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Mr. Dickinson said: "The decision should be very gratifying to the United States as its contention on the main points have been fully sustained. The question of the Portland canal was fairly debatable and although I thought the merits of the controversy were with the United States, I have too much confidence in the integrity and ability of the tribunal to question its justice. Canada got all she could have with any reason expected, and will no doubt, in time, be reconciled to its wisdom. If the contro- versy had been left undecided, it probably would have been a fruitful source of very acute trouble. No man who values peace and the friendly relation which should exist between such closely allied and kindred countries, should, when the first feeling of disappointment has passed, fail to rejoice at the fact that this matter has been determined."

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Steamship and Railway Companies Are to Hold Themselves Ready for Any Emergency.

Yokohama, Oct. 21.—The ministerial conference, naval preparations, notably the appointment of Vice-Admiral Loga, known as a "fighting admiral," to com- mand the standing squadron, have led to a renewal of the anticipations of trouble. Some decided development in the crisis is expected shortly. The steamship and railroad companies are reported to have been notified to be in readiness for emergency.

May Remain.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 21.—A dispatch to the Novoe Vremya, from Vladivostok under today's date, says: "The Japanese government has informed its consul here that there is no reason why the Japanese should leave Vladivostok. This was in reply to a query of the consul on the subject."

Opening of Ports.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 21.—The Navy-krail, of Port Arthur, commenting on the commercial treaty between the United States and China, declares that article twelve (opening ports in Manchuria to United States trade) strikes at the very heart of Russian interests in Manchuria, and says it is convinced the treaty will only be ratified after material modifica- tions, which, by virtue of existing relations, is not free so long as Russia has not definitely come to an understanding with China regarding her rights.

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This is the situation that awaits the Liberal party under its new leader, Mr. Macdonald.

There were in the assembly, which had gathered for the purpose of selecting an official, recognized leader many men capable of leading the Liberal party successfully.

At this stage in the history of British Columbia, at this turning point in the fortunes of the Liberal party of the province, much depends upon the capacity for leadership displayed by the heads of the respective parties.

There are still grifters among us. There are yet ricklers in abundance awaiting exploitation which persons and corporations in the sacred name of patriotism would be pleased to undertake the development of.

We implicitly believe that the ball is in the feet of the Liberal party, and that before the end of the present year, acting harmoniously and aggressively under its elected chief, it will score.

NOT AN UNMIXED EVIL.

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It would be better for the reputation of British newspapers if they would hold their peace about Canadian affairs.

THE BOUNDARY.

The Canadian representatives on the Alaska Boundary Commission have shed some light on the manner in which the judgment of the tribunal was reached.

The returning officer at Fernie, who is a law partner of the man he declared elected, we have not the least doubt in the world, being a man of integrity.

Mr. Ross's partner to declare Mr. Smith, a Liberal, the choice of the electors, as there is no doubt whatever that morally he is the member for Fernie.

A sample of Tory trickery is afforded by the petitions presented to Parliament in opposition to the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway.

The Colonist is an inveterate Mugwump. It is in a state of chronic dissatisfaction. It fought against the assumption by Mr. McBride of the leadership of the Conservative party.

The Pall Mall Gazette says: "Laurier has raised the politics of the Dominion to a plane upon which they have gained an unprecedented measure of attention of an international character."

The Colonist has a grudge against the dredge. And no wonder. The King Edward, we frankly admit, has buried some of our contemporary's favorites as deeply as if they were under the lowest depths of mud the thing of wood and iron, the value of which must be estimated by the demand for its services, has deposited on the flats.

It is urged against the new Liberal leader in British Columbia that he is a comparatively unknown man. The same objection was raised to the elevation of Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

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An Exciting Day in the Business Circles of Baltimore.

Baltimore, Md., Oct. 19.—This has been a day of marked excitement and subdued anxiety in the financial and in the business circles of Baltimore, and a day of rumors, calculated to cause a run on the banks of the city, were allayed before they reached large proportions.

