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OVERWHELMING VICTORY FOR RUTHERFORD ADMINISTRATION

Triumphant Return at the Polls of the Liberal Government—Alberta Expresses Her Complete Satisfaction.

THE FOUR CABINET MINISTERS SECURE MAGNIFICENT MAJORITIES

Notable Victories Scored in Edmonton and Calgary, Where Cross and Cushing Head the

SUMMARY OF RESULT

Liberals	33
Conservatives	2
Independents	1
Deferred	2
Total	68

Up to the time of going to press the returns received show an overwhelming victory for the Rutherford Government. The Liberals have gained 33 seats, with 2 doubtful and 2 deferred elections. The doubtful seats are Claresholm and Macleod, where the reports are incomplete. Macleod, with one poll to hear from, gives Colin Egan, Liberal, a lead of 11, with 8 disputed ballots. The deferred elections are in Peace River and Athabasca.

LIBERALS.	
Alexandra—A. Bramley Moore.	Medicine Hat—Hon. W. T. Finlay.
Calgary—Hon. W. H. Cushing.	Nanton—J. M. Glendinning.
Cardston—Geo. P. Smith.	Okotoks—Dr. Campbell.
Cardston—J. W. Woolf.	Pincher Creek—Dr. Warnock.
Cochrane—Hon. C. W. Fisher.	Ponoka—Dr. Campbell.
Didsbury—J. E. Stauffer.	St. Albert—Hon. A. C. Rutherford.
Edmonton—Hon. C. W. Cross.	St. Albert—L. Boudreau.
Edmonton—John A. McDougall.	Stoney Plain—J. A. McPherson.
Gleichen—E. H. Riley.	Stettin—Robert Shaw.
High River—L. M. Roberts.	Vegreville—J. B. Holden.
Innisfail—John A. Simpson.	Vermilion—Arch. Campbell.
Lethbridge City—W. A. Buchanan.	Wetaskiwin—Charles Olin.
Lethbridge Dis.—Dr. J. H. Rivers.	

LIBERALS BY ACCLAMATION.	
Pembina—W. H. McKenney.	
Pakan—P. E. Lesard.	
Sturgeon—J. R. Boyle.	
Sedgewick—Charles Stewart.	

CONSERVATIVES.	
Okotoks—George Hoadley.	

INDEPENDENTS.	
Red Deer—E. Mitchner.	

SOCIALISTS.	
Rocky Mountain—C. M. O'Brien.	
DOUBTFUL—Claresholm, Macleod.	
DEFERRED ELECTIONS—Athabasca, Peace River.	

CROSS AND M'DOUGALL BOTH GIVEN MAGNIFICENT MAJORITIES

Messrs. Cross and McDougall Accorded a Magnificent Reception at the Liberal Club Rooms and at the Balcony of the Windsor Hotel. Both Representatives Express Their Appreciation of the Support Which Was Accorded by the Edmonton Electors.

The Rutherford government won a phenomenal victory at the polls on Monday. Through the returns are incomplete as yet, the appearances at an early hour this morning are that the Opposition in the new House will be numerically as small as in the last. The final tally compiled by the C.P.R. telegraphic department during the night gives the Conservatives two members—E. B. Bennett in Calgary and George Hoadley in Okotoks, with E. Michener, Independent Liberal, elected in Red Deer, and O'Brien, Socialist, probably elected in Rocky Mountains. The other 23 candidates given an elected yesterday are members and supporters of the government. Eight government supporters were elected by acclamation in week ago. The two northern constituencies where elections are deferred are Athabasca and Peace River.

This makes the line-up in the new House according to the present count: Government..... 33 Opposition..... 2 Independent..... 1 Socialist..... 1 Doubtful..... 2 Don't know..... 2

This line-up is the result of subject to variation to a degree as the belated returns come in, but it is unlikely that proportions will be materially changed. These returns should all be in during the day and tomorrow's paper will contain all available information in detail.

