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## GLASGOW GOES TO LIBERALS FIVE OUT OF SEVEN SEATS

Returns Continue to Add to Unionist Rout—Election Most Remarkable in British History.

London, Jan. 19. — Glasgow's big change constituted the feature section of the returns last night.

In five of the seven seats the Conservative candidates were defeated, one win being to the credit of labor.

The two remaining seats are held by Conservatives described as free traders.

Glasgow's defeated candidates include Bonar Law, a Canadian, one of the prominent men of the Conservative party. He redeemed the seat for the Conservatives in 1900, and was appointed in 1902 parliamentary secretary of the board of trade.

This time he failed in a three-cornered fight. The result was: Barnes (Labor), 2,324; Law (Conservative), 2,574; Provand (Liberal), 2,656.

The Labor candidate also figured in the Camachie division, and polled 2,565. He is blamed for defeating the Liberal who polled 2,571, compared with 3,119 for a Conservative Free Trader.

It is an interesting fact that, while two of the Conservatives elected advocated free trade, two of the defeated Liberals did likewise. One of these was Sir Stirling Maxwell.

Law's defeat is accompanied by that of Dickson, lord advocate of the late Government. These defeats, following the fall of Brodie, Fiddes, Prettypain, and Chaplin on Wednesday, and others on the previous day, show the fate of the majority of the late ministry.

The returns from the country are coming in slowly, but sufficient is known to indicate that the election is quite the most remarkable in the nation's history. Forty seats were decided yesterday, but up to 2 o'clock this morning returns to hand were only from seventeen. In these Liberals scored seven gains and Labor two gains.

The Government has a majority over all the parties. It is expected this majority will be maintained.

Lancashire, heretofore a Conservative stronghold, voted today with one exception. All six seats were held by Conservatives, but returns from three show that Lancashire is following the lead of Manchester, two going over to the Liberals and one to labor.

In West Houghton division labor scored one of the most notable victories of the night, turning a Conservative majority of 3,040 to a labor majority of 3,128.

Tariff reform scored a victory at Cambridge. Sir John Gorst, Conservative Free Trader, polled only 1,655, compared with 2,976 for Hamilton, and 3,050 for Butcher, both tariff reformers. Both were elected, Cambridge returning two members.

In the English boroughs and counties the Liberals elected were: Hull East, Ferns, 2,367 (a gain); West Hull, Wilson, 2,147; Lancashire-Middleton, Atkins, 1,531 (a gain); Stratford, Nuttall, 2,824 (a gain); Middlesex-Brentford, Rutherford, 453 (a gain).

Labor elected: Lancashire West, Houghton, 3,128 (a gain).

The Conservatives elected: Hull Central, King, 1,174.

In the Scotch boroughs the Liberals elected: Glasgow-Pridgeton, Clelland, 1,566 (a gain); Glasgow Central, Torrence, 431 (a gain); Glasgow College, Watt, 1,638 (a gain); Glasgow-Strolog, Wood, 3,405 (a gain); Kirkcaldy, Dalziel, 2,561; Montrose, Morley, 3,294.

Labor elected: Glasgow Blackfriars, Barnes, 810 (a gain).

The Conservatives elected: Glasgow Camachie, Cross, 248; Tradeston, Corbett, 353.

In the Irish fight in Belfast North, Dixon, the Conservative, wins with 291 votes.

CHAMBERLAIN NOT CAST DOWN  
Declares that His Fiscal Reform is Only Postponed.

London, Jan. 18. — "For one seat lost by tariff reform, ten have been lost by this story of Chinese labor."

So declared Chamberlain in a campaign speech at Smithwick tonight.

"You have been told," he continued, "that the result of the elections is against fiscal reform."

"Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman said I would drop this new hobby of mine."

"I need not say that flattering union to his soul."

"If I stood alone I would stand firm as long as I was able to stand."

