



THE POULTRY SHOW DRAWING TO A CLOSE

Exhibitors Have Won High Praise From the Judges. Some Being the Best Ever Shown in Edmonton—Exhibit of the Belmont Poultry Farm.

(From Wednesday's Daily.) The judging in the Poultry Exhibition was concluded yesterday, and the birds now wear their laurels proudly draped over the bars of their pens.

The Belmont Stock Farm, owned by E. C. Doherty, were heavy exhibitors in this class, with an exhibit of rose combs, which carried off a long string of prizes.

Following is the list of prizes awarded Wednesday and Thursday mornings: R.C. White Leghorns. 1st hen, 1st and 2nd pullet, John A. Massey, High River.

Partridge Wyandottes. 1st cock, 3rd and 4th pullet, Frank Pierce, Bon Accord. 2nd hen, 3rd and 4th pullet, B. G. Hobden, Edmonton.

Rhode Island Reds, R.C. 1st cock, 1st and 2nd pullet, 2nd and 3rd pullet, 1st and 2nd pullet, Belmont Farm, Edmonton. 2nd cock, 3rd hen, J. E. White, Edmonton.

White Wyandotte. 1st and 2nd pullet, H. C. Richards, Calgary. 3rd pullet, H. L. Higgs, Wetaskiwin. 4 pullet, Belmont Farm, Edmonton. Buff Orpington. 1st cock, 5th hen, Gordon Taylor, Edmonton.

Single Comb Brown Leghorns. 1st and 2nd cock, Jos. Shackleton, Oida. 1st and 2nd hen, Jos. Shackleton, Oida. 2nd cock, 3rd cock, 2nd and 3rd pullet, J. E. White, Edmonton.

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4 hen, 4 cockerel, 4 pullet, Nels Landen, Wetaskiwin. Single Comb Brown Leghorns. 1 cockerel, B. N. Hobden, Edmonton. Rose Comb Buff Leghorns. 1 and 3 hen, 1 pullet, J. A. Jackson, Leduc.

2 hen, 1 cockerel, 2 and 3 pullet, 1 pen, H. N. Hobden, Edmonton. Game Bantams, Black Red. 1 cock, 1 and 2 hen, 1 cockerel, 1 pullet, W. R. West, Edmonton.

Pyle Games. 1 cock, 1 hen, R. J. Impey, Calgary. Old English Game Bantams. 1 cockerel, 1 and 2 pullet, Geo. Parney, Edmonton. Single Comb Black Minorcas. 1 hen, 2 cockerel, 1 pullet, John A. Massey, High River.

Rose Comb Black Minorcas. 2 and 3 hen, 3 cockerel, 1 pen, B. N. Hobden, Edmonton. 1 cockerel, 2 and 3 pullet, John Yull, Edmonton. Rose Comb Black Minorcas. 1 cock, 3 pullet, N. Garton, Edmonton.

Black Orpingtons. 1st and 2nd cock, J. G. White, Edmonton. 1st and 2nd hen, 1 cockerel, 1 pullet, J. E. White, Edmonton. 2nd cock, 3rd hen, Raymond Telford, Leduc. Dressed Poultry (American). Pair of cocks or cockerels—1, N. Curran, Edmonton; 2, J. E. Nixon, Edmonton. Pair of hens or pullets, J. B. Nixon, Edmonton.

Best Dressed Turkey. 1st and 2nd, A. R. Ewert, Wetaskiwin. Best Dressed Goose. 1st and 2nd, A. R. Ewert, Wetaskiwin. Best Dressed Chicken. 1st and 2nd, A. R. Ewert, Wetaskiwin. Best Dressed Duck. 1st and 2nd, A. R. Ewert, Wetaskiwin.

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White Holland Turkeys. 1st and 2nd, Mrs. F. T. Shaw, 2 and 3, Mrs. W. R. Killips, Edmonton. 4th, Alex Taylor, Edmonton. Fokien Ducks. 1st and 2nd, Mrs. F. T. Shaw, 1st and 2nd, Mrs. W. R. Killips, Edmonton. 3rd, Mrs. G. H. Creswell, Edmonton; 4th, Mrs. T. S. Matheson, Edmonton.

Guinea Fowl. 1st and 2nd, T. W. Killips, 2 cock-1 hen, A. E. Basingthwaite, Strathcona. Pigeons—Homers. Any variety, 1, 2, 3 and 4, R. Worsley. Specials. Rutherford Challenge Cup for best pen of Rocks, Orpingtons, Wyandottes, Rhode Island Reds or Dorkings won by H. C. Richards, Calgary, with 4 and 5 cockerels, 1 pullet, N. J. White, Edmonton. Association Challenge Cup—Best bird in show bred and owned by exhibitor, won by T. Gaskett, with a Buff Orpington cockerel.

Alberta Milling Co.'s Cup for best shaggy utility bird, won by W. C. Bradburn, with a White Wyandotte hen. Sorel Cup for best Plymouth Rock, won by J. Shackleton, Oida. Association gold medal for the best pen game cock, won by W. H. Jasek, Edmonton. The winners of the other special prizes are: Shrikebird, E. Nixon, J. P. Hall, W. C. Bradburn, J. E. Whitton, H. V. Shaw, Belmont Poultry Farm.

A COLD WAVE HAS WEST IN ITS GRIP

REPORTS FROM MANITOBA AND SASKATCHEWAN TELL OF SEVERE COLD.

Winnipeg, Jan. 2.—With the thermometer ranging during the day between 20 and 30 below, and an increase above this mark during the night, the city is experiencing its most drastic season of continued cold since the frost set in. Fortunately the wind was not very high but the sharpness of the cold keeps most people indoors.

Calgary reports a milder turn from yesterday, when the thermometer went down to 28, and at present a warm chinook wind is prevailing. So far, not more than an inch of snow has fallen, and what has come has disappeared. No delay of trains is reported in that district. Cattle are grazing on the open prairie, and there is not more than sufficient moisture for them.

Brandon reports three days of steady cold with very little wind and no great inconvenience. Main line trains are running well at times, but on 14th and 15th the snow was so heavy that it was 47 below on Sunday and 34 below today.

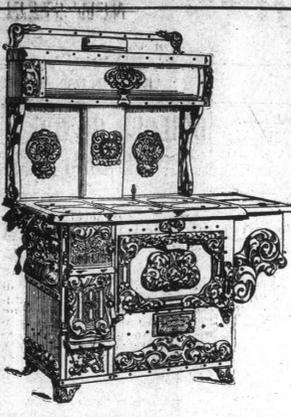
Regina reports an abatement of the blizzard which has been prevalent there for three days. The thermometer shows 77 below with 49 at the present time. The storm seems to have been most severe between Regina and Brandon as trains were all stopped for several days. Passengers on the road. Passenger trains from the east are late and the stopping of a freight train on a siding to allow the passenger train to pass was reported today.

Fort William reports the thermometer as ranging from 9 below to zero, with a considerable storm east and west. Passenger trains from the west are late and the stopping of a freight train on a siding to allow the passenger train to pass was reported today.

Kenora shows a thermometer of 38 below and lumbermen tell tales of extreme hardship in the camp and on the road. Passenger trains from the east are late and the stopping of a freight train on a siding to allow the passenger train to pass was reported today.

