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LAST TRIP OF YEAR.

William, Nov. 30—If the gale
raging on Lake Superior does
increase in velocity before mid-
It is certain the fleet of maver-
steamer in port today will have
the final trip of the year. The
of navigation closed at mid-
In their race against time to
vessel owners against the al-
prohibitive rate of insurance
goes into effect tomorrow
the superintendents along
ocks have reinforced their army
ndreds of regular longshoremen
scores of recruits who, knowing
their services are indispensable
emanding fifty cents an hour.
The less grain than last year has
forwarded from the head of the
the receipts of general mer-
and coal have been fully
per cent better than during
before. The number of
ers that will take storage grain
into winter quarters here will
be known until tomorrow morn-
ing and will probably exceed largely
day's storm.

CALEDONIAN SOCIETY.

The annual meeting of the Caledonian society, held in the Separate
hall, Thursday, John MacPherson
was re-elected president for the
year by a unanimous vote.
Caledonian society now stands
high the strongest of the city's or-
ganizations and its success in the
past has been in a great measure due
to strong organizing and executive
ability of the president. This is the
line in the history of the society
and a president has held office for
more than one term, and that in itself
is a commendable record.
A large number of last year's ex-
ecutive have been re-elected and to-
gether make a re-acted and vigor-
ous body.

N McPHEILSON, re-elected President of the Caledonian Society.

which almost ensures a still
successful year for the Caledo-
nian society.
The officers elected for the year are
as follows:
President—John McPherson.
Vice-president—John W. Heron.
Treasurer—Wm. Bilsland.
Managerial secretary—H. L. Stewart.
Recording secretary—Wm. Irvine.
Solicitor—J. C. McCall.
Supt.—Rev. Dr. McQueen.
Standard bearers—Douglas Cook, J. J. J. J.
wards—John Torrance, E. G. G.
Committee—C. Byar, H. Esplin, G.
Herty, M. Sillars, N. Campbell,
editors—Wm. B. Quinn, C. M. M.

here's a Welcome

here's a Beautiful Wall-pocket
calendar for our friends coming
to hill and dale.
New Fruit—All Kinds for your
Amus Cake.
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STOCKINGS, NITS,
are Food for you and plenty of it
at Flour at Wholesale Prices.
The Farmers' Headquarters.
Flour at wholesale
prices.
The Farmers' Headquarters
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SEMI-WEEKLY
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VOLUME V.

LIBERALS HOLD
THEIR POSITION

MONDAY'S VOTING GIVES ASSUR-
ANCE OF RETURN OF
THE GOVERNMENT

STANDING OF PARTIES
AFTER TUESDAY'S VOTING

Table with 2 columns: Party Name and Seats. Includes Liberals (83), Labor and Socialists (13), Nationalist (16), etc.

London, Dec. 5—The results today
merely confirm the opinion formed
as the result of Saturday's contests
that the Liberals have now no possi-
ble hope of replacing the Liberal
government in power. The only
question remaining is whether the
Liberals will return with a larger or
smaller majority. It must be remem-
bered, however, that the Liberals are
not at the January elections a large
number of seats through three con-
secutive contests. Such contests are
highly climactic in the present
elections and this may give the
Liberals sufficient gains to bal-
ance those of the Unionists. On the
other hand, it seems likely that the
House of Commons will meet with the
position practically unchanged. The
election will then arise whether the
Liberals will force the veto bill through
the House of Lords.

Conversion of Middle Classes.

Apparently the metropolitan is much
the same as January in its attitude
towards the Conservative parties. Per-
haps rather significant are some of
the Liberal gains such as Wakefield,
a Cathedral city, which has been re-
presented by a Unionist for three
years and Cheltenham another Tory
stronghold and residential city large-
ly composed of the Conservative
middle class. It is also notable that in
the Royal borough of Windsor the
Liberals succeeded in reducing the
majority. These signs of conversion of
the traditionally Conservative middle
classes may be an indication of a
similar change in the country agri-
cultural districts which went almost
entirely Unionist in January.

London Becoming Interested.

London, Dec. 5—The returns today
displaying much enthusiasm and the
successful candidates are being borne
in processions through the streets
by torchlights. At the returns some-
thing is showing the closeness of the
contest. Interest is greatly increased
and crowds gathered in great numbers
at Trafalgar Square and other places,
where the results were shown, cheer-
ing and booing according to their
political affiliations. The returns were
fair scenes in Liverpool, Leeds and
other towns where elections were
held.

At the Carlton and the Unionist
places much disappointment was
expressed. In Liberal quarters the great-
est enthusiasm prevailed for it was
predicted even among the staunch-
est supporters of the Government
that the Unionists would make a gain
of eight seats in London's polling.
Among members returned unopposed
is Alderman Daniel Boyle for
North Mayo. Boyle won his seat last
January by only forty votes and his
unopposed return now is attributed
to appreciation of his services in ac-
companying John E. Redmond on his
recent mission to America.

Mr. Redmond tonight issued a pub-
lic denial of the allegation made by
the Conservative candidate that the
public speech he (Redmond) had re-
pudiated allegiance to the King.

Comments of Press.

London, Dec. 5—The Radicals
had another bad day," says the Daily
Mail.
"Another shattering blow was de-
livered by the voters at the presen-
tations of the Peers yesterday. The
Tory party's last faint hope of suc-
cess was extinguished finally," de-
clared the Morning Chronicle.
Perhaps a more impartial judgment
on the day's results would be that
they constitute somewhat very like a
drawn battle with a slight advantage
to the Conservatives. "The Chronicle's
view, however, are so far justified
that the balance of five seats gained,
despite Lord Rosebery's pronoun-
ment does not make much of an im-
pression on the majority of 122, when
one-third of the seats in the Com-
mons are already filled and with
Scotland and Wales yet to poll. Pri-
vately it is probable that the Minis-
terialists are glad it is no worse, for
several seats fought were delivered by
very small majorities in the January
elections. That only two London seats
should turn over and those held by a
majority of 10 and 31 is not consid-
ered unsatisfactory.

Opposition Had Worst of It.

Tuesday night anything the Opposi-
tion have the worst of the position as
regards the strength of the constitu-
encies contested. Only in one case,
Kensington, is the Liberal majority
below 500, while Woolwich and
Burnley, where the Unionist major-
ities are small and the Liberals hopes
of gains. The Unionists have hopes
of winning Battersea, where, how-

ever, Right Hon. John Burns, has put
up a hurricane fight. The Government
majority is now estimated on the
stock exchange from 83 to 88, while
the premium against the return of
the Liberals has been reduced at
Lloyd's from 25 to 15 per cent.

Call the Register Unfair.

Taking a line from Mr. Balfour's
speech at Sheffield last night most
of the Unionist morning papers blame
"Premier Asquith for rushing" the
elections on the old register, and as
a further excuse for the failure of the
Unionists to make a better showing
at the polls complain that they did
not have sufficient time to perfect
their electoral organization.
The Daily Telegraph says: "If it
had not been for the deplorable in-
feriority of the Unionist organization
both in London and Manchester the
work of stamping out the 'dollar do-
mination' would be still further ad-
vanced."

