

AND ON THIS. The above Cartoons are from the pen of J. Spears, of Corfield, and represent how the British Columbia Rancher views the Government's Policy of Economy.

THE NEW YORK

THOUSANDS OF MEN ARE ALREADY IDLE

The Building Strike is Responsible For Many Being Out of Employment - Other Disputes.

the lithographers, ten thousand of whom are expected to be locked out throughout from exchequer bonds just sold, 25,000, the country before night. This dissension in both these trades is caused by a 000,000 yen to be raised by a temporary disagreement over arbitration agreements with employers, and involves the absolute recognition of the union, the eight-hour day and the "open shop." The difficulties are a repetition of those of last year, but it is conservatively stated tha tthey are of a greater magn that will be final and for all time.

The building strike was inaugurated by the masons' laborers, who claim that it was caused by their employers posting a notice cutting down overtime charges.

The plan of the employers, they assert, is to inaugurate an "open shop policy" that means the right of the employer to employ men regardless of union affilia-tions. The laborers were quickly supported by the bricklayers and the allied police notices of expulsion in conse-trades. The housesmiths were followed quence of participating in a meeting held and inside iron-workers, as well as a number of electrical workers.

OIL IN CARIBOO.

E A Carew Gibson Has Brought Samples of the Rock to This City.

House, is in the city. He brings samples of the rocks in which oil has been discovered by L. T. Ward, manager of the Horsefly Gold Mining Company; also mining men are satisfied that there is an area of oil lands located in the Cariboo, but it is of course useless to develop the same area. House, is in the city. He brings samples of the rocks in which oil has been disbut it is of course useless to develop these until there are better transporta-Russians here were anarchists, and that tion facilities. Mr. Ward, it is reported, has staked claims on the strength of the versity were really not students, but

It is questionable whether those inter- days later from forty to fifty Russians ested will go to the expense of boring for oil in order to test the value at the present time, owing to the impracticability of shipping at present. The oil fields cover an area from Harper's camp, on the Horsefly river, to Beaver lake.

The rock is so impregnated that upon under the leadership of Mandelstamms. heating it becomes inflammable. The oil has not yet been tested as to quality.

VIOLINIST FLED.

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Under the leadership of Mandestamins and Silberbaums." "If these fellows do not keep quiet," said the chancellor, "we will throw them out."

About 400 Russian students met on Chicago Visited By Snowstorm—Fall

Disturbance at a Concert and Jan the utterances of Secretary Von Rich-Kihelik Was Forced to Retreat.

Vienna, March 16.—German-Czech race hatred led to a serious riot at Ling, the capital of Upper Austria, where a mob of infuriated Germans stormed the hall in which Jan Kibelik, the Bohemian violinist, was giving a

Before the doors of the concert hall were opened, the mob attacked the carwere opened, the mob attacked the call has not scrupled, under the protection of the district governor, Count his privileged position, to call us beggars. The potential with the provided has not scrupled, under the protection of the winter that most of the Russians living the storm delayed traffic. lice had difficulty in protecting the count from personal injury. The mob then Count Von Buelow well knows, to the

Proposed Extension of Tobacco Mon

Tokio, March 16 .- The cabinet, after

and other political leaders, has decided

on Friday next. This will involve a

heavy outlay for the purchase of private

obacco manufacturing men and the sale nterests, but the advisors of the govern-

nent regard the expenditure at this time

as wise.

The cabinet has decided also to suggest increases in land, income, business, wine, soy, sugar, stock exchange, mines, with the stock exchange in the stock exchange in the stock exchange in the stock exchange.

addition the creation of new taxes upon

STUDENTS EXPELLED

Thirty Russians Have From Five to

Eight Days in Which to Leave

the Country.

Berlin, March 16 .- Thirty Russian

students, several of them women, have

received yesterday and to-day from the

lived in a state of immorality. A few

low answering Herr Bebel, the Socialist

hofen and Chancellor Von Buelow. Re-ferring to the chanellor's assertion that

nsults flung at them by their hosts.

"Besides this," the statement con-tinued, "he undertook by referring to the

ns duty and stamp taxes, and in

conference with the elder statesmen

to submit proposals for the extension of the tobacco monopoly to include manu-SIR W. MULOCK SPOKE factured tobacco, and the creation of a AT ANNUAL GATHERING salt monopoly to a special diet convening

> A Resolution Passed Favoring Mutual Preferential Trade With Great

as a result of which many thousands of men are already idle, again threaten the industrial world, and the situation is expected to become as serious as the memorable troubles of a year ago.

