, and before she died she made a statement declaring that Miss Morrison had attacked her without provocation and sent word forgiving her. Miss Morrison will plead self defence

A GHASTLY TALE

Party of Turks Sacrificed Women and Children to Save Their Own Skins.

London, Nov. 24.—The Daily Express publishes the following from Odessa: A party of 38 Truks, wishing to leave Russia secretly, sailed at dead of night from Tschruksn to cross the Black Sea. A storm arose and the boat filled. First the baggage was thrown overboard. Then the children and finally the women were committed to the sea; but this did not prevent the vessel from foundering and all perished save one lad, who clung to the mast and was washed ashore.

KRUGER VISITS THE FRENCH PREMIER

Paris, Nov. 28.—Mr. Kruger began a busy day this morning by making an official call before nine o'clock. He departed from the Hotel Scribe, driving in a landau surrounded by Republican guards, to visit Premier Waldeck-Rousseau. He was accompanied by Dr. Ledys, Dr. Van Hammel and Delegate Fischer.

TO SAVE A WOMAN'S NAME

Mayor Macdonald May Drop Libel Suit Against Toronto Saturday Night.

Toronto, Nov. 24.—A most painful question, involving in a less exalted sphere, the principle, in that of Lady Travers Twiss, where a good woman's reputation was blasted as a result of question asked in a court of law, has arisen in connection with a suit for libel brought by Mayor Macdonald against Saturday Night, the society paper of this city. Saturday Night during last year's mayoralty campaign, charged Mr. Macdonald with conduct so gross that the only sufficient answer was a suit for libel. The preliminary stages of the case have been in progress all year, and the mayor, in an examination for discovery, refused to answer certain questions, on the ground that if he did so he would involve the good name of a woman. Saturday Night got an order to compel him to answer. The mayor appealed and the divisional court has just rendered a judgment, which was evidently given with reluctance. The judges were Falconbridge and Street, and they say: "The fact that a woman with whom plaintiff admitted that he cohabited 18 years ago, has long since become a respectable married woman; and would be socially ostracised by the disclosure of her name, is known to the authorities, though it is to be regreted, is no ground for the plaintiff's refusal in this action to refuse to make such disclosure; moreover his objection to do so is entirely inconsistent with his admission that he intends to call her as a witness."

It is expected that the mayor will withdraw the libel suit rather than go under the conditions set.

CANADA'S POPULATION

The Government to Disabuse the Minds of Britishers as to Our Climate

Ottawa, Nov. 28.—The Dominion government has at length found it necessary to disabuse the minds of the people in the United Kingdom of the idea that this country is simply an ice-bound region all the year around. Many circumstances incidental of Canada national life which are comonly sent abroad from this country while innocent themselves have proved most misleading to people over the seas and have widely advertised Canada as a country whose climatic features are all associated with thoughts of the frigid zone. In order to thoroughly dispel the notion that Canada is a land of snow and ice is now made a new feature in the immigration policy of the government, and the department of the interior has entered upon the work issuing a valuable handbook for distribution abroad dealing with the experience of settlers in Western Canada. Notwithstanding the successful exhibit of fruits and agricultural produce sent to the English fairs and in spite of all that has been written about it, and scattered abroad in Great Britain, the earliest misconceptions regarding the climate of the Dominion still strongly prevails among the people in the English rural districts, deterring to a large extent the immigration to this country.

DOMINION BANK BILLS

Stolen From the Napanee Bank Discovered in Windsor.

Windsor, Ont., Nov. 28.—Jas. Simpson, of Montreal, and Louis Mitchell, of Rochester, New York, were arrested here last night. The police, in searching them, found in their possession $300 in Canadian ten dollar bills that did not appear to be valid. Today it was ascertained that they were part of the $10,000 issue of the Dominion bank of Toronto, which was stolen from the bank at Napanee when it was so sensationally robbed about two years ago. The notes stolen were signed but not countersigned and it was this circumstance which made the police suspicious of their validity. The prisoners will have a hearing tomorrow.

COLLISION AT WINDSOR

Windsor, Ont., Nov. 26.—Owing to the failure of the air brakes to work on the second section of the fast west bound "Wabash" express a serious heade r collision occurred in the Grand Trunk yard here yesterday afternoon. Engineer Thomas Rowe and Fireman John Rice jumped but were badly shaken up.

