

### ER'S FLYING RIP TO FR NCE

#### TRAVERSE JUST ONE HUNDRED YARDS

#### Gendarmes Will Guard Movements of "Simple Tourist."

Sept. 11.—The government to-day official information that William, the army man, at Alsace Lorraine being at the frontier in an auto as a "simple tourist" for the purpose of enjoying a brief view from the top of the mountains.

It is considerably astonished to hear that William should choose this moment for the first visit to a territory made by a German since the King of Prussia claimed Emperor at Versailles. The government at once issued instructions to the customs officials to allow the imperial automobile to pass the frontier without any check for the proper guarding of the territory by gendarmes preventing any attempt to rob or kidnap the unfortunate tourist.

#### SSIZE COURT SITTINGS FIXED

#### in Which the Hearing of Cases Will Be Held.

Assizes commence with the hearing of October and the legal will be once more engaged to convict or release such as have offended against the law and of their Lordships. The following is the list of the holding of courts at the province:

- Clinton, Thursday, October
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- Vancouver, Monday, October
- Vernon, Tuesday, October
- New Westminster, Tuesday, Oct. 14
- Cranbrook, Tuesday, October
- Greenwood, Thursday, October
- Rossland, Tuesday, October
- Vancouver, Tuesday, November

#### WED PRISON BARS. Bold Dash for Liberty Proves Unsuccessful.

Sept. 11.—Having obtained the members of the board, Cornelius V. Colquhoun, superintendent of state prisons, led the pursuit of five convicts who had escaped from Clinton prison. The chase, the convicts were rounded in the woods north of the prison and Supt. Collins ordered the forest and captured the fugitives.

#### GIRL TAKES VENGE WITH RIFLE

#### Man and Wounds Other for Creating Disturbance.

Sept. 11.—Armed with a .38 Smith & Wesson revolver, a young woman here, fired as rapidly as she could into a group of men who were disturbing her in front of her home last night. Robert Brown, the operator of the cyanide plant, was wounded over the right eye and recovered; Wilbur Rand in the left leg. Miss Rand brought to Cripple Creek. The mother's story, she shouting and singing, and stepped out upon the front porch and begged them to desist. One of the men, she declared, fired at the girl immediately seized a rifle and shot her. As soon as she fell the others fled. The girl was arrested by a deputy sheriff and married and has a son.

### SEA OF FLAMES IN ONTARIO

#### SETTLERS ENDANGERED IN WHITEFISH VALLEY

#### Large Area of Timber Lands Destroyed—Serious Fires in Quebec District.

Fort William, Sept. 12.—This morning the whole country along the line of the Duluth extension of the Canadian Northern railway, running to the United States border from Arrow river to Hymers appears to be on fire. Already thousands of dollars' worth of damage has been done to timber.

Reports from the Whitefish valley and Silver mountain are very discouraging. The bush fires are now almost up to the settlement at O'Connor and Gilles, and on a heavy rain can save the communities from destruction. There are several hundred people situated in these districts.

John Menne, a provincial land inspector, came in from a trip over this section last night, and he says that there is a sea of flames along both sides of the road.

Johnson, a settler in the vicinity of Silver mountain, was burned out, losing practically everything he possessed in the world.

Sherbrooke, Que., Sept. 12.—Reports from St. Camille state that serious forest fires have been raging since Sunday. The situation is serious. Pulp wood to the value of \$50,000 has been destroyed, owned mostly by farmers.

The village of St. Camille was threatened, but escaped destruction. The fires approached within a few hundred yards.

In the township of Wotton hundreds of acres of timber land have been swept bare. Large quantities of cut pulp have been destroyed. The estimated damage is \$5,000.

What makes the situation more serious is that no water is available. The springs, wells and brooks are all dried up.

Disrael also reports severe losses of pulp wood and several houses have been destroyed.

Kirkdale, near Richmond, also reports serious losses. The Windsor mills are surrounded by fires.

#### INQUIRY REVEALS ONLY HONEST DEALINGS

Marine Department of Government Bought Reasonably in Every Case.

#### TO ORGANIZE JAPANESE.

Winnipeg, Sept. 12.—R. P. Pettipiece, of British Columbia, who is in the city at present assisting the executive committee of the C. P. R. strikers, in an interview expressed his intention of organizing the Japanese. He states the Orientals in British Columbia are well armed and ready to prevent further attacks from the exclusionists.

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#### THE SITUATION IN NANAIMO

#### FRANK SHEPHERD URGED TO STAND ASIDE

Preceding Famous Conference Efforts Were Made in Matter.