The Telegraph proceeds to outdo it-
self in rabid denunciation of the As-
quith-Redmond coalition and their in-
feriority to destroy the British
constitution.

"A more colossal fraud," says the
paper, "was never imposed by men-
sions of character than the ignorant
minds inflamed with class hatred by
insincere men."

The advance of the Telegraph and of
all other Unionist organs to their
party today is to work their hardest
in the remaining pollings to increase
the gains already secured.

The Liberal papers editorially ex-
press entire satisfaction.

The results yesterday are as fol-
lows:
Liverpool—Scotland—O'Connor
(Lib.) 2,468; Ockleston (Unionist),
697. Unchanged.
Liverpool—Exchange—Munratt
(Lib.) 2,187; Scott (Unionist) 2,330.
Unchanged.
Wakfield—Marshall (Lib.) 2,837;
Bootherton (Unionist) 2,651. Unchanged.

Salisbury West—Lough (Lib.) 8,648
Black (Unionist) 2,836. Unchanged.
Boston—Hemphill (Lib.) 1,712;
Dixon (Unionist) 1,875. Unchanged.
Carlisle—Dunman (Lib.) 3,243;
Raymond (Unionist) 3,179. Unchanged.

Dewsbury—Runciman (Lib.) 7,051;
Simpson (Unionist) 4,623. Unchanged.
Gratham—Priestly (Lib.) 1,789;
Snowden (Unionist) 1,687. Unchanged.

Hereford—Davis (Lib.) 1,420; Ark-
wright (Unionist) 2,298. Unchanged.
Leeds, East—O'Grady (Lib.) 4,028;
Clarke (Unionist) 1,892. Unchanged.
Leeds, West—Dickson (Lib.) 4,407;
Moore (Unionist) 2,240. Unchanged.

St. Pancras, West—Collins (Lib.)
7,174; Cassels (Unionist) 3,184. Unchanged.
Cheltenham—Mathias (Lib.) 3,846;
Dunne (Unionist) 3,763. Liberal gain.

Christchurch—Verney (Lib.) 4,649;
Croft (Unionist) 4,276. Unchanged.
Leicester—two members—Williams
(Lib.) 13,238; Wiltshire (Unionist)
7,642; Macdonald (Labor) 12,998.
Unchanged.

Chatham—Pernachi (Lib.) 4,802;
Hohler (Unionist) 6,899; Smith (Lab-
or) 1,103. Unchanged.
Newcastle—two members—Lowe,
(Lib.) 10,149; Dyson (Lib.) 7,758;
Roberts (Unionist) 10,003. Unchanged.

Shrewsbury—Pace (Labor) 1,866;
Hill (Unionist) 2,123. Unchanged.
Stoke-on-Trent—Ward (Lib.) 7,049;
Thomas (Unionist) 6,082. Unchanged.
Swansea Town—Mead (Lib.) 4,603;
Meacher (Unionist) 4,257. Unchanged.
Palmerston—Culligan (Lib.) 5,090;
Jehonot (Unionist) 3,550. Unchanged.
St. Pancras, East—Joe Martin (Lib.)
3,841; Hopkins (Unionist) 3,628; Ja-
cobs (Labor) 22. Unchanged.

St. Pancras, South—Guedella (Lib.)
1,744; Jewel (Unionist) 2,418. Un-
changed.

Exchange—two seats—Young (Lib.)
8,192; Stanley (Unionist) 9,184; To-
bin (Unionist) 8,993; Carr (Lib.) 7,783.
Unchanged.

Liverpool, West Derby—Lias (Lib.)
2,843; Rutherford (Unionist) 4,905.
Unchanged.

Liverpool, West Toxteth—Maloney
(Lib.) 2,184; Chaloner (Unionist) 3,024.
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Tasman—Schunk (Lib.) 1,678; Peal
(Unionist) 1,896. Unchanged.

Windsor—Flemes (Lib.) 1,077; Mel-
son (Unionist) 1,173. Unchanged.

Yarmouth, Great—Platt (Lib.)
3,837; Peil (Unionist) 4,210. Unchanged.
London, Westminster—Despau (Lib.)
2,238; Coultis (Unionist) 3,392. Un-
changed.
Birkenhead—Vivian (Lib.) 7,249;
Bignand (Unionist) 8,904. Union gain.
Blackburn (two members) Norman
(Lib.) 19,734; Carpenter (Lib.) 9,514.
Riley (Lib.) 9,500; Snowden (Lib.)
10,782. Socialist gain one seat.
Leeds, South—Middlebrook (Lib.)
6,698; Nicholson (Unionist) 3,894.
Liverpool, Kirkdale—McKerrall
(Lib.) 2,832; Kyffin-Taylor (Unionist)
4,208. Unchanged.
Liverpool—Perronnet (Lib.) 4,028.
Unchanged.
Middleborough—Williams (Lib.)
10,418; Peole (Unionist) 6,484. Un-
changed.
Newcastle—Linder-Lyme (Wedge-
wood) (Lib.) 2,280; Grogan (Unionist)
4,086. Unchanged.
Nottingham, East—Smith (Lib.)
4,084; Morrison (Unionist) 3,274. Un-
changed.
Greenwich—Harris (Lib.) 4,174;
Benn (Unionist) 5,698. Unchanged.
Hammersmith—Blacklock (Lib.)

COMMISSION SYSTEM
IN FORT WILLIAM.

Fort William, Dec. 4.—
Government by commission
will be the issue during the
coming municipal election.
The Commercial Club is ac-
tive in advocating the idea of
three paid men to take full
control of the city's business,
with the council only as a
legislative body and asking
the ratepayers to vote on the
idea and to present a petition
to the council to ask the
Ontario government for the
proper authority.

EMPHASIZES NEED OF
STRENGTHENING POLICE

Commissioner White of Mounted Police
Presents Annual Report to Sir Wil-
frid Laurier—Urges Increasing the
Strength of the Force—Now 600
Officers and Men.

Ottawa, Dec. 4.—The need of
strengthening the North West Mount-
ed Police is emphasized in the annual
report of Commissioner Fred White,
On September 30th, there were 600
officers, non-commissioned officers and
men in the force. In Alberta there are
261, Saskatchewan 302, Territories 25,
Yukon 60.

"In the last annual report," says
Col. White, "I ventured to express to
you my views upon the inadequacy
of our present strength. The experi-
ence of the year has only confirmed
and strengthened these views. Settle-
ment is going on apace, railways are
building into every portion of the
provinces, and towns are springing up
along these lines. No one will dispute
the value of maintaining law and or-
der among the new-comers from the
very beginning. The moral and mat-
terial advantages to Canada of a well-
ordered and well-conducted police
force in these new provinces are well
understood that I feel justified in re-
submitting the question of an increase
of strength to your consideration."

"During twelve months 10,689 cases
were entered, convictions resulted in
3,012 cases, being 30 per cent of the
cases tried; 1,218 cases were dismissed
or withdrawn and 148 cases were
awaiting trial on September 30. There
is an increase of 3,195 convicts over
last year.

