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DAWSON, Y. T., THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1903.

THE NUGGET IS READ  
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## NOBODY SATISFIED

**Premier Robert Phillip of New Zealand Dissolves Parliament.**

## ISSUES NEW ELECTION MANIFESTO

Voting Dissatisfaction With Australian Federation.

## AS BITTERLY DISAPPOINTING

Says Many Australians Would Gladly See Existing Federation Dissolved.

Auckland, New Zealand, Feb. 5.—The New Zealand parliament has been dissolved and the premier, Robert Phillip, has issued an election manifesto, voting the Queensland's dissatisfaction with the result of the Australian federation. The premier criticizes the commonwealth government and declares that it has been a bitter disappointment to the strong advocates of the union which many Australians would now be glad to see dissolved.

## He Wants Kruger

Washington, Feb. 5.—Representative Cochran of Missouri has introduced a resolution in the lower house of congress inviting Kruger to visit the United States and appropriating \$25,000 for his entertainment.

## Roosevelt's Hand

Washington, Feb. 5.—President Roosevelt has declined to appoint B. D. Crocker of Walla Walla to succeed

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By Monday's Storm, Or at least in the History of the Country.

## ALL TRAFFIC SUSPENDED IN SWITZERLAND

Switzerland Villages Were Cut Off From Communication.

## HEAVY SNOW FALL IN VENICE

Roman Forum, Pantheon and Temple of Vesta Flooded River Tiber on a Bust.

## Ban Removed

Chicago, Feb. 5.—As the result of the city council removing the ban against tall buildings, structures to cost \$21,258,000 are planned for construction at once, while \$4,300,000 will be put in improvements of buildings already constructed.

## Lost His Life

Peekskill, N.Y., Feb. 5.—Wm. Martin, the best known guide in the Adirondacks, lost his life in Sunday's storm. He had gone for help for a sick companion and was overcome by the storm on Lake Madowski.

## Succeeds Howland

Toronto, Feb. 5.—R. Merritt of St. Catharines has succeeded the late H. S. Howland as president of the Imperial Bank. General Manager D. R. Wilkie becomes vice-president.

## Severe Storm

Montreal, Feb. 5.—City Surveyor Barclay estimates that the late storm cost the city \$40,000 irrespective of the damage to private interests.

## His Mistake

Green Spring, Ky., Feb. 5.—Elijah Thomas, who had given information to the federal officers against moonshiners, was burned to death on Monday.

## Many Favored

New York, Feb. 5.—Three thousand people have received invitations to attend the launching of Emperor William's yacht Meteor.

## Mills Accepts

Ottawa, Feb. 5.—Hon. David Mills accepted the judgeship made vacant by Gwynne's death.

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## Just Like Him

Constantinople, Feb. 6.—The Sultan has condemned to death Damad Pasha; ostensibly for conspiracy but apparently for the purpose of obtaining his large estates, which will be confiscated to the crown. The condemned man is the Sultan's own brother.

## Assassinated

Berlin, Feb. 6.—A report has reached here that M. Kantschuff, Bulgarian minister of education, was assassinated in his study this morning by a Macedonian who gained admission on the pretext of presenting a petition. The assassin afterwards suicided.

## Woman Killed

Winnipeg, Feb. 5.—The body of an unknown woman was found in the C. P. R. yards here this morning. She was doubtless killed by a passing train. An inquest is being held.

## Welsh Coming

London, Feb. 5.—Secretary Chamberlain will meet the deputation which is seeking government aid in removing a Welsh settlement from Patagonia to Canada.

## Mrs. Gibson Dead

St. Catharines, Ont., Feb. 5.—Mrs. Gibson, wife of Colonel William Gibson, ex-member of parliament from Lincoln and Niagara, is dead.

## May Use Force

Panama, Feb. 5.—The Colombian government has returned to Panama, the commander reporting that the government forces still hold Agua Dulce, but that General Castro is endeavoring to get in touch with General Herrera, the revolutionary commander. General Herrera has notified all steamship companies that he will not allow the transportation of arms or soldiers for the government and will prevent such transportation by force if necessary.

## Cruel Apaches

Tucson, Arizona, Feb. 5.—A. T. Vail, a pioneer rancher near this place, was burned to death at his home, supposed by Apache Indians. The natives are much dissatisfied on account of the government cutting off their rations and it is supposed they killed Vail and then applied the torch to conceal their crime.

## Almost Wrecked

London, Feb. 5.—The British flag-ship Crescent narrowly escaped being wrecked in a storm in the West Indies. She was ashore on Antigua Reef 24 hours and was only floated after being jettisoned. She is loaded with coal, guns, ammunition and provisions.

## Fake Preachers

Washington, Feb. 5.—Word comes that trouble is imminent in Afghanistan where Hadda Mullah is preaching for a holy war. Other of Mullah's fakirs are preaching agitation everywhere.

## Bold Robbery

Elizabethtown, N.J., Feb. 5.—Early this morning four masked men entered the office of Contractor Geo. Hill and after gagging the night watchman carried off \$2500. The watchman was very badly injured.

