

THE DATE OF THE ELECTIONS

Order-in-Council Was Approved at a Cabinet Meeting Yesterday Dissolving the Dominion Parliament.

POLLING TAKES PLACE ON NOVEMBER 7

Nominations Have Been Fixed For October 31st, and Writs Are Returnable on December 5th—Returning Officers For British Columbia,

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, Oct. 9.—A proclamation will be issued this afternoon, in an extra of the Canada Gazette dissolving parliament. An order-in-council to this effect was passed at yesterday's cabinet meeting and approved.

Policy of Anarchists

One of Witnesses Before the Commission Admits Existence of Organizations. He Says They Do Not, as a Rule, Question the Killing of Kings.

Lipton's Challenge

For Another Series of Races For Possession of the America Cup. Sir Thomas Declines to Give Any Information Regarding the Event.

Letter From Ex-President

Led to Disorderly Scenes at the Meeting of Grand Trunk Shareholders. Sir Henry W. Tyler Wrote Expressing Disapproval of the Re-Organization.

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PLANS AGAIN CHANGED.

Chinese Emperor is Waiting a Favorable Opportunity to Return to Peking. (Associated Press.) Peking, Oct. 6.—Prince Ching has received an edict from the Emperor, dated October 1st, in reply to a note sent at the request of the legations, saying he will return to Peking as soon as the negotiations take a favorable turn.

BACK FROM CHINA.

Traveller Says the Chinese Must Be Taught a Lesson. (Associated Press.) San Francisco, Oct. 10.—Among the arrivals from the Orient on the steamer American Maru is F. D. Gamewell, to whose energies and engineering skill the safety of beleaguered Peking legations till the arrival of allied forces was in large measure due.

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PARADE TO-DAY.

Scranton, Pa., Oct. 10.—All interest in the strike of the mine workers of Lackawanna region to-day centered in the great parade and mass meeting arranged for this afternoon. President John Mitchell and party reached here this morning.

MANY VESSELS MISSING.

Loss of Life on Coast of Newfoundland Will Exceed Three Hundred. St. John's, Nfld., Oct. 9.—According to reports from St. Pierre, 17 fishing vessels that were operating on the Grand Banks during the gale on September 12th are still missing, with crews aggregating over 200 men.

MAINLAND ELECTIONS.

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, Oct. 9.—The elections in Burrard, and Yale and Cariboo will be held at the discretion of the returning officer, and it is not likely they can come off at the same time as the others.

A Singular Action

Man Suing Company For Insurance on the Life of His Wife. Whom He Shot Through the Heart About Seven Years Ago.

(Associated Press.) Philadelphia, Oct. 10.—A suit to recover insurance on the life of his wife, whom he killed on December 31st, 1893, has been commenced in this city by Prof. Swithin C. Shortlidge, who is now residing at Kennett square, in Chester county.

London, Oct. 8.—It is reported, according to the Pietermaritzburg correspondent of the Daily Mail, that from 4,000 to 5,000 Boers have retreated from Pilgrim's Rest, northeast of Lydenburg, with four Long Toms and 22 other guns.

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Capetown, Oct. 7.—The Cape House of Assembly to-day passed a second reading bill to raise a loan to insure the immediate payment of half the losses sustained by private persons through the war.

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Buller's Farewell

To the Troops Who Have Been Under His Command in the Transvaal. Men Lined the Road For Miles and Vociferously Cheered the General.

Cecil Rhodes and the South African War—The Future of Rhodesia.

(Associated Press.) Lydenburg, Transvaal, Oct. 10.—Gen. Buller bade farewell to his troops on October 6th and departed southward. There was a striking farewell demonstration. The troops gathered on both sides of the road for miles and cheered Buller vociferously.

Canadian Trooper Wounded.

Ottawa, Oct. 10.—Sir Alfred Milner cables from Capetown that Private McCarthy, Canadian Mounted Infantry, formerly of the Governor-General's Body Guards, Toronto, was dangerously wounded at Belfast on October 4th.

