# WATER FROM LAKE WITHIN TWO YEARS

## PERIOD SET FOR SOOKE LAKE SCHEME

### Council Passes Specifications and Tenders Close on December 15

The city council spent an hour Tuesday night on the consideration of the voluminous specifications covering 80 pages for the Sooke Lake water scheme, which City Solicitor McDiarmid described as quite a book. Owing to the impossibility of taking the clauses separately, many of them being of a highly technical character, it was arranged that the city solicitor should draw attention to points of policy as the council discussed the subject, and the latter gave way to the consulting engineer, Wynn Meredith, who took full responsibility for the engineering clauses of the specifications.

In the first place it was decided to give three weeks for the tenders, which must be in by noon on December 15, and will be tabulated by the consulting engineer, after which a special meeting of the council is to be held on December 18 or 19, and they can then be dealt with. This will enable the necessary by-law to be submitted at the annual general election.

The council resolved to approve the clause fixing the amount of deposit by tenderers at $15,000, or, roughly, 1 per cent. of the amount of contract rather than that the contractors should deposit with the water commissioner a cheque for 1 per cent. of their tender, which would of course inform Mr. Raymur beforehand what the exact amount of their tender was.

The contract requires that the following rate of progress upon the work shall be made, the whole to be completed within two years from the time the contract is let; 6 per cent. of the work in three months; 15 per cent. of the work in six months; 45 per cent. in nine months; 55 per cent. in twelve months; 65 per cent. in fifteen months; 80 per cent, in eighteen months; 95 per cent. in twenty-one months, and 100 per cent in twenty-four months. The work will be divided into five sections and no contract will be received for a portion of any section and no bid will be considered which does not cover one entire section in all its parts.

The provisions as to labor provoked some discussion, as the rate for unskilled labor was set out at 34½ cents an hour for a straight eight hours day, the hours to be consecutive, and the standard rate of wages paid in the district for skilled labor to rule for skilled labor; overtime to be paid at the rate of time and one-half.

It appeared that the labor clause had been drafted with leaders of the Trades and Labor Council, and, as Alderman Okell said, protected skilled labor better than the unskilled. However, the clause was allowed to stand, after Mr. Martin from the body of the chamber (on appeal from the city solicitor) had pleaded the cause of a minimum wage of $3 straight for laborers. The solicitor declined to insert any provision about Sunday labor, declaring that thereby the council would be authorizing an act illegal in the Dominion.

Alderman H. M. Fullerton pleaded for greater protection for Victorian merchants in the clauses dealing with supplies, but Alderman Langley opposed this. The council, he said, could not discriminate as to where contractors should purchase.

No spiritous liquors are to be allowed on the right-of-way, nor Oriental labor employed. The contractors must provide medical attendance for the men employed.

Mr. Meredith then took up the engineering details, in the course of which he explained that provision was made for a caretaker's house at Sooke Lake, also at Humpback reservoir for a patrolman's shelter, and telephonic communication with the city. He also said that alternative tenders were to be invited for the pipe, either wood stave, steel or reinforced concrete. The portion on the Gorge road must be finished by May 1 next on account of the city work thereon.

The council then formally approved the specifications, and tenders will be called for immediately.

### MURDER AT CALGARY.

Calgary, Nov. 22.—With a v-shaped gash about an inch long over the right temple, his throat cut from ear to ear and also with a long gash all around the back of the neck, an unknown man, apparently about 20 years of age, was found beside one of the spur tracks back of the Calgary Milling Company's mill on Ninth avenue and Fourth street, west, by Mike Solovitz, a teamster in the employ of the company. Everything about the body, the injuries and the out-turned pockets, point to robbery and murder. The man's hands were covered with blood and he lay flat on his back. The wound on the forehead had evidently been made by some heavy rounded instrument, and the cuts on the throat, being ragged and uneven, evidently were made with some large clasp knife. The victim is a Frenchman. There have been no arrests made so far.