## Needed Here

New York, Feb. 4.—General Booth has inaugurated a special temperance campaign in connection with the Salvation Army in which he relies chiefly upon the co-operation of saloon men in reporting to him the names of confirmed drunkards.

## Dropped Dead

Keene, Ont., Feb. 5.—Rev. Dr. Andrews, for 51 years pastor of the Presbyterian Church here, dropped dead this morning while lighting a fire. He was 82 years old.

## Valuable Land

New York, Feb. 5.—The Hogg-Swain Syndicate has transferred 74 acres of its proven Texas oil field to

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Last Night's Meeting Won Many Votes For Good City Government.

## KIDS ARE THOROUGHLY DEMORALIZED

Their Final Rally Went Dead Against Them.

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## TODAY'S ELECTION

Looks Very Good for Macaulay.

Today has been an ideal election day and at 4 o'clock the votes expected were nearly all in. When the polls opened at 9 o'clock there was a large crowd of electors on hand and from that hour until 10 o'clock the voting was the heaviest at any time during the day. At 11 o'clock 400 ballots had been cast and the election of Mr. Macaulay—even at that hour was conceded by practically everyone. At 2 o'clock the number of votes had increased to 562 and both sides were working like demons to get in all their supporters. The day was remarkably orderly, there being no fights and but very few sharp words exchanged. Much challenging was indulged in by the Kids, some of which was so monstrously insulting as to be beyond belief, notably that of Madame Dugas, the wife of the Hon. Mr. Justice Dugas. At the hour of going to press the most ardent supporters of Dr. Thompson had given up hope and the faces of the Kid ring-leaders resembled a ball of putty plastered against a brick wall. The vote at 4 o'clock was as follows:

Booth No. 1 83  
Booth No. 2 95  
Booth No. 3 108  
Booth No. 4 100  
Booth No. 5 99  
Booth No. 6 77  
Booth No. 7 181  
Total 693

According to the scrutineers for the Citizens' ticket the vote is divided between the major candidates as follows:

Dr. Thompson 229  
Henry Macaulay 463  
Total 693

Macaulay's majority, 115.  
It will probably be 8 o'clock before all the ballots are counted and the result is definitely known.  
At 4:15 Joe Clarke was placed under arrest for using abusive and threatening language. The complainant in the case is F. T. Congdon, who has subpoenaed Dr. Thompson as a witness. Clarke will appear in police court in the morning.

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The odoriferous Kids fired the last volley in the political campaign last night and it had about as much effect on the popularity of Henry C. Macaulay and the ticket which he heads as would a puff of hot air from the whisky-laden breath of Old Soak from their principal slogan—made the abortive attempts to square the nefarious practices and schemes in which they at different times have been caught red-handed during the past two weeks, their senile efforts at denying everything unheeded of which they have been guilty, and the abuse heaped upon both the Nugget and Sun, and there would be nothing left but an aching void. Practically the entire evening was devoted to explaining why this was done and how that had happened and how it came about that such and such had occurred, all of which was very entertaining to the crowd which had assembled to be amused, but which did not make a single vote for the Kids, but on the contrary, lost them many. Every one of the natural born orators at times fell back on the whisky trust for ammunition. Said one disgusted elector who occupied a front seat near the press table: "I wonder if any of them dam fools can talk about anything except the whisky trust. Why don't they spring something new once in a while?"

He it said to the credit of the irrepressible that the meeting was the most orderly ever given under the auspices of the Kid committee, the usual gang of boosters and ragtail hangers-on being conspicuous by their absence. Even the ubiquitous drunk with his ceaseless interruptions failed to show up and had it not been for the refusal to allow Mr. Hagel to be heard in response to the well-known unanimous demand, the meeting would have approached a mark of respectability unknown heretofore in the history of the Kid committee. All three of the galleries were comfortably filled with ladies and their escorts, a fact which doubtless did much toward taming the rough exuberance of the fiery Kidlets.

It was shortly after 8 o'clock when George Black appeared on the platform and announced that the committee had decided to ask Mr. F. H. Warlock to take the chair, and that gentleman came slowly forward, round of figure, florid of complexion, a smiling, open countenance that extended clear to the back of his head, and a most delicious East End accent. Mr. Warlock thanked the committee for the honor heaped upon him and begged their support in preserving order so that a fair hearing may be accorded all. From a list which he said contained the names of those who would speak he first called upon George Black.

In taking his place at the hat Mr. Black admitted the task of opening the meeting was a heavy one and recalled to mind that his party had been the first in everything; first to use the A. H. hall for political purposes, first to invite the ladies, etc. he also tendered a feeble apology for the disgraceful scenes that had been enacted at the meeting the preceding evening by a number of the Kids' supporters and trusted a repetition of the same would not occur again. A debt of gratitude, he said,

was due the Kid committee, but for what precise purpose could not be ascertained. Ancient history is the shape of some editorials from the Sun was delved into and Mr. Black resumed his seat after taking a farewell fall out of the whisky trust.