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For a third of a century American housewives have found its use invariably a guarantee of light, sweet, pure and wholesome food.

Always makes the perfect biscuit, cake and bread.

DR. PRICE'S BAKING POWDER CO., CHICAGO. Note.—Baking powders made from alum and other harsh, caustic acids are lower in price, but inferior in work and injurious to the stomach.



FIELDING'S SURPLUSES vs. FOSTER'S DEFICITS

Table comparing Fielding's Surpluses and Foster's Deficits. Includes columns for Liberal rule and Conservative rule, with sub-totals for Total surplus/deficit and Average Annual Surplus/Deficit.

Guerillas

States Soldiers Wounded in Re- kirmishes.

Dawsonites Arrive

Large Number Reach Victoria-- New Placer Discoveries in Porcupine District.

Manager Hawkins Outlines Policy of White Pass and Yukon Railway Co

With 97 passengers from Skagway and 165 all told, including those received at Northern British Columbia ports...

Gained More Seats

The Conservatives Have Defeated the Liberals in Two English Constituencies.

Mr. O'Connor Rejected--Mr. Chamberlain on Great Britain's Foreign Policy.

London, Oct. 9, 3:03 p.m.--To-day's election returns give the Liberals a gain of two additional seats and the Ministerialists one seat, making the respective gains 20 and 24 seats.

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Will Receive Their Money

Monies For Victoria Volunteers Awaiting Them in the Bank at Capetown.

Correspondence on the Subject Between the Mayor and the Department.

Conversation among Victorians who have returned from South Africa, has elicited the information that the members of the first contingent from the city have not received the money raised for them in this city.

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The Horse Market Demands Sound Horses Only. Advertisement for Kendall's Spavin Cure, including text about horse health and a testimonial.

AN INTERESTING RECORD.

Canadian Exports to Great Britain, 1893-96 (Conservative Rule), \$239,910,167

Canadian Exports to Great Britain, 1897-1900 (Liberal Rule) . . \$345,166,142

THE HOUSE DISSOLVED.

The Dominion Parliament has been dissolved—such is the important announcement from Ottawa—and in less than a month we shall know to which of the great political parties the electors of Canada have decided to entrust the direction of their affairs for the next parliamentary term.

which every elector of Canada, whether he call himself a Liberal or a Conservative, must consider at this critical time in the history of his country.

HAVE WE BEEN NEGLECTED?

The Colonist has very little fault to find with the government. It tells its readers, of course, that the interests of British Columbia have been neglected and that a redistribution bill should have been passed before dissolution in order that justice should have been done to us in the matter of representation.

NEGLECT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Failing to find any real fault with the government, it is said that in the campaign which may now be said to be opened, the Conservatives will content themselves with a general assertion that the interests of British Columbia have been neglected and that no assurances have been given by the supporters of the government of an improvement in this respect in the future.

faithfully represented the sentiments of their constituents, Sir Mackenzie Bowell and his followers in the Senate would have approached the bill in a very different spirit, it would have gone through the Upper House, and the road would have been in operation to-day.

A GRIEVANCE REMOVED.

According to advices from Dawson, the news that the government has decided to sell by public auction mining claims that were reserved for the benefit of the people has been well received in the Klondike metropolis.

AS TO REDISTRIBUTION.

The Colonist thinks the Dominion House should not have been dissolved until another session was held, a redistribution bill passed and "justice done to British Columbia."

alone. They had a majority of about fifty in the House which has just dissolved, and they look forward to the addition to that large "surplus" in the new one.

A MODEL TARIFF.

Hon. G. W. Ross, Premier of Ontario, at Glencoe: "A tariff under which every industry has prospered as never before, under which our artisans have obtained steady employment and generous wages, under which the natural products of the country have been converted into dividends for the capitalists and cottages for the workmen, is a tariff which speaks for itself far more eloquently than the most accomplished orator on either side could speak of it.

EXHIBITION NEXT YEAR.

The custom of holding an annual exhibition in Victoria will be revived with the beginning of the new century. That was decided on at the meeting in the city hall last evening, and from the feeling of determination and confidence that pervaded the gathering there is little doubt that the committee which was appointed to deal with the matter will accomplish the important work given into its hands.



