MAJORITY NEARLY THIRTY THOUSAND

FULL RETURNS OF THE NEW YORK ELECTION

Low's Opponent Carried Only One Borough—London Papers Congratulate City On the Result.

New York, Nov. 6.—Full returns in New York city of the vote for mayor show the election of Seth Low, the Fusion candidate, by a majority of 29,804. Mr. Low receiving 294,992 votes and Edward M. Sheppard, Democratic candidate, 265,128. Mr. Sheppard carried only one borough and in that one, Queens, his majority was only 762.

Labor Candidate Elected.

San Francisco, Nov. 6.—Eugene E. Schmitz, the Union Labor candidate for mayor, has been elected by a plurality of about 2,500. Asa R. Wells, Republican, ran second, and J. S. Tobin, Democrat, third in the race of the other candidates on the municipal ticket, the Republicans electing auditor, sheriff, tax collector, treasurer, county clerk, public administrator and six supervisors. The Democrats will have city attorney, recorder, district attorney, coroner, two police judges and nine supervisors. Besides the mayor, the Union Labor party elected three supervisors.

London Press Comments.

London, Nov. 6.—The most vindictive opponents of Tammany hall in the thick of the campaign could not have painted that organization in blacker colors than do the editorial writers in the afternoon papers here to-day in congratulating New York city on the result of the election.

"The success of Seth Low is an event on which every friend of America and every lover of virtue and honesty, anywhere, has good reason to raise paens of congratulation," says the St. James Gazette, adding, "It is the greatest blow yet struck at the most nefarious system of organized, triumphant villainy ever forced on a civilized community by a gang of corrupt blackmailers. But the terrific power of such an organization can only be crushed by a counter organization and equally far-reaching energy."

The Pall Mall Gazette says: "The gods that preside over honest government deserve a libation from every good citizen throughout the world."

The Westminster Gazette remarks: "The New Yorker seems at last to have grasped that he has a citizen's responsibility for the good government of his city. With a President who has declared against the spoils system and a de-Tammanyized New York, the administrative outlook for the United States is brighter than for a long time past."

FRASER RIVER BRIDGE.

Plan to Have Floor for Railway Traffic and Another for Vehicles.—Vancouver Notes.

Vancouver, Nov. 6.—Wallace Bros., of Claxton cannery, Skeena river, are opening a new department of shipping frozen salmon to Eastern points.

The first case of imprisonment for contempt by the County Court occurred here to-day, when R. C. Webber was committed for ten days. The cause was nonpayment of $7 debt.

General Manager Buntzen says the Vancouver Power Company has $700,000 ready for building a power system from Coquitlam water. A report on the proposal will be made by Government Agent Robson and a decision given by the government at Victoria.

It is probable that on account of the agitation against gambling all black jack games in town will be closed and only poker played in gambling houses.

J. Beehom, for thirty years an inmate of Westminster insane asylum, died this morning.

New plans are being prepared by Engineer Waddell to have two floors in the Fraser bridge, one for railway and the other exclusively for vehicle traffic.

GEN. CORBIN MARRIED.

Wedded To-Day to Miss E. A. Patton at Washington.

Washington, Nov. 6.—Major-General Fry C. Corbin, adjutant-general of the army, and Miss Edythe Agnes Patton were married at noon to-day at the Patton residence in this city. His Eminence Cardinal Gibbons performed the ceremony in the presence of a notable assemblage of distinguished guests. The bride was given away by Senator John P. Jones, of Nevada, a long time friend of the Patton family. It was a military wedding. The bridegroom, his best man, Col. Geo. R. Dyer, and all other army and navy officers present were in full dress uniform.

DIVIDING THE PRIZE.

M. Santos Dumont Will Give 50,000 Francs to the Poor of Paris.

New York, Nov. 6.—A dispatch from Paris to the London Times, transmitted to the New York Times, says that Santos Dumont will divide the Deutchse prize of 100,000 francs awarded to him on Monday by the committee of the Aero club as follows: Fifty thousand francs for the poor of Paris; 30,000 for M. Santos Dumont's assistant, Emanuel Aime, and the remaining 20,000 to the aeronaut's other co-laborers.