The four cabinet ministers piled up splendid majorities. Premier Rutherford's majority in Strathcona will exceed a thousand. Rice Sheppard, his opponent, losing his deposit. Hon. C. W. Cross' magnificent majority in Edmonton is the largest in the province. It is probable A. F. Ewing, the Conservative candidate, will lose his deposit. Hon. W. H. Cushing, in Calgary, secured a vote which has surprised the province. The sectional cry was the chief argument used by E. B. Bennett in his campaign against the Minister of Public Works, who, like Hon. C. W. Cross, was made the object of specific opposition. The vote in Calgary was: Cushing 275, Bennett 244. Ewing 189, Blow 174, Howel 675. Hon. W. T. Finlay's majority in Medicine Hat was remarkable in view of the fact that his opponent, Colonel Cheson, gave the Minister of Agriculture an exceedingly close run at the last provincial elections. Mr. Cross secured 1,209, and his opponent, W. A. Griesbach, 516. Mr. Cross' majority was 3,274 in spite of the fact that there were two opposing candidates in the field and that splitting of votes was freely practised. Mr. Ewing's total vote was 1,297, giving Mr. Cross a majority over his Conservative opponent of 1,634, or more than double the vote secured by Mr. Ewing.

THE FOUR CABINET MINISTERS RE-ELECTED.



HON. A. C. RUTHERFORD, L.D., Premier, Strathcona. HON. C. W. CROSS, Attorney-General, Edmonton. HON. W. T. FINLAY, Minister of Public Works, Calgary. HON. W. H. CUSHING, Minister of Agriculture, Medicine Hat.

ARE BRITAIN AND GERMANY TO WAR?

Canadian Militiamen Believe Germany is Preparing to Make War on England.

FATHER PAYS RANSOM AND RECOVERS SON

Kidnappers Returned Billy Whitt to His Father in Cleveland Yesterday Upon Receipt of \$10,000—Ransom Paid Secretly.

Cleveland, Ohio, March 22—Billy Whitt walked into the arms of his father in the Hollenden hotel here tonight at 8:30 o'clock. Accompanied by a policeman, to whom the conductor of a Payne avenue street car had turned over the boy at the Hollenden corner, the eight-year-old boy, who had been sitting there for three hours, anxious because of one bungling attempt to pay ransom, leaped to his feet as he saw through the crowd the child kidnappers. His father, who had been waiting in the Hollenden hotel for the return of his son, was never for a moment in doubt, and it was only a question of what the Liberal majority would be. The Liberal club rooms in the Windsor hotel were soon crowded to the doors and Jasper avenue east and west presented a scene of a great moving through of people. The first presentation, which was founded on the early returns from the polls, was that the Liberal candidates would have a most overwhelming majority and that Attorney-General Cross would easily lead the polls. The returns from the thirty-three polls in the city were forwarded to the office of Secretary McKinnon at the Liberal club rooms as soon as completed, and from the platform of the great hall P. E. Lesard, the member elect for Pakan, communicated the vote to a packed audience.

Not a Party Vote.

As the result of one polling division after another was recorded it was evident that a straight party vote had not been the order of the day. Had it been for the splitting of votes, which chiefly benefited the Conservative, and Mr. Galbraith, the Independent candidate, the Liberal victory would have been much greater. What there was such a large split vote it was difficult to conjecture, and could most easily be ascertained by saying that the Liberal vote was 1,297, giving Mr. Cross a majority over his Conservative opponent of 1,634, or more than double the vote secured by Mr. Ewing.

PRISONERS BLOWN FROM GUNS.

Twelve Hundred Arrests Reported From Jullalabad, Afghanistan.

TRIED TO MURDER SISTER.

Frederick Clark, Who Attempted to Burialize Brother's House, Arrested.

Montreal, Mar. 22—With a loaded revolver in his possession, Frederick Clark, 30 years of age, of Wellington street, whom the detectives had been looking for since Saturday week on the charge of house-breaking and attempting to murder his sister, was picked up on West Craig street tonight. Clark and a companion broke into his brother's house, 947 Wellington street, Point St. Charles, a week ago Saturday and when discovered in the basement by Miss Sarah Clark, they rained blows on her head with an iron bar until she fell bleeding and unconscious at their feet. Had it not been for the presence in the house of two dogs, an Irish terrier, and a collie, who attacked the two men, and alarmed another sister, who was upstairs in bed, she might have met a similar fate. When the sister rushed to the head of the stairs, she saw the light revolver hanging to the arm of a man, who had an iron bar in his hand and who was half way across the dining room, while the collie dog was barking and facing someone in the basement. It was a few minutes before the police arrived, and when the girl upstairs seized a window and shouted for help, the man who was in the house fled out the back and made their escape. Before Miss Clark was felled by an iron bar, she recognized her brother and despite her appeal, "Oh, Fred, you would not kill your sister," she was struck down by his companion.

THE PROGRESS OF WESTERN CANADA

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STRIKERS RESUME POSTS.

Back of the Paris Telegraph and Postal Strike Broken.

Aid For Dr. Grenfell's Work.