### WILL NOT GET GRANT.

Ottawa, Nov. 21.—There is hardly a chance that Vancouver will get the Dominion fair grant of fifty thousand dollars this year. H. H. Stevens, M. P., has been urging the matter upon the department, but has been advised that in all probability the practice of giving the sum mentioned to different fairs in provinces in rotation will be discontinued. Originally Toronto was given $50,000 for its national fair. Since then every province has made a successful call on the annual fund. Now not only Vancouver, but Toronto is applying.

# WANT A BOUNTY PLACED ON PIG IRON

### Representatives of Steel and Iron Companies Interview Ministers

Ottawa, Nov. 22.—A delegation representing all the steel and iron companies of the Dominion waited upon Hon. R. L. Borden and his colleagues to-day and asked for a bounty or pig iron as a partial compensation for disabilities under which the companies are placed owing to the lowering of the duties, exemptions and discriminations. A memorial was presented in which the government was asked to have a new tariff commission inquire into the whole steel industry. In the meantime it was suggested that a bounty be placed on pig iron.

Premier Borden promised to consider the matter and asked to be furnished with all information bearing on the cost of production in Canada and in other countries, likewise a statement showing what effect the proposed development of the industry would have upon the progress of the Dominion.

# LAYING STEEL WEST OF ROCKIES

## VISITING CONTRACTOR ON G. T. P. PROGRESS

### Construction Advancing From East and West — Large Army of Employees

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

Excellent progress is being made on the construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway in British Columbia, according to J. W. Stewart, of the contracting firm of Foley, Welch, and Stewart, who left on the evening boat yesterday for Vancouver, with his partner, P. Welch, of Spokane, after two days' stay in the city. Mr. Stewart has just returned from an inspection trip to the northern terminal on Saturday by the "Prince Rupert."

He says that of the section of about 750 miles through British Columbia construction on all but 300 miles has been commenced. With the letting last August of the portion between Aldermere and Tete Jeune Cache, joining up with the 50 mile stretch from the summit of the Rockies to the Cache, all the British Columbia work is now under contract to this large firm. This long section covers over 400 miles. On the portion between the railroad at the canyon and Aldermere, 160 miles, work is in an advanced stage, and it is expected to be opened for traffic next year. Some heavy cuts are involved, and many bridges are necessary. The cantilever bridge crossing the Skeena river is well in hand, and other sections are receiving careful attention. About 4000 men are employed by sub-contractors in different parts of the province for this company, and advantage has been taken of the excellent season to rush construction as much as possible. The earth work will naturally be tied up by the coming winter, but there will be little delay with the rock cuts, as this class of work can go on practically independent of the weather.

Apart from the sections under contract eastward from Prince Rupert, rails were laid from the Edson district to the summit of the Rocky mountains on Saturday, and track laying is now in progress in British Columbian territory across the Great Divide. From Tete Jeune Cache, when this point is reached, the contractors will possess navigable waters to introduce supplies.

In addition to the G. T. P. contracts, the firm share with the Northern Construction Company the contract for the section of the Canadian Northern Railway between Hope and Kamloops, and have two big contracts for the Mackenzie & Mann interests in the east, from Fort Frances to Duluth, and from Port Arthur to Sudbury. The former of these has almost been completed. The character of the country on the Sudbury line is very rough, and involves some heavy cuts.

Mr. Stewart was reluctant to discuss the projects of his company further, remarking that the business was not such as the public could properly appreciate, but represented a very large expenditure of money.

### ITALIANS REPULSE TURKS.

Tripoli, Nov. 22.—Italians report that the Turks were repulsed Tuesday in three outpost attacks. Five aeroplanes returned to camp and reported that there had been no change in the enemy's position. They succeeded in dropping bombs inside the Turkish camp which did considerable damage.

A lively combat also occurred at Derna, where the Turks attacked under cover of a fog, but were driven back.

### TRIAL ADJOURNED.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 22.—Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Hugh M. Caldwell this morning appeared to begin the trial of the case of the state against A. J. Blethen, editor of the Seattle Times, charged jointly with others with maintaining a nuisance. Owing to the poor condition of the court house, due to the shortage of water and preventing properly the heating of the court room, the case was again postponed until next Wednesday.

### REVOLUTION IN PARAGUAY.

Buenos Ayres, Nov. 22.—It is reported here that a revolution has begun in Paraguay.