Those in Attendance. There were present at the meeting held Wednesday afternoon in the faculty room of the University in Strathcona, Dr. Sisley of Calgary, H. B. Starks of Medicine Hat, Dr. Ryan of Vermilion, E. C. Pardee of Edmonton and President H. M. Tory of the University. E. C. Pardee, secretary of the University, was elected chairman of the board, and Cecil E. Race, the registrar, was called upon to report the minutes. The absentees were O. M. Biggar of Edmonton, Dr. Clark of Oida, Dr. Kennedy of Medicine Hat, and J. M. Johnston of Lethbridge.

Some time was spent by the members in familiarizing themselves with the provisions of the new University act and the condition and progress of the university up to the present time. The accounts of the financial condition were approved and estimates submitted for the completion of the year 1915-16. An executive committee was appointed consisting of R. C. Farries and O. M. Biggar of Edmonton, A. L. Cameron of Calgary, and the president of the university, the object being to have an easily available group of men to deal with matters requiring frequent attention between the regular meetings of the whole board of governors.



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A BOY'S STRUGGLE FOR LIFE TWICE DELIVERED FROM DEATH

Mr. S. J. New of 154 Baldwin St., Toronto, says: "I can trace my son Harold's trouble to when he had the measles five years ago, from which he never really recovered. So one of the best physicians attended him, but with months of suffering he in turn contracted whooping cough, bronchitis, and then pneumonia."

"MY POOR BOY WAS REDUCED TO A SHATGOW." "Month after month went by that we shall not soon forget; months of sleepless nights, fearful coughs, weakening night sweats, left my boy a mere shadow. He had no appetite, and my heart ached to see how he was wasting away. He spent one whole summer at the Lakeside Home for sick children, and came home greatly improved, but the cold winds of October took him off his feet again. The doctor advised me to send him to Muskoka, but heavy doctor's bills had depleted my resources and such a step seemed out of the question. Scores of friends advised me to use PSYCHINE, and I was inclined to place PSYCHINE on a par with many other tried remedies and cheap nostrums. However, my friends proved such strong advocates of it that I at last consented to try it."

"HUMAN LIPS CANNOT DESCRIBE THE CHANGE." "We tried PSYCHINE and human lips cannot describe the change that took place. No words can express the thankfulness of his mother and myself when we saw the crisis was over and realized that our boy was fighting his way back to life and health. PSYCHINE had mastered that which all the doctor's prescriptions had failed to check. Day by day Harold grew stronger and all through the winter of 1906 although continually out of doors he failed to take cold, and he put on flesh very quickly. By the spring my son was completely cured, and developed into a strong, sturdy lad."

HAROLD AGAIN FALLS A VICTIM TO DISEASE. "About last Christmas he was again attacked, this time with diphtheria; and had this dread disease very badly. After spending some time in the Isolation Hospital he returned home cured of his illness, but oh! in such a pitiable state of emaciation. The last struggle with the grim monster death had reduced him to a skeleton almost, and the boy could scarcely stand, he was so weak."

PSYCHINE AGAIN GIVES GOOD SERVICE. "Again we began to give him PSYCHINE and before one bottle had been used he showed a marked improvement. We continued the treatment, and in a very short time Harold was as strong as ever and able to go to school. We haven't a need for a doctor in our home since we started using PSYCHINE. It is certainly a wonderful remedy. Can you wonder that I am never tired of proclaiming its merits?"

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HAROLD NEW, TORONTO

DISTRICT NEWS

LAC STE. ANNE. Bulletin News Service. According to their usual custom the members of the Lac Ste. Anne Lac Ste. Anne. The members spent a very enjoyable evening. The Commandant, W. C. A. Shaw, emphasized the importance of some training, and a date was set when such should take place. The evening was given up for recitations, etc. The hosts to King. "Our Absent Members," Commandant, were drunk with enthusiasm.

RILEY. Bulletin News Service. The newly constructed brick residence of Leon Thirk, completed and ready for occupancy. It is the first brick building in Riley. B. F. Archer, manager of the Riley Cement Brick Works, is to be in the city in the near future. Mr. Archer and family are on a visit from Mr. Archer's parents, Westport, N.S. Mrs. Edith Allen, of Camrose, has been visiting with the Hay Burger families, returned to place on Sunday evening's train. The masquerade ball to have given at the rink Monday evening was postponed on account of the condition of the weather. However, a large crowd enjoyed the skating.

HOKEY PRACTICE AT 4 P.M. every afternoon this week. All are asked to be prompt.

PNNSFALE. Bulletin News Service. After the severe cold of last week a chinook was much welcomed and was accompanied by a strong wind, bright sunshine, and snow again with us. The new council at their inaugural meeting on Monday springing into action. This has resulted in being closed on account of the rooms have a separate reading attached. This has resulted in being closed on account of the rooms have a separate reading attached. This has resulted in being closed on account of the rooms have a separate reading attached.

At the U. F. A. meeting held on Monday, the officers for 1915 were elected. The officers for 1915 were elected.

LEBUC. Bulletin News Service. The memorial service of John P. LeBuc was conducted by Rev. J. M. at the Michigan Centre school Sunday, Jan. 1st. Mr. Peterson acted as officiant. The service was held in honor of Mr. LeBuc, who died on Dec. 2nd. A special meeting of the O. Lakebank I.O.E. was held in Orange Hall on Friday night. The officers for 1915 were elected. The officers for 1915 were elected.

When given as soon as the cough appears Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will ward off an attack of cold, prevent all dangerous complications, and soothe the mother's eye. It successfully soothes every where.





LONDON MADE TO LOOK RIDICULOUS

BY MARSHALLING OF GREAT FORCE TO BATTLE WITH EAST END OUTLAWS.

London, Jan. 4.—After a day's reflection, the sober thought of London appears to be that the marshalling of a great force of police and military to destroy a little nest of outlaws was a mistake.

The impression is gaining ground that the police should have dealt with the business without calling upon the soldiers and summoning of horse artillery was a particularly unnecessary move.

Only Two Outlaws. Nothing has since occurred to establish more than that two men held the tenement against several hundred police, two half companies of Scots Guards from the Tower of London, a detachment of Royal Horse Artillery with a gatling gun and fire brigade, to say nothing of tens of thousands who lent their moral support expressed in vociferous cheers.

It was reported that during the night the police had discovered a third body in the ruins, but this is not true. Only two men are known to have been killed. The police had located, according to their bulletins, "Peter, the painter," and "Eritz" in a lodging room on the top floor of a tenement house on Sidney street.

Some of today's critics point out that instead of walking upstairs, kicking in the doors and taking their men, or taking whatever any officer is likely to get in the discharge of his duties, they summoned the landlady from the upper floor and then reconnoitered about the house until they drew the fire of the anarchists from the windows of their room.

Ended in Ghastly Spectacle. The battle then began, and resulted in the burning alive of two human beings within sight of as many of London's thousands as could crowd upon the adjoining housetops.

The extent of popular excitement, aroused by the unprecedented exhibition, will be better understood in the light of the fact that the circulation of the local newspapers of last evening and early today was greater than at any previous time since the critical stages of the Boer war were heralded in the Capital. Surprising as it may seem, the papers sold in London last night and again today far exceeded the number disposed of on the day of King Edward's death.

Most Ironic Incident. The presence of the Horse Artillery, although their guns were not brought into action, seems to irritate many more than any other incident.

There is some mystery as to who was responsible for the employment of the military. Home Secretary Winston Churchill, who personally directed the operations of the combined forces during the greater part of the seven hours battle, is credited, generally, with having authorized or approved the unusual measures taken.