"This appears startling, but on ex-
amination of the returns it is found
that the increase is almost entirely
due to convictions in minor cases. As-
saults account for 2,131 offences. Un-
der the vagrancy Act there were 1,130
convictions. The remainder were for
convictions and the conviction under
provincial laws, which are not crim-
inal, accounted for 1,113.

RECOMMENDING
AND WRITING TESTS

U. S. Commission on Immigration Pre-
sents Report to Voltaire—Recommends
Recommendations, Including Re-
quirement of Certain Amount of
Money.

Washington, Dec. 5.—The commis-
sion on immigration appointed in
1907 expired today and the results of
its investigations into all phases of
the question make about forty vol-
umes. Included among the recom-
mendations made by the commission
whereby in certain cases restriction
ought be effected, is the reading and
writing test, exclusion of unmarried
unskilled laborers, limitation in the
number arriving at one port and from
certain races, as well as the amount
of money to be in their possession on
arrival.

It is stated that the immigrants
now coming do not furnish any more
criminal or subjects for charity than
the native born, while statistics show
the immigrants to be more successful
in agricultural pursuits than in city
life. The report urges that a more
beneficial distribution of new arrivals
among the agricultural districts be
carried out. Among the recommenda-
tions made are: efforts to exclude all
East Indians, through an agreement
with Great Britain, the continuance
of the present Chinese exclusion laws
as well as the regulation with regard
to Japanese and Korean immigrants.

THE PACIFIC GRAIN ROUTE.

Alberta Pacific Elevator Co. Secures
Sites in Vancouver.

Vancouver, Dec. 5.—Six hundred feet
of water front on the north bank of
the Fraser River between Pitt river
and Hammond station, on the Cana-
dian Pacific, has been secured by the
half of the Alberta Pacific Elevator
Co., in connection with its project of
shipping export grain, via the Pacific
route. The site is about two and one-
half miles west of Hammond. It is
understood that it will be used as a
site of the proposed elevator. The
same company also plans to erect
another elevator in the east end of
this city on the south shore of Bur-

A. & G. W. BILL GOES
TO THIRD READING

LEGISLATURE ADVANCES THE
MEASURE THROUGH THE
COMMITTEE STAGE.

That the Legislature intends to drop
the speech-making that has been the
main feature of the past three weeks
and get down to business was apparent
from the attitude of the House yester-
day. At the afternoon session all the
items on the order paper were wiped
off with the exception of the bills fit
committee of the whole. At the even-
ing session a number of those were
disposed of.

With the closing of the debate on
the Waterways bill the public interest
is dying off. Yesterday afternoon the
speakers did not number more than
a dozen people and the law officers
who last week had their hands full
were given little work to do.

There were a number of seats vacated
on the floor of the House. C. W. Cross
and A. Bramley Moore are con-
fined to their homes with severe cold
and J. K. Cornwall, J. L. Roberts, and
R. Patterson, R. T. Telford, Lucien
Boudreau and Joe Stauffer were am-
ong the other absentees.

The bill respecting the A. & G. W.
bonds was advanced another stage
and passed through committee of the
whole at the afternoon session. The
bill proposed by the Premier.

R. B. Bennett conducted a strenuous
opposition to several of the clauses
so interested was the committee in
the discussion that the House did
not adjourn till nearly half past six.

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of our present strength. The experi-
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Other amendments proposed by Mr.
Bennett were also voted down and he
said he would not be present at the
idle waste of time.

Mr. Bennett—"Well, I think I owe
some duty to the country and I will
sitting back and yapping 'hear, hear,'
and the humorous banter continued
till eleven o'clock and he was the
House adjourned for dinner.

Before the regular business of the
afternoon began His Honor the Lieu-
tenant Governor presided and he
announced to the chamber that
he had both avoided the case of Man-
itobea and the views of the opposi-
tion and the bill incorporating the
Canadian Northern. Western Ry-

Ottawa Conference.
Before the orders of the day were
called Dr. Rutherford asked if the
views of the opposition were to be
conference of Provincial Premiers at
the province was represented by the
great number of immigrants that were
poured into the country and later ad-
vocate the policy of loaning money
done in Australia and New Zealand.
But he forgot that this money was
loaned as an inducement to bring set-
tlers to the country where they pre-
viously complained the immigrants
were coming to exploit the land.
The member for Red Deer (Mr.
Michener) said that the land should
be sold to the settlers by pointing out
that this policy had been put in force
in the past and that the Government
of the Province would be shut out
from the land and that the Govern-
ment be commended for what he had
done along this line and he urged to
continue their negotiations.

Dr. Rutherford outlined what he
regarded as the province at Ottawa.
The province had already got
control of the lands that had been re-
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shall not be entered on the list of vot-
ers for any electoral division of the
Province until after the expiration of
six months from the date of his ceas-
ing to be such judge.

BILL NOT AUSTIC DEATH.

Mr. Bennett in introducing the bill
said it was one which probably would
not meet with the endorsement of a
majority of the House as at present led.
Its object was to prevent another oc-
currence such as that in the Province
after the resignation of Dr. Rutherford.
The correspondence tabled in the
House did not reveal one line as to why
the Chief Justice stepped down from
his high office to become a bitter po-
litical partisan. Possibly there was
some reason but he had not learned
to the present time. The last days
of the bill was the worst of the
Attorney-General several days ago
when he said he did not see why he
should not step down from the bench
to accept political office. If he was con-
sidering the idea of stepping down from
the bench he must necessarily be
looking for a constituency. He said
he could not see how he could adhere
to the high ideal attributed to him
if he were to accept political office.

NO NECESSITY FOR BILL.

Hon. Duncan Marshall said he did
not see any necessity for a bill of this
kind. There were few cases where
judges came down from the bench in
cases where judges had entered po-
litical life. He said he had never seen
any one man who could consolidate
the Conservative and Liberal parties
in Canada as ever had. He referred
to Sir John Thompson as the best min-
ister of justice under Conservative
rule and Sir Oliver Mowat as admit-
tedly the best Premier Ontario has
ever had. In the case of Premier Sit-
ton he admitted his ability as a
man but he said he could not see how
the one man who could consolidate
the Liberal party.

The bill to incorporate the new Cal-
gary College was up for discussion
Tuesday before the Miscellaneous
and Private Bills Committee. The
bill was introduced by E. Michener,
Red Deer, who is one of the directors.
The college will be non-sectarian,
and one to Portland, from
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CALGARY COLLEGE BILL
BEFORE COMMITTEE

R. B. Bennett Takes Objection to the
Name Which He Says Will Conflict
With Calgary University, Which
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There were a few amendments of
importance made to the draft bill.
One of the changes was the striking
out of the word "higher" in refer-
ence to the education and inserting the
word "secondary."

Mr. Bennett took objection to the
name "Calgary College." If the bill
were passed incorporating the Cal-
gary University without degree confer-
ing powers it would necessarily be called
Calgary University College, a name
which would conflict. As the uni-
versity was first in the field, he
thought it should be given the prefer-
ence in name. He suggested the
words "Calgary Methodist College."
This matter was allowed to stand un-
til the meeting of the Calgarian Uni-
versity was considered.