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Rosslund's Representative Chosen as Party Leader---W. W. B. McInnes a Strong Candidate For the Post.

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JAMES BAY BRIDGE WILL BE REOPENED

UNDER REGULATIONS OF CITY ENGINEER

Decided at Tuesday's Meeting of the City Council—Report of the Public Works Committee. The city council on Tuesday decided to reopen the James Bay bridge for ordinary traffic under the supervision of the city engineer.

FORESTERS MEET IN ANNUAL CONVENTION

The Session Opened in Pythias Hall Yesterday—Business Transacted—Banquet Tuesday. Between twenty and twenty-five representatives of A. O. F. lodges of different points in the province are gathered in Victoria.

HOUSTON TO BE OPOSED.

He Will Not Be Returned by Acclamation in Nelson City—The Fernie Record. The recent before County Judge Ewin of the ballots cast in the recent election contest at Fernie has been postponed for a week.

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FORESTERS JOIN AT BANQUET TABLE GATHERED AT VERNON HOTEL ON TUESDAY. Mayor McCandless Made Some Interesting Statements, Responding to Toast "Our City"

Upwards of a hundred guests sat down at the banquet last evening tendered by Court Vancouver, No. 5,755, and Court Northern Light, No. 5,935, to the District Court. The latter has been in annual session for the last few years.

BUYING TIMBER.

Company of United States Capitalists Is Commencing Operations on Vancouver Island. J. B. Dorfmann, who is at the head of a company of United States capitalists which is acquiring timber on Vancouver Island, is past the first days purchased several blocks of timber land from James Dufman.

WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS.

Victoria Meteorological Office, October 14th to 20th, 1903. The weather during the past week has been chiefly noticeable for the almost total absence of precipitation in this province.

At the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home on Tuesday an attractive harvest tea meeting was held.

Seven new targets for gallery ammunition practice in the drill hall have been received from Ottawa.

On Tuesday an entertainment was given at Knox Presbyterian church, Spring Ridge.

At the regular meeting of the International Brotherhood of Blacksmiths held on the following evening...

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The Windsor Grocery Company has announced that their new headquarters at the new Metropolitan block...

The contract has been awarded to Thomas Gattrell, builder, for the construction of a fine residence facing Mount Baker avenue...

A Victoria bred mare is coming to the front in the races at Walla Walla, Washington.

The regular fortnightly meeting of the Mother's Club was held Wednesday afternoon at the Spring Ridge school.

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William Simpson, the boy of 13 years of age who stated that he had been shot at by a hunter who then ran away, has explained to Provincial Constable Co. that the first story told by him was a fabrication.

An important real estate deal was transacted on Thursday when Messrs. George Mackay and Harry Maloney, proprietors of the Brown Jug, purchased the corner in which their business is transacted.

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Preparations for Benefit to be Tendered W. J. Harris on Saturday Evening - A Splendid Programme.

Arrangements are now complete for the benefit concert in the Victoria theatre Saturday evening, tendered to W. J. Harris by the Musicians' Mutual Protective Union...

The committee having preparations in hand composed of Conductor Emil Herdner, Bandmaster T. M. Finn, Bandmaster J. F. Rausch, H. Sampson, F. Shepherd, T. F. Gold, J. C. North, A. E. Greenwood, and J. McWeevey, have every reason to feel gratified...

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Dear Sir:—I am directed by the Agent-General to say he finds he did not advise you personally of the arrival of the four cases of preserved fruits for the Royal Horticultural Society's show at Chiswick.

The show of British fruit was not so large as usual, owing to the bad weather, but still it was wonderfully fine in apples, peaches and grapes, and the vegetables were as nearly perfect as possible.

Mr. Turner hopes an arrangement will be effected so as to send a good selection of fresh fruit next year, and he thinks it very desirable that the agricultural department should become a member of the Royal Horticultural Society.