The war expenses from the commencement of hostilities to the end of March are 155,000,000 yen for the navy of and 47,000,000 yen for the navy of and also the navy of an annual meet.

The annual meet environments in life's battle. Education ing of the British Empire League was held here to-day, when a resolution was passed in favor of mutual preferential the passed in favor of mutual prefe memorable troubles of a year ago.

In the building trades it is expected that already 2,000 men are out of work, and that the number will be increased almost daily. In addition, the printing trades are threatened by the attitude of the lithographers, ten thousand of whom would do more harm than good for Can-adians to enter into the fiscal controversy

BY BERLIN POLICE

Stations.

Ottawa, March 15 .- The railway commission to-day gave judgment empowerby riggers, steam-fitters, boiler-makers Saturday to protest against the governing the Port Arthur and Fort William

the debate.

New Justices.

Frank A. Anglin, K. C., of Toronto and John Iddington, K. C., of Stratford, have been appointed justices of the new Exchequer court of Ontario. The post tion of Chief Justice has not been filled, although E. F. B. Johnson, K. C., of Toronto, has been mentioned in connec

During Winter More Than Fifty-Seven Inches.

Chicago, Ills., March 15.-All records they were abusing the hospitality of Germany, the Russians said that seven the storm which began on Sunday and guests had the natural right of resenting still continues. The total snowfall from the commencement of the storm, until 8 o'clock last night, when the weather Jewish origin of part of the Russians here to arouse anti-Semitic prejudices against us. Count Von Buelow, the highest official of the German Empire, has not scrupled, under the protection of bureau closed, was eight inches, which record for the winter of 1892-3. The

DR. CAMPBELL'S DISCOURSE

day evening Dr. Campbell, in speaking of the relation of the state to religious

"There is physical, moral and religious education given is of value to the individual and the country in proportion as it prepares to make the best of his environments in life's battle. Education

is difficult in the present mix-up of to Hazelton, and thence to Kitimaat, ecclesiastical matters in Canada as it is where he took the steamer to Victoria. delicate. Our Roman Catholic fellow-citizens are not favorable to the public adians to enter into the fiscal controversy controversy now engaging the attention of the British Empire. Sir Mackenzie Bowell said this was the only point in Sir W. Mulock's speech which he did not agree Mulock's speech which he did not agree of the Skeena, Mr. Going's party was forced to make 250 are right, and Protestants would not be miles longer trip than otherwise would not be mile

the rights of the majority, and this indeed cannot be, for in a country having a government responsible to the people, the laws of the country must be the crystallized expression of the mind of the crystallized expression of the mind of the

ment's permitting Russian police agents to watch Russian residents in Germany.

The students have from five to eight The students have from five to eight days in which to leave the country, and may select the frontier to cross, the government not compelling them to return to Russia, as in some instances.

The origin of the dispute between the recommendation of the dispute between the recommendation for damages, but as it was E. C. Carew Gibson, manager of the Cariboo Trading Company, at 150-Mile Cariboo Trading Company, at 150-Mile House is in the city. He brings samples The Debate. dogma is the duty of the home and the In the debate on the address in reply to tchurch, but not of the state. The state the speech from the throne, R. L. Borden has no right to debar the Bible from the dealt largely with Mr. Blair's attitude public school. The Bible, or carefully to the Grand Trunk Pacific, and not selected passages from it, should be read, withstanding this, he said, the govern- without note or comment, in our schools. ment appointed him to the railway com- Our Roman Catholic fellow-citizens have To-day J. G. Haggart resumed | a right to demand to have the Douay version in the hands of their children, as Protestants have the King James version. The reading of the Bible and prayer are

> "But if the teachers fear God and live n righteousness they will impress this character on their pupils whether the Bible is taught or not, but if they do not, all the reading of the Bible from Genesis to Revelations will not implant a religious character in the children under their care. On the whole Canada has men and women feaching who are Christians in walk and conversation, and the children are safe under their tuition. There are no doubt defects in our schools as to religious instruction, but the key to the remedy is in the Sunday school and the church and the home, which are free to teach positive religion and dogma in creed, which the state has no right to teach.'

all that parents should ask for the pub-

Applications Heard in Chambers by Mr. Justice Martin Wednesday Morning.

tice Martin disposed of the following ap-

On the Relation of the State to Religious Education. To Mr. Going was assigned the task of exploring the country between Hazel-ton and the Rocky Mountains in the direction of the Peace River Pass and also in the direction of the Pine River

The Pacific coast approaches were assigned to others. The Yellow Head Pass route was carefully examined by training, and the state has certain obliga-tions in regard to each. Success in life on the CP.R. engineers years ago, so that now the Grand Trunk Pacific has in its depends much on energy which produces possession accurate knowledge as to the momentum, and energy depends on the various routes after passing through the momentum, and energy depends on the mountains. A lot yet remains to be done percentage of nourishment in the food; in the way of detail before a route will therefore, parents should see that their be decided upon, it is believed, and this children have good nourishing food. The summer will likely see a large staff of end of education should be to prepare engineers in the field making the necess and to make the most of life, and the duestion given is of value to the final survey of the route.