For a time, rumors of the existence of an anarchist plot hatched in London appears to be overshadowed by the discussion of the manner in which the suspects were disposed of.

Was No Third Body. Later in the day the coroner disputed the claim of the police that they had found parts of a third body in the ruins. He said that whatever had been picked up belonged to the two bodies found. One of these showed little flesh remaining, while of the other body so little was recovered that the bits were tied up in a handkerchief.

Were Wanted in New York. From printed descriptions it is believed at police headquarters here that three of the men killed by the London police yesterday in the anarchist battle were wanted in this country for the robbery of the jewellery store of Samuel Ullman in Boston last year. The three men were killed while on bail. Detectives who made the arrest after the Boston robbery have no doubt that the London dead were the burglars.

One of the men is said to have been the inventor of an instrument known as the "tea opener," which easily slips up an ordinary safe.

BARRING CANADIAN SAILORS. U.S. Regulation in Force Restricting Navigation Licenses.

Ottawa, Jan. 4.—The attention of the Deputy Minister of Marine, having been directed to a recent ruling of the treasury department at Washington to the effect that only citizens of the United States shall be allowed to hold a navigation license for an American vessel on the lakes, he is bringing the subject before the minister and it is probable that during his visit to Washington at the end of the week, Hon. Mr. Broderick will make representations to the United States government with a view to having the regulation amended so far as Canadians are concerned.

The weapon is a two-edged one for the citizens of both countries engaged in navigation of the lakes, and while the enforcement of the regulation would undoubtedly work a greater hardship in the case of Canadians, it will still affect many Americans during the season of navigation, who are employed upon vessels registered in Canadian ports.

Traverses is Still in Jail. Farmers' Bank Manager Unable to Secure Bail. Toronto, Jan. 4.—G. T. Clarkson, curator of the wrecked Farmers' Bank, stated today that there would be sufficient assets to redeem the note issue without drawing upon the bank note guarantee fund deposited with the government. W. R. Travers, general manager of the bank, is still in jail, having been unable to find a bondsman who will furnish \$20,000 bail.

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Traces of Aviator Grace. Brussels, Belgium, Jan. 5.—The Aero Club has received a dispatch from President of the Grand Aero Club stating that an aviator of the name of Grace, probably born by Cecil Grace, supposed to have been lost in North Sea, was picked up at sea, off Marikkerke on the Belgium coast.

NEW STEAMSHIP SERVICE. To Establish New Service Between Australia and Canada.

Melbourne, Australia, Jan. 4.—An important proposal for the establishment of a new steamship service from Australia to Canada has been made by a steamship company of Sydney. The Merchants and Shippers Steamship Company, a concern doing business in the southern sea, has offered to establish a fifteen knot service between Melbourne, Sydney, Brisbane, Fiji, Hawaii, and Canada, presumably Vancouver.

The matter has been placed before the Cabinet which will meet this week to consider it.

"I'LL TAKE THE TEAM YOU TAKE THE LAND"

This is Flak Alleged to Have Planned Division of Peck's Property—Robertson Tells of the Murder Committed by Himself and Flak.

Calgary, Jan. 4.—Fifteen witnesses have been examined in the preliminary hearing of J. C. Flak, charged with the murder of Tucker Peck, in the morning of the evidence of John Mitchell Robertson, who confessed that he and Flak committed the murder, was taken and through all the harrowing recital of the crime, Flak sat unmoved. For the first time in the hearing, Flak looked at the skull which was on a board in front of him.

Robertson said he came to Canada from Scotland in 1908. He said that he and Flak had gone to Peck's house and Flak had shot the old man while the latter was in bed and handing him the revolver, told him to shoot too, which he did. In a conversation previous to the murder, Flak had said that Tucker Peck thought that he had some of his horses and added: "I'll have to do something to fix him."

"He has no relatives or friends; we'll put him out of the way; I'll take the team and you take the land." About a fortnight before the body was found, witness met Flak in Calgary and gave him \$40, drawing it from the Bank of Montreal, where witness had put the \$200 he had received from Peck's estate. The witness said he had never seen Peck's title to the land and he had left that matter to Flak to fix up. Witness had told Jack Kelly that Peck was up north on the Red Deer.

The afternoon session, the chief evidence was that of Miss Lydia Peck, who said that when the body was found, Flak was at her father's house and had jointly remarked that perhaps the body was that of Tucker Peck, adding that perhaps the fellow who had bought Peck's house had done away with him. Several witnesses also swore that Flak had said that he had heard that Peck had sold out and gone to Seattle. On June 24, Robertson went to the postmaster and paid the taxes on the Peck property. The preliminary hearing will probably be finished tomorrow.

DRESDEN FIRE INQUIRY.

Well Was Dry and Hose Clogged With Mud. Dresden, Ont., Jan. 4.—The coroner's jury investigating the death of Sunday school teacher, killed at a fire on Sunday, Dec. 23rd, this afternoon brought in a verdict that the death was caused by an explosion of heat and gases accumulating in the attic of R. A. Altman's store, cause of fire unknown. The verdict adds that a proper inspection of the fire hose, engine and fire protection would have prevented loss of property. The principal evidence was that of members of the fire department, who testified that the well, supposed to furnish water for the fire protection of the business, engine and fire protection, would have prevented the fire. The hose became choked with mud, which rendered it useless even after a water supply was secured. The Chief, whose duty was to inspect the well, had not done so since June.

TWO SWITCH ENGINES COLLIDED. One Engineer Killed and Another Seriously Injured.

Minneapolis, Jan. 4.—An envelope of dense steam and smoke so that the crew of neither knew of approach of the other, two Great Northern switch engines crashed into each other in the Como yards at 4 a.m. today, killing Nels Sauberg and seriously injuring Frank Mahlik.

Nels Sauberg, the fireman of engine No. 38, was driven with terrific force against the door of his own furnace by the tender of engine No. 805 and was so crushed and scalded by hot steam that when extricated and carried to a nearby shanty, he died before medical assistance could be had. Frank Mahlik, engineer of No. 38, jumped through his cab window into a snowbank but a fraction of a minute before the collision occurred which wrecked both engines. He was seriously hurt.

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EVANGELISTIC CAMPAIGN.

Part Arthur, Jan. 4.—The Labor party, which contested one of the four candidates to the city council, namely, Fred Perry, has called a meeting for Thursday evening to discuss the advisability of asking him to resign, feeling that he alone is powerless to advance the interests of the Labor party or workmen's men and also a protest against secrecy in board of control meetings.

Business Failures Increase. Montreal, Jan. 4.—The number of firms which failed during the last year showed an increase over the previous year. In 1910 the number was 287 and in 1909, 250.

Heavy Snow Storm at Rome.

Rome, Jan. 4.—A very heavy snow fall has interrupted railway communication with the north.

SAY THE SLAUGHTER HOUSE MUST CLOSE

Commissioners Instruct City Solicitor To Take Immediate Steps To Enforce Compliance of Burns Co. With Agreement to Close Slaughter House—Was to Have Closed Dec. 31st.

At the regular meeting of the commissioners held yesterday afternoon, with Mayor Armstrong in the chair, the city solicitor was given instructions to take immediate steps to enforce compliance of the P. Burns Co. with the agreement entered into with the city in October requiring them to close their slaughter house on or before December 31st, 1910.

The commissioners having learned through a letter in the Bulletin that operations were being continued by the company at their slaughter house after the opening of the new year, the health department was instructed to investigate, and reported that there was no indication that the company intended closing the building in accordance with the terms of their agreement made with the city in the Supreme Court on October 14th. The solicitor will at once take steps to enforce their compliance with the terms of the agreement.