Winnipeg, March 22—Considerably over \$1,000 was raised for the work of Dr. Wilfred T. Grenfell among the deep-sea fishermen of Labrador yesterday. The collection at the Walker Theatre meeting in the afternoon realized nearly \$1,000, and to this will be added the collections at Augustine Church in the morning and at the First Baptist Church at the evening service.

Prince Rupert Has a Daily.

Prince Rupert, B. C., March 22—The Evening Bulletin, the first daily here, started issuing today. It is Liberal in politics.

Balloonists Lost.

Los Angeles, Calif., March 22—Downing anxiety is being felt for the six men in the balloon "American," which disappeared in the Sierra Mountains east of here last Saturday evening, just before the beginning of a blinding snow storm which covered the mountain top with from two to four feet of snow. After a search of nearly sixty hours, no trace of the missing men has been found.

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Sold Wheat For \$1 Cash.

Gretna, Man., March 22—One of the local farmers sold his wheat last week, some 14,000 bushels, for which he received \$14,000 cash. It is estimated that there is only about 10,000 bushels of wheat in the hands of the Gretna district farmers for sale or hold for seed. Settlers are still arriving at this port in large numbers.

Castro Embarks For Home.

President, Saxony, March 22—President Castro, of Venezuela, today started for Bordeaux where he embarks on March 28 for an unknown Caribbean Port.

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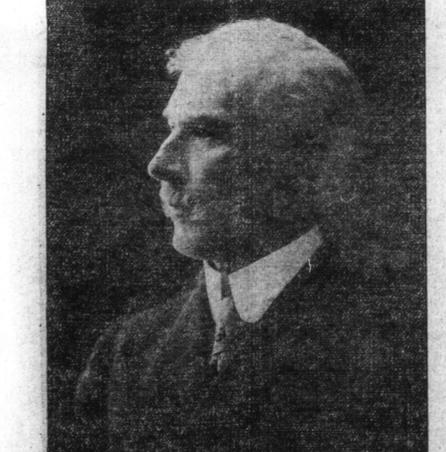
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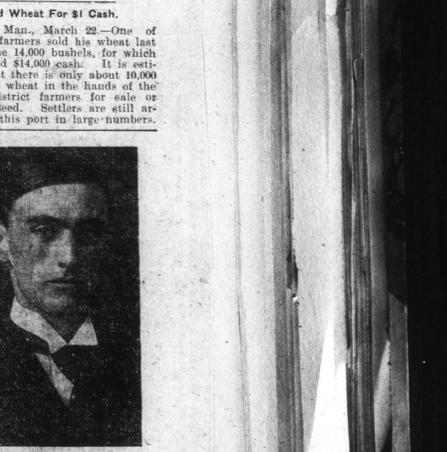
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THE VERDICT.

The triumph of the Rutherford Government yesterday is easily explained. They gave the people the kind of administration the people wanted. They have been scientifically loyal to public interests, alert to opportunities for promoting the public welfare and courageous in embracing them. They won success because they deserved it. Something more than perfunctory opposition is required to alienate public confidence from a Government that is honest and businesslike in its management of public business, progressive in policy and sensitive to public opinion. Yet the opposition to the Government was essentially and conspicuously perfunctory. It had no foundation in principle and lacking that could not disguise the fact that it originated in other than public spirit. Neither in convention nor in the campaign did the Government's opponents locate points of divergence from the Government's policy sufficient to afford fighting ground. Neither in the Government's record did they find the means of destroying public confidence in the administration.

Lacking this legitimate basis for opposition the critics were discredited by the simple fact of their being critics. Their hostility bore the earmarks of selfishness because it could not display the warrant for its existence on public grounds. It was measured by the public as criticism for the good of the critics and treated accordingly.

To be candid, the public did not pay much attention to the opposing gentlemen. They were not taken seriously because they could not convince the public that they deserved to be so taken. To clamor for power without being able to assign good and sufficient reason why the other fellows should be put out of power is to arouse suspicion rather than to gain support. This suspicion the Government's opponents drew upon themselves by their inability to say just why they were opponents. Being unwise or unwilling to say this the public assigned to the motives that seemed most probable. They were put down as office-seekers and to promote their own ends at best they were opponents. This suspicion was strengthened by the absolute lack of harmony among the opponents. Without any clearly defined course of action save the general one of hostility toward the Government they naturally adopted in different parts of the country the tactics which seemed locally most promising. Men who cannot agree among themselves or who are at open variance on leading subjects of controversy need not be surprised if they do not win adherents. The public demand some definite idea of what they are asked to vote for.