Thos. Adair followed. Mr. Adair is unlike any other of the Kid-committee in that he cannot make a speech and knows it, whereas with the others a pile drives could not drive such information in their diminutive heads. A more painful spectacle is hard to conceive than a man on a public platform trying to make a talk which he can't put together three sentences connectedly. Throughout the campaign Mr. Adair's speeches have been noted for their brevity and it is a 100 to 1 shot that in the election he runs ahead of his ticket. He merely said: "I am called upon first because it is known I have not much to say. If you want my services as one of the afternoon, well and good, and if you don't I shall be all the better satisfied."

J. H. Davison, an independent candidate, came next. He said it was a hard fate to be called upon so early in the game, but would take a chance just the same. He declared he was unpledged and in referring to the meeting held in the Standard theatre he did not have a fair deal. He had been given but 20 minutes in which to elucidate his platform, whereas others had had 45. He then pulled the Kids' platform to pieces and advanced the single tax idea as being about the proper caper for Dawson, drawing a "smile" to illustrate his views. "I think standard rate of wages should be maintained

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AMUSEMENTS THIS WEEK.

Auditorium Theatre—"Lady Windermere's Fan." New Savoy—Ballet and Vaudeville.

A. B. Hall—Choral Concert Friday night.

THD KIDS EXPOSED.

The exposure made last night by Henry C. Macaulay at the meeting of the Elective party in the A. B. hall should place the seal of public disapprobation upon the Kid Committee for all time to come.

The ringleaders of the gang have proclaimed their purity and the righteousness of their methods from every platform, on every street corner and in every bar-room in Dawson.

The people of Dawson may now understand more thoroughly the danger which confronts them if by any peradventure the Kid Committee should triumph. They will immediately inaugurate a system of Tammanyism in the clutches of which the business and property interests of the city might well have occasion to tremble.

The telegraph line has been doing splendid work of late. When one stops to realize that the telegrams published in the Nugget are identical with those which appear in the afternoon papers of Vancouver, Seattle, Portland and San Francisco, the effectiveness of the service will be at once apparent.

ADVENTURES WITH BEARS

Incidents in the Life of a Famous Hunter. Perry Sound Veteran Tells of Some Thrilling Experience—A Bit of Tragedy.

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A gentleman from Circle City, who recently passed through Dawson en route to the outside is responsible for some bitter statements concerning the disgraceful actions of several of the United States officials located at Circle and more particularly those of Deputy Marshal Wickersham, a brother of Judge Wickersham, now of Nome, who it is said would have long ago suffered official decapitation at the hands of Marshal Perry had it not been for his connection with the judicial head of the district.

Wickersham, it is reported, has few friends in and about Circle and the Indians hate him most cordially, having frequently made complaint against him for various acts of rowdiness.

C. B. Sanders, who claims to have been the victim of a malicious prosecution at the hands of Wickersham, is authority for the statement that one of his favorite practices is to get drunk, then visit the Indian cabins, kick in the doors and insult the women. He has made a number of arrests of people charged with giving liquor to Indians, yet the Indians themselves say he has done the same thing himself on more occasions than one.

In the Sanders case the victim says Wickersham has been persistently vindictive, having openly declared that he would break him up in business.

Want More Money. London, Jan. 11.—The call for volunteers to relieve the regiments at the front has met with no response except indignation from all the volunteer regiments.

Volunteers answering the call would only receive a shilling (25 cents) a day, while the yeomanry, in which many volunteers have already enlisted, receive five shillings (\$1.25) a day.

The War Office must resort to conscription, it appears, or withdraw the new regulations, which have stirred up more strife than has been known in many a year between the Government officials and the voluntary arm of the service.

One of the new rules requires every regiment to go into camp one week each year, and the Government grant will be reduced in proportion to the absentees. The volunteer commanders say it is impossible to get more than 40 per cent. of the men together the same week.

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WILL RIDE IN EUROPE Frank Kramer of New Jersey a Champion Cyclist.

New York, Jan. 20.—Should "Major" Taylor decide to remain in France this year and avoid the bicycle championship issue with Frank Kramer, the New Jersey rider will travel to France in the fall and force him to race for the championship of the world along with the other flyers in Europe.

Kramer, by the way, has separated from Floyd McFarland and will ride independently this year.

Cyclist Harry Elkes will continue his stage career, riding a home trainer races until about March 1, when he will start hard training.

It is said that Walther and Elkes will be managed by the Howe Brothers, of Cambridge, F. L. Howe will look after Elkes, while his brother will handle Walther, should the deal materialize.

Stage fright caused Jimmy Michael to relinquish \$50 daily for four days recently at a Brooklyn theatre. Michael had only to fire the pistol to start his work as a joke.

Will Compete for Trans-Continental Traffic. Omaha, Neb., Jan. 21.—The announcement is made officially that the Union Pacific is prepared to spend between \$25,000,000 and \$30,000,000 during the present year in carrying on its campaign against the Hill system for the trade of the Orient.