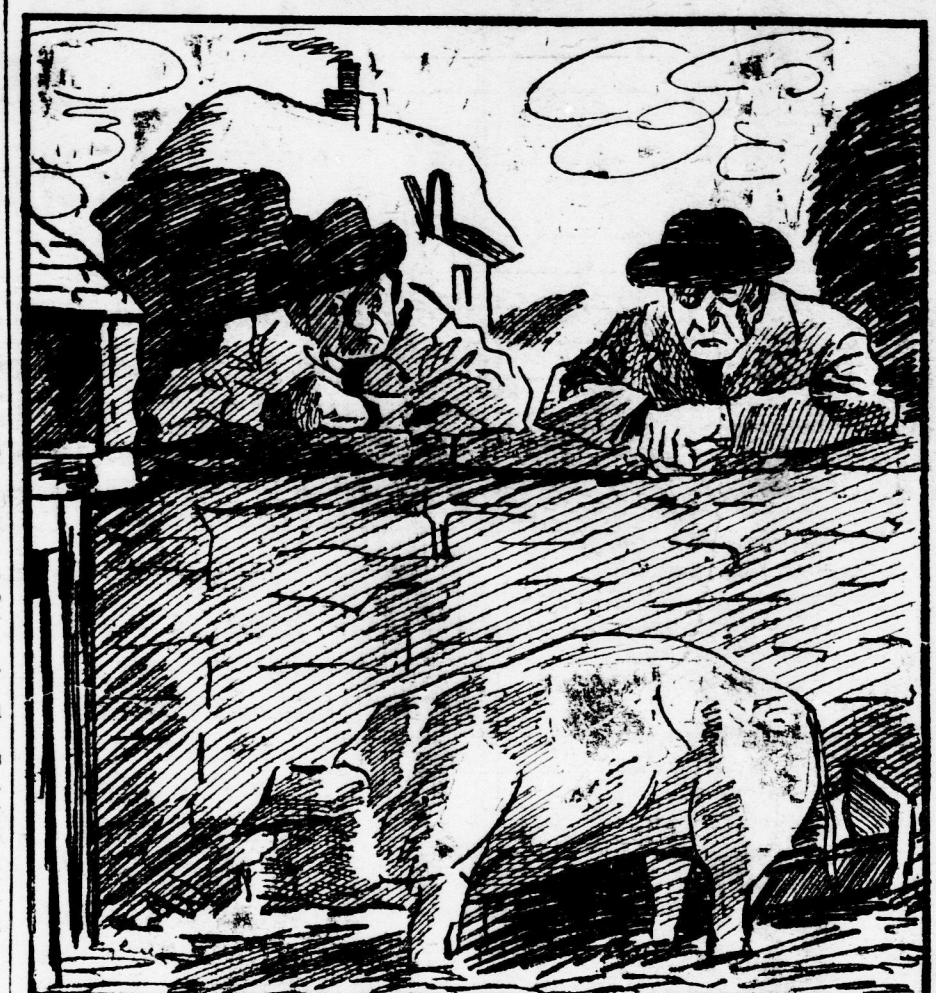
"And still more would I do it, since I know I have the loyal support of Birmingham and city of London."

"Fiscal reform was introduced as a remedy for something wrong. Premier Campbell-Bannerman has been given a blank check, and we must wait and see what he will do."

"If I have failed, I do not forget that I have the remedy still. Fiscal reform is postponed, inasmuch as I

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## Humors of the British Campaign as Seen By Punch.



Giles—I don't know which of 'em I shall vote for. They both bin round 'ere, an' neither of 'em can tell I vot 'the matter w' thic ther' pig!

## FRANCE TO TEACH CASTRO LESSON; LATTER'S AGENT ORDER TO LEAVE

Paris, Jan. 18.—Official confirmation of Venezuela's acrimonious treatment of M. Taigny, the retiring French charge d'affaires at Caracas, has reached the foreign office.

The Government immediately decided to adopt the most energetic measures to obtain satisfaction. It is understood that a naval demonstration is under preparation, the division of the French warships recently assembled in the vicinity of Venezuelan waters being utilized for that purpose.

A diplomat said today that President Castro's action amounted to an act of hostility. Such an act could not remain unchastised, and France, the diplomat added, will have the support of the whole world in demanding and obtaining proper satisfaction, even should armed intervention prove necessary.

The cable company's officials received confirmation today of the reports that their managers at Caracas and La Guaira have been expelled from Venezuela. The company has about

ten other managers in charge of different offices in Venezuela and momentarily expect to hear that they, too, have been expelled. The officials of the company have brought the matter before the Government.