To Require Guarantee. The commissioners decided to advise the council to require the International Lighting and Heating Co. to place to the credit of the city the sum of \$5,000 deposited by them in the Merchants' Bank of Canada, as a guarantee of the payment of any expenses that might be incurred by the city in the course of negotiations with the company.

During the meeting incidental reference was made to the request of the Post Office Department for the free carriage of mail carriers on the street railway and for the men who were the subject of much adverse comment. The discussion arose out of an explanation given to Mayor Armstrong of the steps previously taken by the commissioners in this matter.

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FASHIONED AFTER THE DOMINION REGULATIONS

Senator Nelson to Introduce Bill to Place Alaskan Coal Lands Under Lease Only and Providing for Royalty on Coal Mined.

Washington, Jan. 4.—A bill which Senator Nelson of Minnesota will introduce will doubtless be regarded as the most thoroughly effective conservation measure that has ever been brought to the attention of Congress. Senator Nelson, a chairman of the committee on public lands, has given careful consideration to this question and he has embodied in this bill, which relates to Alaskan coal lands, two or three striking features, namely: That the coal land of Alaska shall be leased or operated under license, upon conditions which shall place the question whether the price of coal so mined is fair and reasonable under the jurisdiction and control of the interstate commerce commission.

That provision shall be made for a royalty to the United States on every ton mined.

That no lease of coal lands shall be acquired except under the regulations prescribed by the Secretary of Interior, who shall see that no monopoly in the mining in Alaska be permitted.

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PEITITION FOR CANAL.

Want Canal From Goderich to Hamilton.

Toronto, Jan. 4.—Petitions are being circulated asking the Government of the Dominion to consider the feasibility of a canal across western Ontario from Goderich to Hamilton. The petition points out that this would give an all-Canadian canal route to the upper lakes, while the fall of 200 feet would furnish immense water power. The scheme is a variation on other plans protected in the past by visionary promoters.

Upper Bertha Reduction. Albany, Jan. 4.—The public service commission today granted permission to the Pullman Company to revise its tariff of sleeping car charges within the state of New York. The result of this order reduces the charge for upper berths from \$1.50 to \$1.25; for \$2.00 to \$1.50, and from \$2.50 to \$2.00. The reduction in rates becomes effective February 1, 1911.

To Break Ocean CARRIER COMBINE. Suit Brought by U. S. Government Against 13 Atlantic Steamship Companies—Companies Alleged to Have Formed Combine in London.

New York, Jan. 4.—The federal government brought suit today in the United States circuit court under the Sherman anti-trust law against thirteen of the principal trans-Atlantic carriers, estimated to control 90 per cent of the storage traffic, worth \$5,000,000 a year.

Twelve officers of the defendant companies, all resident in America, are named as co-defendants. These thirteen companies, the government charges, entered into an illegal contract February 5th, 1908, at London, England, by which they contended themselves the Atlantic conference with power to apportion traffic.

As a result, it is alleged, the Russian volunteer fleet plying between New York and Albat was driven out of business and the Russian-American line was forced to enter the conference.

Suit was brought under instructions from United States Attorney-General Wickersham. In its petition the government asks that the defendant be restrained from combining to destroy the business of any persons carrying steerage passengers between the United States and Europe.

Further, that each of the defendant steamship lines be forbidden to enter any port of the United States or its possessions so long as they continue to operate under the alleged conspiracy.

Montreal's High Birth Rate. Montreal, Jan. 3.—There were 215 births recorded during the past week, 119 males, 96 females. There were 173 deaths of which 74 were among children under five years of age.

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A BARREL OF WOOD ALCOHOL EXPLODED

Narrow Escape of Employees of Two Branches of John Bayne's Department at Ottawa—Fire Which Followed Explodes on Causes Destruction of Building.

Ottawa, Jan. 4.—Sixteen employees of the analysts and methylated spirits warehouse in charge of the Department of Inland Revenue, including two women, made wild dashes for safety about noon today, when a barrel, out of which was being pumped wood alcohol, exploded with terrific noise, the impact overturning an electric motor, causing a dangerous fire to break out in the building occupied by these two departments of the government on Queen street.

The building was practically destroyed by heavy loss. James Hagan, warehouseman in charge of the pumping operations, was hurried across the room in which he was working, but was not seriously injured. All the other employees made their escape, although some of them got out minus their hats and overcoats. They were hurried into residences nearby out of the biting cold. A dave in the barrel is thought to have been the cause of the explosion.

On the ground floor of the building where methylated spirits was manufactured, are rows of barrels of wood alcohol. It is Mr. Hagan's duty to empty these barrels by means of an electric pump into a large tank. Flashes jumped to the ceiling and soon burst through the floor above, where Mr. A. McGill, of the branch of Dominion analysts was located. Valuable testing machinery, tubes and acids were located in these departments and these were totally destroyed. The loss on the building is estimated at ten thousand dollars, and on the apparatus in the two government offices at over thirty thousand dollars.

Town Reported Destroyed. St. Petersburg, Jan. 5.—A message received at Tashkent Russian Turkestan, says there are unconfirmed rumors that the town of Fraxevsk and Pishpek, in the territory of Semirechensk, were destroyed in yesterday's earthquake and that a lake has been formed on the site of the former place. Each town has a population of about eight thousand.

First Local Option Prosecution. Moosemin, Sask., Jan. 5.—The first prosecution under the local option law here resulted in the conviction of Wm. Jeffers, the magistrate imposing a fine of \$100 and costs. Two other cases are pending.

Ontario's Silver Output. 27,000,000 Ounces Mined in Ontario During 1910. Toronto, Jan. 6.—Ontario's silver output last year was 27,000,000 ounces according to the annual report of the department of mines. The total value of the mineral output of the province was about \$48,000,000, or practically half the total for Canada. Deputy Minister Gibson states that there is ground for hope that the long record of disappointment in connection with gold mining in Ontario will be broken.

Police Commissioner Summoned Soldiers. This Fact Develops in Inquest Into Death of London Outlaw Killed in Steppes, in East End of London, After Battle With Police.

London, Jan. 6.—The inquest into the death of the two outlaws who were killed while resisting the police in their Sidney street home on Tuesday began today. The testimony showed that the soldiers were summoned by the commissioner of police because the anarchists' revolvers were superior to the weapons of the police and that less than fifty police participated in the fight, the remainder being required to deal with the crowds. The examination of the surgeon who performed the autopsy developed that one of the men was shot by the police or soldiers, while the other probably died from suffocation. One of the bodies showed a bullet-hole through the skull, the bullet having entered the back of the head. The surgeon thought that the victim died before the flames reached him. Appearances indicated to physician that the second anarchist was suffocated. The enquiry was adjourned until Monday.



# January Clearing Sale

It has grown to be generally recognized custom for each department in our store to contribute liberally to our Annual January Clearing Sale. Usually there is abundance of odd lines from which to select the quota; sometimes it happens otherwise and then frequently some full line of briskly selling merchandise is sharply price cut. Look closely and many such attractive buying chances will be found during this sale

### DEFINITE MONEY SAVING CHANCES IN WOMEN'S SMART TAILORED COATS

Now that the holidays are over we have assembled our stock into three groups and are clearing at marvellously little prices.

