# PREMIER BUS ARRANGING

Election Campaign in Interests of Administration Will

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Organizations Arming.

Preparations for the pending fight are in evidence. On Monday next the local Conservative party will hold a meeting to complete arrangements for a nominating convention. On Friday the Victoria Liberal association will hold a meeting to fix a date for its convention.

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A Vancouver despatch announces that the first nominating convention in connection with the provincial elections will be held on Tuesday evening, when the Socialists plan to select five men to be candidates. Last election twenty-three Socialists were in the field in various parts of the province. This year it is expected that the number will be exceeded by at least half a dozen.

"In this connection I say that it is not too early for the Dominion and the United States to get together with a view to adopting a policy of reciprocity in canal tolls. Let Canadians give American vessels the same privileges as Canadian boats on the Georgian Bay ship canal, and exact in return similar treatment in regard to the use of the Panama Canal."

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arranging the preliminaries of a work of this magnitude. Already at least eighty per cent. of the proposed road has been located, and our surveyors having got past the Fraser River canyon, are now working below a point the state of the coast. having got past the Fraser River canyon, are now working below a point opposite Agassiz, headed for the coast. A month or so should see them at Tidewater. The other uncompleted survey is mainly between Tete Jaune Cache west of the Rockies. to the summit at the Yellow Head Pass, and a gap in the foothills westward to the summit. In order to hasten this work, the engineering parties now in the

field will be increased at once, and they will be kept busy all winter.

Want Ratification.

"To dispel any erroneous reports, I think it only fair to the public to state that we will not buy one foot of terminals on the coast or award a contract for construction until we know to a certainty that the agreement has been ratified by the provincial house. This applies equally to terminals on Vancouver Island, as well as our locations at English Bluffs, Point Roberts, on the south side of the Fraser, New Westminster, and Vancouver. No special privileges to any of these places have been incorporated in the agreement. People want us to buy now, before prices get prohibitive; but I think there will be room enough left when we get into market.

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### PROVINCE WILL BE WELL REPRESENTED

# A BANK OF ENGLAND

uts Discount Up Another Point As Protection to Reserve, Making Rate Now to Five Per Cent. LONDON, Oct. 21.-The Bank of

England today raised its minimum rate of discount another full point to 5 per cent. the highest it has stood since the American furry in 1907. This is the third consecutive week that the governors of the bank have considered it necessary to strengthen upreme Court Hearing Today
Discovers Big Criminal Plot
Directed at Northwest and
Controlled in States

considered it necessary to strengthen the barriers against a further leakage of gold reserves. The international monetary position shows no material improvement during the past week and the bank's reserve, which is now nearing the \$110,000,000 mark, is threatened with a further depletion by the South American and Egyptian requirements, which are estimated at \$7,500,000. Foreign exchanges have been steadily Supreme Court Hearing Today ROBBERY

IS EXPLAINED

Which are estimated at \$7,500,000. Foreign exchanges have been steadily against London, particularly Berlin, where gold is badly needed, and where the next arrival of the metal would probably have gone but for the imposition of the 5 per cent. rate. It is known that requirements from other centres would soon reduce the reserve to below a hundred million unless the new rate attracts gold. new rate attracts gold.

# FOOD STORED

British Navy League President Calls Victoria's Attention, on Anniversary of Trafalgar, to Necessity For Vigilance Necessity For Vigilance

well-known Victorian. It was dated: "The Navy League, 11 Victoria Street, London S. W.":

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Twenty Drowned in Turkey

lies water for the capital.

Wreck on Erie Railroad Today When Freight Train Rolls Down Em-bankment.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 21.— rwenty-five persons were drowned to-lay following the bursting of a dam at Lake Derkos. The lake is thirty miles northwest of this city and sup-MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., Oct. 21.—An engineer and a brakeman were scalded to death today when an Erie freight train leaped from the track and rolled down an embankment at Guermond, a few miles west of here. The fireman is missing and is supposed to be under the wreck. Lovett Elected President U. P. NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—Robert Lovett was today elected president the Union Pacific railroad. posed to be under the wreck.