A GREAT MEDICINE.

"I have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and find it to be a great medicine," says Mr. E. S. Phipps, of Poteau, Ark. "It cured me of bloody flux, I cannot speak too highly of it." This remedy always wins the good opinion, if not praise, of those who use it. The quick cures which it effects even in the most severe cases make it a favorite everywhere. For sale by Henderson Bros., Wholesale Agents.

OUTLOOK IN JAPAN.

Government's Plan to Obtain Money for Railway and Telegraph Extension—The Bonds.

London, Nov. 7.—A dispatch from Yokohama, published in the second edition of the London Times to-day, says the failure to sell bonds to the amount of 50,000,000 yen in America has temporarily shocked the stock exchange, where an influx of foreign capital was expected.

The Japanese government has adopted a new plan to provide capital for the extension of the railroads and telegraphs which are now yielding a profit of seven per cent. It proposes selling immediately 16,000,000 yen in bonds to the Postal Savings banks, appropriating the surplus revenue to the railroads and telegraphs, and providing for gradual sales of bonds in the domestic market. Foreign money will not be sought except on favorable terms, as the steady inflow of gold, resulting from prosperous trade and a fine harvest, renders easy domestic financial operations.

HOW POLICE OFFICERS GAINED INFORMATION

"Sweating" Prisoners Suspected of Being Concerned in Robbery of Express Car in Montana.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 7.—The man and the woman who have been arrested here suspected of complicity in the robbery of an express car on the Great Northern railway near Wagner, Mont., on July 3rd last, when the safe was blown open and a consignment of unsigned notes for the National Bank of Helena, Mont., amounting to $50,000 and $100,000, were stolen, were put through a process of "sweating" last night. The woman finally admitted that her right name was Laura Bullin, and her home was in Knickerbocker, Texas. Her grandparents, Byerly by name, she said reside at Douglas, Arizona. Her companion, Longbaugh, admitted that he had won the money by gambling, as he at first stated, and said that in due time he would prove to the officers where he had secured it. Then he resumed his stubborn attitude and maintained it.

When the woman was asked by Chief of Detectives Desmond where she got the money, she said "Longbaugh gave it to me. My share of the money was over $7,000, and he had as much." She would not admit that she had any knowledge of his complicity in any robbery, nor that she had participated in any hold-up. The women laid great stress upon the eminent respectability of her grandparents, and begged the officers to withhold the fact of her arrest from them.

Chief Desmond, it is understood, is of the opinion that Miss Bullin, disguised as a man, actually participated in the express robbery. In a notebook found among Miss Bullin's personal effects were two letters purporting to have been written to her by W. R. Carver, from Sherman, Texas, and Ponca City, Okiohama.

SULTAN GIVING WAY.

French Marines Landed on Island of Mitylene and Abdul Hamid Has Yielded Further.

Paris, Nov. 7.—5:40 p.m.—A dispatch from Admiral Caillard has just been received announcing that he landed marines on the island of Mitylene this morning and occupied the customs at Midilti, without resistance.

The French government has received satisfactory replies from all the powers, without exception, to its note explaining the measures taken against Turkey. An excellent impression has been created in official circles by the tone of the response of the United States, which is couched in the most friendly terms.

Sultan's Promises.

Constantinople, Nov. 7.—The Porte has yielded still further to the French demands and has notified M. Bapst, councillor of the French embassy, that authority is granted France to rebuild or repair sixteen churches, convents and other institutions situated in different villages.

More Claims Probable.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 7.—Newspapers here anticipate that following the lead of France, other powers will discover claims against Turkey. The Russian newspapers generally welcome the French naval demonstration in Turkish waters as a set-back to what the Rossiya terms "German pretensions in Turkey."

OCEANIC'S VOYAGE.

Crossed Atlantic in Five Days, Seventeen Hours and Fifty Minutes.