# COLUMBIA SYNOD TO ELECT BISHOP

## DELEGATES ASSEMBLE TO-MORROW FORENOON

### Services of Intercession Being Held To-day—Possible Nominations to the Office

Commencing with a celebration of the holy eucharist this morning at seven o'clock intercessory services will last all day in Christ Church Cathedral, asking for the Divine guidance for the members of the diocesan synod of British Columbia, when they assemble to-morrow for the purpose of electing a successor to the episcopal chair in the room of Bishop Perrin who, after occupying it for eigiteen years, has been translated to the see of Willesden, in the diocese of London.

There was a second celebration at eight o'clock. At ten o'clock matins were said, and the intercession will close with evensong. To-morrow morning at eight there will be a celebration of the eucharist, followed by a second celebration at ten. In connection with the latter service the Bishop of New Westminster, Right Rev. Dr. de Pencier, will preach the sermon. At the conclusion of the service the members of the synod will proceed to the schoolroom on Quadra street, where the business sessions will be held, presided over by Dean Doull. According to the canons of the diocese the election takes place in private, none but members of the synod being permitted to be in the room while nomination and balloting are in progress.

There is considerable speculation among both clergy and laity as to the outcome of to-morrow's voting. To constitute the synod for business at least one-half of the members of each order must be present. To an election a candidate must have two-thirds majority of both clergy and laity present. That this will not be reached without three or four ballots seems to be the general impression of synod delegates, and, of course, it is always possible that an election of this kind may be even more protracted. However, it is expected that a choice can be made here early in the afternoon and that the proceedings will not be unduly long.

There are several names mentioned for this important office in the church, but some of these, if nominated at all in synod, will be named in an honorary way. The real contest, if such a word can be applied in the case, is likely to narrow down to two or three candidates. One of those mentioned is Archdeacon Scriven, who has been in the diocese for twenty-seven years and has done much for the advancement of the Anglican church on Vancouver Island. Others favor the promotion to the episcopacy of Dean Doull, who has won the esteem and goodwill of all since he came here a couple of years ago and who has made a name for himself as rector and as administrator of the deanery. Another gentleman whose name is not unlikely to be put before the synod is Bishop de Pencier, head of the diocese of New Westminster and Kootenay, who has a fine record as an administrator.

It is quite possible that the choice of the synod to-morrow will before long be elevated to the higher office of archbishop. It is the desire of all Anglicans in the province that the territory west of the mountains be constituted an ecclesiastical province under the administration of a metropolitan who would, of course, have the rank of archbishop. When this is done it is not to be doubted that the head of this diocese, containing the capital of the civil province, would be appointed as metropolitan.

# ADHERENTS OF REYES ROUTED BY TROOPS

### Number of Revolutionists Killed and Wounded—Many Captured

Mexico City, Nov. 22.—Adherents of General Reyes and federal troops have clashed at San Nicholas, Queretato state, according to a news dispatch received here to-day. Three hundred men under Candido Procel were routed by 300 loyal soldiers of the Fifth Regiment from San Isidro. A few rebels were killed, forty others wounded and many made prisoners.

Jose Leon Del Vall will be sent to Washington as confidential agent of the revolution in favor of Gen. Reyes.

Riot at Chihuahua.

El Paso, Tex., Nov. 22.—The foreign club at Chihuahua was stoned by a mob during the celebration of the anniversary of Madero's revolution. The library windows were broken by bricks which fell in among several members of the club sitting in the room at the time.

The Chihuahua foreign club, one of the largest in Mexico, is regarded by most Mexicans as the visible evidence of envied American commercial supremacy in the northern portion of their country.

### FOUND MURDERED.

Garfield, Ut., Nov. 22.—The body of William A. Sanderock, manager of the Sanson Grocery Company, was found on the floor of the store to-day with his skull split open and three bullet holes in the breast. It is believed that Sanderock, who slept in the rear of the store, was killed while resisting burglars.

### WOMAN MURDERED.

Husband, Who Is In Custody, Declares He Is Innocent.