M. Maubouquet, the Venezuelan charge d'affaires here, has received an intimation to leave French territory.

Paris, Jan. 19.—The Venezuelan affair occupied the attention of a special meeting of the French cabinet this morning. It is understood in ministerial circles, but the fact has not yet been officially given out, that Premier Rouvier has decided to demand an extraordinary credit. This will give rise to debates in the chambers, whose assent is necessary for a grant. The Government is fully determined to act with the greatest firmness, at the same time adopting a prudent attitude, owing to the unstable character of the Venezuelan Government, which may change at any moment.

The authorities at Washington are being kept fully acquainted with France's attitude, and nothing will be undertaken without the absolute cognizance of the United States.

## The Government Moves To Prevent Blanketing

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Jan. 19.—Attorney-General Foy has taken action to prevent the blanketing of mining claims. Writs were issued this morning against C. Hargrave, Bay City, Mich.; F. N. Rutherford, Niagara Falls; Charles Gunning Williams, of London, and the White Silver Company, Toronto. It is claimed leases were made to Rutherford and Williams, who transferred the shares to Hargrave, who turned them over to the White Silver Company. The lands are in Coleman Township, and 80 acres in extent. On Dec. 19, 1904, an affidavit of discovery was made by G. S. Hanes on behalf of Rutherford. On June 8, the Attorney-General registered a caution, claiming fraud in obtaining land. The White Silver Company then took no step to ship ore, but were caught later in the act.

NEW BURGLARY STUNT  
Thieves Bore Through Flooring and Got Away With Gems.

New York, Jan. 19.—While Charles Kelbow and two clerks were at work in Mr. Kelbow's jewelry store in Broadway, Brooklyn, early last evening, burglars cut a hole up through the flooring of the show window and got away with about \$1,500 worth of jewelry. Kelbow was astonished when a pedestrian came into his store to tell him the display of jewelry was in disarray. It is one of the most daring and clever robberies ever reported to the Brooklyn police.

Kelbow discovered upon investigation that the thieves got into the cellar under the jewelry store by an adjoining hallway, and cut a hole through the floor of the window by boring a row of holes. They had disappeared when the jewelry was missed.

CUT DOWN EXPENSE BILL  
Echo of Bicycle Trust Case—Promoter's Fee Disallowed.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Windsor, Jan. 19.—Henry Clay, local master of Essex, has cut down expense bills put in by the plaintiff and defendant in the suit of Evans vs. Jafray, a case resulting from the formation of a bicycle trust in Canada. Mr. Evans' bill was reduced from \$335 to \$292, and Mr. Jafray's from \$5,308 to \$4,922. Promoter Johnson's fee of \$5,000 was disallowed.

THE WEATHER.  
Tomorrow—Milder, Rain.

London, Friday, Jan. 19.

Sun rises, 7:46 a.m. Moon rises, 2:17 a.m. Sun sets, 5:11 p.m. Moon sets, 1:02 p.m.

Toronto, Jan. 19—8 p.m. Minimum and maximum temperatures: 15-30; Victoria, 24-42; Vancouver, 23-37; Calgary, 6 below-42; Edmonton, 2-5; Qu'Appelle, 2 below-24; Winnipeg, 14 below-4; Port Arthur, 2-14; Fanny Sound, 14-28; Toronto, 28-38; Ottawa, 10-24; Montreal, 18-30; Quebec, 12-22; St. John, 30-40; Halifax, 24-36.

Friday, Jan. 19—8 a.m. Today—Winds shifting to easterly; fair. Saturday—Milder again, with snow or rain.

WEATHER NOTES.  
The weather has turned much colder in Ontario and Quebec, and it is now cold in all portions of the Dominion; but disturbances advancing from the Western States promise milder conditions again in the lake region.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.  
The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the local observatory for the 24 hours ended at 8 p.m. Thursday were: Highest, 24.5°; lowest, 25.5° above.

## The Election Score

London, Jan. 19. — The most interesting feature of today's election returns was the capture of West Belfast by an Irish Nationalist, Joseph Devlin. Belfast has been a Unionist stronghold from time immemorial, with the exception of a few years, when the seat now won by Mr. Devlin was held by Thomas Sexton. Twelve Liberal and two Labor gains were announced today as the result of yesterday's elections. The totals are now: Liberals 218, Unionists 94; Irish Nationalists 70, Laborites 37. Among the candidates at today's elections is John Dillon, the Irish Nationalist.

## FREED FROM PRISON, CRIES

Is 103 Years Old and Had Been Confined 50 Years.