This improvement will be along the two vast channels. One is the bettering of the Southern Pacific from Ogden to San Francisco. For this purpose the sum of \$20,000,000 has been set aside as a fund for minimum expenditure on this project alone.

The Union Pacific has long since decided that it must have the leading fast line to the coast gateway in the Orient to retain its hold on the Oriental trade, said the official who explained the proposed plan.

AN OLD MAN'S DEVOTION His Meals Were Eaten by His Wife's Grave.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Jan. 11.—Overcome by the cold and exposure, Joshua Lamerex, eighty years old, was found unconscious on his wife's grave yesterday at Lamerex Cemetery, Cense-Mills, near here.

For a year he had eaten his meals at the graveside. Sixty years ago he married Edith Simpson. Their devotion was the talk of the countryside, and it never grew less.

A year ago the wife died suddenly. So overcome was Lamerex that it was feared for a time he too would die. He would not eat or sleep.

When the snow fell heavily he dug a path and cleared the grave of its layer of white. Some of the days, when it was bitter cold, he made his stay shorter, and sometimes was able to get to the cemetery but for one meal, but he did not even then take any meal at home.

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# Mrs. Quiggs, the Vampire

## PART I

Mrs. Quiggs was a cross, tetchy, perverse old Londoner, whose acquaintances—she had no friends—altered to her, when they took the trouble of mentioning her at all, as "The Vampire." She also possessed a somewhat startling originality of character—an originality which took the shape of making herself as unpleasant as possible on every conceivable occasion. Indeed, her ingratitude was so great in this respect that it has passed into a proverb, and her impatient exclamation of "Go on!"—an exclamation signifying incredulity and derision—had gradually become shortened to "Garne!"—a limitation in length which made the phrase even more objectionable than before.

Most of the dwellers in "Moberley Muddles" (they had been originally known as "Moberley Models") hated Mrs. Quiggs with a deadly hatred born of impotent fury, for she scorned the conventionalities and made herself equally unpleasant to all around. Indeed, when she outpoured the vials of her wrath, it was, as one old biblical knowledge remarked: "Enough to make Joshua himself stand still," although it had the reverse effect on the inhabitants of "The Muddles." They generally sought safety in flight down the nearest court until the storm abated. Which was wise; for Mrs. Quiggs's adjectival fluency was appalling in its unrelenting incoherence. She had, too, an objectionable habit of following up her victims as they went about their daily avocations and of compelling them to listen to her grievances: If they failed to evince a proper amount of neighborly sympathy, she promptly regarded them as enemies and treated them—with more bitterness than the original offenders. And she had an exasperating way of threatening timid young matrons with "castling a spell on them" if they did not heed her "luppence for a go of gin."

As for her garments, they were indescribable. At some prehistoric period, they had been, presumably of different colors. Now, the beneficent influence of Time had blended them into one subdued, olive-greenish tint, which was unobtrusive, and did not attract attention when Mrs. Quiggs wished to take her walks abroad. She wore one shoe and a slipper, and her bonnet, which was minus a string, generally hung down her face, the wrong end in front, the remaining rusty fastening creating in Mrs. Quiggs's mind the delusion that a fly was tickling her nose. When possessed of the necessary funds, she generally smoked an old, short-stemmed clay pipe. Even in the coldest weather, her costume never varied as she found it comfortable enough and suited to her requirements; no one dared point out to her how much better looking she would be if properly dressed and tidied up a little. In her youth, it is conceivable that Mrs. Quiggs had not been bad looking; but a too constant adherence to suspicious compounds and an utter indifference to the effect of the London climate, had given her an aspect of vicious ugliness. Which was a pity, for Mrs. Quiggs was woman, and had been known to smile under the mollifying influence of a judicious compliment from the big policeman at the corner.

Nobody knew how Mrs. Quiggs originated. In the beginning of things there had been Mrs. Quiggs and "The Muddles." Now it was thought to be "The Muddles" and Mrs. Quiggs. "The Muddles" had been repaired again and again. Not so Mrs. Quiggs, although it was generally admitted that she "had a tile loose." Besides, she was partly bald. She also required whitewashing, mentally and physically, although there was no one in the building bold enough to undertake the task.

Of late things had not gone well with Mrs. Quiggs. She hated innovations. Walter was an innovation, so was Miss Shenstone, therefore, Mrs. Quiggs did not want these "lads" to come down to her "Muddles" and "lord it over people as 'ad a right to be there? They aren't a fit to go good," said Mrs. Quiggs, oracularly. "Don't tell me, Garne!" and so people did not tell her. What was the use of telling a woman like Mrs. Quiggs anything—a woman who merely said "Garne!" and refused to listen to reason unless her deliberations were assisted by means of unflinching gin and water, the more gin and the less water, the more gin.