New York, Nov. 6.—The big White Star steamer Oceanic arrived this morning from Liverpool and Queenstown, making the run across in her best time of 5 days, 17 hours and 50 minutes. Her speedy run was without avail, for on her arrival at quarantine Dr. Doty detained the ship in order to closely inspect the crew and steerage passengers, owing to the existence of bubonic plague at Liverpool.

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COLLIDED WITH CRUISER.

South Eastern Coasts of England Again Enveloped in Fog—Mail Boat Beached.

London, Nov. 7.—The heavy fog, which shut down upon London and half the country Tuesday, and which was partially dispersed yesterday afternoon, returned during the night and the southeastern coasts were enveloped in a denser mantle than before.

The Dutch mail boat Koenigin Regentes collided with the British third-class cruiser Proserpine off Sheerness at midnight. The passengers and mails were transferred to the Proserpine and the mail boat was beached.

DEATH OF EARL LI HUNG CHANG

PASSING OF CHINA'S LEADING STATESMAN

Illness Was Aggravated by His Refusals to Refrain From Working—Sketch of His Career.

Pekin, Nov. 7.—Li Hung Chang died at 11 o'clock this morning.

The doctors who visited him at 10 o'clock found him in good spirits, though extremely weak, as the result of sitting up and working in defiance of their instructions. When they called this morning they found him unconscious and sinking rapidly.

The Chinese officials are somewhat uneasy concerning the effect his death will have on the populace, and to guard against a possible anti-foreign demonstration the Chinese generals have disposed their troops about the city in such a way to command the situation. Trouble, however, is extremely probable. The wife of Earl Li and his two sons and daughters were with him. They are distressed. Chinese officials throng the Yamen. Telegrams have been sent summoning Prince Ching, who is now on his way to meet the court, and Chou Fou, provincial treasurer, from Pao Ting Fu.

The former will assume the formal charge of government affairs, and the latter will act as governor of Chi-Li until Li Hung Chang's successor, who will probably be Yuan Chi Kai, is appointed.

Robt. Coleman, an American doctor, who is one of the physicians attending Earl Li, told the correspondent of the Associated Press that when he was called to act with Dr. Veld, of the German legation, on November 1st, he found the patient very weak from severe hemorrhages, due to ulceration of the stomach.

"The hemorrhages were readily controlled," said Dr. Coleman, "but owing to the underlying condition of chronic gastritis with persistent nausea, only the mildest liquid food could be digested. Yesterday he was cheerful and without pain, but at 2 o'clock this morning he became unconscious, and was no longer able to get rid of the collection of mucous which he had freely expectorated. Death was expected owing to the symptoms supervening upon gradual carbonic acid poisoning. Throughout the evening digitalis was frequently administered. Earl Li's persistent refusals to refrain from attending to government business aggravated his malady, while the refusal of his family to permit certain measures customary in Western medical practice for relieving the stomach contributed to bring his end."

Li Hung Chang was born at Ho-Fei-Shien, province of Ann Honei, China, on February 16th, 1823. He was educated in the Han-Sin College, Pekin; held several civic and military offices, and was appointed governor of the province of Thiang-Sin in 1862. He aided in suppressing the Taeping rebellion 1863-4; became viceroy of the two Thiang provinces 1865; minister-plenipotentiary 1866; viceroy of Hong Kuang 1867; grand chancellor 1868, and was despoiled of his titles after the Tientsin massacre in 1870.

Two years later he was restored to Imperial favor, and made grand chancellor, and was subsequently appointed governor-general of Pi-Chih-Li, and commander-in-chief of Chinese army. In 1877 he foresaw need of a formidable navy, and bought four ironclads in England; from this the Chinese navy took its start. In 1888 he began to apply himself to the enterprise of railway building in his own country, and the practical wisdom with which he started soon enlisted sufficient capital to carry out his plans. About the same time joint stock companies were organized, through Li Hung Chang's influence, for various industrial enterprises, and under his direction Chinese capitalists studied and practiced the methods of western finance as applied to industry.