# RESIGNS FROM

Headed By Maura, Conservative Leader, the Much-Criticized Ruling Party Steps From Power Today

### LIBERALS NOT ANXIOUS TO RULE

MADRID, Oct. 21.-The Spanish cabinet, headed by Premier Maura, resigned this afternoon.

The cabinet which resigned today was formed January 15, 1907. The cabnet was Conservative and succeeded in power the fall of no less than five Liberal ministers in the preceeding eighteen months. The religious issue had been the root of the dissensions and the return to power of Senor Maura, leader of the Conservatives, and who before held the premiership, was regarded as a sweeping victory for the clericals and one likely to arouse a revolutionary spirit. This proved to be the case, the Opposition finally uniting in opposition to the government's conduct and the furtherance of the war in Morocco.

Necessity For Vigilance disapproval, brought matters to a crisis when Parliament reopened. The Liberals, Republicans and Socialists bitterly assailed the government, but the cabinet showed a disposition to fight for its life.

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London S. W.":
May I claim your thoughts from your
business for a few minutes and remind for falling to give him some opportunity to exercise the royal prerogatunity to exercise the royal preroga-tive of pardon for Ferrer.

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There was a violent scene in the chamber of deputies yesterday, when the comminded of the anniversary of that glorious day when the heroic Nelson gave his life for his country, and at the same time secured for us the command of the sea which is now, more than ever, vital to our existence.

How few of us remember that we tive of pardon for Ferrer.

There was a violent scene in the chamber of deputies yesterday, when the Opposition, headed by Senor Moret in Prendergast, the former premier, renewed his attack on the government. Minister of the Interior Lacier, however, declared that the ministers would not resign under threats, as such an act would be cowardly. It was then believed that, while Senor Moret was determined to unhorse Premier Maura,

Foley would make an admirable dime many of the sea which is now, more many agazine yarn. The first development was a report from the inspector general of Australian police to Dr. Milne, local immigration agent, announcing the departure of a number of criminals for this port. The latter was on the qui vive but he failed to spot them, als for this port. The latter was on the qui vive but he failed to spot them, als for this port. The latter was on the qui vive but he failed to spot them, als for this port. The latter was on the qui vive but he failed to spot them, als for this port. The latter was on the qui vive but he failed to spot them, als for this port. The latter was on the qui vive but he failed to spot them, als for this port. The latter was on the qui vive but he failed to spot them, als for this port. The latter was on the qui vive but he failed to spot them, als for this port. The latter was on the qui vive but he failed to spot them, als for this port. The latter was on the qui vive but he failed to spot them, als for this port. The latter was on the qui vive but he failed to spot them, als for this port. The latter was on the qui vive but he failed to spot them, als for this port. The latter was on the qui vive but he failed to spot them, als for this port. The latter was on the qui vive but he failed to spot them, als for this port. The latter was on the qui vive but he failed to spot them, als for this port. The latter was on the qui vive but he failed to spot them, als for this port. The latter was on the qui vive but he failed to spot them, als for this port. The latter was on the qui vive but he failed to spot them, als for this port. The latter was on the qui vive but he failed to spot them, als for this port. The latter was on the qui vive but he failed to spot them, als for this port. The latter was on the qui vive but he failed to spot them shall be port. The latter was on the qui vive but he failed to spot them shall be port. The latter was of unity and that if was then believed that, whil

the total deposits in Canadian banks again constitutes a new high record over all previous months.

The total circulation increased by \$7,359,884, and on September 30 was

FENGLAND RAISES RATE AGAIN SPANISH CABINET THE FINEST TEA
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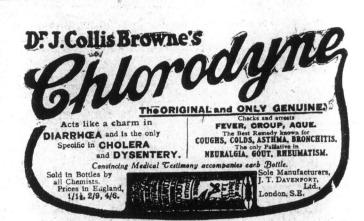
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## THE GRAND PRIZE

Has Been Awarded to The United States Separator

ALASKA-YUKON-PACIFIC EXPOSITION, SEATTLE, WASH. Again the stamp of official approval has been placed on the cream separator which the dairyman has found to be most profitable, easiest to run, easiest to clean and handsomest in appearance.