The return of the Government has been confidently expected and resolutely intended by the public. This has been apparent from the beginning of the campaign. It was apparent long before the campaign opened. Whatever may be said in favor of long election campaigns there was no need of a long campaign in Alberta. The record of the Government has been a matter of common knowledge from the settlements of the north to the international boundary.

The people were ready to vote on the merits of the Government's policy as exemplified in their works whenever opportunity might be given them. The vote yesterday is their verdict on the administration of the past three and a half years and their mandate to continue the good work.

A TESTIMONY OF WORTH. The successful candidates may well be proud of the result in Edmonton. It is a tribute to the worth of their public service. The campaign against the Attorney General waged almost exclusively around the legislation for which he was personally responsible, and the result is the public pronouncement on what score. Mr. McDougall in large degree owes his magnificent vote to the capacity he displayed in the city hall last year. To both, the electors tendered their appreciation for past public service and opened the way for like service in the future.

ACCUMULATING TROUBLES. For years Manitoba and Ontario have had eyes on the southern half of Keewatin territory. Both wanted all of it, or failing that, as much as they could get. The territory is believed to be rich in minerals as well as containing a large amount of agricultural land. More, the territory fronts on Hudson Bay and the possession of the ports to be built up there when western traffic finds an outlet to the

THE KINRADE INQUEST

ADJOURNED A MONTH

Crown Believed to be Following up Important Investigation—Evidence Submitted on Friday Night Does Not Materially Affect Story of Kinrade Family.

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DO IT. The Minister of Railways has decided that the Intercolonial ought to be transmigrated from a white elephant to a solvent railway system. To accomplish this he says it will be necessary to put the actual management in the hands of railway men, to hitch the line onto a transcontinental system and to build branches for feeders. Both the end and the means are commendable. Likewise the accompanying condition that responsibility for the concern is to be kept in the hands of the popular representatives.

PATCHING UP DIFFICULTIES. Coal and Steel Interests Getting Together—To Continue Original Contract.

Montreal, March 19.—A tentative agreement was today reached between J. H. Plummer and C. H. Cahan, representatives of the steel and coal interests respectively. The agreement provides for the continuation of the original contract and arrangement for the payment of damages by the Coal Company up to the present time. The steel people waiving claims for future damages and the coal people waiving their claims for past damages. The agreement was signed this evening. The coal people had finally refused to sign this agreement unless the Coal people promised to pay the steel people, without delay, the excess price which they have had to pay for coal since August, 1906. Mr. Plummer claims that this money should be paid over at once, the remaining claims of the steel people being left to be determined by the referees to be appointed by the Nova Scotia courts.

The Coal people do not appear inclined to agree to this at once, and the result may be a prolongation of the negotiations. It is argued by the coal people that the steel company should present a full statement of their claims without delay, both direct damages and indirect losses, so that the whole thing may be cleared up without necessity for further litigation which, in their opinion, would clear the way at once for a resumption of amicable relations between the two companies.

DENONCED LABOR DECISION. Trades Unionists Parade in Boston to Show Their Strong Disapproval.

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A large meeting was held in Faneuil Hall, where a resolution was drawn up in which it was alleged that the courts were biased and the laws directed at one class only. Judge Wright was accused of using "intemperate and bitter language to representatives of organized labor," and it was said that he "was not a fit person to handle the case."

Copies of the resolution were sent to President Taft, Vice-President Sherman and Speaker Cannon.

Sits for Saskatoon High School. Saskatoon, Sask., Mar. 17.—The trustees of the high school board today selected a site on what is known as the Louis grounds as a site for a new \$100,000 school which it is proposed to erect this summer. The site comprises 3 1/4 acres and is across the river. It cost \$18,000.

Present Britain With Dreadnaught. Melbourne, March 19.—The Age prints a suggestion that Australia should purchase a dreadnaught from Britain as a free gift, apart from the naval subsidy. The Age, which differs with the Age in many local questions, cordially supports the suggestion.

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Vienna, March 17.—Public opinion is greatly excited, owing to the belief that war with Serbia is imminent. In the lower house Tuesday the bill fixing the number of new recruits for the army this year was being debated. The president of the house said: "There is something in the air which causes me to advise you to hurry your vote on the recruitment bill." Premier Biorich said: "The reply of the Serbian government to our communications of March 8 will not meet with our expectations. We will not be able to discuss economic questions with Serbia until we have a clear and satisfactory statement of her true intention." This declaration binds the Premier to compel Serbia to show her hand and a new note will be presented. The declaration binds the Premier to compel Serbia to show her hand and a new note will be presented. The declaration binds the Premier to compel Serbia to show her hand and a new note will be presented.