In 1894 he used his efforts to avert war with Japan over Corean relations, but his advice was not heeded until China, reduced to dire extremity by the war, turned as usual to him, and sent him to make peace, which delicate and dangerous mission he executed with tact and success. In recognition of his services in this instance the Emperor reinstated him in office and dignities of which he had been deprived.

In 1896 he made a tour around the world, in the course of which he paid a visit to Canada, and sailed for home on one of the Empresses from Victoria.

Earl Li reached Pekin on October 20th, 1896, on his return from his tour. A few days later it was announced that he had been appointed minister of foreign affairs, while at the same time came the news that for some breach of etiquette in connection with a visit to the Empress Dowager he had been punished by a fine and deprival of his honors.

In 1898 a coup d'etat, amounting to a practical deposition of the Emperor and a restoration of the regency of the Empress Dowager took place. In the same year rebellion broke out in various parts of the Empire, and at Shanghai a party was landed from a French cruiser and the rioters fired on, a number of natives being killed or wounded.

Towards the end of the following year Li Hung Chang received the unusual honor of appointment of viceroy of the two southern provinces adjacent to the sphere of French influence.

He was prominently connected with the negotiations which followed the rescue of the legations at Pekin in the early months of the present year. Recent messages from China have reported that his health was rapidly failing, and now comes the news of his death.

PETRIFIED FRUITS.

Christiania, Nov. 7.—Petrified tropical fruits have been found in some Spitzbergen coal.

LAID OVER.

Application of V., V. & E. Company Before Railway Committee.

Ottawa, Nov. 7.—At the railway committee to-day the application of the Vancouver, Victoria & Eastern Railway and Navigation Company for permission to construct a branch line from its main line, extending to Columbia-Grand Forks, B.C., and the application also for permission to construct a branch from the main line to Granby smelter, near the city of Grand Forks, were held over for the present.

Hon. A. G. Blair said there was no main line, and he did not see very well how a branch could be constructed from a main line which did not exist.

Judge for Yale District.

An order-in-council has been passed appointing Judge Leamy for the judicial district of Yale as well as Kootenay at the same salary. This was asked for by the West and has been granted.

PANAMA REPORTED TO HAVE FALLEN

SAID TO BE UNDER CONTROL OF LIBERALS

Head of Junta in New York Says All Foreign Interests Will Be Protected.

New York, Nov. 7.—The Herald prints the following:

"From a source of information on the situation in Colombia, which this far has furnished no news not subsequently verified by wire, the Herald has received the copy of a cablegram saying that the city of Panama has fallen and is in the complete control of the Liberal party. It is believed by the New York representative of the Liberals that Gen. Alban, the governor of the Panama department, is a prisoner, unless he has escaped by sea.

"At the headquarters of the Liberal party in this city all were jubilant at the news of the fall of Panama. Dr. Restrepo, who is the head of the Junta here, said: 'All foreign interests will be protected. The Isthmus will be kept open and the Panama railroad guarded from guerilla attack if necessary. Everywhere where its government is established the rights of foreigners will be secure.'"

Report Denied.

Colon, Colombia, via Galveston, Texas, Nov. 7.—There is absolutely no truth in the report circulated in the United States that Panama has been captured by the Liberals. No fighting whatever has occurred. The state of affairs is the same as it has been for weeks past.

ITALIAN IN STATES.

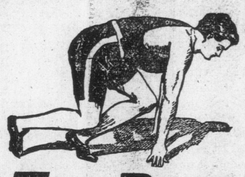
Bishop Scalabrini Has Completed Report on Their Condition.

New York, Nov. 7.—Bishop Scalabrini, who was delegated by the Pope to prepare a report on the condition of the Italian immigrants in this country, has about completed his mission and will return to Rome next Tuesday. He expressed himself as being delighted with the reception and care of the Italians in this country, and said that his report would be favorable. He said that Archbishop Dimedio Falcionio would succeed Cardinal Martinelli.

LIVES LOST IN FIRE.

Ten Persons Burned to Death at Hurley, Wisconsin.