A SHOOTING TRAGEDY

An Ontario Man Accidentally Shoots the Top of His Brother's Head Off

Stouffville, Ont., Nov. 28.—While out shooting rabbits in Raymor's bush near this village yesterday Henry McMullen accidentally shot and killed his brother Sinclair McMullen. The top of the head of the victim was completely blown off.

A FAMOUS WAR PICTURE

Toronto, Nov. 27.—A London firm controlling the Battle of Paardeberg picture by Caton Woodville has offered it to the Toronto council for government house for $2,500. The council promised to consider the offer and it will probably be accepted.

HANGED HIMSELF

Granon, Ont., Nov. 28.—Leslie Grant, aged 21 hanged himself in his father's barn today.

## TELEGRAMS IN BRIEF

### The News Condensed For Busy Readers.

Winnipeg, Nov. 27:

The war office cables that 1,000 Canadians, which will include all but Strathcona's Horse, will leave South Africa by December 1st.

Private Scott, of Regina, was accidentally killed at Pochefstroom.

The Canadians took part at Pretoria in the Victoria Cross parade before Lord Roberts and were only equalled in smart appearance by the Guards.

An order has been sent to America for 5,000 horses for Kitchener's forces in South Africa.

Kruger visited the Paris exposition yesterday.

The official count of the Algoma election took place today in the office of Returning Officer Wells.

The deputy returning officer for Sault Ste. Marie failed to make the proper return on his statement by not stating who the vote was for. One candidate received 98 votes, and the other 71, but he failed to fill in the same. If the majority in this instance is for Dyment his majority is 498; if for Boyce, Dyment's majority is 354

The official declaration in Macdonald gives Mr. Boyd's majority as 156, the vote being Boyd 3,866, Rutherford 3,710. There were 35 rejected and 15 spoiled ballots.

Mr. Sifton and party left Vancouver for the east today. On Wednesday he expects to attend a banquet to be tendered Mr. Scott at Medicine Hat.

Attorney General Campbell officially anounced to the Manitoba courts that the liquor act would be tested, and a day next week will probably be fixed for the hearing.

Thousands of natives in Juba Land, a province of British East Africa, have arisen in revolt.

A train wreck in which 25 lives are supposed to be lost, is reported from West Virginia.

Portuguese troops have gone to Catambo to watch General DeWet.

Commissary General Pearson, of the Transvaal, in an interview in New York, stated that General Buller was the best of the British generals.

The recount in Kings county, N.B., has been adjourned until December 16th, an objection having been appealed.

Nominations in Quebec take place on Friday. The Liberals have 72 candidates in the field and the Conservatives 22. There are 73 ridings.

Two men were arrested in Detroit with Dominion bank bills stolen from Napanee in their possession.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 28.—Tommy Ryan defeated Kid Carter in six rounds in Tattersall's last night.

## WALLACE AND TUPPER

### Make Rousing Speeches in Vancouver

Vancouver, B. C., Nov. 26.—At a grand rally of the Conservatives held Saturday night Sir Hibbert Tupper and the Hon. N. Clarke Wallace were the principal speakers.

Mr. Wallace's speech partook of the nature of an ovation. He said in the Liberal campaign in Quebec were men like Monet and Bourassa who had proven traitors to their country. He referred to the fact that Sir Wilfrid had to be forced by British sentiment to send troops to South Africa and he had heard Sir Wilfrid say that he did not feel the same sentiment as a British born citizen, and that the French had reinstated him to power because he was French. He also referred to Mr. Tarte's speech in France, in which he said the French Canadians were waiting for the time they could throw off the British yoke.

Sir Hibbert Tupper in speaking of the Hon. Clifford Sifton, referred to him as the Napoleon of the French dynasty now overshadowing Canada and stated that Mr. Sifton came to Vancouver recently with such a bad Yukon character that Mr. Frank Burnet, the president of the Liberal association, was ashamed to sit on the same platform with him.

"AN ARRANT COWARD"

Premier Roblin Thus Brands the Editor of the Winnipeg Free Press

Winnipeg, Nov. 28.—On Saturday last, the Siftonian organ published a statement to the effect that Hon. R. P. Roblin as premier of Manitoba had entered into a compact with Archbishop Langevin of St. Boniface, whereby Mr. Roblin guaranteed to grant concessions to the Roman Catholics of the province in regard to schools on condition that the archbishop gave his active support to Jos. Bernier, the government candidate at the time of the St. Boniface bye-election for the legislature.