A bill relating to the transfer of
certain land to the City of Lethbridge
was also before the committee. Dr.
Corybeare, of Lethbridge, appeared on
behalf of this bill, which was dis-
cussed at some length before adjourn-
ment.

BRUTAL MURDER IN
B.C. SAWMILL TOWN

Fanny St. Clair's Body Found Lying
in Kitchen of Her Home With the
Throat Cut From Ear to Ear—
Rooms Show Evidence of Struggle
—No Trace of Assassin.

Vancouver, Dec. 4.—Complix, a
small town, eight miles east of Ar-
row Head, B.C., is the scene of a re-
ported brutal murder. Fanny St.
Clair is the victim. Her body was
found this afternoon in the kitchen
of her home, her throat cut from ear
to ear and a carving knife with which
the deed was done, lying on her
breast.

The rooms show evidences of a
struggle to defend herself, but so far
no trace of her assassin has been
found. No further details of the crime
have been received here.

Printing Bureau Enquiry.
Ottawa, Dec. 5.—At the first meeting
of the public accounts committee on
Wednesday night printing bureau
matters will be inquired into. Mr.
J. Curry was badly seated and the
Chas. Parmelee, King's Printer, as
he was summoned to attend and give
evidence.

BRAZILIAN DREADNOUGHT WHICH BROUGHT GOVERNMENT TO TIME.

Battleship MinasGeraes, 19,250 Tons, Speed 21 Knots, Armament Twelve 12-inch Guns. The Mutiny of the Brazilian Fleet is Over, but the 26th Gun
Only after an Exciting Time, When She Shot The Rebellious Sailors had the Upper Hand. The Congress Surrendered at Discretion, and the
Demands of the Mutineers which Were Numerous were All Granted by the Government.

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TEAM PLUNGED
OVER THE BANK

SENSATIONAL RUNAWAY ON SIX-
TEENTH STREET AT MID-
NIGHT LAST NIGHT.

At midnight last evening a team
of horses drawing a pair of sleighs
and a wagon box dashed at head-
speed south on Sixteenth street, to-
wards the brow of the hill overlooking
the river. Within a block of the
south end of the street their progress
was tentatively checked by a pile of
lumber in which they became entan-
gled, but breaking away once more
they headed at top speed for the hill
and disappeared over the edge, and
carrying the sleighs with them took
the first fifteen feet at a leap and
then rolled in a confused mass down
the steep declivity to the E. and F.
track, a distance of sixty or seventy
feet.

A pedestrian whose attention had
been attracted by the noise at once
notified the police. Sergeant Camp-
bell and several men set out immedi-
ately to investigate the accident.
Descending the hill they found the
mangled remains of one of the horses
lying beside the sleigh, the tongue
of which, by the force of the fall, had
been driven several feet into the
ground. Lying at a short distance
and tangled in the harness was the
second horse which when overtook
was found by some miraculous means
to have escaped injury.

About to leave the scene with the
surviving horse, under the impression
that there had been no driver with
the team, one of the officers stumbled
over a mass of hay upon further
search discovered a coat. The possi-
bility at once presented itself that
the team had had a driver, who, injured
by the fall, had crawled away in
search of assistance and who, if not
found, would certainly be frozen to
death in view of the weather. He
was located, but proved fruitless, and
the police at last returned to head-
quarters.

In the course of an hour or two
information was received at the police
station which led to the discovery of
the owner of the team, who was found
at the Richelieu hotel. He was iden-
tified as B. T. Herbert, a farmer who
resides in the vicinity of Morville. The
second horse was an exceptionally good
one.

CANADIAN APPLES WIN PRIZES.

Dominion Entries Take Big Awards at
Colonial Fruit Exhibition.

London, Dec. 6.—The awards at the
Colonial Fruit Exhibition are:
Gold Hog Memorial medal, British
Columbia Government, for Golden
apples. Silver gilt, Knightian medal,
Salmon Arms, B.C., apples; Gilman
Columbia Government, for Golden
apples. Silver gilt, Knightian medal,
British Columbia; Vancouver Is-
land district, Silver Knightian medal,
W. C. Staples, New Brunswick apples;
West Kootenay district apples; Okan-
agan district apples; Kamloops district
apples; Kootenay district apples; New
Brunswick government, for fifty box-
es of apples. Silver cup and first prize



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LIBERALS HOLD
THEIR POSITION

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464; Bull (Unionist) 6307. Unchanged.

Islington, North—Waterloo (Lib.) 5022; Touche (Unionist) 5428. Unchanged.

Islington, East—Radford (Lib.) 4607; Pilditch (Unionist) 4378. Unchanged.

Islington, South—Wales (Lib.) 3494; Harris (Unionist) 2802. Unchanged.

Kennington, North—Carson (Lib.) 3184; Burgoyne (Unionist) 4223. Unchanged.

Kennington, South—Reid (Lib.) 1033; Hamilton (Unionist) 5023. Unchanged.

Bath (two members), Gooch, (Lib.) 3681; Thynne (Lib.) 3576. Unchanged.

Gatehead—Elverton (Lib.) 8762; Surtees (Unionist) 5600. Unchanged.

Studders—Sherwell (Lib.) 6458; Kaye (Unionist) 5777. Unchanged.

Leads—Orth—Snell (Sec.) 4088; Berrin (Lib.) 9324; Birchall (Unionist) 3066. Unchanged.

Nottingham, West—Foxall (Lib.) 3444; Wright (Unionist) 5948. Unchanged.

Nottingham, South—Richardson (Lib.) 5784; Bestwick (Unionist) 6191. Unchanged.

Ockham (two members)—Emott 17,108; Dennis (Lib.) 13,281; Barton (Unionist) 10,941; Wright (Unionist) 13,440. Unchanged.

Derbyshire—Greenwood (Lib.) 21,272; Lygon (Unionist) 2799. Unchanged.

Leopold (two members)—Hughes (Lib.) 6207; Campbell (Lib.) 5171; Williams (Unionist) 5219; Wardle, (Lib.) 7,612. Unchanged.

Walsall—Morgan (Lib.) 6385; Cooper (Unionist) 5174. Unchanged.

Worcester—Fairbairn (Lib.) 6792; Giddings (Unionist) 11,178. Unchanged.

Injury, East—Baker (Lib.) 2428; Mason (Unionist) 1900. Unchanged.

Pimbury, Central—Rosenheim (Lib.) 2474; Archer-Shae (Unionist) 3235. Unchanged.

Leamington—O'Malley (Lib.) 6792; Cuts (Unionist) 11,178. Unchanged.

North South—D. Sheehy (Nat.) Mayo, North—D. O'Boyle (Nat.) Boston, Dec. 5.—Ten thousand "American dollars," the seventh remittance, making a total of \$70,000 was cabled to the Irish parliamentary leader, John Redmond, today by Thos. Fitzpatrick, treasurer of the United Irish league, to aid the Nationalist cause in the parliamentary elections, not to poor. He says he believes Jacobs is but a nominal leader. Solid Ireland candidate really running in the interests of the Tory party.

John Burns, speaking at Battersea on Sunday, said: "What about London, which was going to be swept by the Unionists? What about their solid Unionist London non-Unionist Ireland had to come yet and by all appearances Scotland would give an overwhelming majority for the government, while they hoped to make Wales practically solid for the government.