Montreal, Nov. 22.—John Cummings, the man who is alleged to have shot his wife while on her way to her mother's home yesterday evening, was rounded up this morning by the police in a room at 415 St. James street. When brought to Chief Detective Carpenter's office, Cummings stated that he was ready to make a statement to the chief and spoke in a calm self-possessed way, saying that he had not heard of the murder until arrested this morning. He was not in Point St. Charles, where the murder occurred, last night. He denied all the knowledge of the crime until his arrest was made.

### CANADA'S RESOURCES.

Chicago, Nov. 22.—An exposition of Canada's wealth in grain-growing land will be shown to-day at the Land Show in the Coliseum.

J. Bruce Walker, commissioner of immigration, Winnipeg, will speak during the afternon on "Canada and Her Resources."

Afterward a reception will be held in the Western Canada booth.

# MANY SUFFRAGETTES GO TO PRISON

### Refuse to Pay Fines When Convicted of Disorderly Conduct

London, Nov. 22.—Unrepentant suffragettes to the number of 223, many of whom apparently are still in their "teens," appeared at the Bow street police court to-day, and were sentenced to fines or alternative terms of imprisonment, varying from a fortnight to several months. The women invariably chose prison instead of a fine.

Counsel for the public prosecutor said, in speaking to the charge, that he could not adequately describe the "disgraceful and discreditable scenes of organized disorder" of which the accused were guilty.

From the evidence it is certain that the militant suffragettes acted on a complete plan of campaigning. As soon as they were repulsed by the police, they dispersed into small groups, and mixed with the crowds.

# CAPTURES SEAT FOR UNIONISTS

### Hon. A. Herbert Elected in South Somerset Afte Keen Fight

London, Nov. 22.—In the keenest fought contest in the history of South Somerset, over ninety per cent. of the electorate going to the polls, Hon. Aubrey Herbert, Unionist, won the seat for his party from Henry Vivian, Liberal, by 4,878 votes to 4,730, a majority of 148.

The bye-election was made necessary by the elevation of the sitting Liberal member. Sir E. Strachey to the peerage. At the last general election he had a majority of 467 over the new member, the figures being Strachey 4,784, Herbert 4,317.

South Somerset is a typical English rural riding and has been consistently Liberal since 1886, majorities running from 227 in that year to 1,917 in 1906 when high water was reached.

Both parties exerted every effort to carry the bye-election but in well-informed Liberal circles the possibility of defeat was recognized as long ago as last week. The issue was fought along the line of the fiscal question. Lloyd George's Insurance Bill and Irish Home Rule being all to the fore, and the victory was due to the unbroken front the Unionist party was able to present under its new leader.

Both candidates are well known, the member-elect having support of powerful family interests, while Henry Vivian has been a well known and respected figure in parliament though he suffered defeat at Birkenhead at the last general election.

# AGREEMENT WITH MANITOBA SIGNED

### Boundary Extended to Hudson Bay—Subsidy for the Province

Winnipeg, Nov. 22.—Premier Borden at Ottawa, on part of federal government, has signed the agreement with Manitoba for the extending of the boundaries of Manitoba to Hudson Bay, according to the announcement by Premier Roblin of Manitoba. The Dominion retains all mineral and timber lands, in lieu of which money subsidy to the extent of $1,000,000 a year goes to Manitoba.

### NEW YORK MONEY.

New York, Nov. 22.—Money on call steady, 2@2½ per cent.; ruling rate, 2½ per cent.; closing bid, 2½ per cent.; offered at 2¾ per cent. Time loans, 3½ per cent.; 60 days, 3½@¾ per cent.; 90 days, 3¾ per cent.; 6 months, 3¾@4 per cent. Close—Prime mercantile paper, 4@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.83.60 for 60 days and at $4.86.70 for demand. Commercial bills, $4.83. Bar silver, 56⅝c. Mexican dollars, 46½c. Bonds, governments heavy; railroads irregular.