Premier Roblin when asked if he had read the article and editorial in question, said: "I have, and they are each and all malicious and false in every particular. These utterances of the 'misplaced milestone' are such as could be expected to emanate from a dastardly coward. I challenge the editor of the Free Press to produce the documentary evidence of the alleged compact between the archbishop and myself, which he says he has in his possession. If he cannot produce this evidence I brand him as an arrant coward, unworthy of a place in society."

POLTICAL NOTES

Winnipeg, Nov. 26:

The Liberals of Halifax desire the presence of Mr. Sifton, minister of the interior, at their banquet to Sir Wilfrid Laurier, on December 13th.

Ontario Conservatives have definitely decided to hold a convention at a near date to prepare a platform for the provincial campaign.

Ottawa, Nov. 26.—The new parliament will meet either the last week in January or the first week in February, which date, however, has not been definitely announced.


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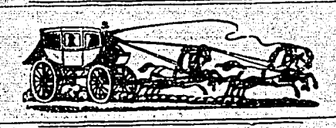

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## BIRTHS

McLEOD.—On 30th inst. to Mr. and Mrs. John McLeod, a daughter.

## Local and General News

—Laina boas at 25c. M. K. Lawsons.

—Cranberries now in at C. B. Hume & Co.

J. A. Mara was in town on Saturday from Nelson.

—Trimmed goods at half price this week at Emporium Millinery Parlors.

W. B. Pool manager of the Nettie L. came in from the Lardeau on Monday.

The dressing rooms at the rink were completed last week. The ice has stood the spell of soft weather in good shape.

—A box of fifty El President cigars is the best X'mas present you could buy him. Brown's.

Thos. Taylor, M. P. P. and Mrs. Taylor came up from the south on Friday evening and went east next morning.

—Felt shoes and slippers at C. B. Hume & Co.

—Wings and feathers at cost this week. Emporium Millinery Parlors.

O. L. Spencer of the Molson bank has been transferred to the Vancouver branch. R. A. Douglas of Vancouver is coming here to to take his place.

—Try Walnut Maple Pudding, a delicious confection for 40c. lb. at Field & Bews, Druggists.

F. W. Godsal came up from the south Monday night. He is paying a last visit to the Great Western Mines Ltd. before going home to England for the winter.

—Call and see our Xmas goods, M K. Lawsons.

## Vote for McKane.

John H. Robinson has retired from the management of the Queen's hotel, which is now in the hands of the new proprietors, W. H. Caldwell and Alf. Vye.

—Stewarts fine Candies, noted for their purity, sold by Field & Bews, Druggists.

—Some beautiful Xmas cards this year at the Canada Drug & Book Co. With local views of the Big Bend Canyon etc.

The hockey club has secured a return rate of a fare and a third for any clubs which may come to Revelstoke to play this winter. The Victorias of Rossland is one team that is likely to come.

Dr. Carruthers kept up the memory of Scotland's patron saint on Friday last by inviting about a dozen prominent Scotsmen to dinner. A very pleasant evening was spent at the doctor's hospitable invitation.

—Come and see our new rubber sole boots. Made by the Slater Shoe Co. Just the thing for wet weather C. B. Hume & Co.

There was a meeting of the city council as usual on Friday night, during which a petition was presented against Wah Chung, the Chinese storekeeper, being allowed to rent a place of business on MacKenzie Ave. The petition lead to an interesting discussion but of course the council have no power to do anything in the matter.

There will be a meeting of all members of the parish in St. Peter's church this evening at 8 o. k. On Thursday at 7.30 p. m. there will be a short service and the first of a series of lectures on the prayer book, which will be followed by choir practice.

—There are nearly five hundred thousand nerve fibers in the human eye, all of which can appreciate any one of the seven rays of light. Ninety per cent of the human race have defects of vision. W. J. Harvey, F.O.M.C.I., is giving a free consultation to all persons suffering from eye troubles at J. Guy Barber's until Sat. Dec. 8th.

Sir Chas. Tupper and Hon. T. Mayne Daly came in from Nelson on Monday en route to Vancouver. They report Mr. McKane prospects as excellent in Greenwood and Grand Forks where Sir Charles held some rousing meetings last week. Saturday night Mr. McKane held a monster rally in Nelson. The hall was packed to the doors with an enthusiastic crowd, which was addressed by Sir Charles, Mr. Daly and Mr. McKane. On St. Andrew's day Sir Charles attended the banquet of the Nelson St. Andrew's society at the Hotel Phair. The old warrior is looking well and full of enthusiasm over the prospects in Yale-Cariboo and Burrard. He and Mr. Daly both expressed their gratitude for the firm stand taken by the Conservatives of Kamloops and Revelstoke at the time of Mr. MacNeill's withdrawal, which Mr. Daly declared had rallied the whole party in the south to renew the fight.