Agram, Hungary, Jan. 19. — Ivan Palenecuk, who is 103 years old, was released from prison yesterday, after 50 years' confinement. He protested tearfully against his release, but in vain, and he immediately committed another crime in order to be re-imprisoned.

## HIS BACK BROKEN

Workman Fatally Injured by Fall of a Pole at Hamilton.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Hamilton, Jan. 19. — Joseph Webb, employed by the Bell Telephone Company, was fatally injured, and several others had narrow escapes in an accident this morning by a heavy pole crashing to the ground. Webb was pinned to the ground and his back broken.

GENERAL MITRE DEAD  
One Time President of Argentine, and Famous Warrior.

Buenos Ayres, Jan. 19. — General Bartolome Mitre, former president of the Argentine Republic died early today.

Gen. Mitre was 83 years old. He was president from 1867 to 1871, and general-in-chief of the army of Brazil, Argentina and Uruguay in the three years' war with Paraguay. He gained considerable distinction also in literature, his work including a translation in Spanish of Dante's "Divine Comedy."

## PACKING FRAUD PUNISHED

Trenton Apple Shippers Given Severe Penalty of Law.

Trenton, Jan. 18.—Police Magistrate T. O'Rourke this afternoon imposed the maximum penalty provided for infraction of the fruit marks act upon James Coyle, Colborne, who was fined \$50 and costs, and in default of payment imprisonment for 30 days in the common jail at Belleville. The charge, laid by Robert J. Rutherford, inspector of the fruit division of the department of agriculture, was that the defendant, on Dec. 28, 1905, in violation of section 6 of the fruit marks act, had in his possession for sale 50 barrels of apples marked XXX, which were below the standard, and that said apples were not XXX standard as required by the act.

TO SAVE OTTOMAN EMPIRE  
Prominent Europeans Ask Roosevelt to Move in the Matter.

Washington, Jan. 19. — Prominent European statesmen, educators, publicists and citizens whose fame is world wide, have joined in a petition to President Roosevelt to endeavor to bring about "the concert of the powers of Europe with the view of securing for the subjects of the Ottoman Empire that condition of public peace and order of which the absence has already drawn down upon that empire so many disasters that facing it with the catastrophe of its total annihilation."

The appeal was presented to President Roosevelt yesterday by James B. Reynolds, of New York. It was prepared by M. Bertelot, formerly senator and secretary of foreign affairs of France.

The President has promised Mr. Reynolds to give it the most careful consideration.

BIG GUN FOR SANDY HOOK  
Gigantic New Weapon to Defend Uncle Sam's Chief Port.

Washington, Jan. 19.—A new type of siege gun has been completed by the ordnance department of the Rock Island arsenal, and has been shipped to the Sandy Hook proving grounds at New York for a test. The new weapon has a caliber of 4.7, and throws a 60-pound projectile. This is five pounds heavier than the projectile now thrown from the 5-inch siege guns, which are to be replaced with the new models if the gun to be tested at Sandy Hook proves satisfactory in every way.

The chief characteristic of the new gun is its long recoil. It is said that this gives a steady carriage, and that the carriage will not jump when the gun is fired, as is the case with the gun now in use, thus permitting a more rapid fire.

## Worried Over Situation Drank Ounce of Poison

Suicide of Miss May Field, of Park Avenue—Was Not Discovered for a Day.

For some unaccountable reason, pretty May Field, 23 years of age, who lived with her sister, Mrs. Thomas F. McCracken, wife of a wood-worker, at 424 Park Avenue, committed suicide yesterday. She was not found until about 9 o'clock last night, and it is thought she had been dead about six or eight hours.

Miss Field was employed in one of the departments of the McClary Manufacturing Company. The last time she was seen by the family was on Wednesday evening. Then, Mrs. McCracken told The Advertiser, she appeared as usual. She came home, had her tea, and went to her room. Later, she went out for a walk with a girl who boards in the house. She went to a Dundas street drug store, with her friend, and there bought a bottle of carbolic acid.

No questions were asked of her by the drug clerk, as her appearance gave no evidence of the terrible deed she contemplated. According to the law, it is necessary to sign a register when acid is purchased, but carbolic acid is now used for so many purposes that the public would consider it an outrage if they were compelled to register every time they buy the drug. Consequently, the law is not adhered to by the druggists, and Miss Field was not called upon to register.

Her companion thought nothing of the purchase at the time. Upon her return to the house, Miss Field appeared much as usual to the inmates. She said nothing to which especial interest can now be attached, and she retired at the usual hour.