The Provincial Gazette this week contains notices of the following appointments: E. Curtis, of Lowe Inlet, to be a justice of the peace.

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Forewarned is Forearmed. The Grocers' Trust is still trying to force us into their combine on prices which we still refuse to do. Our fight is your fight.

Morgan's Eastern Oysters... McLaren's Imperial Cheese (New)... McLaren's Roquefort Cheese (New)... Heaton's English Mixed Pickles... Heaton's English Chow Chow... French Sardines... Huckleberries...

DIXIE H. ROSS & CO., The Only Grocers That Are Not in The Combine

None Better--The Verdict. Of everyone who tastes our Tea or Coffee, if you have not tried them call at our stores and have a cup brewed from water heated by electricity.

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RETAIL MARKETS. There is very little change this week in quotations. Flour and other staple articles remain at the same price.

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The Sunlight way of washing requires little or no rubbing. You should try Sunlight Soap. Will not injure delicate fabrics.

DIED. CARLETON—At the Royal Jubilee hospital, on the 19th inst., George A. Carleton, aged 61 years, and a native of Portsmouth, N. H., England.

CONMEMORATION

MEETING LA... WAS... Stirring Speech Well-Known Program

There was a gathering in the hall of the Victoria Trades and Labor Council on Wednesday in celebration of the centenary of the birth of the late Sir James Douglas.

After the reading of the address by the chairman, Mr. J. H. Turner, the program consisted of a series of papers and addresses.

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Advertisement for '& CO., In The Combine' featuring 'Verdict' and listing various products.

Advertisement for 'Co., Ltd.' and 'y Co., Ltd.' with details about their government-stamped products.

Table of market prices for various commodities including oil, flour, and other goods.

Obituary notice for a woman who died at the Royal Jubilee hospital.

COMMEMORATED A GREAT VICTORY MEETING LAST NIGHT WAS WELL ATTENDED

Stirring Speeches Were Delivered by Well-Known Citizens—Interesting Programme Given.

There was a large attendance at the gathering in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium Wednesday in commemoration of the battle of Trafalgar.

Mr. Redfern reminded those present of the great occasion they were gathered together to celebrate.

Mr. Redfern asked, "If instead of a victory British arms had met with a reverse?"

G. J. Cook then gave "The Charge of the Light Brigade." This was recited in stirring style.

Continuing, he explained that ever since the days of the Roman Empire the nation that controlled the seas was most prosperous.

THE ANGLICAN SYNOD Held Its Annual Meeting Yesterday in Christ Church Schoolroom.

The synod of the diocese of Columbia opened Wednesday in this city. It began in the morning with prayer and holy communion in Christ Church cathedral.

The proposal to permit female suffrage in the Easter vestry meetings and church committees came up for discussion.

The synod gave its assent to the withdrawal of the diocese from its present relation to the Archbishop of Canterbury.

At a meeting of football enthusiasts held Tuesday afternoon at the offices of Messrs. Drake, Jackson & Helmcken it was decided that the club should be named the "Victoria Rugby Club."

WOOD'S PHOSPHORINE is an old, well established and reliable preparation.

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THE KENNEL SUGGESTS MEETING. The Vancouver Kennel Club has decided to make arrangements to hold its bench show next year.

BASEBALL. NEXT SEASON'S LEAGUE. President W. H. Lucas, of the Pacific National League, has gone to St. Louis to attend the meeting of the league managers.

ROGUEY FOOTBALL. SCHEDULE SUGGESTED. "The local senior league are practicing faithfully for the opening match of the season," says the Vancouver News-Advertiser.

RECORDS OF SEASON. In a summary of the lacrosse season the News-Advertiser, of Vancouver, says in part: "In some respects the lacrosse season just ended brought better results than the previous one."

GOOD TEMPLARS. Grand Lodge, concludes its Session at Nanaimo—The Election of Officers.