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PURIFIED HIS BLOOD

Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills
Healed Mr. Wilson's Sores

When the sores of the body—bores, kidneys and skin ducts—get clogged up, the blood quickly becomes impure and frequently sores break out over the body. The way to heal them, as Mr. Richard Wilson, who lives near London, Ont., found, is to purify the blood. He writes:

"For some time I had been in a low, depressed condition. My appetite left me and I soon began to suffer from indigestion. Quite a number of small sores and blotches formed all over my skin. I tried medicine for the blood and used many kinds of ointments, but without satisfactory results. What was wanted was a thorough cleansing of the blood, and I looked about in vain for some medicine that would accomplish this.

At last Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills were brought to my notice, and they are one of the most wonderful medicines I have ever known. My blood was purified in a very short time, sores healed up, my indigestion vanished. They always have a place in my home and are looked upon as the family remedy.

Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills cleanse the system thoroughly. Sold by all dealers at 25c a box."

A. & G. W. BILL GOES
TO THIRD READING

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DR. SHEARER ON THE STAND.

States Information Was From Statutory Declarations and Justified Charges Made.

Winnipeg, Dec. 5.—Dr. Shearer took his stand in the crowded council chamber today before Mr. Justice Robson. Dr. Shearer, admitting he had little personal experience in Winnipeg, stated his information was from statutory declarations and fully justified by circumstances. He pointed out that an interview which was unauthorized by him differed in each of the Toronto papers, and that the headlines and proportional given paragraphs in the Globe he stated the interview therein expressed his sentiments.

Dr. Shearer claimed that the evidence submitted justified his statements in his evidence not being direct. This strongly suggestive of graft and that Mayor Evans, Chief McRae and Magistrate McKenney had all been faithless to their oath of office in not enforcing criminal law, and further that the action of the chief in consulting with the leader of the notorious women, was the object of her collecting off notorious women was unparalleled in Canada. Dr. Shearer was allowed every latitude on the stand, his evidence not being direct. This afternoon Magistrate Daly will cross-examine Dr. Shearer.

CARDINAL GIBBONS ON UNITY.

Praises Sentiment of Union But Says Will be Found Only in Rome.

Baltimore, Dec. 4.—In his sermon at the cathedral this morning Cardinal Gibbons praised the sentiment favorable to church unity expressed by the recent centennial convention of the Protestant Episcopal church held in Cincinnati. He said in part: "At that convention the members adopted resolutions making for the unity and redemption of all Christians. My brethren, we praise the members of that church for their action, because they reflect honor on their heads and hearts, and I join with them in praying that the day may be hastened when Christ's words that there shall be one fold and one shepherd will be fulfilled. There cannot be unity of faith, however, if there is to be more than one church, or if there is to be more than one head. Our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ, never intended that there should be many churches. My dear brethren, common sense alone, without divine revelation, ought to impress upon us the absolute necessity of unity of faith. This unity is to be found only in the holy Roman and Catholic Apostolic church, of which the pope of Rome, the regent of Christ, is the head."

BRUTINEL PROJECT
BEFORE COMMITTEE

Bill to incorporate the Edmonton Interurban Railway Company is Discussed at Length and Then Left Over Until Thursday—City of Edmonton Takes Objection.

The Edmonton Interurban Railway Company's bill, promoted by Raymond Brutinel, came up for consideration in the Legislature Tuesday before the Railway Committee. It was discussed at some length and then left over till Thursday. There were a large number of interests represented before the committee. Mayor Lee and City Solicitor Bonn were there for Edmonton; Solicitor Jamieson, for Strathcona; Mr. Fraser, representing Mr. Biggar, on behalf of the railway company; and C. F. Nowell, on behalf of the town of St. Albert.

There was considerable discussion on a number of the clauses, but it is apparent that with a few amendments the bill will be passed.

The lines of electric railway which the company is empowered to build are as follows:

Where Lines May Be Built.

(a) From a point within or near the City of Edmonton to a point at or near St. Albert or Morinville or both.

(b) From a point within or near the City of Edmonton, or from a point on the last mentioned line to a point at or near Athabasca Landing.

(c) From a point within or near the City of Edmonton or the City of Strathcona to a point at or near Fort Saskatchewan.

(d) From a point within or near the City of Edmonton or the City of Strathcona, or from a point on such last mentioned line to a point at or near Camrose.

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THE SHEARER INQUIRY.

Evidence Shows Segregated Area Highly Objectionable to Residents in Vicinity.

Winnipeg, Dec. 3.—Commissioner Justice Robson, inquiring into Rev. Dr. Shearer's charges, heard another aspect of the situation when J. A. M. Attkens, K.C., appeared for the respectable residents in the vicinity of the segregated area. He stated that the evidence, tended to show that the district, seemingly, was well-orderd, and nothing to indicate its character was disreputable. Several residents of the neighborhood testified to indecent exposures both of girls and men, and their being subjected on their own property to vulgar and obscene men forcing or endeavoring to force their way into respectable houses.

It was significant that after a breeze with a patrolman, who said he was unable to watch his house all the time, a resident threatened to send the next intruder to the hospital, that he had been undisturbed for four months, but recently the nuisance had increased, and he had chased two men a considerable distance.

Evidence was given of depreciation of values of property and of families forced to leave their homes, which in at least one case, has since been occupied by prostitutes, and it was pointed out that a considerable number of children in the neighborhood were in danger of contamination.

Mrs. Morfield said that on complaining to her husband, he had advised her not to get out and live on a vacant lot in a tent. The chief was called and confronted with the facts of the case, and he explained that Mrs. Morfield had sought him about a different matter and that, incidentally discussing this, he had advised her to get out and rather than take a tent on the prairie. This action by him had been nineteen years. Rev. Father Chenevix testified against the planting of the colony and the difficulty of fixing responsibility for the conditions. Dr. Shearer is to testify Monday.

AERONAUT DROWN IN SEA.

Balloon Starting at Munich Crosses Switzerland and the North Sea to Scotland.

London, Dec. 5.—The balloon owned by the International Ballooning club, which was started at Munich on Saturday, landed today near Kirkwall in the Orkneys, North Scotland, after a wild flight south to Switzerland and thence driven by a wild storm north across the North Sea. Sunday morning drifting low, the basket was struck by the sea and one of the aeronauts, Herr Metzker, was swept out and drowned. His companions hung on and the lighted balloon rising again, crossed the North Sea. Sunday morning drifting low, the basket was struck by the sea and one of the aeronauts, Herr Metzker, was swept out and drowned. His companions hung on and the lighted balloon rising again, crossed the North Sea.

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Ontario Court of Appeal Declines to Interfere With Death Penalty.

Toronto, Dec. 5.—The Court of Appeal gave judgment, declining to interfere in the case of Thomas McNulty, who was sentenced to hang for the assassination of the late Senator Nolan to murder their child. This sentence McNulty will be hanged. It is understood, however, that the minister of justice will commute the sentence to life imprisonment.

CALGARY DOINGS.

Streets in Darkness—Chief of Police Assailed.