Ironwood, Mich., Nov. 6.—Ten lives were lost and four buildings destroyed by a fire which started in the Klondyke theatre at Hurley, Wis., to-day. The charred remains of six of the victims have been recovered and search is being made for the others. The Klondike theatre was burned once before in July, 1887, when eleven women lost their lives.



THE RACE

Does not depend on the start but on the finish. It's staying power which carries many a runner to victory. It's like that in business. Many a man starts off in the race for business success with a burst of speed which seems to assure victory. Presently he begins to falter and at last he falls and fails. The cause? Generally "stomach trouble." No man is stronger than his stomach. Business haste leads to careless and irregular eating. The stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition become diseased. The body is inadequately nourished and so grows weak.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It strengthens the stomach and so strengthens the whole body which depends on the stomach for the nourishment from which strength is made.

There is no alcohol in "Golden Medical Discovery," and it is entirely free from opium, cocaine and all other narcotics.

Accept no substitute for the "Discovery." There is no medicine "just as good" for diseases of the stomach and allied organs.

"Your 'Golden Medical Discovery' has performed a wonderful cure," writes Mr. M. H. House, of Charleston, Franklin Co., Ark. "I had the worst case of dyspepsia, the doctors say, that they ever saw. After trying seven doctors and everything I could hear of, with no benefit, I tried Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and now I am cured."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation.

NOTHING KNOWN IN OFFICIAL CIRCLES

REGARDING CANADIAN MOUNTED CONTINGENT

No Word Received From War Office on Subject—Boer Losses in the Recent Fight.

Ottawa, Nov. 7.—Nothing is known in official circles of the cable from London that the war office was going to accept another contingent for South Africa from Canada.

The minister of militia was seen this morning and said that he had no communication of any kind from the war office on the matter. All that he knew about it was what he saw in the morning papers.

Enquiry was made at the state department, and a reply was given that no information of any kind on the subject had been received. Rideau Hall was next visited and a similar answer was obtained there.

However, it is not likely that the Associated Press would have concocted the London cable, and therefore there must be some talk of securing mounted infantry from the colonies, and it is possible that the old offer of Canada, which was declined about a year ago, may be now under reconsideration.

Forty-Four Boers Killed.

London, Nov. 7.—Lord Kitchener, cabling supplementary details of the recent fight near Brakenlaagte, eastern Transvaal, says:

"The Boer loss was forty-four killed, including General Opperman, and one hundred wounded. The Boers got nothing beyond the guns.

"The Boer attack was easily repulsed until the arrival of Louis Botha, with 600 men."

More Cavalry.

London, Nov. 7.—The meetings of the British cabinet recently have been chiefly devoted to South Africa and to drawing up plans for more strenuous efforts to end the campaign. One of the immediate results will be the dispatch of another 1,000 cavalry from England to South Africa. As Mr. Chamberlain, the Colonial Secretary, went yesterday afternoon directly from the cabinet meeting to the scene of the presentation to Major-General Baden-Powell, the defender of Mafeking, of the sword of honor sent from Australia, the secretary's declaration on the occasion may be accepted as the decision reached by the cabinet and as the government's reply to recent suggestions that the Boers should be offered terms.

Presiding at the presentation of the sword of honor, Mr. Chamberlain said now that the long struggle in South Africa was approaching its termination, neither the country nor the government had any right or wish to make any settlement which would render futile the sacrifices which had been made.

Cheers for Buller.

London, Nov. 7.—At Nottingham today, where Lord Roberts, the commander-in-chief, distributed a thousand war medals, he was repeatedly "Booed" and cheers were raised for General Buller. The recipients of the medals at the luncheon subsequently given in their honor repeatedly broke into cheers for General Buller.

SCENE IN COURT.

Witness in Jackson Case Denounced the Female Prisoner.

London, Nov. 7.—The hearing of the charges against Theodore and Laura Jackson (Ann Odel Dis Debar) was resumed at the Marylebone police court to-day. The court was crowded. Laura Faulkner continued her testimony.

The clerk informed a representative of the Associated Press that enough witnesses had been summoned to keep them going for weeks.