**ASSEMBLY NO. 1**  
29 only Ladies' Coats in black, brown, navy, green, red, waisteria etc.; 50 inch semi-fitted models. Some are lined throughout with satin, while others are half lined. Regular up to \$30.00. **JANUARY SALE \$10.00**

**ASSEMBLY NO. 2**  
10 only Ladies' dark tweed coats in semi-fitted and loose back styles. Regular \$7.50 to \$10.00. **JANUARY SALE \$4.95**

**ASSEMBLY NO. 3**  
7 only ladies' light gray tweed coats in full back models, worth in a regular way up to \$12.00. **JANUARY SALE \$2.00**

**LOVELY FURS**  
Specially Priced in order to Clear them out during our January Sale  
Here's interesting news to the woman who is in need of a pretty fur neck piece or muff.

**MINK FURS**  
\$135.00 Mink Stole clearing **\$95.00**  
\$125.00 Mink Stole clearing **\$90.00**  
\$90.00 Mink Stole clearing **\$68.00**  
\$75.00 Mink Stole or Throw clearing **\$55.00**  
\$65.00 Mink Stole clearing **\$50.00**

\$50.00 Mink Stole clearing **\$37.50**  
\$40.00 Mink Throw clearing **\$30.00**

**MINK MUFFS**  
\$25 Mink Muffs clearing **\$17.50**  
\$40 Mink Muffs clearing **\$33.00**  
\$50 Mink Muffs clearing **\$38.50**  
\$75 Mink Muffs clearing **\$55.00**  
\$85 Mink Muffs clearing **\$63.00**  
\$100 Mink Muffs clearing **\$75.00**

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15 pieces of dress goods in dark tweeds, plaids, fancy checks and broadcloths, with shadow patterns. But before I got these goods at 90c per yard, I had captured at Battersby's among the new to this day, but better heard of and his hand of within five hours of his surrender like night before me. He employed the thing dragged month. I'll never like he made to the sentence and after, what would now be history views regard the breeds to the entry and its repute of his mission, re- wise. An artist in not out less than an with a verdict of sed them again, for he frankly told intended to make entry till the govern- with him, that if \$20,000 or so, he them in peace long A magnificent gra- heartless-utterly men at Battersby there on any trial. "No these things was to quick! No, I didn't he was hanged at se. By many a half- ed as a martyr to and this in 1910, id visit to the coast peouver's growth is busy place, busy hustlers—everybody nee of British Colum- in fact, is developing the railroads prin- People are coming a hundred thousand we have room for Home-seekers and encouraged to come these great stretches cultivation. Fruit- growing, all articles are still in their re- great future here."

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**2 only Fur Lined Coats in navy blue, No. 1 material mink collars and lapels, and lined with selected Rat Skins, imported broad-cloth shells. These coats sold in a regular way at \$125.00. **JANUARY SALE \$75.00****

The woman who neglects to glance over the January staple list is not looking for the best values that are to be had, for she is undoubtedly missing many opportunities that would materially lessen the expenditure on household needs.

### FOR EXAMPLE

**TABLE CLOTHS**—Of snowy white pure Irish linen, size 2x2 1/2 yds., deeply bordered all round. Reg. \$2.50. **JANUARY SALE \$1.75**

**TABLE NAPKINS**—All pure Irish linen, beautiful designs, satin finish, size 23x23 (hemmed). Regular \$2.75. **JANUARY SALE \$2.10**

**GLASS AND ROLLER TOWELLING**—Wide width, glass has red or blue checks pattern, and roller is bordered. Regular 12 1/2c. **JANUARY SALE, per yd. 9c**

**NAINSOOK**—A beautiful soft quality. 36 inches wide, in firm, even weave. **JANUARY SALE 12 1/2c**

**LINEN TOWELS**—Huck, Linen Towels with hemstitched ends, size 22x40, was special value at 50c. pair. **JANUARY SALE, per pair 30c**

**BATH TOWELS**—Natural color Bath Towels with red stripe, fringed ends, size 22x44. **JANUARY SALE, per pair 35c**

**3 only Fur Lined Coats with selected Rat lining, collars of Alaska Sable. Navy blue, brown and green, imported broadcloth shells, reg. price \$100.00. **JANUARY SALE \$65.00****

**1 FUR LINED COAT**, pearl grey shell, squirrel lining, collar of white Thibet, would make a nice evening cloak. Regular \$85.00. **JANUARY SALE \$42.00**

**VELVET 45c**  
3 pieces of fancy velvet in small checks and shadow stripes. Regular 75c. **JANUARY SALE 45c**

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## INDICTMENTS IN DYNAMITE CASE

### GRAND JURY RETURNS TRUE BILL IN LOS ANGELES TIMES' EXPLOSION

Los Angeles, Jan. 8.—The grand jury in the Los Angeles "Times" explosion case today returned 23 indictments but it is not known how many persons were named. Wholesale murder by means of dynamite is understood to be the charge set forth in all the indictments, but it is believed that not more than three or four men are mentioned in the true bills.

The return of indictments today followed the disaster that excluded the people of Los Angeles to a degree that for a few days bordered almost upon panic and resulted in the offering of rewards aggregating almost \$100,000.

Two conflicting theories. Union labor, which the Times and its proprietors have opposed, was brought into the situation and when the grand jury was empaneled on October 17, it was confronted with two conflicting theories. One of these, supported by the findings of an investigating committee appointed by Mayor Alexander, was that the Times plant had been blown up by dynamite conspirators. The other, presented by a committee named by the State Building Trades convention, then in session, was that gas was responsible. More than forty witnesses, the majority of them identified with the labor movement, were summoned from San Francisco and other cities. In addition, labor union officials were summoned from San Francisco and other cities. In addition, labor union officials were summoned from San Francisco and other cities.

The three suspects. J. B. Bryce, M. A. Schmidt and David Kaplan are the three suspects in the case. They were in this city for a few hours after the explosion but subsequently disappeared. According to the detectives, Bryce, Schmidt and Kaplan purchased from a San Francisco powder firm the dynamite used to destroy the Times building and which was later found in the infernal machine planted at the residence of J. Z. Zeigler, secretary of the Merchants' Association. This organization had opposed the extension of labor unions in this city.

Two days ago, an additional reward of \$25,000 was offered by the county board of supervisors for their capture.

## EARL GREY MAY NOT GO DOWN MACKENZIE

Duke of Connaught's Coming to Canada Next Autumn May Prevent Earl Grey's Trip—In Addition, Coast Has Never Been Chartered for Deep Draught Vessels

Ottawa, Jan. 8.—According to information received tonight it is by no means certain that Earl Grey will make the journey to the mouth of the Mackenzie river and back to Vancouver by way of Behring Straits. News of the intended trip came from a source which Earl Grey was in that city, and was given in such positive terms that no doubts were expressed.

There are several matters to be considered, some of which may prevent his expedition making the journey. One of these is that a Canadian vessel would meet the Governor-General at the mouth of the Mackenzie, but there is the ever-present danger in these latitudes that may delay her return.

The more important consideration, however, is the fact that these coasts have never been properly charted and accordingly the danger to a vessel drawing so much water as the Rainbow would be very great. Earl Grey will go to the Coronation of King George and will return in June, and it is possible that if the Governor-General is then bent upon the trip he may be accommodated on a Hudson Bay steamer, which goes to the outlet of the Mackenzie river every year, and he might return by the same vessel.

While the story of the trip would not sound so romantic as if Earl Grey went by canoe and returned by warship, the same object will be accomplished and he would be certain of getting back on schedule time.