Not Missed for a Day.

Yesterday morning, Mrs. McCracken, busy with her work as a boarding-house keeper, did not miss her sister. It was not an uncommon thing for the girl to have her breakfast with some of the boarders and to leave for her work without saying anything to her sister. She was in the habit, too, of

taking her lunch, and, as a consequence, she was not missed until after 8 o'clock in the evening. Then Mrs. McCracken began to get anxious. She watched and waited for a couple of hours, little dreaming that upstairs in her room her sister lay dead.

Then a questioning of the boarders showed that no one had seen the girl at breakfast, and the alarm was spread. Upon going to her room, the door was found to be locked on the inside. It was at once broken open, and there the girl was found in bed. She lay as if asleep. An attempt was made to arouse her, but it failed. Then Dr. Kingsmill was sent for, and he at once pronounced her dead. The doctor discovered an empty one-ounce carbolic acid bottle in the room, and an examination showed the lips of the girl to be badly burned by the acid. He summoned Dr. Piper, who, after an examination, deemed an inquest unnecessary, though he is still looking up evidence in the case.

Miss Field Was Melancholy.

Dr. Piper stated today that so far as he is aware there was absolutely no reason for the suicide. All he could learn was that Miss Field was a very melancholy girl, and that she worried, though altogether needlessly, over her situation. She was a girl of the highest character, against whom nothing could be said, and the most searching inquiry fails to reveal any love affair. The family is very respectable, two of her brothers being well off in Winnipeg.

"I cannot account for her awful act," Mrs. McCracken said to an Advertiser reporter today, as she wept bitterly. "May was always a good girl, but from a child she was melancholy, and would always look on the black side of life. I cannot understand it."

The late Miss Field, it is said, habitually worried over her work, and always appeared to be under the impression that she was not pleasing her employer, when, as a matter of fact, she always enjoyed the goodwill and esteem of those for whom she worked. It is not as yet decided when the funeral will be held.

## CONNAUGHT TO VISIT THE CITIES

Prince Arthur Will Stop at Vancouver, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, Halifax.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Jan. 19. — Prince Arthur of Connaught, after visiting Japan, is expected to arrive at Victoria on March 28. From there the party will proceed to Vancouver, stopping at Banff and Winnipeg en route for Toronto. When Ottawa is reached Parliament will be in session. They will stay two or three days here. Prince Arthur will be the guest of Lord Grey during the time he is at the capital. His next stops will be Montreal, Quebec and Halifax.

IN MEMORY OF HARPER  
Sentiment Now Favors the Erection of a Magnificent Library.

Chicago, Jan. 19. — Sentiment favoring the erection of a great library, instead of a chapel, as a memorial to President William McKinley, has grown among the University of Chicago professors, students and alumni in the last few days, and it is believed now that a library building to cost at least \$1,500,000 will be constructed.

A great library would be more fitting to the memory of President McKinley than a chapel, said Dr. T. W. Goodspeed, secretary of the board of trustees and registrar of the university, yesterday.

"It is likely that a popular subscription will be started, and I have no doubt that the necessary funds will be donated quickly."

Walling Not Arrested.

New York, Jan. 19. — The correspondence of the Associated Press at St. Petersburg, having been queried concerning the reported arrest of William English Walling, in that city, for revolutionary activity, telegraphed today that Mr. Walling has not been arrested and that the report to that effect is without foundation.

The Associated Press received the statement that Mr. Walling had been arrested from Abraham Gahan, editor of the Jewish Daily Forward, yesterday, and accepted it as correct.

MOROCCAN JEWS TO BENEFIT  
BY INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

Algiers, Jan. 19. — 11:30 a.m. — This being the Mohammedan Sunday, there will be no session of the international conference, through deference for the Moroccan delegates. A Moorish villa served temporarily as a mosque, where the Moors recited their religious fervor in praying for the preservation of their country.

In the meantime the exchanges of views between the delegates of the powers have brought an agreement not to consider questions outside of the pre-arranged Franco-German programme. One result of this is to exclude the religious subjects which the Vatican is said to desire to introduce through Austria.

However, one of the ambassadors says that the Jewish question came up, not as a religious issue, but as an incident to the protection of the powers of the Sultan.