BEAUTIFUL PERFUMES.

We have an assortment of the best quality of Perfumes, that will surely prove an enjoyment to the ladies. The natural fragrance of sweet flowers, bottled and sold for a right price as we are headquarters for gift Perfumes. We invite you to inspect our stock.

Cyrus H. Bowes, CHEMIST, 98 GOVERNMENT STREET, Near Yates Street.

Canadians are popular in Great Britain in these days of "rampant Imperialism." Young George Brown, son of the founder of the Toronto Globe, has beaten Conan Doyle for the representation of Edinburgh in the House of Commons, and Gilbert Parker, the Canadian litterateur, has achieved that which so many of his literary brethren in the Old Land have failed in.

Vancouver World.—The outlook for the Liberal party throughout the province was never so favorable as it is at this moment, and we feel assured that the Liberals will hold their own, and possibly increase the delegation to be sent to Ottawa from this province.

We have not been told whether Hugh John resigned his prohibition principles at the same time as he did his leadership of the Conservative party in Manitoba and his seat in the Legislature.

MURDERER'S CONFESSION.

Before Being Executed He Stated That He Had Killed Seven Persons—Mystery Cleared.

(Associated Press.) Hanville, Pa., Oct. 9.—The confession of a murderer in the West promises to clear up the mystery of a horrible murder committed in this county 27 years ago.

The news has produced the greatest excitement in the quiet hamlet, for the twofold reason that a murder was committed there which has never been satisfactorily cleared up, and that such a man as I. W. Keller actually lived in the vicinity at the time.

The murder near Mansdale was well known as "the mystery of the mine." In 1873 the body of Bernard West Dossel was discovered in an abandoned mine.

THOUGHT HE WAS A SPY.

Well Known Victorian Has a Painful Experience at Mafeking.

A letter has been received from John Anderson, a well known citizen of Victoria, who is at the present time in South Africa. Mr. Anderson is residing at Mafeking, and it seems he had been in the habit of going around and chatting to the soldiers in camp.

MANUAL SCHOOL.

Prof. Robertson Will Leave Ottawa for This City in a Few Days.

A dispatch has been received from Ottawa stating that H. Dannelis would accompany Prof. Robertson to this city to establish a school of manual training here. They will leave Ottawa in the course of a few days.

the city council hold their deliberations in the apartment now used by the court. The manual school would then be established in the present council chamber, made but nothing can be done until Prof. Robertson's arrival.

CRIPPLED FOR LIFE.

Trooper Fuller, of Fort Steele, Returning From the War.

Of the British Columbians who have returned from the war to date none, it is safe to say to us, bear out their persons as many evidences of hard usage and as many permanent souvenirs of hard campaigning as Trooper Fuller, of Fort Steele, who was a passenger on the limited from the East last night.

Fuller enlisted in the B. C. detachment of Strathcona's Horse, when volunteers were called for that corps, and having been for several years a cow puncher on the prairies, he seemed specially adapted for the character of service which Strathcona's were expected to encounter.

It was while in hospital at Netley that the Canadian trooper received a visit which he will remember as long as he lives. He was sitting in his cot one day smoking a very dilapidated clay pipe when he was visited by the Duchess of York, who was making a tour of the hospital in company with a general and the colonel of the hospital.

The Duchess was accompanied by a lady, who she learned that he was a Canadian asked him if he was satisfied. The trooper replied that he was not.

Col. Steele, who commanded Strathcona's, is also a most popular officer and peculiarly adapted to command the force given into his charge. Fuller tells of a characteristic reply which was made by the colonel to the representations of an Imperial officer who complained that his men were a "rough lot."

A BRIGHT IDEA

Was that of Dr. Chase when he discovered a combined treatment for disorders of the kidneys and liver, and so provided a cure for complicated diseases of these organs which were formerly incurable.

In England and Wales one person in every 1,236 is blind, in Scotland one in every 1,436, and in Ireland one in 851.