## BANKER LODGED IN TOMBS

Jos. G. Robin Charged With Stealing \$80,000

New York, Jan. 4.—Jos. G. Robin, banker, was lodged in the Tombs today on an indictment charging him with stealing \$80,000 from the Washington Savings Bank, of which he was president. Bail was fixed at \$40,000. Robin's counsel, L. Jerome, told the court that his client was without a dollar in the world. The hearing on the petition of Robin's sister to have him declared insane is set for tomorrow. The banker was examined today by alienists. Friends of Robin offered bonds for his release but the district attorney announced that he would take the full forty-eight hours allowed to examine the security offered.

## WATCH REVOLUTIONISTS

Puerto Cortes, Jan. 5.—The Honduras revolutionary expedition, headed by General Bonilla, today arrived at Bay Island and established a base of operations on Italian Island, one of a group lying 166 miles from this port and 49 miles from Lacedba.

The next move of the revolutionists is being anxiously awaited by the Davis government. The tactics of the expedition is keeping every one puzzled.

## BORDEN ADDRESSES THE CANADIAN CLUB

In Toronto—Says If Politics Are Dirty People Are Responsible—Declares Future of Liberal Party Depends on Reciprocity Negotiations

Toronto, Jan. 8.—Speaking before the Canadian Club today, Mr. R. L. Borden, leader of the Conservative party, said:

"How can Democratic institutions be permanent if the foundations are unstable? How can the foundations be stable of the people and especially the children are not instructed in the duties of citizenship? The party system is undoubtedly attended by many evils and anomalies. Work in it until a better way is devised. Let no man consider himself too clean and superior to be concerned in political activities. If politics are dirty, you are responsible and it is your duty to cleanse them."

To an interviewer, Mr. Borden made this statement: "The future of the Liberal party in Canada depends to a great extent if not completely, upon the success or failure of the reciprocity negotiations at Washington."

Mr. Borden tonight was the guest of the Central Conservative Association.

## NOT EFFECTIVE IN CANADA

Canadian Steamship Companies Not Affected by U.S. Actions

Montreal, Jan. 8.—That the Sherman anti-trust law cannot be effective in Canada or as regards Canadian companies is the opinion of Montreal steamship officials interested in the announcement from New York that the companies competing in the Atlantic conference are made defendants in a suit brought by the United States government.

An official of the Allan Line, one of the companies named, said: "In my opinion this is merely a friendly suit brought in equity by the government to test its jurisdiction. It has none so far as we are concerned."

Officials of the C.P.R. steamship company, also named as defendants, denied the existence of grounds for action, even had the United States jurisdiction, which was characterized as doubtful.

## COSTLY PRINTERS ERROR!

Railroad Loses Dollars on Every Hundred Pounds from Denver to Texas

Denver, Jan. 8.—A printer's error in connection with a strict ruling of the new Federal law governing the framing of railway freight rates is costing one of the railroads running into this city a tidy sum of money. In that it must carry a certain class of business on a strict ruling of the new Federal law governing the framing of railway freight rates is costing one of the railroads running into this city a tidy sum of money.

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SCHOOL TEACHER WANTED FOR Rosevale School District, No. 1322. Duties to commence at once; will have to live at Strone, three miles from school and built the fire and sweep the floor. J. R. POINTEUR, Secretary, Strone, Alta.

## STRAYED

To the premises of the undersigned N.E. 30, 55, 24, W.4, one red heifer, rising three years, white face and white on belly. No brand visible. C. McLaughlin, Cardiff P.O., Alberta.

STRAYED TO THE PREMISES OF the undersigned, three N.E. of Sturgeon River, row cow, red cow, rose heifer rising, 3 years old; red cow, star on forehead, white under belly; 1 1/2 year old heifer, star on forehead, white on belly; red bull, 1 1/2 years, rope round horned, white star, 1 1/2 years; also one mare, white stripe on face, halter on nose and branded D. Left by, stating apply JAMES BELLROSE, St. Albert.

STRAYED FROM THE FARM OF THE undersigned, the N.E. 1st, 12-20-3-5, on Dec. 15, one blue and white ox, weight about 1500 lbs, had halter on; also a red heifer, two and one and a half years old, both mentioned cattle are mules'. Reward will be given for satisfactory information leading to their recovery. LOBB, Rich Valley P.O., Alberta.

## MONEY TO LOAN

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## LOST

STRAYED—From the premises of the undersigned, Three Head of Mares and Colts. Bay Mares with bay colts has circle on right shoulder, others each have brand figure one over a circle, other 2, one a bay and the other a buckskin. \$5.00 reward for information leading to their recovery. Wm. Callihoo, Villeneuve P.O., Alta.

ESTRAY—Came to the premises of the undersigned, N.E. 1-4 33, Tp. 22, R. 7, W. 5, on or about November 24th, one black or blue cow and calf, owner can have same on proving property and paying expenses. H. T. James, Knivwilt, Alta.

STRAYED—From S.W. 25-25-21-4, two red heifers, one and a half years old, no brand, \$5.00 reward given for information that leads to their recovery. Address, J. A. Russell, Excelsior.

LOST—One Sorrel Mare, about 1000 lbs, with X and another AH on same mare, white on forehead; the other one is between 800 and 900, dark brown collar, with the marks of a halter on head. Anyone giving information will receive \$10 reward. Ed. Brandon, P.O.

## FOR SALE

Bishop Farthing's Anniversary, Montreal, Nov. 29.—The Rt. Rev. John Craig Farthing, D.D., Lord Bishop of Montreal, celebrated his 25th anniversary ordination to disacote today in a quiet private manner.

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## SENATOR LODGE DISCUSSES RECIPROCITY AND WHAT IT IS

Hopes For Tariff Arrangement Which Will Make Trade Between Canada and the Republics of the West Larger—U.S. Could Not Reduce Tariff Without Equivalent Concessions From Canada.

Boston, Jan. 3.—His record of 18 years in the United States Senate was reviewed by Senator Lodge tonight in an address before a large audience. After telling of his votes on various other measures, Mr. Lodge took up the tariff, saying in part: "I have always declared that Canadian reciprocity could be obtained only with the co-operation and consent of Canada. I have always favored and earnestly desired Canadian reciprocity, and have repeatedly spoken in favor of it. I have labored twenty years to promote the best relations possible with our neighbors to the North. I have always favored and earnestly desired Canadian reciprocity. "The trade would be reciprocity, mutual concessions to give each other reciprocity, but to remove of lower the duties on Canadian products with-

## OLDS LIBERALS HEAR FEDERAL AND PROVINCIAL LEGISLATORS

Big Rally of Liberals of That District at Which Officers Were Elected for the Year—Famous Address by Attorney General Mitchell and Hon. Duncan Marshall at the Public Meeting in the Evening.

Ottawa, Jan. 4.—The annual meeting of the Liberal Association of the Ottawa district was held yesterday and was largely attended, both by town and country delegates. S. J. Craig was elected president and Thos. Davy secretary.

In his evening a public meeting was held in the opera house, which was packed to the doors, there being a large sprinkling of the fairer sex present. President Craig occupied the chair and in a brief speech opened the meeting, after which he called on Dr. Clark, who was received with hearty applause.

Dr. Clark congratulated his audience on their punctuality, and proceeded to make some comments on the election of officers in the afternoon. The doctor said that from the acquaintance he had with the members of the new Alberta government he was satisfied that Mr. Sifton was not only one of the brightest of provincial premiers, but also a man who, if he applied to a part in Dominion politics, might readily occupy a high position in the gift of the people of Canada.