MOUNTAIN CLIMBING. Mrs. Workman Reached a Height of Over Twenty Thousand Feet.

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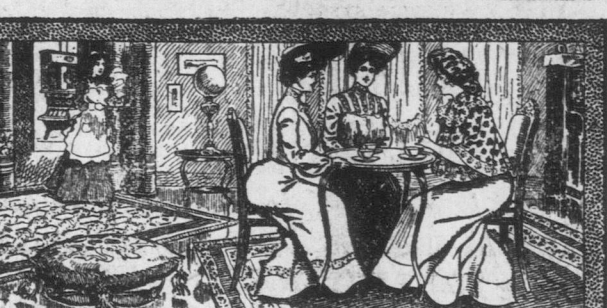
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TACOMA ARRIVES FROM THE ORIENT DERELICT TOWED IN BY THE TUG ALBION

WISIKAH, WHICH CAPSIZED IN THE STRAITS, NOW IN HARBOR—SPOKANE PICKED UP SURVIVORS—NOTES.

MUTINY ON FRENCHMAN. A meagre account of a mutiny on the French barque Sully was brought from the coast of Chile under command of Capt. Le Creuer.

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HAD ROUGH PASSAGE. The steamer Tora Maru came in to the outer wharf about 5 p. m. Wednesday.

STRIKE IN SPAIN. Bilbao, Spain, Oct. 21.—A strike broke out yesterday in the Bilbao mining district and spread rapidly.

Sound. Her cargo consisted of 3,142 tons, or 24,124 packages, made up as follows: Raw silk, 400 packages; silk goods, 49; matting, 12,770; tea, 6,837; curios and porcelain, 2,254; pineapples, 783; provisions, 669 tons and 225 cases; rice, 511; sugar, 500; straw braid, 268; fish, 72; cassia, 50; lily bulbs, 48; merchandise, 933; parcels, 12. Total, 24,124 packages.

For Victoria the ship landed: Rice, 1,500; provisions, 335; Chinese wine, 100; miso and soy, 100; tea, 35; merchandise, 11. Total, 2,201 packages.

BRIEF TELEGRAMS. Goods valued at \$25,000 have been seized by New York customs officials from Capt. S. Gelat, a retired captain of the French marine service.

The Minneapolis Cold Storage Company has filed a petition in bankruptcy, and John Kunz has been appointed receiver.

A dispatch from Philadelphia says all of the twelve financial institutions comprising the Speyer syndicate which hold a lien against the Consolidated Lake Superior Company for five million dollars, have consented to change the loans for bonds in the new organization plan.

Kennedy, the prisoner charged at Brantford, Ont., with having murdered Irene Cole, has been committed for trial.

In the game of football at Annapolis between the Navy and Baltimore Municipal College, Robert Edwin, of Plainfield, N. H., was killed in the fierce struggle between the opposing teams.

Italian Seriously Injured in the Mine at Extension. Nannudo, Oct. 20.—As a result of a collision between a coal car and the electric motor in Extension mines this morning, an Italian miner, name unknown, had both legs and arms broken and sustained serious internal injuries which may prove fatal.

Lever's Y-Z (Vase Head) Disinfectant Soap Powder is a boon to any home. It disinfects and cleans at the same time.

### A GRAND LIBERAL RALLY LAST NIGHT

STIRRING SPEECHES BY PARTY MEMBERS

New Leader, J. A. Macdonald, and His Supporters Address Electors in Labor Hall.

At last night's gathering in Labor hall it was clearly demonstrated that Liberalism in the British Columbia legislature is represented in a manner which would do credit to any party in any representative body. The speeches were necessarily short in order that all the visitors might have an opportunity to speak, but they nevertheless had the ring of victory about them. They represented what W. W. B. McInnes aptly described as "triumphant Liberalism in the province. They gave a complete answer to the entire Conservative attack that there was dissension in the ranks of the Liberal party in this province. There was an absence of the faintest trace of sectionalism or of seeking personal advancement.