Miss Shenstone was librarian of a charitable institution in the east end of London. She had taken high honors at Girtton, and was rich. But she was an enthusiast, and her enthusiasm—an enthusiasm which had been fired by the perusal of Sir Walter Scott's "The Two Rovers" and "The Two Admirals"—had made her a devotee of "All Sorts and Conditions of Men"—she dragged old Miss Carmichael, her aunt, to live with her at "The Muddles." Four rooms were transformed into an elegant flat, with beautiful furniture and accessories, so that the old lady might be thoroughly comfortable. Then Miss Shenstone set about reforming everything and everybody, with an enthusiasm which brought a smile to the lips of Walter

and the attention was quite voluntary on "The Penwiper's" part.

PART II

As far as externals went, there was nothing to indicate that the dinner was to be the east instead of the west end of London. The rooms were rather small, but decidedly cozy. Miss Carmichael had known Walter Dean's father intimately. "He always was an obstinate man when he wanted anything," she said. "I suppose you take after him, or you wouldn't be here."

Walter looked at Miss Shenstone, and thought that he could be very obstinate indeed with regard to her should circumstances ever enable him to speak out. For some months past he had been living in a dream, when he had it in his mind to dream, which was infrequent intervals. And he was really making his way. He found the library a very pleasant room at which to work. Miss Shenstone and her assistants were most considerate. He could stay there all day in a comfortable nook by the huge fire. And latterly, Isabel Shenstone had become very much interested in the pale, intellectual face of the dark-haired young fellow who stuck so perseveringly to his work. Indeed, it was her instigation that he had sent stories to a certain paper, and that they had been accepted. He did not know that Isabel had intimated to the editor at a dinner-party that the stories should be attentively considered. The editor, who was on the lookout for "rising talent," with many misgivings had consented to read the stories. Past experience did not incline him favorably towards the work of unknown men. But Walter Dean's stories were very good, indeed, the editor wanted as many more as the author could produce. Owing to this sudden demand, Walter's circumstances had so far improved that he felt justified in leaving "The Muddles," only, somehow, he did not care to do so, and the reason why he did not care to do so was Isabel Shenstone. Still, he was poor, and she was rich. He could not speak yet.

"I have been telling my niece," said the silver-haired old Miss Carmichael, "that I am tired of 'The Muddles.' There have been two ghastly murders in the neighborhood. It is not a fit place for either of us to live in. Isabel has given the experiment a fair trial. We have lived down here a year. She has a following of some twenty or thirty people who prey on her. I admit that the children love her. However, it is time she resumed her proper position in society. That is the fault of Girtton. It unites girls for society. They always want to be doing something useful instead of sitting down and waiting for what Providence chooses to send them. In my young days it would have been considered indecorous not to sit down and wait. Don't you think it very unfeminine, Isabel?"

Isabel seemed paler and more tired than usual. "I have come to the same conclusion, aunt," she said. "I meant well, but I am a failure. All my strength seems to have faded away. It must be the bad air. We will go down to the country somewhere and take a pretty cottage. I can't bear to think of these horrible murders. They haunt me. It makes one despair of human nature to hear of such sickening butchery. What do you think, Mr. Dean?"

As Walter looked at her, something in his glance brought an unusual color into Isabel's cheek. "You are right to leave here," he said sorrowfully. "It isn't fit for gently-nurtured ladies. In your exquisite goodness and desire to benefit your fellows, you have borne all this without a murmur but the time has come when you ought not to bear it any longer. You will kill yourself."

Miss Carmichael had left the room. Isabel turned away from his earnest glance.

"There is only Miss Carmichael who would lament me," she said almost inaudibly, as she sank into a chair.

He came round to her side. "Pardon me, that is not so. Everyone who knows you here would find it a very sad day when you left; but you must leave. I—I implore you."

"Why?"

"For your sake and—mine."

She rose to her feet, confronting him. "You have said too much of too little. Do you wish me to go? If you want me to go, I will go, but—"

"—but—"

"—Yes," he said steadily. "I wish you to go. Some day I will tell you why, should—"

"Should what?"

"Should I be justified in doing so."

She turned aside.

"Before you go," he said, "I should like to tell you what an angel of mercy and light you have been to me. I came to this desolate hole—a this vile den of misery, want, and crime—utterly friendless and alone. You helped me in a hundred ways, you encouraged me to persevere, you gave me fresh heart and hope and life. To urge you to go away from me is like cutting off my hand. Yet it is best that you should go. Were you to remain I could not—No! No! I must not speak. Good-night and good-bye. Some day I will come to you, with a prayer for you to grant or refuse. Until then—farewell!"

She gave him her hand as the tears struggled to her eyes. The man was hopelessly proud. He loved her, and yet he would not speak because of his

poverty.

"You are very proud," she said. "Good-bye!"

When Miss Carmichael entered the room, she found that Dean had disappeared. "I was looking for an old photograph of his father," she said. "It is very rude of him to go away. I like him so much. Don't you, Isabel?"

"Yes," said Isabel, simply.

Miss Carmichael took the girl in her motherly arms. "Is that it?" she asked. "Why shouldn't it be so, Isabel?"

"He is proud, and I could not unsex myself by making him speak. Auntie, let us go away. I have made my experiment and failed. Let us go home."

"If the lad is like his father," said the old lady, decisively, "he will speak some day. And now let us make our arrangements for leaving. This place has been too much for you."

