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#### POSSIBILITIES OF NEW OIL FIELDS

What Royalties Will Likely be Exacted

Field Very Extensive But Difficult of Access—Some of the Plans-Only Hardy and Well Equipped Allow-

(Special to Times.)
Ottawa, Dec. 1—Royalties on oil productions in the northwest territories are expected to be fixed by proclamation at from two and a half to ten per cent for the output. The proposal is that the royalty would be from two and a half to five per cent of the output for the first five years, from five to ten per cent for the next five years, and after that ten per cent of the value of the output at the well.

Scott & Bowne, Toronto, Ont. 20-37

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WILSON MEDIATOR

Washington, Nov. 30—President Wilson has accepted the invitation of the tensor of the second secon

The department of the interior will collect a rental from all the land staked, will reserve for the crown one half of every 640 acres or less staked by every prospector, and will collect a good royalty as well.

Washington, Nov. 30—President Willand consequently the snow on the mountains does not melt, and the streams League of Nations to act as mediator in are either dry or abnormally reduced in volume. Several lakes have also reachalty as well.

prospector, and will collect a good royalty as well.

For some years it will not give the exchequer much money. The rentals will be the first source of funds to the federal treasury, and it will begin to get returns from its own oil fields only when millions of dollars have been spent in branch railroads and pipe lines to make production commercially feasible. Then the royalties on this oil, reported to be of fine quality, would be a real assistance to federal financing if the field proves as rich as it is believed to be.

A cordon of dominion police is holding back rasin and inexperienced men from braving the northern dangers until next June when any prospector may go northly if he has provisions and equipment sufficient for a year's sojourn in the wilds, as well as experienced guides. Every precaution is being taken to avoid a recurrence of the tragedies attending the great 1898 rush into the 4Klondyke.

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currence of the tragedies attending the great 1898 rush into the Klondyke. There is no great need of rush, as the oil fields are 300,000 spuare miles in extent or equal to the aggregate area of the maritime provinces.

The Imperial Oil Company's strike at Fort Norman is 1,200 miles from Edmonton and 800 miles from tidewater, so far as a feasible pipe line route is concerned though Fort Norman is within 200 miles of the Arctic circle. The strike at Fort Norman at 800 feet is variously reported to have resulted in a daily flow of from 1,000 to 6,000 barrels.

The Imperial Oil expedition to Windy Point on the Great Slave Lake, 800 miles from Edmonton, has so far drilled only 800 feet and expects no results before 1,500 feet. It is said here that inland trafispertation even by boats of very light draught on the Peace and Athabasca rivers would not be feasible for extensive traffic even with shallow draught boats because the season is only four months long, and the portages difficult for such heavy freight. The proposal mooted here, is to construct a branch line from the Edmonton, Dunvegan and British Columbia railway. This is said to be easily accessible from Windy Point while oil from Fort Norman could come by water or pipe line.

#### TWO DEER KILLED

BY SINGLE SHOT Swansey, N. H., Nov. 30—The killing of two deer with a single bullet is reported by Marshall Hill, of this town. Hill fired at a large buck which immediately bolted. When he reached the spot where the buck had stood he found that he had killed a doe. Following the trail a short distance,

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Anodyne Causes Anxiety to Farmers Liniment and Inconvenience to Fac-

LENGTHY DROUGHT

Geneva, Dec. 1.—The drought in the Alps, which has now lasted fifty-six Alps, which has now lasted fifty-six days, is causing not merely anxiety to the agricultural population, but great inconvenience to factories dependent on electricity and to city dwellers, especially in German Switzerland, where electricity is larely used for household purposes and not lighting alone.

The barometer has very rarely been so abnormally high, and the Swiss method of the prolonged drought, being able to cite only one similar period, toward the end of the last century, which continued for seventy days.

Frost is now added to the drought and consequently the snow on the mounhal tains does not melt, and the streams tains does not melt, and the streams in are either dry or abnormally reduced in are either dry or abnormally reduced in are either dry or abnormally reduced in a lower point than has ever been known.

Already some factories dependent on electricity have been obliged to work half time and the municipalities of most Swiss towns are imposing severe restrictions upon the public in the use of electricity.

From Southern Germany a similar drought is reported, and Rhine navigation has been suspended, so that coal cannot be transported by water.

What is extraordinary is that during this drought heavy rains have fallen and floods have occurred in neighboring countries, such as Italy and France, but not even a shower falls in Switzer-land.

#### MAN LOST LIFE SAVING FLOUR

Baker Was Trapped in Fire Which Destroyed Factory Near St. Hyacinthe.

One man was burned to death in a fire which destroyed a biscuit factory and one residence in the parish of Notre Dame de la Providence, across the river from St. Hyacinthe, Quebec, on Friday afternoon. The victim, Octave Monte aged 60 years, an employee of the factory, was trapped by the flames while tric light during the time of washing.

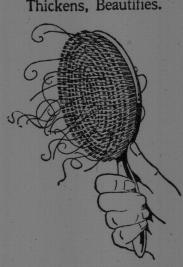
Every woman likes the appearance of the Blue Bird. It is exceptionally handsome and is built to give a life time of service.

Biscuit Manufacturing Company, Limited, and was totally destroyed. The house of Louis Girard, which
was close by, was also destroyed. Girard managed to save his furniture. A
detachment of the St. Hyacinthe fire
brigade, under Captain Senceal was surceross by Chief wou only through their
efforts that the whole village of about
100 houses was saved. The fire is believed to have originated in some cardboard boxes in the rear of the factory,
and a carclessly thrown lighted cigarette is thought to have started it. All
off the thirty-five employees were able to
was a busker, made seven or eight trip
however, it is believed he has savented out a bag of flour. On the last trip
however, it is believed he has savented and the savented that the savented are the boller room. At the inquest held by Coroner J. A. Viger on Saturday an open verdict of accetant death was a vertical to a savented the savented and the savented that the savented the savented that th

#### RADICALS RAIDED Chicago, Nov. 30—Thirty-eight aleged radicals were arrested by the poice today in a raid on I. W. W. head-Several thousand pamphlets said to be of a revolutionary nature were seized.

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