Mr. Macdonald, in his first speech before the people of Victoria, created a very favorable impression. He showed himself possessed of qualities which would make him an ideal leader, and capable of dealing with the affairs of the province in an able manner. He is essentially logical and in every sense a business man. In power he would be eminently safe in his conduct of the affairs of the country.

The meeting was very enthusiastic fast evening. It was but a prelude to the onslaught which will be made upon the incapacity of the McBride government when the House assembles next month.

The hall was crowded to the doors, and many found it impossible to get seats in the building.

John Piercy, president of the local association, presided. The regular business of the meeting was dispensed with in order to give an opportunity to all of the speakers having all the time possible for their addresses.

President Piercy invited the several members of the legislature to the platform, and as each took his place a loud burst of applause followed. There were on the platform Geo. Riley, M. P., who was given an ovation as he joined the members of the legislature; J. A. Macdonald, the leader; W. W. B. McInnes, John Oliver, Stuart Henderson, T. W. Paterson, Dr. King, H. E. Tanner, W. C. Wells, R. L. Drury, Richard Hall, J. D. McInnes and Wm. Sloan, of Nanaimo, the Liberal organizer for Vancouver Island. Owing to the meeting of the city council and another engagement, A.M. Cameron found it impossible to be present. J. B. Brown, of Greenwood, J. N. Evans, of Cowichan, and Charles Munro, left for home early in the evening, and so were absent.

With a few introductory remarks, Mr. Piercy introduced the first speaker, John Oliver.

Mr. Oliver was greeted with loud applause. In opening he congratulated the Liberals of Victoria in the victory which had been won. It was a wonderful turn over for the city which had been regarded as a Tory preserve. Various reasons were assigned for it. He alluded to the night which he had witnessed during the day in finding upon a sacred edifice the sign "Liberal committee rooms" (Laughter). He congratulated the Liberal party upon having worked in such close proximity with the church. (Laughter.)

He believed, all joking aside, that one of the great reasons for the Liberal victory was found in the broad platform of equality upon which all men were placed. The Liberal party stood for honesty and uprightness in the conduct of affairs, and so won the sympathy of the country.

The Liberal party was in a very enviable position. They were nearly equal in numbers to their opponents, and there was no comparison in ability. (Applause.)

He referred to the fact that one of the most notorious members of the legislature had the present government by the throat, demanding a place in it. This was the man against whom four members of the present government demanded protection for the speaker but a short time ago.

The only hope for the province was the Liberal party. The Conservative government could not lift the country out of the financial position in which it was now found. (Applause.) Could the Conservative party give them civil service reform with three-fourths of those who should be dismissed belonging to that party? The Liberals alone could deal with that question in a satisfactory manner.

The Liberal party was a united one. They had performed the most difficult task the day before. A leader had been selected, and they presented themselves as a united party. (Applause.)

On the other side they had one man with his hands on the throat of Premier McBride, demanding recognition, and another who would have nothing to do with them.

The prophecy that the party would go to pieces in fighting between Mainland and Island in selecting a leader had failed. As far as the Liberal party was concerned, there was no Mainland and no Island. The Liberal party stood for British Columbia, first, last and always.

The Liberal party would stand by principles, or, if necessary, take defeat upon a question of principle. In that respect it differed materially from the Conservative party, which had shown itself ready to sacrifice principle rather than loss power.

W. W. B. McInnes, in opening, said that it had been said that the "poor we have always with you." He was well-known in Victoria. They had been less

familiar to Victorians present, men from the more distant parts of the province, and they were anxious to hear them. These men were responsible for the triumph of Liberalism in this province. (Applause.) Liberalism was triumphant to-day. It would be but a short time until the party would be obliged to take the conduct of provincial affairs into its hands.