"Yes," Isabel gazed thoughtfully into the fire. "It has been too much for me. Murderers and thieves are all very well in fiction but they are not pleasant to meet in the slums behind 'The Muddles.' Mr. Dean must go away also. The district is not safe."

PART III

The next morning the inhabitants of "The Muddles" were electrified to learn that Walter Dean had been arrested for the murder of a poor Polish refugee who had sought shelter in "The Muddles" and whose body had been found lying by the gateway with the skull smashed in. There was no mistake about it. Mrs. Quiggs had also disappeared from "The Muddles" in the custody of a stalwart and unemotional policeman. "Garne!" she said to the jeering crowd which accompanied her upon her way, turning upon them like a female-Jonathan Wild. "Garne 'ome! I'll be back in a hour. It's me as informed agin 'im!"

Things looked very black against Walter Dean, for a cloak dabbled with blood had been found in his room. This cloak was known to have been worn the night before by the murdered man. Mrs. Quiggs testified that she had gone into Walter Dean's sitting-room at eight in the morning to put it to rights and had found the cloak under the sofa. "I give her a turn," she said, for she had already heard of the murder, and she at once fetched the police.

Directly this revolting accusation was made known to Isabel she telegraphed to a certain famous solicitor who was with her in an hour. Two or three mysterious-looking people glided about in the vicinity of the murder. They returned with the result of their enquiries to the solicitor, who smiled, and informed Miss Shenstone that she need not be uneasy with regard to Walter Dean.

At the police court proceedings held the same afternoon, Mrs. Quiggs was asked if she knew the nature of an oath. On her proceeding to give

examples with singular fluency and volubility, she was hastily checked by the presiding magistrate. At length she was sworn and repeated her evidence, which seemed perfectly clear. On going to her work that morning she had seen part of the cloak projecting from Walter Dean's sofa, and there was blood upon it—human blood.

"Accused, have you anything to say?" asked the presiding magistrate after learning other details.

"Only to declare my innocence and to state that the witness, who has a grudge against me, probably put the cloak there herself," said Walter. "She must have taken it off the dead man's body before the murder was discovered."

"Gammion!" said Mrs. Quiggs from the back of the court. "Garne!"

The magistrate looked incredulous. "That is precisely what I am about to prove," said Miss Shenstone's solicitor, turning to the bench. "I produce a witness named Jacob Ray, who will corroborate this statement. I call Jacob Ray."

Jacob Ray darted into the box as if he had been there before and knew all about it. He was a sharp little urchin of twelve. At 7 o'clock that morning, just before the discovery of the body, he was passing through the narrow passage opposite "The Muddles," and saw Mrs. Quiggs come out carrying the cloak in her hand. Even then she was not sober, and he heard her muttering that she would "plant" the cloak of someone whose name he did not catch, and get even with him for "rovin' her about."

The urchin's story was corroborated by the caretaker of "The Muddles," who said that the old woman had been very tipsy the night before and had wandered into the covered archway opposite "The Muddles" to sleep off her debauch. Mr. Dean had not left "The Muddles" since the evening before his arrest.

"I apply for a warrant against this woman for perjury," said the solicitor, quietly. "The police are on the track of the real murderers. His unhappy victim was supposed to have many precious stones concealed about him, and these constituted the temptation to kill and plunder him."

As a consequence of the solicitor's high-handed and unfeeling action, Mrs. Quiggs did not return to her friends "in a hour." She was after-

wards tried for perjury, convicted, and, worst of all, before beginning to serve her sentence, made to take a bath. The shock ultimately proved too much for her sensitive constitution. "There is hope for you yet if you repent of your wickedness," said the jail chaplain. "Garne! Not after that bath!" retorted Mrs. Quiggs, with undiminished spirit, and died hating Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dean with unrelenting vigor up to the very last moment.

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SUPREME COURT DECISIONS

Judgments of the Hon. Mr. Justice Dugas Sustained.

Two Cases Appealed to the Higher Tribunal at British Columbia are Dismissed With Costs.

Clerk of the Court Charles Macdonald by last night's mail received two judgments from the supreme court of British Columbia on cases which had been appealed from the territorial court of this city.

In the case of James A. Williams and Joseph W. Boyle, trading under the name, style and firm of James Williams Mill, plaintiffs (appellants) vs. Isidore McWan Bourke and Mary Bourke, defendants (respondents) judgment which was rendered January 16, was as follows:

The appeal of the above named appellant from the judgment of the Hon. Mr. Justice Dugas, judge of the territorial court of the Yukon Territory, rendered on the 4th day of February, 1901, having come on to be argued before this court on the 14th and 15th days of June, 1901, whereupon and upon hearing Mr. L. P. Duff, K. C., of counsel for the respondents, this court was pleased to direct that the matter of said appeal should stand over for judgment and the same having come on this day for judgment, this court doth order and adjudge that the said appeal should be and the same is hereby dismissed with costs to be paid by the appellants to the respondents forthwith after taxation thereof.