There were no women in the audience. The testimony was largely a reiteration of that previously given. The most dramatic incident to-day was when Laura Jackson began her customary badgering cross-examination of the witness. The latter turned, and pointing her finger at the female prisoner vehemently denounced her as the author of her ruin. The audience raised loud applause, whereupon the presiding judge threatened to clear the court. The occurrence seemed to shake the nerves of the female prisoner, and her subsequent conduct of the case was not marked by the ability which she has heretofore displayed.

TECHNICAL COLLEGE.

Andrew Carnegie Will Build and Equip Institution in South of Scotland.

London, Nov. 7.—It is announced that Andrew Carnegie will give £100,000 to build and equip a technical college in southern Scotland. The institution will probably be located at Galashiels.

WINNIPEG CLEARING HOUSE.

Winnipeg, Nov. 7.—The clearing house returns for the week ending November 7th were: Clearings, $4,658,006; balance, $839,216. For corresponding week in 1900 the clearings were $2,745,778, balance $353,725. For same week in 1899 the clearings were $3,362,892, balance $479,658.

THE KINKS AND TWISTS IN RHEUMATICS RUGGED ROAD.—For 4 years the wife of a well known Toronto physician was on crutches from Rheumatism Scourge, and not until she began using South American Rheumatic Cure could she get a minute's permanent relief from pain. Four bottles cured her. Write for confirmation if you're sceptical. Sold by Jackson & Co. and Hall & Co.—154.

WESTMINSTER NOTES.

Young Men's Liberal Club Organized—Two Japs Charged With Theft.

New Westminster, Nov. 7.—Two Japanese were arrested on the arrival of the down-river steamer this morning charged with stealing $160 from another Japanese at Steveston.

A man named Douglas Thompson was arrested at Sumas to-day. Silverware was found in his possession. A collection of American souvenir spoons included in the booty recovered has not yet been identified.

The Young Men's Liberal Club of New Westminster was organized last night at a large meeting called for the purpose. The officers elected were: Honorary president, Aulay Morrison, M.P.; president, F. W. Howay; vice presidents, D. McPherson, A. W. Gray and Joe Mahony; treasurer, Arthur Malins; secretary, W. I. Briggs, who with the following constitute the executive committee: Joe Reichenbach, R. Jardine, W. J. Corbet, West Mackay, R. D. Hendry, H. Stead, Geo. Thompson and E. L. Webber. The club will meet twice each month through the winter.

LETTER RECEIVED FROM MISS H. STONE

Kidnapped Missionary and Her Companion Are Well—Dickinson is Chagrined.

New York, Nov. 7.—The messenger sent by S. M. Bakhemeteff, the Russian diplomatic agent, to the brigands, has returned bearing a letter from Miss Stone to a former pupil at Sofia, says the Sofia correspondent of the Journal and Advertiser. M. Bakhemeteff, having thus established communication, has turned the letter and details over to Mr. Dickinson, the American consul-general, saying the latter has the ransom, and upon him rests the responsibility. The messenger was absent nine days. The letter consists of half a page, saying Miss Stone and Madame Tsilka are well.

Dickinson Vexed.

Sofia, Bulgaria, Nov. 7.—Consul-General Dickinson, of Constantinople, is greatly chagrined because of the fact that he had received a letter from Miss Ellen M. Stone leaked out. He says it is calculated to affect seriously, if not completely upset, the progress already achieved. On two previous occasions negotiations with the brigands who abducted the American missionary were abruptly broken off by the former owing to the premature disclosure of secrets which the bandits regarded as being a breach of the understanding with them.

Mr. Dickinson informed a representative of the Associated Press to-day that it was absolutely indispensable, if Miss Stone was ever to be released, that the course of the negotiations be kept inviolably secret. Her release is hopeless except the brigands place confidence in the negotiator's inviolability. It is impossible to expect the brigands to place confidence in the negotiations when they find that information that they regard as secret is constantly leaking out.

WINNIPEG WIRES.

Charged With Forgery—Railway Fireman Injured in Collision.