The financial conditions in this country were a disgrace to the province. In a province so rich as this it was a scandal that it should be hard up. It was easily accounted for by looking into the governments of the past 20 years, when they had men legislating into their own pockets and into the pockets of their friends.

The present government found themselves hard up—strapped. How did they proceed to extricate themselves? They had attempted civil service reform. The speaker did not deny that there was need of that, but it should not be attempted in the manner in which the McBride government had attempted it. He said that government had dismissed an official who was recognized by all parties as most efficient. They did it because some lying tongue had reported that that official had used his lunch to take the speaker to a certain point. The charge was untrue, yet they dismissed from the service one of the best officials of the province.

In Ladysmith they had the spectacle of Mr. McKimmon, a police officer, being dismissed. There was something very peculiar about it also. A few weeks before the election this man's salary was increased. A few weeks after the election he was dismissed. Was that the kind of civil service reform they wanted?

There was a way for retrenching in connection with the civil service, and that was to be found in the present hole over the bay. That would show how \$40,000 could be saved in the civil service without impairing the efficiency. It was contained in the report of their own inspector of offices. That would mean dismissing men favorable to the government, however, and that was one thing they could always depend upon, that a Tory would not dismiss his friend from office. (Laughter.)

But they must increase the income as well as reduce the expenditure. One of the ways this could be done was to put a tax upon every one who employed a male domestic. In that way redress could be got for the introduction of Oriental labor. The Conservative government would not do this. It had been attempted last session. He had drafted a bill, and Mr. Wells could hear it read out in the statement that it was frustrated by the efforts of the Conservative members.

Another way was to tax the roadbeds of the railways in this province. At the present time only the paltry sum of \$12,000 was derived in this way. Taxed as the ratepayers were they could derive \$200,000 from the railways. Yet a measure to do this had also been frustrated by the Conservative members of the legislature.

There was another means of getting revenue greater than any of these. There was immense wealth lying undeveloped. From these sources the revenue could come. Men who held mineral claims and let them stand idle should be forced to pay a heavy tribute to the government. The same applied to lands and to timber lands. If men wished to hold lands or timber for further development by other men they should pay well for it. In that way redress could be had. The only government which could give them redress was Liberalism. The Conservative party would not.

He came to the meeting, however, to dispel from the minds of any who might have a wrong conception that there was dissension in the Liberal ranks. There was no such thing. (Applause.) They were a united party. He was there to do his best in the interests of the party and to stand manfully by his leader, Mr. Macdonald. (Applause.)

They were united in the interests of the country. Just as the Liberal party had shown itself united without a leader during the campaign it now showed itself united under the valiant leader, Mr. Macdonald. (Applause.) They must stand shoulder to shoulder in the interests of the party and of the province. (Applause.)

Congratulations.

C. H. Luginer then took occasion to move a resolution congratulating Mr. Macdonald in his selection as Liberal leader and pledging the support of the association to him.

The resolution was seconded by Col. Gregory. Both mover and seconder paid a high compliment to the new leader. Mr. Luginer said they had selected him as leader, and wanted him to lead. They were prepared to follow. Col. Gregory in a humorous vein complimented Mr. Macdonald.

The resolution was carried unanimously by a standing vote, and amid loud applause. J. A. Macdonald.

J. A. Macdonald was greeted with loud applause when rising to reply to the resolution. He said that he appreciated the confidence expressed in him. He referred to the good work which the city had done in the election, which was really more than the rest of the country had expected. He had not earned the honor conferred upon him in being selected as leader of the party. He would do all he could, however, to deserve the confidence reposed in him. Vancouver Island had done splendid work in the election. This was due in no small measure to the efforts of Mr. McInnes, Mr. Sloan and the other workers. They had literally made the Upper Country ashamed. In that part of the country they expected, however, to have four out of the twelve members when the ballots were recounted for Fernie. (Applause.) They had expected to win Nelson and Ymir. They were disappointed. He did not think that the McBride government had very much to feel congratulated upon in the election of the man who was returned for Nelson. It was doubtful if the government could be depended upon to have preferred the McBride party in the province.