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be converted, are to lose what sailors call their topmasts. The heavy military units, the wheelhouse and the after-bridge, as well as most of the lifeboats, are to disappear. Hereafter not to exceed three small launches will be carried after a battleship. The theory is that good fighting men will not abandon the ship until there are so few of them left that a few boats and a few small launches will be carried after a battleship. The theory is that good fighting men will not abandon the ship until there are so few of them left that a few boats and a few small launches will be carried after a battleship.

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Three Men Killed and Another Injured in Smash in Coeur d'Alene.

Spokane, March 22.—That an assassin deliberately blew up the Coeur d'Alene powder works near Wallace, Idaho, yesterday morning, is the belief of the managers of the Coeur d'Alene. Concentrating on the plant, the explosion destroyed the buildings of the plant were destroyed except the nitro-glycerine house. The dead were J. S. Kalsberg, foreman Peter Poon and Alvin Nelson. Engineer J. K. Oshvish was badly injured. It is believed that the powder mill would have blown up in about half a mile from the plant, had it not been for the explosion, and was running. No arrests have been made yet. It is expected the mill will be rebuilt with some changes to reduce the dangers.

W. A. BUCHANAN, (Lib.)

Who Defeated W. C. Ives and the Late Member Donald McNab in Lethbridge.

TARIFF CHANGES TOO DRASTIC.

Says Schwab Dislikes to Disagree With Carnegie.

Detroit, Mich., March 22.—The Payne tariff bill is too drastic, the iron and steel schedules should not have been altered, declared Charles M. Schwab, in an interview here today. Mr. Schwab arrived here in his private car to address the Detroit board of commerce today at their monthly luncheon. He was the only one that entered into the manufacture of the cost of the labor. Remove the value of labor in European countries, women would go. We can compete with the world on this basis. It is all a question of labor in the end. No I don't mean that the tariff should be raised. It should be defended. Then you don't agree with your friend Mr. Carnegie? No, was asked. Mr. Carnegie was like a father to me. I will take issue with him on any question, Mr. Schwab.

W. F. PUFFER, (Lib.)

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Kaiser's Only Daughter 'Coming Out.'

Berlin, March 22.—The "Little Princess," as her father, Kaiser Wilhelm, calls his only daughter, is beginning to "come out." She will not be 17 years old until September, but already preparations are being made for her independent life. Her confirmation has been postponed beyond the usual age, the King wishing that immediately after that solemn ceremony the "Little Princess" shall be crowned. Her studies have not been remarkable for extent or variety.

MOOSE LAW BALK MEETING.

Moose Jaw, Sask., March 22.—A general meeting of the shareholders of the Moose Jaw baseball club was held tonight at which directors were appointed and a formal resolution passed instructing the secretary to take steps to enter a team in the newly formed Western Canada League. The meeting was well attended and prospects for success in the new league are assured. M. O. Taylor, the new manager, is expected here on Wednesday. The directors meet tomorrow when the remaining club officers will be elected.

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IN PERILOUS CONDITION.

Balloon Lost in the Mountains With Terrific Blizzard raging. Los Angeles, Cal., Mar. 22.—Lost somewhere on the mountains of the Gabriel range is the big balloon, American, which sailed from Pasadena yesterday with Captain Mueller and six men. No word has been received from the balloonists, who started in their flight and the relatives of the passengers are frantic with anxiety. Late this afternoon word came that the balloon had been drifting over the ranges in the direction of the Mojave desert, but this has not been verified. A terrific blizzard has been raging on the mountains today, the temperature having fallen below the freezing point, and unless the balloon is weathered, the storm and drifted out above it, their peril is very great.

WILLIE WHITLA KIDNAPPED.

Son of Prominent Attorney and Nephew of Iron King Held For Ransom.

Sharon, Pa., March 18.—Western Pennsylvania produced this afternoon what promises to be a rival to the famous Cuddey case of the West. Willie Whittle, eight years old, son of Attorney James P. Whittle, and favorite nephew of the famous iron king, P. M. Buehl, of this place, was kidnapped in broad daylight from the Sharon public schools by an Italian. Later in the day word was sent to the police and to the home of Buehl that for the sum of \$10,000 in gold the child would be restored. In each case instructions to "advertise in the newspapers where the money will be left were given."

LUCIEN BOUDREAU, (Lib.)