# MANIFESTO ON NE TEMERE DECREE

## NO NEW THING, SAYS ARCHBISHOP BRUCHESI

### Seeks to Correct Misunderstanding Which Exists in Canada

Montreal, Nov. 22. — Archbishop Bruchesi has issued a manifesto dealing with the Ne Temere decree in which he intends to correct a number of misconceptions which he states evidently exist throughout Canada. The manifesto deals with the famous decree and its application to mixed marriages as drawn attention to by statements recently made in Toronto and Winnipeg papers. After saying that people throughout Canada, judging from newspaper articles and conversations which he had overheard, do not seem to understand the meaning of the decree and that it is often spoken of as if promulgated for Canada alone, whereas it has been in force throughout the world since Easter, 1908, he quotes the chief article: "Marriages are only valid when contracted before the cure or the ordinary or by a priest delegated by one of them and before two witnesses." This is no new thing, he states, as it was dealt with at the Council of Trent in 1563 and has always been in force here. He also points out that the decree says nothing about marriages contracted by non-Catholics among themselves.

The Archbishop then refers to headlines in Toronto and Winnipeg papers regarding the Shaughnessy-Graham marriage, in which Sir Thomas' son, a Roman Catholic, married the niece of Sir Hugh Graham, a Protestant, which read "Ne Temere shattered to pieces," and so on. His answer to this is seen in the following telegram which he dispatched to one of the papers referred to. "The Ne Temere decree has nothing to do with the Shaughnessy-Graham marriage. The diocesan rules were not modified, but for very serious reasons I have simply accorded a dispensation of mixed religion, as I have previously done in other cases. The marriage ceremony was celebrated exactly according to the laws of the church before a priest. No other ceremony has taken place. The Protestant party signed before witnesses all the requirements of the church.

### RAILWAY CHANGES.

Canadian Northern Western Section Divided as Result of Building of New Lines.

Winnipeg, Nov. 22.—The growth of trunk and branch lines of the Canadian Northern Railway has been so rapid during the past few years that an announcement was made to the effect that the company found it necessary to divide up the western division, including the company's line in the west. In connection a number of appointments are announced, the principal being as follows: J. R. Cameron, present general superintendent becomes assistant general manager with jurisdiction over all lines; A. Wilcox, assistant general superintendent, becomes general superintendent of the western division with headquarters at Edmonton; A. Warren, superintendent at Winnipeg, is appointed general superintendent of the central division with headquarters at Winnipeg; W. B. Murphy succeeds A. Warren as superintendent at Winnipeg.

### WILL STUDY MARS.

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 22.—Prof. E. E. Barnard, a distinguished astronomer, is in Los Angeles for the purpose of conducting a series of experiments which it is hoped will lead to important discoveries concerning the planet Mars. For his experiments, Prof. Barnard will use the present inch reflection telescope at the Carnegie observatory on Mount Wilson. The lens of that instrument is said to be the strongest in the world.

# THREE MEN LOSE LIVES IN STORM

### Boat Capsizes While Crossing Lake—No Trace of the Bodies

Webbwood, Ont., Nov. 22.—Word has just been received of three more victims of the severe storm of the 11th instant. Three men, John Wolf, Peter Hatzonas and Tim Maddocks, started out from supply camp B of S. G. Chant & Company with a boat load of provisions for camp No. 2, north of here. When they failed to make their regular trip search was made, with the result that the boat was found floating in the middle of Big Lake, bottom up. It is supposed that they got lost in the fog and were overtaken by the storm of Saturday night and their boat swamped. No trace has been found of the bodies.

### CHICAGO CATTLE MARKET.

Chicago, Nov. 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 20,000; market steady to a shade lower; beeves, $4.55@$4.90; Texas steers, $4@$5.70; western steers, $4.40@$5.50; stockers and feeders, $2.90@$5.65; cows and heifers, $1.80@$5.80; calves, $5.50@$8.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 25,000; market steady to easy; light, $5.75@$6.35; mixed, $6@$6.65; heavy, $6@$6.65; rough, $6@$6.65; choice heavy, $6.20@$6.50; pigs, $4.25@$5.50; bulk of sales, $6.20@$6.45.

Sheep—Receipts, 33,000; market slow; natives, $2.25@$3.75; western, $2.40@$3.75; yearlings, $3.65@$4.50; lambs, natives, $3.50@$5.50; western, $3.50@$5.50.