Mohammed El Torres, head of the Moroccan mission, has informed the delegates that the Sultan is prepared to abolish the harsh laws requiring the Jews to prostrate themselves before the mosques and other humiliating practices, but the delegates doubt the wisdom of their abolition, as Mohammed El Torres and the foreign ministers in Morocco say that the performance of this tradition by the Jews would excite an outbreak.

It is expected that the delegates will strengthen the conditions of the conference.

## SMALLPOX CASE IN SOUTH LONDON

The Patient Contracts Disease While Attending a Wedding at Kincardine.

Smallpox has again made its appearance, this time in South London. The victim is Mrs. Benjamin F. Todd, of No. 16, the Ridgeway.

As is usually the case, the disease comes from another place. About two weeks ago Mrs. Todd attended a wedding in Kincardine. She returned home, and after a while complained of feeling ill. A physician was not summoned, however, until a day or so ago, and he was at a loss to know the nature of the disease from which the woman was suffering. For a while he thought it was chickenpox, but as the pustules began to develop he became alarmed and called in Dr. Hutchinson yesterday afternoon.

The medical health officer, who is an expert in such diseases, saw at a glance that the woman was suffering from a malignant type of smallpox, and he at once ordered the house to be quarantined.

Mr. and Mrs. Donaldson, father and mother of Mrs. Todd, reside in the house with the patient and her husband, so that the quarantine covers four persons.

Every Precaution Taken.

Every precaution has been taken to prevent the spread of the disease. Dr. Hutchinson states that it is not probable the woman has spread the disease in London, because she is not usually strong, and since she came home has been nearly all the time in doors.

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C. P. R. and G. T. R. Agree

Montreal, Jan. 19. — It transpires that an important adjustment of difficulties between the Canadian Pacific and the Grand Trunk Railways has been reached this week, as the result of conferences at Ottawa between the Government and Sir William Whyte, the second vice-president of the C. P. R., and Manager Morse, of the G. T. P.

The trouble caused by the location of the G. T. P. only a few miles from the C. P. R., which became acute at the end of last summer, is over. The two companies drove stakes on practically an identical route from Saskatoon to Edmonton, which promised fruitful litigation for the lawyers.

## POISONED FOOD FOR GOV. PEABODY

An Attempt to Kill Former Executive of Colorado—Daughter Likely to Die.

Canyon City, Col., Jan. 19. — Former Governor J. H. Peabody, his wife, and their daughter, were poisoned by food eaten at breakfast yesterday, and the daughter, Miss Cora Peabody, is in a critical condition. Mr. and Mrs. Peabody, although ill for several hours, recovered later. An air of mystery surrounds the affair. Facts were gleaned from friends of the family to show that there is a belief that an attempt was made to destroy the family by poison.

An intimate friend of the Peabodys said that several letters have been received by the former governor within the last week or two calling his attention to the manner of the death of former Governor Steunenberg, of Idaho, and threatening him with a similar fate.

Governor Peabody said: "I do not want to say where I think the responsibility lies until the results of the investigation now being made are known."

Mr. Peabody was governor of Colorado during the labor troubles at Cripple Creek, and Telluride, when troops took possession of the two camps, and when the Independence station was razed with dynamite, killing several men.

Ambassador to Japan.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 19. — Luke E. Wright, governor-general of the Philippines, has been named by the President as the first American ambassador to Japan.

Mr. Whyte has been in Montreal for some time, and Mr. Morse has been in the west. On Monday both went to Ottawa, and chiefly, it is said, by the tactical methods of Government Engineer Schreiber, the contentions of both sides were amicably adjusted, and the new routes will be far enough apart to insure sufficient competition in the public interest and plenty of business for both lines.

The C. P. R. it is understood, had taken strong action, identical to the rival corporation by withdrawing from sale all their lands contiguous to the G. T. P. route, so as to prejudice in Canada and in England the prosperity of the line. This retaliatory measure will now be itself withdrawn.

Philadelphia, Jan. 19. — Henry Lear, former president of the Doylestown (Pa.) National Bank, which failed several years ago, was today sentenced by Judge McPherson in the United States district court to five years' imprisonment in the Eastern Penitentiary for embezzling the funds of the bank. This is the minimum sentence. An appeal was immediately taken on the circuit court of appeals, and Lear was admitted to bail in the sum of \$10,000, pending the determination of the appeal.

Lear was tried three times for the offense. The first two trials resulted in a disagreement of the jury.