As to the local members of the government, Mr. Marshall in the past short session of the legislature had placed his mark on the legislation in a manner that had rendered a great service to the agricultural portion of the province. He was well pleased that the government should see fit to abolish the bounty on one particular industry, the best sugar, and that the duty on rice, sugar from the West Indies and could grow better in Alberta, he would prefer to exchange his wheat for their sugar.

Mr. Sifton had made a good choice in Mr. Mitchell, who is esteemed for the quality of his heart as well as of his head. Arbitration, not armaments. He believed that there was more to be done before the people in their normal state had more use for a doctor when they were ill than for a soldier when they were fighting. He firmly believed that the greatest immediate destiny of the North American continent was to hasten the time when the nations would take the place of armaments. He hoped, however, arrived at the period when we could take the place of armaments in these matters. The chances of attack from outside are fairly remote, but he thought there might be danger from the Orient. The time was bound to come to an end when a self-respecting country like Canada should hang for defence on the ep-

**FORCED WAY FROM FORTRESS.** Convict Escaped From Prison at Schussenburg, Was Recaptured. St. Petersburg, Jan. 2.—For the first time in living memory, a convict had escaped from the island fortress of Schussenburg, in the Neva, Russia. While working in the kitchen in the open air, the convict scaled the wall with the aid of a rope and subsequently, though chained, walked all night across the ice of Lake Ladoga towards the Burgovskiy lighthouse. Early on the following morning the man was discovered by some peasants and was seized and taken back to the prison. The Schussenburg fortress, rich in memories of the battles between Russia and Sweden, is seen from the river, a place of old walls and low, round watch towers. Among the famous political prisoners who spent years there was Elton, the Empress Anna's favorite. The Schussenburg prisoners nowadays are treated with no little consideration. The cells are lighted by electricity and heated by hot water radiators. The prisoners are allowed to smoke, and there is a good library. Every man sentenced to more than a year's penal servitude is, during the first two years, chained on the feet.

Ottawa, Jan. 4.—Fire broke out in the Inland River Laboratory on Queen's street shortly after twelve o'clock today. Owing to the extremely cold weather and the blowing chemicals the fire was a difficult one to manage and burned for a couple of hours. The damage has not been ascertained but it will be several thousand dollars.

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**SHANSHAN PATENZA,** the black head leader, who got a twenty-five year sentence at Brooklyn for abducting two of the stiffest men in the city, was sentenced to life in some 7500.

## ALBERTA AT THE BIG CONVENTION

Premier Sifton and Dr. Tory to Represent Province at Quebec Conference

London, Jan. 6.—An evening paper published what purports to be the text of an agreement between Russia and Germany in the Persian affairs. It is supposed to be the result of a meeting of the Emperor and Czar Nicholas at Potsdam last November. According to the text printed Germany disclaims any political interest in Persia and recognizes Russian interests in the Persian Gulf. Russia in her part agrees to co-operate in building the long proposed Bagdad railroad and branches and to give Germany commerce and Persian equity of treatment.

Germany Building Many Dreadnoughts. Berlin, Jan. 6.—Germany will establish a record by launching six Dreadnoughts. The announcement is made in the Deutsche Tageszeitung. The growth of the German fleet is not only witnessed by the launching of the new vessels which have ever taken the water during a single year. The number of Dreadnoughts in the German fleet is now 11. The number of Dreadnoughts in the British fleet is 10. The number of Dreadnoughts in the French fleet is 8. The number of Dreadnoughts in the Italian fleet is 6. The number of Dreadnoughts in the Japanese fleet is 4. The number of Dreadnoughts in the United States fleet is 2.

**\$85,000 OFFERED FOR QUEEN'S AVE. SCHOOL.** Great West Land Co., Acting for K. A. McLeod, Makes Offer to School Board of \$85,000 for Queen's Ave. School—Board Will Not Sell—Site Was Bought in 1901 for \$1,200,000—Building Cost \$35,000.

The new Edmonton school board met for the first time last evening, all of the members being present. The only change in the composition of the board is the absence of Dr. Ferris, who did not stand for re-election, and whose place is taken by G. Gordon Barnes, W. H. Clark and Walter Ramsay. Mr. Clark and Mr. Ramsay occupy their old seats, both having been returned with large majorities.

The following standing committee was appointed: Finance—T. C. Tushing, chairman; W. H. Clark, S. A. Gordon Barnes, School management—W. Ramsay, Chairman, A. T. Cushing, S. A. Gordon Barnes, Building and Grounds—W. H. Clark, Chairman, A. T. Cushing, W. Ramsay, Supply—S. A. Gordon Barnes, W. H. Clark and W. Ramsay. An offer was received from the Great West Land Co., made on behalf of K. A. McLeod, to purchase the site of the Queen's Avenue School with the building thereon, for the sum of \$85,000, one-third of which was prepared to pay cash and the balance at reasonable terms. They will be advised by the board that the building will be required for school purposes for some time to come, and that therefore the board does not contemplate selling this property at the present time.

**HUDSON'S BAY CO. MAKE LARGE SALES.** Reported That They Have Disposed of an Immense Block of Land Near the Mouth of the Athabasca River. Hudson's Bay Co. has just made two sales of land which will yield the company \$1,000,000 and \$1,100,000. In point of money involved the sale are about the largest ever put through by the company. Another land contract bought a block of 500,000 acres from the Hudson's Bay Co. for a large sum of money. The property was purchased by the Hudson's Bay Co. for \$1,250,000. The actual cost of the school building was \$34,206.68.

**U.S. TARIFF COMMISSION.** Bill for Appointment of Board Introduced in House. Washington, Jan. 5.—The tariff commission bill was introduced in the House of Representatives today. It was framed by Representative Longworth, of Ohio, after conference with President Taft, and with Progressive Republicans. It provides for a permanent tariff board and further powers to make it a thoroughly efficient body, particularly as to investigations. Mr. Longworth said he proposed to what he regards as the best features of the Lenroot Good, and other bills, and hoped to obtain a favorable report on it. The bill provides an appropriation of \$250,000. President Taft has been using his influence to secure an appropriation of \$400,000.

**TWO NEW CANAL PROJECTS.** Fifty-Million-Dollar Company Incorporated to Deal in Oils. Ottawa, Jan. 5.—Notice is given of an application to Parliament for an act to incorporate the Western Canal Company, with power to construct a canal from the Raitay river below Fort Frances to a point on the river five miles below the Long Sault Rapids, and to develop electric power. The Niagara Albany Canal & Transportation Company is applying for power to construct a continuous waterway from Niagara Bay and the Albany river with incidental power and transportation rights. Notice is given in the Canada Gazette of the incorporation of a fifty-million-dollar company under the name of the International Contracting Company, with headquarters at Winnipeg. The nominal incorporators include Robert Lush Miller and Eugene W. Peters, financial brokers of Winnipeg, and are authorized to erect all kinds of buildings, treat any kind of wood, timber, etc., with oils, chemicals, etc., for the purpose of waterproofing or preserving and to manufacture, refine and deal in all kinds of oils, etc.

## DRILLER'S STORY OF MINE DISASTER

ANDY MATSON TELLS OF FLIGHT FOR LIFE AFTER BELLEVUE MINE DISASTER.