Successful Candidate Against Wilfrid Garfield and Omer St. Germain in St. Albert Constituency.

TOTAL PROHIBITION THE ULTIMATE GOAL.

Of the Alberta Temperance and Moral Reform League—To Agitate for Local Option by Straight Majority Vote—Annual Convention Decides on Official Organ.

Wetaskiwin, Mar. 19.—The third annual convention of a strict temperance and moral reform league was held here on Wednesday and Thursday. A very active year's work in organization was reported, there being now sixty branches of the league in the province and a definite and systematic campaign on foot throughout the field. The field secretary addressed nearly two hundred public meetings in the past year. A steadily increasing temperance sentiment in Alberta is reported, justifying the belief that with further education and agitation prohibition will be a probability before many years. The convention through its formal resolutions adopted a plan for the prohibition of the liquor traffic in Alberta as its ultimate goal toward which its efforts are directed. Official resolution called for a simplification of the local option law, including the provision of a straight majority vote, prohibition of liquor from the sale of electoral purity, the adoption of a series of text books on hygiene and temperance in the public schools, and approval of the election to the legislature of any licensed victualler. The attention of the convention was called by the league to the prevalence of gambling and immoralities in certain districts in the province, as well as in other parts of the province. A. G. W. Fortune, the field secretary, was elected president of the league. The intention is to invoke the protection of the law to suppress the gambling and immoralities of the present regulations until such time as a more rigid restriction shall be made.

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Canada and Imperial Navy.

Ottawa, Mar. 17.—There has been no official correspondence between the Canadian and Imperial governments bearing on the question of Canada contributing to the support of the British navy. Some time ago Col. Worthington brought in a motion that all correspondence in respect to this matter should be referred to the House. Today Hon. Charles Tupper brought down a reply thereto. It consisted of one sheet of paper, on which was written the following sentence: "There does not appear to be any correspondence upon this subject on record in the public departments."

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His Honor Judge Taylor in the District Court Decides Appeal Against Alberta Coal Co. in Favor of Miners—Company Guilty of Lock-out.

His Honor Judge H. C. Taylor has given judgment in the appeal case of George Harrison against the Alberta Coal Mining Co., setting aside the judgment of the magistrate and giving judgment for the plaintiff and awarding \$3000 and costs.

The action was brought by Geo. Harrison against the Alberta Coal Mining Co. for causing a lock-out between September 4th and 5th, 1908, by refusing to employ 25 of its employees in its mine in consequence of a dispute as to wages, with a view of compelling the employees to accept the company's terms of employment.

According to the evidence there was an agreement between the company and the men on August 15th to pay twenty cents a car for coal mined. On September 2nd the mine was closed. No notice was given to the men of such closing. Some two or three days after this the men were told that they could go to work at twenty cents a car. They refused to accept this, and an agreement was made on the 8th with the men to return to work at \$3 a day, but the number of men to be employed was to be reduced to 12 or 15. There had been 20 to 25 employed previously.

In regard to the agreement of August 15th, this, I understand, was made by the officers of the union with the company. Is that a valid agreement? Suppose the union had no status in court. Could the union not act as the agent of the men in making an agreement with the company, but I do not think that the agreement can be attacked in the action. The main point is that the parties were working under the same conditions at the time the mine was closed.

The manager says because there were no cars to take away the mine was closed. This is a perfectly legitimate reason for closing down the mine or laying off a portion of the men, but we find on the 4th or 5th of September that the men are told that they can return to work if they will accept 70 cents per car instead of 50 cents. This is the time it seems to me, the lock-out started. There would have been no lock-out if that men on that day had been told that they could return to work at the same wage that they were getting before being laid off.

At Newington, where he told one of the miners that he could not possibly pay 90 cents per car and operate his mine, but it seems to me that his conduct afterwards is not in accordance with this denial. There is no dispute to the evidence that in the meeting the evidence is that he told them a new offer. If he were satisfied with the former wages, why did he treat with the men for new terms? Why did he not say, I have cars now and the mine can be operated?

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STRIKE OF POSTAL AND TELEGRAPH EMPLOYEES SERIOUSLY AFFECTS BUSINESS

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Soldiers Deliver Mail. The day until 7 o'clock tonight, passed quietly. Late in the afternoon some young royalists took advantage of the demoralized conditions and created a disturbance in the operating plant. The strike situation is better today. The government has placed soldiers in the telegraph office and soldiers will also distribute letters. Telephone communication has been established with Brussels, Berlin and London. It is believed that Simyan will resign tomorrow. The strikers would then resign tomorrow. (This is the first dispatch to be put through the direct telegraph line from Paris to New York.) The French line from Paris to Brazil is open for an hour, but after that time the company makes no promise to forward messages.