Greater interest attaches to the conference recently held in Premier McBride's office, when J. H. Hawthornthwaite, the Socialist candidate for the Nanaimo riding, and Frank Shepherd, the Conservative nominee, met with the premier. In view of the fact that preceding this gathering, Mr. Shepherd was urged by friends to stand aside.

An embassy from the ranks of the Provincial Conservative Association, spent a few days with Mr. Shepherd, and urged him to leave the field to Mr. Hawthornthwaite. But Mr. Shepherd demurred at this being unceremonious and for various reasons could not be made to see the situation in the light represented.

Following this move closely came the now famous conference in Mr. McBride's office to "discuss the Hoggan case."

In view of the facts, Ralph Smith, M. P., can truly be said to have a wonderful combination lined up against him. In spite of all these efforts, however, Mr. Smith will be able to show that he still retains the confidence of the electorate.

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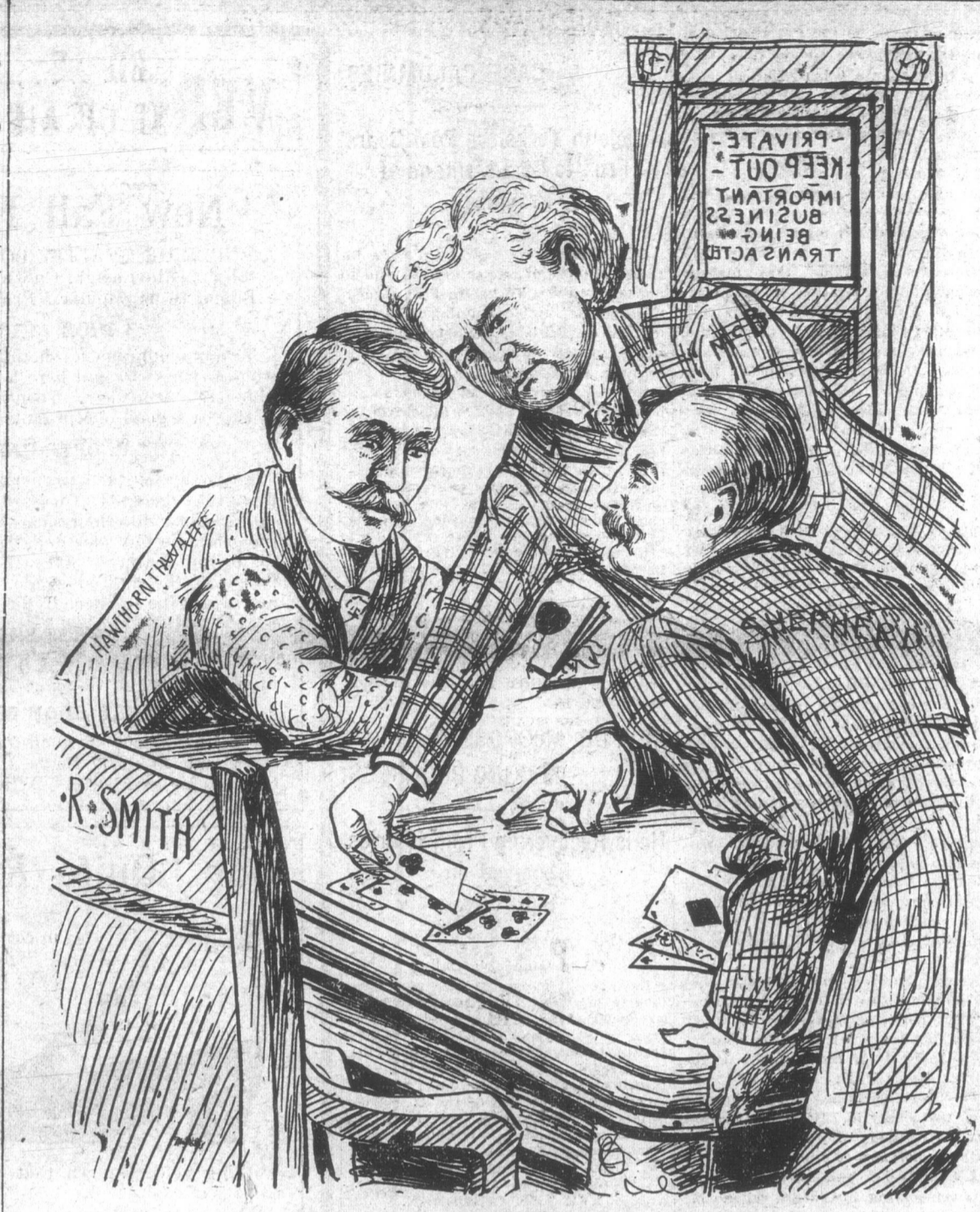
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