Calgary, Dec. 5.—City Commissioner Graves, who devotes special attention to the supervision of affairs at the city power station, admitted today that the electric light plant was much over-taxed, and on this account it had been necessary to shut off the lights on many streets in the city and suburbs, and said that this condition of affairs was likely to prevail until the new year, when the auxiliary plant in the Victoria park was put into operation.

He states, however, that the situation will be relieved considerably, then, while no new generators are being installed especially to look after the street lighting, he says that the ones which will be used are specially constructed to carry a heavy over-load, and that they will considerably help out the present machines which are being run about 25 per cent. beyond their normal capacity.

The Chief Assailed.

Plainclothes Constable Bert Fisher, who was Wednesday dismissed from the force for locking up a man on a charge of assault preferred against him by Chief Mackie, has been released on \$2,000 bail. His bonds were given by Mr. D. J. McNeil, Mr. Manus and Charles Mills. Fisher will not come up for trial until Chief Mackie is able to appear against him, and as the latter does not carry on in a badly swollen and battered condition, this will not be for some days. He is still confined to his room receiving medical attention, on the Dummore being completely closed, his nose and the flesh under his eye being cut, presumably by a ring worn by Fisher, and as the whole face badly swollen and discolored.

There is still some doubt as to what caused the open fight between the chief and the ex-policeman. It has been known for some time that there has been bad blood between the chief and Fisher, and the latter alleges that ever since a former investigation when Strathcona or from a point on such last mentioned line to a point at or near Wetaskiwin.

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MANY ACCLAMATIONS
CIVIC NOMINATIONS

Towns and Cities of Two Provinces Named Candidates for Civic Offices—Many Mayors Chosen by Acclamation—Keen Contest in Calgary Where Precursor Mayor Runs for Commissionedship.

Civic nominations were held on Monday in all the villages and towns in Alberta and Saskatchewan, where said municipalities have been incorporated for upwards of a year. It is remarkable the number of acclamations in the various places. A partial list of the nominations is as follows:

Fort Saskatchewan.

Fort Saskatchewan, Dec. 5.—Nominations for Mayor: Dr. A. G. Goodwin and Dr. C. Council: J. Z. Stanton and J. A. Dostler, W. A. McKenzie and Dan Trump, H. J. Trawn and P. H. A. Clute and L. Culley elected by acclamation to fill unexpired term of one year on account of the resignation of Councillors D. R. Davis and C. R. Morton.

Vermilion.

Vermilion, Dec. 5.—Nominations for Mayor: H. N. Stephens and R. G. Dunmore. Council: C. W. Craig, J. A. Roseborough, G. E. Passow, Old council men seeking reelection: R. A. Dikie, J. M. McKone, Wm. McKenney and J. Roseborough, on the Dummore ward ticket.

Lloydminster.

Lloydminster, Alta., Dec. 5.—Nominations for Mayor: J. G. (acclamation). Councilors: W. M. Amos, J. P. The, L. Crossley, J. McCormick, J. Bell.

Tofield.

Tofield, Dec. 5.—Nominations for Mayor: J. O. Leornau (by acclamation). Councilors: R. E. Emery (re-elected by acclamation), R. O. Bird and N. W. Urquhart (elected by acclamation). School trustees: F. C. Alderman (four vacancies): W. W. Irwin, W. J. Moffatt, W. Houston, James Armstrong, Geo. Harrison, Andrew Cunningham, H. Y. Smith, J. Thomson, O. B. Esh, D. Stampler, H. Snell.

Public School Board—A. W. Irwin, C. L. Dayant, Wm. Grayson, G. B. C. Sharpe. College Board (two vacancies): A. W. Irwin, J. L. Bryant and G. B. Sharpe.

Saskatoon.

Saskatoon, Sask., Dec. 5.—Nominations here today were as follows: Mayor: James Clinksail and Robert McIntosh.

Aldermen: Ward 1—G. H. Clark, J. A. McConnell, J. McGrath. Ward 2—J. H. Anderson and A. B. Jones.

Ward 3—L. N. Lavalley, B. F. Pennington and L. E. Harrison.

Ward 4—Lorne Ross and E. M. Small.

Ward 5—S. Chivers, William Roberts, G. G. F. Holmes and Charles Wres.

High School Board—W. W. Shannon, C. W. Doran, Gerald Willoughby.

Public School Board—A. J. Sparling, Russell Wilson, J. H. Holmes.

Regina.

Regina, Sask., Dec. 5.—Nominations for Mayor: P. McAra, Jr., and Dr. W. D. Cowan.

For Council: Ward 1—L. Kramer (acclamation).

Ward 2—P. N. Darke and J. A. Westman.

Ward 3—Chas. Willoughby, Robert Martin, C. S. Houston and R. H. Reed.

Ward 4—D. J. McKay and J. E. Doer.

Ward 5—W. H. Halleran and Geo. Cushing.

Public School Board (four vacancies): C. O. Hodgkins, W. A. Thompson, R. J. Westgate, J. A. Cross, J. K. Hunter, T. W. Peart, A. J. Bennett.

Culiviac Board (two vacancies): J. F. L. Embury, W. R. Duncan and E. E. Bennett.

Separate School (acclamation): Dan Marjap, Chris Webber, Philip Busch.

Red Deer.

Red Deer, Dec. 5.—R. B. Welliver elected mayor by acclamation. Nominations for Council: M. P. Alford, J. H. Mendes, John Malcolm, Stephen Wilson (three councillors to be elected), School trustees: W. E. Payne and R. L. Gaetz (by acclamation).

FUNERAL OF MRS. EDDY.

Remains May be Interred in Crypt in Boston Church.

Boston, Dec. 5.—That the body of Mrs. Mary Baker Gove Eddy, founder and head of the Christian Science church, who died Saturday night, will find its last resting place in the crypt under the altar of the First or Mother church, in Boston, is the belief of many leaders in the denomination. No official intimation to that effect could be had, but so far as the funeral arrangements are concerned, it has been made to take the body to Mrs. Eddy's birthplace at Bow, N.H., or to Concord, N.H., where she so long resided.

Arrangements have been fully completed for the funeral on Thursday morning at 11 o'clock at the late home of Mrs. Eddy at Chestnut Hill. The service will be simple and the attendance limited to the family household of Mrs. Eddy and the leading officials of the Christian Science church. The public will be no public viewing of the body.

Portage Teacher Demented.

Portage LaPrairie, Dec. 6.—Said to be becoming demented this morning, Miss G. E. Cutler, teacher in the West ward school, left her lodgings about eight o'clock and without a stitch of clothing on was wandering around the streets. She was only out a short time when she was taken in charge and removed to the hospital. She was severely frost-bitten. Miss Cutler came here this fall from North Dakota and had a permit to teach for one year. Worrying over religious affairs was the cause of her dementia.

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THE TIDE TOWARD

AS A RESULT OF THE STANDING OF PARLIAMENTS ON THE LIBERALS' SIDE

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PRESIDENT TAFT HOPES FOR A MEASURE OF RECIPROCITY

Reviews History of Tariff Negotiations With Canada in Message to the House of Congress—Object is a Free Exchange of Products of Countries—Extended Reference to Arbitration Award in Fisheries Dispute and the Settlement of Differences With Great Britain.