# WILL COMPLY WITH RUSSIA'S DEMANDS

### Persia Decides to Accept Britain's Advice — New Cabinet

London, Nov. 22.—The Persian government officially notified the British government to-day that acting under the latter's advice, it would comply with the demands of the Russian ultimatum.

Orders have been given for the withdrawal of the gendarmes who were sent by W. Morgan Shuster, the Persian treasurer-general, at the instance of the National Council, to seize the property of Shuaes-Sultaneh, a brother of the ex-shah of Persia. The Persian government will apologize to Russia.

A new Persian cabinet will be formed to-day.

### WILFUL NEGLIGENCE.

Toronto, Nov. 22.—Roy Brintnell, a prominent young Toronto business man, was convicted in the assizes yesterday of having by wilful negligence caused the death of Mrs. Salter, who was struck by an automobile which Brintnell was driving. The verdict means a sentence to the penitentiary.

# PROTECTION FOR ZINC INDUSTRY

## ACTION FAVORED BY MINING CONVENTION

### Federal Government Asked to Appoint Commission to Investigate

Nelson, B. C., Nov. 22.—At one of the largest and most representative mining conventions ever held in British Columbia, resolutions were passed asking the federal government to appoint a commission to investigate thoroughly the various questions affecting the silver-lead-zinc industry and to create a separate portfolio of mines to be held by a minister who will devote his entire time to the work.

The meeting suggested to the government that the inquiry by the proposed commission might include the questions of tariff on lead and zinc and the by-product of the two metals; of continuing the lead bounty at the expiration of the grant at present partly disposed of; of the granting of a bounty on zinc, and of the offering of some reward to the person or persons inventing a process for the treatment on a commercial scale of the complex low grade zinc ores of the Kootenays.

Each of the suggestions found strong advocates at the convention, which was unanimously in favor of some form of protection for the industry.

A committee was appointed to investigate the various questions affecting the industry in British Columbia.

Copies of the resolutions will be forwarded to British Columbia senators and members of parliament at Ottawa, to the minister of mines and to Premier Borden.

### CRYSTAL PALACE FUND.

London, Nov. 22.—Sir Vezey Strong, who, when Lord Mayor of London, launched one scheme for the purchase of the Crystal Palace as an imperial memorial to King Edward, says in the press to-day that it is the obvious duty of Lord Tenterden, as chairman of the King Edward National Memorial fund, to return the money to subscribers collected for a purpose which he can no longer effect. Captain Lomax, who is now attempting to raise subscriptions in the highest quarters in Canada, is understood to be the representative of Lord Tenterden's council. Lord Plymouth has made himself responsible for the finances of the palace and it is understood that he expects the public will take over from him the Festival of Empire building of this year's exhibition as well as the palace.

Sir Vezey Strong says that a great many matters will have to be considered before a definite appeal can be made to the public.

### DR. HYDE'S TRIAL.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 22.—Senator Reed resumed his opening statement for the state when the Hyde trial was resumed to-day. He declared graphically that Dr. Hyde, at the drug store of Hugo Brecklin, ordered six five-grain capsules of cyanide of potassium, thirty grains in all; that the amount and kind of poison so surprised the clerk, as the state would prove, he would not sell the drug until he had consulted Mr. Brecklin; that Mr. Brecklin refused to deliver the cyanide even though Mr. Hyde was a well-known customer, but told the physician to call at the store for it, and that when Dr. Hyde did call that Mr. Brecklin cautioned him to be careful in the use of such a powerful poison.

Senator Reed said the state would show that Dr. Hyde told the druggist he wanted the cyanide to kill dogs.

### CASTRO WINS BATTLE.

Mexico City, Nov. 22.—A dispatch to the Nuevo Era, from Caracas yesterday says that General Cipriano Castro, ex-president of Venezula, has been victorious in a battle which occurred in Venezuela on Monday has entered his native country with thousands of his followers.

# IMPERIAL TROOPS ARE SURROUNDED

## FORCE AT NANKING SHORT OF FOOD

### Loyalists Reported to Have Suffered Severely in Outpost Fight

London, Nov. 22.—A news dispatch from Tien Tsin to-day says the royalist forces at Nanking under General Chang are surrounded and short of food, with their retreat cut off.