Winnipeg, Nov. Harry Smith, a young Nova Scotian, was arrested near Brookdale and brought to Carberry today to have his preliminary hearing on a charge of forgery. Smith and a companion, Purley Lorraine, came west, together this fall during the farmers' excursions. On reaching Carberry, both made deposits in the Union Bank, Smith of $60, and Lorraine of $40, for which each was given a deposit receipt. Some days ago a man appeared at the bank, presented Lorraine's receipt, and was given the $40. The rightful owner afterwards turned up for his money, and the arrest of Smith is the sequel.

An accident occurred on the C. P. R. near Bucnside station, eight miles west of Portage la Prairie, thus morning, when two freight trains collided. Very little damage was done. Wm. Black, of Winnipeg, a fireman, jumped when the collision occurred, and was painfully injured, but he will recover. The track was soon cleared for traffic.

An interesting case is booked for the Winnipew Assizas, but will probably not come up for trial, owing to the disappearance of the defendant. Mills was committed for trial in the Lower court on the charge of having stolen $3,000 from Premier Roblin, his partner, in the cattle business. When the case was called at the Assize court to-day, Mills was not present and his bail was ordered escheated.

At the Assize court to-day the grand jury returned a true bill against V. Winkler for undue intimidation in the general election of November last. Winkler contested Lisgar against R. L. Richardson, who was recently unseated.

THE BRIGANDS' CAPTIVES.

Sofia, Nov. 6.—The brigands having Miss Stone and Mme Tsilka in their custody were in Bulgarian territory near the Turkish frontier last week, according to authoritative intelligence. The captives were lodged in caves and fires were lighted to protect them from the severe cold. Since then the brigands and the women had gone to some place unknown. The fact that violent measures, such as mutilation, to extort ransom, were not taken, indicates that the brigands are under the impression that the longer they wait, the better will be the terms obtainable. This attitude is regarded as being partly due to the publicity given to the subscriptions towards the ransom, and it is increasing the difficulty experienced by Consul-General Dickinson in his efforts to reduce the brigands' demands.

IN HEART DISEASE IT WORKS LIKE MAGIC.—"For years my greatest enemy was organic Heart Disease. From uneasiness and palpitation it developed into abnormal action, thumping, fluttering and choking sensations. Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart gave instant relief, and the bad symptoms have entirely disappeared. It's a wonder-worker."—Rev. L. S. Dana, Pittsburg, Pa. Sold by Jackson & Co. and Hall & Co.—155.

THE CHIEF WILL STOP ALL GAMBLING

CHESS AND CHECKERS PLAYED LAST NIGHT

The Question is at Present Agitating Vancouver—Action Over a Mineral Claim.

Vancouver, Nov. 7.—The police visited all gambling clubs last evening and found players assiduously engaged playing chess, checkers and whist. At a meeting of the police committee yesterday afternoon Ald. Wood said the board should apply at once to Attorney-General Eberts to have the charters of the bogus clubs cancelled. Chief North agreed to put a stop to gambling at once.

R. P. Ramage, who attempted suicide yesterday evening by jumping out of the fourth story window of the Lefevre block, Hastings street, was still living this afternoon and there are hopes of his recovery.

A suit has been entered by a firm of Americans against Hardy Bros., of Chilliwack, for possession of a claim at Mount Baker, formerly thought to be on the southern side of the boundary line. The Americans staked the claim first, according to the allegation, and Hardy jumped them on the American side. Then when the claim was found to be in Canada, Hardy registered here and the Americans jumped their stakes on this side of the line.

Ten men arrived this morning from Victoria to work at the B. C. Marine railway on the repairs to be made to the American schooner E. K. Wood. These men are ship carpenters and will remain here till the job is completed. Manager Bushby stated that the reason he had been forced to secure men in Victoria was that none were to be had either in this city or in New Westminster. The E. K. Wood has now been in the dock for two days and but six men could be obtained.

WILL ASK FOR CHANGES.

Manufacturers Want Increased Protection for Several Lines—The Annual Banquet.