Washington, Dec. 6.—President Taft's message to the two houses of Congress was read this afternoon. At the very beginning he took up the matter of arbitration, the fisheries dispute between the United States and Great Britain receiving first attention. He said on this point: "The arbitration of the fisheries dispute between the United States and Great Britain, which has been the source of nearly continuous diplomatic correspondence since the fisheries convention of 1818, has given an award which is satisfactory to both sides."

Continuing the message says: "Several important treaties have been negotiated with Great Britain in the past 12 months. A preliminary diplomatic agreement has been reached regarding the arbitration of pecuniary claims which each government has against the other. This agreement, with the schedules of claims annexed, will, as soon as the schedules are arranged, be submitted to the senate for approval."

An agreement between the United States and Great Britain regarding the location of the international boundary line between the United States and Canada in Passamaquoddy bay and to the middle of Grand Manan channel was reached in a treaty concluded on May 21, 1910, which has been ratified by both governments and proclaimed. This makes unnecessary the arbitration provided for in the previous treaty of April 11, 1908.

The copvention concluded January 11, 1909, between the United States and Great Britain providing for the settlement of international differences between the United States and Canada, including the appointment of a commission to ascertain the location of the boundary waters and the appointment of commissioners to adjust certain other questions, has been ratified by both governments and proclaimed.

"The work of the international fisheries commission, appointed in 1908 under the treaty of April 11, 1908, between Great Britain and the United States, has resulted in the formulation of regulations governing the boundary waters of Canada and the United States for the purpose of protecting and increasing the supply of food fish in such waters. In furtherance of their enforcement in fulfillment of treaty stipulations."

"The policy of broader and closer relations with the Dominion of Canada, which was initiated in the adjustment of the maximum and minimum provisions of the tariff act of August 1, 1909, has proved most beneficial. It justifies further effort for the readjustment of commercial relations of the two countries so that the mutual interests of both may be commensurate with the steady expansion of trade and industry on both sides of the boundary line. The reciprocity on the part of the Dominion government of the sentiment which was expressed in this convention was followed in October by a suggestion that it would be glad to have the negotiations which had been temporarily suspended during the summer, resumed. In accordance with this suggestion the secretary of state by my direction, despatched two representatives of the department of state as special commissioners to Ottawa to confer with representatives of the Dominion government. They were authorized to take such steps for conducting a reciprocal arrangement as might be necessary and to receive and consider any propositions which the Dominion government might submit. Pursuant to the instructions issued conferences were held by these commissioners with officials of the Dominion government at Ottawa in the early part of November."

RAN THROUGH STREETS SLASHING HIS THROAT

Hudson Adams, Montreal Bookkeeper, in Good Circumstances, in Sudden Fit of Insanity, Committed Suicide—Great Excitement Caused in the Street.

Montreal, Dec. 4.—Great excitement was caused on St. Urban street Saturday afternoon, when a young man named Hudson Adams ran through the street slashing his throat with a carving knife. He was chased by the police and finally captured with his throat cut in half a dozen places. Although he had missed the jugular vein he died two hours later in the hospital. It is supposed that Adams had gone suddenly insane as he was a bookkeeper in good circumstances, but had been acting strangely during the morning.

CHRISTMAS MAIL

The post office officials have issued the following instructions for the guidance of those sending parcels by mail: Christmas parcels sent by mail should be well packed in stout cardboard boxes, wrapped again in strong paper and tied securely with good cord. The address preferably written on the wrapper itself, and not upon a tag, which is liable to be torn off. Avoid packages less than 2 in. by 4 in. Better to employ a fair-sized box and use packing to fill up. Everything of value should be insured so that trace and proof of delivery may be furnished if necessary; the fee is only five cents. Post everything early and avoid the crush and jam of the last day's mail.

RED DEER REALTY DEAL

Red Deer, Dec. 4.—W. P. Bull, K. C., of Toronto, was in Red Deer on Wednesday representing capitalists in Ontario and the west, and was so impressed with the town that he made one of the largest investments ever made in Red Deer. He is buying the property on behalf of himself and his associates, from Mr. E. Michener, M. P. P., of the south half of section 16, township 28, range 10, and section 17, known as the south part of the G. F. Root section. This is perhaps the property adjoining the town limits property in the city of Red Deer, having the Ladies' Presbyterian college near it on one side, and cornering on the other by the half section reserved by the Alberta Central railway terminals. It is high, dry and level and commands beautiful views in every direction, while it is only a mile from the business center, and convenient to all the business of the town. Mr. Bull has large experience in real estate values and this large investment is a fine feat. In Red Deer's future, Mr. Bull said no town in Alberta and Saskatchewan impressed him and his associates like Red Deer.

GRENFELL TALKS OF CANADA TO THE TIMES

Arthur Grenfell, Chairman of Canadian Agency, Who Recently Visited Edmonton, Tells Story of Development in Interview With London Times.

The London Times of Nov. 10th contains the following interview with Arthur Grenfell, chairman of the Canadian Agency, the financial center of the Dominion of Canada. Grenfell said that the Canadian Agency, which was organized in London in 1907, is now in a position to recommend to the Dominion government a large number of projects for the development of the Dominion. He said that the Canadian Agency has been making a tour through Canada returned to London last night. In the course of a statement to the representative of The Times, Mr. Grenfell, who is a son-in-law of Lord Grey, said that the Canadian Agency had taken place since his last visit to Canada three years ago, and on every side there were now to be found signs of prosperity. All that Canada required was men, money, and matter. It was high time that the government should be encouraged to consider the scientific distribution of British people among British lands. Sentiment and business might not always go together, but the British investor who assisted in the development of Canada would help in the most direct manner to build up the strength of the British Empire.

Proved a Prophet. No man in public life has proved to be quite so good a prophet as the politician who has La Follette. It was the custom of old-timers in the Senate during La Follette's early days in that body to snub the statesman from Wisconsin every time he arose to speak by leaving the chamber for the quiet of the smoking room. La Follette was not unaware of this, but he intended to show that he was not a quitter. He made the prediction that in the course of his remarks on great public questions would be immediately vacated unless the senator from Wisconsin occupied them. It did not take long for him to deal with it. "In another occasion," he observed, "I just as sure as election day came around certain senators who retreated in voting for increased tariff duties would be retired to public life. The recent election has demonstrated that Senator La Follette was speaking by the cards, for eight of the Republican senators who made it a point to ignore the La Follette speeches of about 50,000, in relation to the enormous expanse of territory, make it altogether impracticable to give these people who are in Alaska today and may not be there a year hence."

"I had been troubled with constipation for two years and tried all of the best physicians in Bristol, Tenn., and they could do nothing for me," writes Thomas Williams, Middlesboro, Ky. "Two packages of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets cured me." For sale by dealers everywhere.