The Hickman Tye Hardware Co., Ltd. VICTORIA B. C., AGENTS

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\$7,359,884, and on September 30 was \$79,207,411. The paid-up capital totaled \$97,596,901.

One of the banks took advantage during the month of the provisions of the act passed last session permitting an increase of circulation above the allowance during the crop moving period by 15 per cent. of the paid-up capital.

Phone Supercedes Telegraph.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 21.—The announcement was made here yesterday that the telephone is to supplant the telegraph in train despatching over the entire Santa Fe system. Authority was granted yesterday for the equipment of the Albuquerque and Arizona others is not known.

today. The pavement nearby was up and neighboring buildings were siderably damaged. No person was jured. There is no explanation of

LIVE NEWS OF PROVINCE

Friday, October 22

Dr. Spencer, sur

Lockup at Sicam A lockup is to mous, which will guards entrusted

The Salmon Arm The Salmon Arm change is this week g an exhibit of 50 boxe exhibition at the shot Horticultural Society. This display will be s sent in previous year medals, and will consiling varieties: Spy. Mann, Russett, King, Ribston Pippin, R. 1

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sociate with hardened co With Us Aga Frank Robicheau offer prizes to the children school in the valley, where the answers to the form of the children. There is justified years between each specified with the children. exactly eight times ter Eva, who is the y family. How old is An Children trying for write their name and and give the name All answers are to Robicheau and must 22nd.—Salmon Arm

Business-Like Ch Charity on a busines the Associated Chariti for, as expressed in the Vancouver organization An illustration of this new scheme of giving n new scheme of giving m to indigents, which was arrangement has been in the cafes and lodging leity whereby printed sli the superintendent, and 15-cent meal or bed, Every charitable organicity to which an application made is urged to serent along to the superint cant along to the superi other aid is possible, and cation will be avoided a

Nelson's Car Sy The Nelson Street pany has lost no time o business, as the ever two days conclusively p day night the large meeting received a bid the \$25,000 bond issue, the \$25,000 bond issue, fact that stock subscreached a total of nearly authorized an immediate campaign to dispose of the present stock issue, Yesterday the canvassin completed its organizatio denfally sold several hu dentally sold several hur

worth of stock. Alex McLean, of the I Kamloops, was a visito Forks last week, being tion tour looking up tre ranch has 4,000 acres and is owned by the Ca Co. Mr. McLean has ha experience in fruit growi and his judgment on s his judgment on sees opinion the weight and his judgment on sa gives opinion the weight After visiting all the ch of the province, Mr. McLed 10,000 trees from the Nurseries in Grand For clared to the Gazette tha unsurpassed by any stocelsewhere. Hours of wo glass failed to reveal any ease or pest whatever.—(Gazette.

Game Regulati There is room for grement in the game regular especially in regard to ducks. At the present timan camped off the shore lake who is apparently ning and a good one at the shore of the shore ing, and a good one at what ducks comes his presume, selling them, a impossible to use all thers, for there is no othable. He is armed with and uses decoys, so that comes his way, there a victims at each bombar victims at each bombar game laws should be ch biting the use of decoys of ducks, or sooner or likely sooner, there will b shoot. No one can questight to make a living ir long as the law does no vent it.

Fruit Growers Two moves of great is the fruit growers of the announced, the first bein of the Provincial gover Campbell of the horticulas been notified that it government is sending a ple packer to this distribution. ple packer to this distristrate scientific apple peranchers. If this expert fully availed of, the dist der which some of the I labors in outside market bad packing, will be moved. The services of are given free. He will throughout the district, ed, giving demonstration ed, giving demonstra per packing of fruit. can secure a visit fro notifying Mr. Campbel the necessary arrang Campbell's address is The other move is on Nelson fair board. been reached that the been reached that the infruit growers of the Navill best be served by projected apple show concentrating all efforting a banner exhibit oproduct for the great ople show at Spokane.