Montreal, Nov. 6.—At the morning session of the Manufacturers' Association, it was decided to ask the government to make changes in the tariff giving increased protection to woollens, shirts, collars, lumber, oatmeal and agricultural implements. The association also decided not to continue the subscription to the Labor Gazette published by the government, as its tendency was against employers in favor of employees. The association decided to recommend to the government that the publication be remodelled on the plan of the United States Labor Bulletin, and that it only be issued quarterly.

The place of the next annual meeting was left to the executive, with the understanding that it shall be Quebec, Halifax or St. John. The induction of the new officers, as already announced, concluded the business of the session.

At the banquet of the association this evening, the feature of the speeches was the strong sentiment in favor of Imperialism. The principal speakers were Lord Strathcona, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, R. L. Borden (leader of the opposition), and Hon. W. S. Fielding. Lord Strathcona dwelt upon the benefit of stronger Imperial connection. Sir Wilfrid said that since 1866 Canada had been sending delegation after delegation to Washington in the effort to secure reciprocity. No more delegations would be sent. He would not be astonished if in a few years they saw delegations from Washington coming to Ottawa. He believed the future of the British Empire lay in a scheme of mutual support and defence. As for the tariff, he knew Mr. Fielding's tariff was not perfect, but he thought it met the views of the manufacturers of Canada. Hon. Mr. Fielding expressed the hope that the day would soon come when the tariff would be taken out of politics. He thought Canadians did not support home industries as well as they might. Hon. W. Paterson also spoke.

TWO ARRESTS.

Woman and Man in Custody Suspected of Being Implicated in Train Robbery.

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The fact that the ships of the ian-Australian line continues to b to their capacity, despite all opp is indicative of the growth southern trade, and particularly the Hawaiian islands, which a few ago received comparatively few ments a month. Now, in addition service provided by the Canadia tralian line, the islands have steamship connections with poi the Sound, established in recent and maintained with almost phen success in consideration of the pr conditions existing. The Globe tion Company, of Seattle, is one o new connections which is bringing and prosperity to the islands. M L. E. Beebe, who has been in H for about two weeks, reports t is meeting with a good success, offering inducements to shippers cannot be overlooked. The ne made is by far cheaper than th from San Francisco, and Eastern by way of Seattle can be land Honolulu for a dollar and a qu ton less than by steamer fro Francisco, and as cheap as by vessel, in shorter time.

The steamers of the new li be fitted with cold storage apar The vessels are remarkably ch operate and in their coal consu make a great saving. Their cre small and the whole expense of one of the vessels is very light.

THE VALENCIA FINED

Collector of Customs F. D. H of Port Townsend, imposed a $8,950 on Tuesday on the Valencia, in addition to the fine placed on that vessel last week fine is made on the ground th vessel brought down from Nor passengers in excess of her cer of inspection. Section 4,465 of vised statutes of the United Stat vides for a fine of $10 per hea the amount of passage money fo person in excess of the inspecti be remodelled on the plan of the United States Labor Bulletin, and that it only be issued quarterly.

The place of the next annual meeting was left to the executive, with the understanding that it shall be Quebec, Halifax or St. John. The induction of the new officers, as already announced, concluded the business of the session.

At the banquet of the association this evening, the feature of the speeches was the strong sentiment in favor of Imperialism. The principal speakers were Lord Strathcona, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, R. L. Borden (leader of the opposition), and Hon. W. S. Fielding. Lord Strathcona dwelt upon the benefit of stronger Imperial connection. Sir Wilfrid said that since 1866 Canada had been sending delegation after delegation to Washington in the effort to secure reciprocity. No more delegations would be sent. He would not be astonished if in a few years they saw delegations from Washington coming to Ottawa. He believed the future of the British Empire lay in a scheme of mutual support and defence. As for the tariff, he knew Mr. Fielding's tariff was not perfect, but he thought it met the views of the manufacturers of Canada. Hon. Mr. Fielding expressed the hope that the day would soon come when the tariff would be taken out of politics. He thought Canadians did not support home industries as well as they might. Hon. W. Paterson also spoke.

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