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The storehouse from which the famous placer creeks, Bonanza and Eldorado, received their fabulous wealth, have been uncovered on the claims of The Victoria Gulch Mines, situated on the ridge at the head of Victoria Gulch which runs into Bonanza, a creek opposite Gay Gulch, a tributary of Eldorado, and at a height of about 2,800 feet above Dawson. These gulches, the creeks are rich in gold, and there are two true quartz veins, between perfect walls 6 and 10 feet wide on the surface, and a stream gravel is literally encased with the yellow metal. Read what some of the world's greatest authorities have to say on this subject. R. C. McConnell, B.A., of the Geological Survey, says in his report on the Klondyke Goldfields: "A sample in which no free gold could be detected with the naked eye, or an ordinary magnifying glass, was assayed in the laboratory of the survey and gave 2,625 oz. of gold and 1,257 oz. of silver to the ton."

Mr. R. W. Brock, Director Geological Survey, says: "The district in the vicinity of the Victoria Gulch mines, where the original source is similar to the corresponding White Channel gravel. Many of the gold grains and most of the nuggets, enclose quartz. Quartz pebbles are found containing gold, some at least very rich in gold. The quartz of the boulders is similar to the quartz of the veins, and the veins to gold of the gulches. From the foregoing and other facts, it is obvious that the gold is absolutely local in origin, derived from the veins of the gay gulches and creeks." Fred T. Congdon, Member for the Yukon, stated on the floor of the House of Commons last January that some of the richest gold quartz veins were being mined close to Dawson. Just stop and think of the immense possibilities of rich returns from the claims of The Victoria Gulch mines, where two miles of the Mother Lode runs through the property from which Bonanza, the one-third Klondyke's entire output, 100,000 lbs. of gold, is obtained at the rate of 25 cents per share fully paid and non-assessable. It is not expected that any further issue of treasury stock will have to be made. Write today for prospectuses and maps giving full information. A. E. GARVEY, 160 Hastings Street, West, Vancouver, B.C.

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WANTED—Teacher for Imperial School District, No. 832, for year 1911; state experience, certificate and salary expected. Percy Fordham, secretary, Vegreville, Alberta.

WANTED—Protestant Teacher for Lake Thomas S.D. 1168, duties to commence January 2nd, 1911. Apply, stating qualifications, to L. O. Wollen, secretary, Viking, Alta.

WANTED—Teacher for Rose Ridge School District, No. 45, for Roman Catholic preferred. Apply, stating salary, to Secretary B. E. Shultz, Namsa, Alta.

WANTED—Teacher, male or female, first or second class certificate, for the Herring School District, No. 885, duties to commence after January 2nd, 1911. Apply, stating qualifications, to Wm. C. Turnbull, secretary, Beaupre School District, No. 836, Onoway, Alta.

WANTED—Teacher at Mansfield term year commencing in January. Apply, stating qualifications, to Apply to Gus Doze, sec., Beaver Hills P.O., Alta.

WANTED—Teacher for Belleisle School District, Applications to be in by Dec. 20. Duties to commence Jan. 1st, 1911. Apply, giving qualifications, etc. to Secretary, John Harold, Jr., Box 537 Edmonton.

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AMENDMENT TO COAL MINES ACT

C. M. O'BRIEN RE-INTRODUCES BILL TO IMPROVE MINE WORKING CONDITIONS.

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All the members were back in their seats. C. W. Cross and A. Bramley Moore, who have been ill for some days, were back in their places.

The Public Debt. Mr. Bennett asked the following questions, which were answered by Premier Sifton:

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Dealing With Coal Mines. A bill to amend the Coal Mines Act was introduced by Mr. O'Brien and was given a first reading. A similar bill was introduced at last session, but did not get through the Legislature. Its principal provisions are as follows:

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The bill will come up for second reading on Friday next.

Bills For Second Reading. Bills respecting the Alberta North-western Railway and to incorporate the Apostolic Synods of the Franciscan and the B.C. boundaries, the former prolongs the time for the construction of lines of railway, one from Edmonton to the junction of the Peace River and the B.C. boundary, and the other from Edmonton to Medicine Hat.

A bill brought in by Mr. Bennett respecting the Married Women's Property Act was down on the order paper for second reading, but as it was not ready for a second reading, it proceeded with. Mr. Bennett remarked that he did not expect the bill to pass this year, but he would like to have the draft in the hands of the members for their consideration.

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Financial Report. Mayor Twomey being absent in the east, the financial report of the council was read by Acting Mayor F. P. Layton, chairman of the finance committee. Auditor Kinnaird's report was read and explained in detail to the satisfaction of the ratepayers.

In the cash account the debentures were: Streets \$7,500, parks and exhibitions \$11,900, public market \$2,000, revenue deficit \$4,478, hospital building \$60, electric light system \$30,000, fire hall \$12,500.

The credit entries on capital account were: Debentures \$70,000, 6% Duggan's \$1,222.31, interest \$735.61, debenture expenditure \$6,056.31, finance committee \$3,868.76, Mayor and Light \$1,278.47, police and health \$4,814, health, cemetery and parks \$1,056.45, town hall, market and park \$1,952.23, cash on hand \$1,911.

Fire, Water and Light. W. G. Duggan gave the report of the fire, water and light committee, which received \$2,560, expended \$3,278. The receipts were mostly for the sale of water, while the expenses were for salary of fire brigade, sinking of wells and repairs and expenses of fire hall and tanks.

The report of the public works committee was also given by Council. Duggan's report was read, showing a revenue from the police department. The receipts had been made up from licenses issued to laundries, public houses, pool rooms, show and the circus. About \$200 had been collected in dog taxes.

Cemetery and Parks. The report of the cemetery and parks committee showed an expenditure of \$1,098, and no doubt owing to the good health of the town, the demand for cemetery lots had been at a minimum and there was no revenue for this department.

Camrose School District. The report of the Camrose school district was read by F. B. Layton. The school taxes collected by the town were \$2,941, and the government grant \$2,941, for the year ending 1910. The trustees at their personal liability had bought six lots for \$1,800, which, with interest at 6% per annum, were sold to the school board later for \$1,800.

A school building had been erected at a cost of \$900 on these lots. The salaries of the teachers were \$350 per month. The building account was \$1,207 and \$130.95 had been spent on a school library. There was a balance on hand of \$134.90, but at the end of the year when all accounts and salaries were paid, a deficit would be shown.

Attendance at Schools. J. W. Russell, principal of Camrose public schools, in his report, stated that there were 155 pupils on the roll with an average attendance of 140 and a percentage of 88. The three lower departments were overcrowded, but the senior rooms had some surplus seating capacity. It is expected that 26 pupils will write on the departmental examinations in 1911. There are ten studying for standard VI and VII. Matriculation classes are conducted in Latin and under New Year's a class will be started in French and German. Next year it is expected that Standard VIII work will be necessary and by 1912 the children of Camrose citizens will be able to get their education from standard I right on up to a first class teacher's certificate and first year university work.

R. L. Rushton expressed the approval of the sanitary program for the work done in the school, but advised the trustees to add another teacher for the lower standards to relieve the congestion. As one of the heavy taxpayers, he said he would not object to the extra expense, for the education of the children was of most urgent importance.

The Rev. K. C. McLeod complimented Principal Russell especially on his excellent work in the heavy work of teaching both science and languages, and the general high school department on its efficiency.

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