Will Discharge Strikers. The cabinet tonight decided to discharge all who were in the service of the state and are now on strike, and also declared its intention of fighting the strikers to a finish. Many mercantile firms have offered the government the services of their employees in an effort to restore normal conditions. It is believed here tonight that the government will not call on the reserves to help for such a measure as the strikers are now on strike. The resignation of M. Simyan, chief of posts and telegraphs, is expected. The public service is paralyzed and the government's efforts to improve the service have proved abortive. The military telegraphers are incompetent for commercial work and thousands of telegrams are forwarded to the frontier for transmission. Telegraphs are in bad shape. It is thought that the government will have to do as great a difficulty as being organized in the future. The strikers are peaceful.

Twenty in One Family. Oldman Range from Seven Days to 30 Years. London, March 17.—The birth of twins to the wife of ex-Sergeant R. Wheeler of the Oldman Range, has brought up the number of his family to twenty, the eldest being 34 years and the youngest being 10 months old.

Mr. Humphries, who has been for the last twenty-two years in the employ of the Great Eastern Railway, has died. He was 82 years of age and was a non-commissioned officer. Three of his sons are also employed on the railway. One of his sons was in 1890, and the other is employed by the Great Eastern Railway Co. He was married to the present wife, who was then a widow with four children—two boys and two girls. His first wife had been born to them—two boys and two girls.

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Mr. Revillon's chief interest rests with the financial end of the immense business established by Revillon Bros. on this continent, and he is well acquainted with the financial matters of finance that he is most thoroughly acquainted, although he has never before been in the city. He is a contributor to the principal French economic journals.

He is greatly impressed with Edmonton and expects to visit this city at least once every year in the future. In conversation with a Bulletin reporter yesterday, Mr. Revillon laid particular stress upon the financial conditions in Europe and expected to be in Edmonton in the near future.

The financial situation is improving rapidly in France, he said. "The recent agreement reached between our country and Germany has given us greater stability to business than has existed for years when the relations between the two countries were so unsettled. The result of the Franco-German understanding will be a much better commercial situation in both countries."

"What effect will the treaty between Canada and France now awaiting ratification by the French government have upon our relations?" Mr. Revillon was asked. "A treaty will do much to better the commercial relations between Canada and France," was the reply. "The visit of Hon. W. P. Fielding to Paris has done much to make the French people better known by the French people. The new treaty will be a good thing and will greatly benefit both countries."

"Canada is well liked by the French people," Mr. Revillon continued, "and is now becoming well known in our country. Capitalists are taking a deep interest especially in Western Canada. There is an influx of much French money for the development of this country."

Mr. Revillon's business, to Edmonton particularly at this time was in connection with the changes being made in the management of the firm's business in this district. He has been in charge here for the past three years and has largely worked up the business in this district. He has been promoted to the high position of general manager of the New York office. Mr. Revillon is a well-known figure in the Paris office. Mr. Revillon is a well-known figure in the Paris office.

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Superstitions Affect the Ship. London, March 19.—The Tebran, respondent of the Times says that while the ship was waiting a revolver fell around his waist Thursday afternoon, the revolver accidentally exploded and his Majesty was wounded in the arm. It is reported that the ship was starting to shoot rabbits. The incident will possibly be interpreted as an omen warning His Majesty's voyage. The ship was wounded, and may have an effect on the country's situation, as occurrences to individuals are supposed to be a month are supposed to shape events for them throughout the year.

Helped to Capture Robbers. Armed With a Revolver, Girl Aids Sheriff and Father With Rifle. Unkenville, Conn., March 19.—Assisted by her father, Sheriff, and a young man, a girl helped to capture a pair of robbers. The girl was armed with a revolver and her father with a rifle. They were successful in capturing the robbers.

NEWSPAPERMAN GETS PLACE. Assistant Deputy of Labor Department to Succeed Ackland. Ottawa, Ont., March 20.—Gerald H. Brown, for several years general manager of the various Canadian and English newspapers, has been appointed assistant deputy of the Labor department. This is a new post, the duties including those pertaining to the secretariat of the department, which were performed by F. A. Ackland till his appointment as deputy minister, succeeding MacRae King.

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SOCIALISTS AFTER MAFIA. Planning to Drive Organization Out of Rome—Police Ask Watchful.