A. S. GOING WAS SIX

MONTHS ON SURVEY

Parties Representing Eastern Capital-

ists Seeking Locations Before the Transcontinental Line is Built.

After six months' exploration work in the northern part of British Columbia for the Grand Trunk Pacific railway line, A. S. Going, C. E., returned to Victoria Monday. The task assigned to Mr. Going was a difficult one, and was also attended with no small danger, especially as it was done during the winter months. Mr. Going covered a distance of about 1,200 miles, and collected a vast fund of information. This is being compiled by him and put in shape to report to the divisional engineer, Mi.

With the main feature of the country, as prepared by Mr. Going in the pos-session of the engineering department of

the Grand Trunk Pacific, the work of

making a selection of a route and of

ctually surveying, it will be simplified. It is probable that a number of smaller

parties will be put in the field during the

summer to complete the preliminary survey made by him this winter.

Mr. Going has nothing to give out to the public respecting his trip from the standpoint or railway construction. That he reserves for the Grand Trunk Pacific, under whom he conducted the survey He however described to a Times re porter some of the experiences he has had during the winter.

With Hazelton as a starting point Mr

Going went up the Skeena river, crossing to the headwaters of the Omineca, up th Peace river and the Parsnip to Fort Mc-Leod. From this latter point he came "The relation of the state to religious Leod. From this latter point he came instruction is a delicate subject, and it back by way of Stuart and Babine lakes Through the mistake of an engineer who made a survey of the country up the Mulock's speech which he did not agree with.

Anti-Cigarette Resolution.

W. S. Maclaren, of Huntingdon, will introduce the resolution of last session to prohibit the importation or the manufacture and sale of cigarettes in Canada. It was Mr. Bickerdike who had charge of it last year.

RAILWAY COMMISSION.

Important Ruling Regarding Telephone Connections With C. P. R.

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Although Canada is a Protestant sa estray in taking a lesson in this behalf from them. Although Canada is a Protestant country, with Protestantism as the genius of its public institutions, our non-Protestant friends, be it said to the credit of Canada, have more freedom than they have in any other country I know.

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Had the country at the head of the Skeena and the Osilinca been such as were described and also the distances correctly noted his party would have reached these supplies sent in from Stewart lake on the data specified. So far out was the information furnished that he did not reach Black Canyon until November 14th, one month later

free and independent electors.

"The aim of state education is to make

Stewart lake he sent a message forty Stewart lake he sent a message forty miles to Fraser lake and dispatched a message to his wife in Victoria reporting

The shortage of provisions before reaching the supply at Black Canyon gave the party considerable trouble. The game was not plentiful along that part. When a wooded clump was reached they were able to get a few grouse and rabbits, and thus they augmented their otherwise scanty supply. From Fort McLeod no trouble was experienced in any way. Dogs were easily procured, and the trip made over the ice with little difficulty. The country passed through is diversi-

fied in character. Along the Omineca and the Parsnip there is much placer gravel, and mining in a small scale is being carried on. Throughout a good part there are good grazing sections. Near the head of the Bukkley about one hundred miles from Hazelton. Wm. Kerr has a good stock of horses and cattle. There is abundance of summer grazing and also hay for winter food. He has sixty-four head of cattle and horses stabled. The stock ran out in the open until January 6th. There are about half a dozen engaged in stock raising in that part of the province. At Stewart lake magnificent potatoes and vegetables are being raised. On the Parsnip river also they have raised excellent potatoes this

The temperature in the winter is very old, but Mr. Going says it does not affect you the same as at the coast. He seldom put on an overcoat, and only for a few days wore a fur cap. As an example of the severity he tells of going up Babine lake with his party in canoes and the following morning ice had formed on the water sufficiently strong to

He found throughout the district visited that engineers representing appar ently Eastern capitalists had been in be-In Chambers Wednesday morning Mr. Jusfore him locating timber and ranching forced the police cordon, invaded the hall, smashed the decorations and threw missiles at Kibelik.

The concert was stopped, and the audience dispersed amid offensive epithets. The demonstrations were later continued ontside Kibelik's hotel.