Bellevue, Alta., via Hillcrest, Alta., Jan. 5.—Today's development in the corner's inquest in the Bellevue mine disaster was not of interest. But four witnesses were examined. The first story of those who were imprisoned in the mine from the time of the explosion on the 9th of December to the next morning, before they were taken out by rescuers, was told by Andy Matson, a Finlander, who was running a drill in 110 chutes on that fatal night. He went into the mine at 2 o'clock and when he noticed that the air had ceased to work his drill, thinking that the engine which drives the compressor from which the drill was fed had been stopped temporarily he sat down and ate his supper. The air not coming on again, he sent his partner, Nils Mackie, out to see what had happened.

Andy Matson's story was told in a simple straight forward manner and the jury got a most comprehensive story of how those men fought for their lives against such heavy odds. The last Matson remembered while in the mine was that he saw a man pass close by him with a Dräger helmet on, who fell close to where he himself was. When he regained consciousness he was outside the mine. According to his evidence, which was corroborated later by others, the air in the mine near the face remained pretty clear of gas all night, but towards the face it was soon fouled with after-damp. He had not noticed the presence of gas in chute 110 before the explosion.

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**TOO LATE TO SAVE FRIEND.** Fiscal Agent of Man Who Jumped From Window Arrives in Calgary. Calgary, Jan. 6.—Warned by wire Telcos farmer, who leaped to his death from the top floor window of the Calgary Hotel Tuesday afternoon was Mr. Mahoney, his fiscal agent, rushed to Calgary from Telcos, only to find on his arrival of the tragic death of his friend. Mr. Mahoney arrived in the city last night and was met by the body of his friend. He will represent the family at the inquest to be held tomorrow. Mr. Mahoney was sent for when Jameson first became ill, and he left his home in Telcos, where he had been for four hours after the tragedy would have happened, for the hallucination he was suffering from would have been dispelled in the presence of a friend. Jameson believed that \$2,000 in notes and drafts he had received as the instalment on a real estate purchase at Edmonton was being stolen from him.

**CHINESE WITNESS BEFORE COMMISSION ON CHINESE IMMIGRATION IS EVASIVE.** Questioned For Two Hours and Still "Did Not Know"—Justice Murphy Will Give Him One More Chance. Vancouver, Jan. 4.—Giving his evidence before the commission on Chinese immigration late today, Yip On, formerly interpreter for his customs department here, and suspended September 15th in connection with the "passport" scandals, found that a soft answer did not turn away wrath. At the close of the afternoon sitting Mr. Justice Murphy commented ominously on the character of Yip On's answers, and said that he would give him one more chance to modify or explain a certain statement.

**YIP ON DID NOT KNOW.** It was all about a certain man named Mak Lee. On September 22nd last Yip On received a cablegram from one Na Mow in Hong Kong. "Cable late Mak Lee coming." The commission wanted to know what cable was late, but Yip On said he did not know. He had never sent a cable to Na Mow in Hong Kong. Counsel for the Dominion Government bombarded witness with questions for two hours, but still Yip On "did not know."

**NEWFOUNDLAND'S POSITION.** On Reciprocity With the United States Anticipates No Treaty. Boston, Jan. 5.—Sir Edward Morris, Premier of Newfoundland, who was entertained at the chamber of commerce today, said that he anticipated no trouble with Gloucester fishermen. Regarding trade relations between Newfoundland and the United States, the Premier said: "If reciprocity between the United States and Newfoundland comes within the realm of reasonable diplomacy, my country will participate. Newfoundland has two or three items to offer the United States, such as codfish, the disposition of which through the inland states of this union would help, in my opinion, to solve the question of the high cost of the value of which is not to be disregarded. One of these is an enormous supply of fish, which the German Hildebrand, missing since Dec. 29, passed over Peasegoe, Sweden, last night. No passengers were visible.



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**MINNEAPOLIS IS ISOLATED BY FIRE.** Explosion and Fire in Electric Co's Plant Leaves City Without Electric Power. Minneapolis, Jan. 6.—Minneapolis, the metropolis of the state, is isolated from the outside world today except by telephone. Every electric light in the city is out and every plant depending on electricity for its power is at a standstill. Even the newspapers are unable to set type and at noon there was little prospect of any power all day unless help comes from the Street Railway company or other industries which supply independent power. An explosion in the main plant of the Minneapolis General Electric company at six forty-five o'clock started a fire which did thousands of dollars damage, and completely incapacitated the entire manufacturing branch of the institution. Telegraph companies, four mills, elevators in the big buildings and manufacturing industries are affected, many will be closed down for twenty-four hours.

**May Be One of Gold Robbers.** Portland, Ore., Jan. 4.—In the arrest today of James Whalen, proprietor of a saloon here, the federal authorities assert they have laid hands on one of the robbers who last September stole from an Alaskan steamer a mail pouch containing \$18,000 in gold bullion and express packages composed of bullion aggregating about \$55,000. Senator Elkins Dead.

**Senator Elkins Dead.** Washington, Jan. 4.—Senator S. B. Elkins, of West Virginia, died tonight after a lingering illness. Members of his family were present when the end came. Constipation is the cause of many ailments and disorders that make life miserable. Take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, keep your bowels regular and you will avoid these diseases. For sale by dealers everywhere.

**DUTY ON PRINTING M.** W. A. Buchanan, M.P. Up Matter With W. Lethbridge, Jan. 7.—W. A. Buchanan, M.P., of Lethbridge, day on a few days by Ottawa and Toronto. Ottawa to interview the finance in regard to the tin printing machinery elded at the last meeting here and Eastern. The Press Association to assist duty removed on typewriter and type, as they are factored in this country.

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**ROYAL BANK COMPANY**

Motion Made in Supreme Court Construction of Parties to Suit.

J. D. Hyndman, acting for the Royal Bank, in supreme court chamber asking that the Alberta Waterways railway, the Construction companies, J. C. G. W. bonds. The motion comes up at 10 o'clock.

**A BIG IMMIGRATION THE BR.** The Toledo to Calgary Line Fields for Settlements on its Main Branch Lines. Montreal, Jan. 6.—The her of inquiries that have received by the Grand Trunk Railway is expected to be the increase indicate that he an extremely heavy especially of American settle along the G. T. P. spring. Further increase in expected next year when over a number of branch lines are undertaken. A line from Calgary is expected to be next fall, but it is likely service will be given over a considerable distance. This will afford a direct route to a large part of the Hudson's Bay line, which through the Western States, gina to Moose Jaw the work has been done through the south-western Saskatchewan and Alberta to the Hudson's Bay line. These branch lines some further work in the spring to the high level. The line is being insisted grand trunk Pacific, but service is to be looked for at an early date. West main line is rapidly pushing work in as far as the the Athabasca river, a this side of the Yellowhead.

**SPEAKER CANNON SUSTAINED BY.** "Uncle Joe" in Ruling Today That Which Was Overruled by the House. Washington, Jan. 9.—Speaker Cannon had his hour of triumph today. He had overruled the House last March and today much of his power the "back" in a way that brought satisfaction to his face and contented his enemies. The "uncle" was sustained by an overwhelming majority identical with the one to power, the Democrats over-ruled his decision. Combination of insurgent Today, on the eve of the election, the Democrats solidly to sustain the Speaker—twenty-seven—stood to their guns and Speaker bravely, but Democratic support, the losing one from the start. It was the first big fight of the session and the result related over the results. It was the first big fight of the session and the result related over the results. It was the first big fight of the session and the result related over the results.

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