## Vote For John McKane.

—Rooms to let on Second Street. Apply at the HERALD office.

Poll opens at 9 a. m. on Thursday and closes at 5 p. m.

—Ladies and children's black wool mits now opening C. B. Hume & Co.

E. Humphrys returned on Saturday from a holiday trip to his ranch near Moosomin in Assiniboia.

W. H. Knott, a Calgary barrister, was arrested here on Monday on information from Calgary charging him with issuing worthless cheques.

It may be of interest to any North Yale voters who may happen to be in town to know that there is to be a polling place at Craigellachie on Thursday.

Returns of the Yale Cariboo and Burrard elections will be received by private wire in the Conservative committee rooms to morrow after the poll closes.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lawson left this morning to attend the funeral of Mrs. Hungerford, word of whose death at Rossland was received yesterday. Mrs. Hungerford is a sister of Mrs. Lawson and Miss Smith of Revelstoke.

## Vote for McKane.

There will be a final meeting of Conservatives in their committe rooms at 8 o'clock to night. Everybody should make a point of being there so that the final business of the campaign before polling day can be satisfactory transacted.

—For good evening sport get the new game called "Archerena". It is far better than Crokinole as it combins some four or five games on the one board and very little dearer. Sold only at the Canada Drug & Book Co., Revelstoke, B. C.

A. B. Clabon of Rossland, has been stumping the Lardeau on Mr. Galliher's behalf. He spoke at Comaplix on Saturday and at Trout Lake on Monday. Last night he was in Arrowhead. He is up against a hard thing, as he owned to Ed. Adair, who has been holding him down at every meeting in great shape.

—Thousands of people who are unable to distinguish the light of day from the darkest night could just as easily have retained the faculty of sight had they given due attention to the plea for help which comes from every eye before it is overcome with disease. Prof. Harvey is fitting spectacles that will positively overcome the defect at J. Guy Barber's until Sat. Dec. 8th.

## Vote for McKane

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NOTICE

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Take Notice that I, J. Fred. Ritchie, of Rossland, B. C. (acting as agent for "The Black Bear Mining Co., of Lardeau, B. C., Ltd." Free Miner's Certificate No. B11227), Free Miner's Certificate No. B36952, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for Certificates of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining Crown Grants of the above claims.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificates of Improvements.

Dated this Fifteenth day of September, A.D., 1900.

J. FRED. RITCHIE.

This notice was first published in this paper on the 9th day of November, 1900.

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**Board of License Commissioners.**

NOTICE

There will be a meeting of the Board of Rural Licence Commissioners in the Provincial Police office, Revelstoke, on December 15th for the purpose of deciding licences.

R. A. UPPER.
nov28td Chief Licence Commissioner.

REVELSTOKE RIDING OF WEST KOOTENAY DISTRICT.

A Court of Revision and Appeal under the "Assessment Act" will be held at the Court House, Revelstoke, on Monday, the 10th day of December, 1900, at 10:30 a. m.

Dated at Revelstoke, B. C., November 21st, 1900.

WM. J. DICKEY.
Judge of the Court of Revision and Appeal.
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BUREAU OF PROVINCIAL INFORMATION.

In order that the Government may be in possession of definite information with which to supply those seeking investments in this Province, I am instructed to invite particulars from those who have properties for sale, and who may feel disposed to forward such particulars to this office for the purpose in question.

In view of the proposed early re-organization of the Agent General's Office in London, England, the desirability of having on file a list of farms and other properties for sale, with full and accurate details, is obvious. Properties submitted may include farm and farm lands, industrial or commercial concerns, timber limits, water powers, or other enterprises affording opportunities for legitimate investment.

It is not proposed to recommend properties to intending investors, but to afford the fullest access to the classified lists and all available information connected therewith, and to place enquirers in communication with the owners.

The fullest particulars are desired, not only of the properties themselves, but of the localities in which they are situated, and the conditions affecting them. For this purpose printed schedules will, upon application, be forwarded to those desirous of making sales.

R. E. GOSNELL,
Secretary, Bureau of Provincial Information.
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