For the first time in three years ofders were posted on Tuesday at all collieries were posted on Tuesday at all collieries they would be worked only half time until further notice.

Davies, Sayward, etc., vs. Buchanan et all —An application to deliver reply was allowed, costs in cause. F. B. Gregory for plaintiff, and F. Higgins for defendant.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Dated 11th March, 1904.
EMILLE ANNIE ROBINSON,
Duncans, B. C.

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post marked F. R.'s S. E. corner, which is set at high tide mark on the shore at the head of Nasoga Gulf, Coast District, R. 5, and thence running north (along the west boundary of Lot 50, R. 5) 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 20 chains more or less, to the shore line, and thence ensterly along the shore line to point of commencement, containing 40 acres more or less.

FRANK ROUNDY.

Feb. 15th, 1904.

Notice is g'ven hereby that 60 days after date I shall apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 40 acres of land, more or less, situate about three miles southeast of Hazelton, B. C., and described as follows:

Hazelton, B. C., February 17th, 1904. NOTICE.

Pursuant to the by-laws of said Company, notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Victoria Lumber and Manufacturing Company, Limited, will be held at their office, No. 2 Broughton street, in the City of Victoria, on Monday, the 4th day of April, 1904, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of electing Directors and transacting any other business that may be brought before said meeting.

B. J. PALMER,
Local Secretary.

Local Secretary. March 1st, 1904. FOR SALE—A few thoroughbred pointer pupples, 4 weeks old, from Chicago Bess by Oregon Lad. M. A. Wylde, Times Office.

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Association in the future as I have in the past two years.

Any persons wanting stock out with this shipment, who have already purchased, can do so by applying for space on or before the first day of April next.

Address all communications to

L. W. PAISLEY.

Secy.-Treas. of the Dairyman's and Live Stock Association, Chilliwack, B. C.

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Battle Reported Claim to H

London, March 18 .- The co of the Daily Mail at Chefoo, ist visited Chinnampo, Kores "On the way to Chemulpe ports. Three thousand Japa at Chemulpo at the end of 1 The correspondent adds that sians are retreating across river before the advance of the outposts, and that their force i ict number 20,000. Under date of March 17th hat provision trains are arr

at Port Arthur, the railway The Daily Telegraph's Tok spondent, cabling March 17th that the Russian fleet has re Port Arthur. If this is correspondent adds, as is evident Admiral Baron von Stackelbe the Russian cruisers, which vostock, returned to that p

was unsuccessful.

The Chefoo correspondent of edition of the New York Heral under yesterday's date, asse portion of the Russian fleet several cruises within a radi miles of Port Arthur without trace of the enemy.

London papers also have mors of alleged movements of ing forces in the vicinity

It is stated that the Ru again negotiating for the p Welsh coal, and it is rep be delivered this year. According to a dispatch fro to the Daily Telegraph, Russ quired twenty large Antwer

steamers and was insured e A Tokio correspondent of says that Russian and Japan are now separated only by Cheng Cheng, just north of dispatch adds that the for spondents will leave for the f 20th or 23rd, but their destin

unknown.
A Times correspondent Wei, cabling under yester "I arrived at Ping Yang I 1 arrived at Fing Tang 1.
15th and proceeded to Chinna gation was difficult owing to ice. I found anchored there vessels and transports. Dise

vessels and transports. Dise has been difficult, but the Jar brought all necessary applian The correspondent describe ing movements and the disp-forces with some detail, and spite the terrible weather the marched 25 miles deily cockmarched 25 miles daily, each ing nearly one hundred poun a severe test. A larger for disembarking within easier the Japanese objective, whi ations are reported to be prothe only practicable port of coast of Korea. The Japane holding Anju, the line of Cheng river. The actual land to a further retirement of

"Despite the command of the Japanse omit no preca would be unfair to the Japan the numbers and designation forces, but landings were nough ago to permit gener tions. The weather, gene

Cossacks Also Reti Seoul, March 17.-4.30 p. n enese authorities have been a part of the Russian cavalry Korea has recrossed the Yal that a Cossack battery ha drawn. A small Russian fecupies Chong Ju. Five thousand engineers a

ployed in the building of road from Seoul to Wiju. miles have been complete are working on the railroad to Susun. The road cans pleted before next October. Inspected Defence

Newchwang, March 17 .-General Linevitch after a Newchwang and its defence returned to his command at He also visited Kaichou and fecting the protection of the the holding of the weak zone main line of the railway opn chwang. Although disclaim prehension of the Japanese le prehension of the Japanese the authorities are satisfied iers understand that