The second case referred to was that of Isabella M. Hensley, plaintiff (appellant) vs. A. W. Reinberger and Archie J. McLavin, defendants (respondents). Judgment was given January 13, as follows:

Upon motion made unto this court this day by Mr. F. Peters, K. C., of counsel for the above named respondent for an order dismissing the appellants' appeal from the verdict and judgment given the 6th day of August, 1901, by the territorial court of the Yukon Territory, and upon hearing read the notice of motion and the affidavit of Arthur Gordon Smith, sworn the 8th day of January, 1902, filed, and upon hearing counsel aforesaid for the respondents and Mr. E. P. Davis, K. C., of counsel for the appellant, this court doth order and adjudge that the said appeal should be and the same is hereby dismissed with costs to be paid by the appellant to the respondent forthwith after taxation thereof.

FUTURE FUEL OF DAWSON

Coal in Abundance Exists on Rock Creek.

J. Percy Snyder is in town from his coal mines on Rock Creek, where he has located two mines, one three, the other eight feet in thickness. For some time past he has been engaged in tunneling and now has two run into the side of the mountain, one to a distance of 44, the other 24 feet.

Mr. Snyder's claims are located 18 miles from Dawson, five miles west of the A. E. Co. coal mines and three and a half miles from the property of the Bradley Hill Quartz Company.

He brought to Dawson with him several pounds of the coal as a sample, and all who have seen it pronounce it the best yet discovered in the entire country. Mr. Snyder will continue development work on his property the remainder of the winter.

Free Library Concert.

Another concert under the auspices of the Dawson Free Library Association will be given Tuesday evening next, February 11, at the Pioneer hall.

Literary Society.

The regular meeting of the Dawson Literary and Debating Society will be held in St. Andrew's hall tonight (Thursday) at 8 p. m., instead of on Friday evening, in order to avoid clashing with the concert. The debate will be on "Trust."

France's Demand

Paris, Feb. 5.—The French government has notified Venezuela that it will not sign a protocol for renewal of diplomatic relations unless M. Secretan, its immediately authorized to hand at Lagunaira to protect his father's interests.

In case of Venezuela failing to grant France's demands, France will impose duty on Venezuelan cocoa. It is reported that Venezuelan troops have been defeated by Batalla and Loretoim near Baula, Seamora.

Irish Danger

London, Feb. 4.—Russell's compulsory land purchase campaign against the British government has its first fruits in the defeat of the government candidate at East Downis. Lord Salisbury made an alarmist speech before the Carlton Club concerning the situation in Ireland.

Coming to Dawson

Skagway, Feb. 6.—H. D. Weeks, chief clerk for Manager Newell, has resigned his position and accepted that of manager of the Klondike Mines Railroad with headquarters at Dawson.

Row at Church

London, Feb. 4.—Anti-ritualists created a disgraceful scene at requiem service at St. Andrew's church. Immediately after the service they stood up and shouted "This service was a blasphemous insult to Queen Victoria's memory."

Up to Boers

London, Feb. 6.—The correspondence between Britain and the Netherlands has been forwarded to Kitchener, who will communicate their contents to the Boer leaders.

Steamer Ashore

Portland, Feb. 6.—A cablegram says the steamer Knight Companion, belonging to the Oregon Railway & Navigation Co., is ashore on the east coast of Japan and is fast going to pieces.

Waiter Drowned

Skagway, Feb. 6.—F. T. George, a waiter on the Alki, fell off Moore's wharf and was drowned yesterday.

Gas Explosion

Chicago, Feb. 6.—At two o'clock this morning a gas explosion occurred in the Throthe House which destroyed \$500,000 worth of property and caused an unknown number of deaths.

Large Company

New York, Feb. 6.—A thirty million dollar company has been formed by the Whitney-Widmer-Elkins-Dolan combination to lease the Metropolitan Railway System of New York.

Very Natural

Vladavostok, Feb. 5.—Two female prisoners escaped from a convict camp by killing two female guards and taking their clothing.

L. A. Garner Dead

Orraha, Feb. 6.—Lafayette C. Garner, general western superintendent of the American Express Company, died here last night.

Report Denied

Rome, Feb. 6.—The report that the Count of Turin, cousin of the Italian king, is going to America in quest of a rich wife is denied.

Swiped Funds

Buffalo, Feb. 6.—Ex-Treasurer Philip Gerst is under arrest charged with misappropriating \$27,000 of city funds.

Too Much Heat

Wintion, Ill., Feb. 6.—The plant of the Wintion Heating Company was burned last night. Loss \$300,000.

SOLID FOR MACAULAY.

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whisky trust, that awful boogy-man which has been the perpetual stock-in-trade of the Kids, and in conclusion took a last determined flop squarely for the Kids' ticket, making the sixteenth somersault turned by the News acrobat since the beginning of the present political game.

T. G. Wilson by way of a preface to his brilliant effort said that as he had been made the particular target during the past few days he would devote the time at his disposal to squaring himself, an operation much needed. With tragical eloquence Mr. Thomas Godalmighty said: "Who is this man Grant who says I paid my men \$4 a day? Who is he? I never seen him or heard of him before."