Rome, March 20.—All the Socialist workers' organizations in Palermo are considering plans for driving the Mafia out of the city. The Police of Palermo's police is rigidly enforcing the law prohibiting the carrying of arms. The unknown activities of the police has caused many criminals to leave town. The Mafia is trying to intimidate the population and has succeeded so well that the proposed citizens' demonstration against the Mafia has been abandoned. Nobody would sign the proclamation intended to be inserted in the newspapers.

24 YEARS AGO TODAY. Taken from the files of the Edmonton Bulletin, Saturday, March 21, 1885. Roads here. Wintery this morning. Streets in town are getting dry. Snow and horses have been feeding out all winter. The bridge at St. Albert is being put in order to meet the spring run of ice. Mr. W. H. R. is returning from a fishing trip to Lac la Biche. Roads here. P. F. P. is returning from a fishing trip to Lac la Biche. Roads here.

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Admiral Kennedy Says, but Britain Build Two Ships for Germany's One—Government Decides Not to Include Two New Dreadnaughts in Current Estimate.

London, Mar. 20.—It is understood according to the Evening Standard that the navy crisis was the subject of consideration at a meeting of the cabinet on Friday. It was afterwards stated in the lobby that the government has determined to adhere to the position taken by the prime minister on Monday last, and to build only two place four more Dreadnaughts in the current estimates. The advice he submitted in this matter is that of Admiral Sir John Fisher, who submitted to the cabinet a long memorandum on the subject of the navy. The debate on the estimates will be resumed on Monday and the opposition, with the support of several Liberals, will renew its demand that the construction of eight Dreadnaughts be at once approved, if the government declines to guarantee the construction of eight Dreadnaughts. The government will not be removed from the position of reasonable doubt.

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ON MIXED MARRIAGES.

Orange, Grand Master, Objects to R. C. Attitude. Fredericton, N. B., March 20.—The Grand Orange Lodge of New Brunswick met here yesterday. The Grand Secretary reported more than 4000 members in the province and that there was a substantial gain in the year just closed. Rev. Robt. Faldon, Grand Master, in his address, said in part—"A matter which ought to receive the attention of the Grand Lodge is the attitude of the Roman Catholic church toward mixed marriages, so-called by Protestant ministers. I regret that it is necessary for me to say that in this country, where liberty of conscience is supposed to be one of our greatest assets, the statements of a later issued from the palace in St. John can be looked upon as a blow at liberty and the emanation of a mind controlled by bigotry and intolerance. I regret to have to make a statement like this, but for my part, or Bishop of souls to urge social ostracism of those who see not as he sees is surely a reversion to things of a past better forgotten. Strong grounds should be taken in this matter, and I feel that it is my duty to bring this matter up by action upon the part of this Grand Lodge."

Wonders of Spineless Cactus. Burbank and Riedel Will Make Desert Smile Like the Rose. Paris, Mar. 20, via London, by a Special Messenger.—That the Desert of Sahara will blossom, if not like a garden, but like a rose, is the hope of the horticultural wizard, Luther Riedel, who has created the spineless cactus in a personal friend of Mr. Riedel, who has been making horticultural experiments in the Sahara. The spineless cactus will grow on a tin roof, Riedel says. With it he proposes to transform the Sahara into a tropical garden. The French government is making experiments to reclaim the desert. Mr. Riedel has a small island off the coast of Madeira, and the experiments were undertaken with the inferior kind of cactus. I propose to introduce in the Sahara the spineless cactus, which is not only good for food, but also for wool, animals and plants, for 94 per cent of this cactus is water. The spineless cactus is not only good for food, but also for wool, animals and plants, for 94 per cent of this cactus is water.

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NEW DIRECTORATE OF CROW'S NEST COAL CO.

Senator Jeffrey Resigns as He Does Not Want to be Connected With Institution Which is Now Under American Control. Toronto, March 21.—Elias Rogers, Toronto, president and treasurer, E. G. Whittney, Ottawa; J. P. Graves, Grand Smelter Company, British Columbia; Col. W. P. Clough, New York; H. B. McGivern, M. P., Ottawa; W. Robertson, Granby, Que.; R. M. Young, Toronto, secretary. This is the new board of directors of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company, Limited, representing the reorganizing interests in the corporation of J. J. Hill, of the G. N. Railway, and the Grand Smelter Company, Limited, which was set up on the 21st of last month. The board of directors, which was set up on the 21st of last month, will meet on the 21st of next month. The board of directors, which was set up on the 21st of last month, will meet on the 21st of next month.

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