The fall of the city before the revolutionists is apparent.

The Manchus in Pekin are fostering an anti-foreign propaganda.

Heavy Losses Reported.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 22.—The Chinese revolutionists attacked outposts of the Nanking defenders at the village of Goo Shee, near the besieged city, driving the Imperialists back with a loss of several hundred killed and wounded, according to a Shanghai dispatch to the Chinese Free Press here to-day.

It is believed that the fight occurred last night. General Chu Su Ching commanded the rebel troops.

A big detachment of rebel troops is reported to be hastening from the south to Lung Tan, near Nanking, to reinforce the attacking forces.

U. S. May Send Troops.

Manila, Nov. 22.—The Fifteenth Infantry, which is due to arrive here on December 1, probably will be sent at once to China. The soldiers will arrive on the transport Thomas and will leave for China on the same boat.

The regiment will be reinforced to full war strength by transfers from other regiments and will be prepared before the departure for a long stay in Chinese territory.

It will be accompanied by a hospital corps and by detachments of engineers, signal men, field artillery and possibly cavalry.

### DRUGGISTS COMING.

Ontario College of Pharmacy Plans Big Excursion to the Coast.

Toronto, Nov. 22.—The council of Ontario College of Pharmacy is planning a big trip to the West next August during the annual meeting of the Canadian Pharmaceutical Association in Vancouver. In all likelihood a special train will be chartered to carry the druggists of Eastern Canada through the golden west to the Pacific.

The special train will be made up in Toronto and the druggists from the Maritime provinces will gather in the city before leaving.

It is proposed to return by way of Denver, and as the Americans meet in that city next year, G. E. Gibbard, secretary of the Canadian Association, will write to the Americans to try to get them to meet at the same time, so that the two associations may become acquainted.

### LINER GOES ASHORE.

Strikes Rocks While on Voyage to Jamaica, But Is In No Immediate Danger.

New York, Nov. 22.—The steamer Prinz Joachim, of the Hamburg-American line which left here last Saturday for Kingston, Jamaica, is ashore on the rocks off Samana Island, 200 miles north of Hayti.

William J. Bryan, his wife and grandchild, with a party of 85 tourists are on board. The steamer is in no immediate danger, but requests for assistance have been sent out. Wrecking tugs will be sent from the available points. The last wireless report received states that the passengers were calm and the steamer resting easy about a mile off shore.

The Prinz Joachim, under command of Captain A. Fey, sailed on a cruise to Port Limon and return. The port of call was Fortune Island, where the steamer was due to-day.

### MUST PAY PENALTY.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 22.—Henry Clay Beattie, jr., condemned to die next Friday morning for wife murder, has given up hope and is reconciled to the thought of death. To-day he spent several hours with Rev. J. J. Fix, of the Presbyterian church in Bible study and frequently was at prayer.

Hundreds, all over the country, some in high positions, have applied for permission to witness the electrocution. Only a jury required by law, however, will be present. Hysterical appeals in person and by letters are being received by Governor Mann, begging commutation of the death sentence, but the governor has declared that justice must take its course.

### REFUSES TO PAY FINE.

London, Nov. 22.—Vera Wentworth and Cecilia Wincox, two of the most prominent suffragettes arrested during last night's disorder, were to-day sentenced to jail without the option of a fine, and Mrs. Arncliffe Sennett went to jail for a week rather than pay a fine for breaking a window. Katherine Houston, who has been in some trouble before, was sentenced to a month in jail. Several other cases were adjourned. The defendants who had not been heard were permitted their freedom on their own recognizance.

### DEFENDANTS GIVE EVIDENCE.

Lincoln Centre, Kas., Nov. 22.—Closing arguments in the "tar party" case will be reached late to-day. The state rested its case with the testimony of Mary Chamberlain yesterday.

A. N. Simms, one of the three defendants, resumed the stand at the opening of court to-day. The plan of the defence was to follow his testimony with that of the other two accused, Sherrill Clark and John Schmidt. Only a few more witnesses, if any, other than these, will appear.