"Now for that out corner," said he "My—(louder) "greatest trouble is to keep down the corner." A moment later he admitted having the feed supply corralled and said he had eight times more oats than all the other dealers combined.

"These are base fabrications. Talk about respectable people, they are all about on the name. I went to the Sun office yesterday and demanded a retraction, but upon the advice of my solicitor I shall wait until after election before bringing a suit for libel."

Mr. Wilson emphasized his eloquence by handing the reporters present the bad eye. A moment later he lost his place again and upon the crowd yelling "Time" and "That'll do" he quietly subsided in his seat.

Dr. Thompson opened up his battery by passing out a lovely collection of orchids to the ladies for their presence and dramatically exclaimed "Tonight the curtain sets on the drama of Dawson and tomorrow or rather the day after rises upon a new scene."

Then came the Boy Wonder from Atlin, James McKinnon, he of the beardless face, the classic brow, the curling locks, hands upon which the callouses caused by toil do not appear, the poseur of the laboring man and the typical walking delegate.

"It affords me much pleasure to come before such a large and intelligent audience—ahem—this evening—ahem—and—ahem—I want you—ahem—to bear—ahem—with me a few moments—ahem—while I tell you—how greatly I abhor personalities."

Rather a slow beginning in getting away from the pole, but chances for a good finish. A bid was made for the ladies' vote, James being a bachelor without any strings. The popularity of the Sun again came to the front and a feeble attempt was made to clear up the fire situation, spoke of Wilson's labor troubles, and again reiterated the statement so often used that he once having driven a team in Dawson was certainly a laboring man.

Mr. Clements was called upon and after making the superfluous announcement that he was not a candidate, pronounced an obituary over his friend who has recently withdrawn from the political arena, explaining how he was cruelly stabbed in the back, etc.

Max Landreville and J. E. Binet made a few remarks and were followed by George Brimston.

Mr. Macaulay at this point upon being observed in the rear of the hall came forward in response to loud cries for him and said: "I greatly regret I was not here at the beginning of the meeting, having been detained by a similar gathering at South Dawson from which I have just returned. I have felt at all times that you have heard enough from me as I have not the gift of oratory possessed by many of my opponents, and I think you have had sufficient now. What we want is more work and less play. Boys, I'll be with you tomorrow night and you can depend upon it."

The cheers which greeted Mr. Macaulay as he took his seat were simply deafening.

A couple of other unimportant speakers appeared, one of whom asked Mr. Macaulay to repeat the statements he had made a short time previous at the South Dawson meeting.

WILL PRESENT NEW MAYOR

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Manager William Bittner has arranged for introducing the newly elected mayor of Dawson to the patrons of the Auditorium from the stage tonight.

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New York, Feb. 5.—Whitelaw Reid has invited Miss Alice Roosevelt, the eldest daughter of the president, to accompany him to London as his guest when he goes to attend the coronation of King Edward.

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Has Recovered.

Mrs. Jack McDonald, who has been ill at St. Mary's hospital the past week, has returned to her home on Third avenue north.

Why Not

Ottawa, Feb. 5.—The Ontario College of Pharmacy will hereafter recognize diplomas from the British Columbia board.

Horse Sale

New York, Feb. 5.—The Fasig-Tipton horse sale closed yesterday. The total receipts were \$220,265, an average of \$377 per horse.

Incompetent

London, Feb. 5.—Inquiry into the army remount scandal shows that the British purchasing officers were grossly incompetent.

Indefinite

London, Feb. 5.—Lord Salisbury insists that he will retire from politics as soon as the war is ended.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Condensed Dispatches

End Company's colliery at Mocanaqua, Pa., went on strike because non-union workmen were employed.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. DeYoung, of San Francisco, were entertained at lunch by Charlemagne Tower, the United States ambassador at St. Petersburg.

Benjamin Ide Wheeler, president of the University of California, is being considered as a candidate for the presidency of the University of Wisconsin, to succeed Dr. Adams.

The International Olympic Games Association, through its president, has appointed a committee of Chicago men to arrange spectacular evening performances on an enormous scale during the Olympic games of 1904.

Kelly Wiley, (colored), who was arrested on a charge of robbing Albert Lowenthal of the Hotel Portland two months ago, has been sentenced to seven years in the penitentiary.

William Allen White, the Kansas author and newspaper man, is sick and has given up work for the present. He, with his family, is going to Colorado Springs for a rest.

Mme. Marcella Sembali, returning to her hotel from a drive, tried to call her maid, but found that she could hardly speak.

A fire of incendiary origin broke out at Goldfields, Colo., and for a time threatened the destruction of the town. For forty minutes there was no water in the mains and the firemen fought the flames by tearing down buildings.

Ernest Gutschow, manager of the American Tobacco Company's works at San Francisco, Judge Bernard Phillips and Rufus Patterson are in St. Petersburg investigating the tobacco industry for the American Tobacco Company.

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