Mr. Taylor elected in view of what had taken place during the past few days. (Laughter.)

The financial conditions in this province need immediate attention. They had the spectacle of the banks refusing to honor the cheques of the government. They must, therefore, curtail expenses where it could be done, and increase the revenue where possible. The present gov-

ernment he understood were preparing to borrow \$1,000,000. They had three-quarters of a million dollars, though he had not yet got the government proposed to enrich itself by going further into debt. (Laughter.)

Referring to the question of leadership he said that he did not come down expecting the leadership, though he had been put forward for it in some quarters. He felt that his inexperience deterred him from it. After full consideration it was deemed wise for him to accept. He felt then that it would not be consistent with the sense of duty which should go with the acceptance of membership of the House and of the Liberal party that he should refuse to accede to the wish of his colleagues, and therefore from a sense of duty he accepted. (Applause.)

He hoped to warrant the confidence reposed in him.

Stuart Henderson.

Stuart Henderson said that he was sorry to say that the district which he represented had not been as successful as Vancouver Island. There were reasons for this. It was a very scattered district, and the time was short. The fight was not yet over. They must fight together until they had the present government reduced to a very innocent opposition. (Applause.) In this every Liberal must do his part.

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Wm. Sloan referred to the air of confidence which characterized the meeting of Young Liberals he attended a short time before the election in Victoria. It had given him inspiration, and he had prophesied that only one Conservative would be returned on Vancouver Island. The election coming on earlier they had not been able to successfully carry out the Conservative plan. He congratulated them upon the choice of Mr. Macdonald and the united feeling pervading the party ranks.

W. C. Wells.

W. C. Wells referred to the warm friendship he had formed with the Liberals of Victoria. He referred to the marked difference in the spirit evidenced on election day by the two parties, and it was no surprise to him to see the Liberals victorious in this city. (Applause.) He took exception to the Conservatives' claim to having done so much for the introduction of party lines. They had only to look at the reforms which had been initiated in this province to see that those were the results of Liberal representatives. He regretted the financial conditions into which the province had drifted. While a member of the government he had the satisfaction of knowing that in his own department that of lands and works, he had been successful in deriving a very increased amount towards the revenues of the province. He paid tribute to the work done by Mr. McInnes.

H. Tanner.

Henry Tanner said the honor of defeating Mr. Eberz was not alone due to himself, but to his friends in Saanich and Victoria, who had assisted so much in the work.

T. W. Paterson.

T. W. Paterson thought that they could agree that the Liberal party was in the best possible position. The Liberal party returned with an unenviable majority as the Conservatives had won not have been in an enviable position to carry out the reforms necessary. The responsibility for the state of affairs into which the province had drifted should rest upon the shoulders to whom it was due. The Conservative government could not live, he believed, through a single session. Another appeal to the country would result in the return of a Liberal government by an overwhelming majority. To a large number of Conservatives was due the honor of having defeated Liberalism this time. The Liberal policy was such as to warrant the support of these men they would remain true to the Liberals. If not, the party would lose them. They must live up to their principles or fail by them. (Applause.)

G. Riley.

Geo. Riley, M. P., gave his full support to Mr. Macdonald. He gave him the same allegiance as he gave to that great man, Sir Wilfrid Laurier. He pictured the Liberal party in the province being in magnificent shape. They had a good captain and a faithful crew. There was no mutiny, and they could be depended upon to have preferred the Liberal party in the province. They were in all weathers. (Applause.) Interspersed with the speeches were vocal selections by Messrs. J. Kingham, Geo. H. Selmon, Hunter and Thompson.

### COMPLAINTS ABOUT THE MARINE HOSPITAL

Collector Milne Says He Has Not to Be Consulted in Emergency Cases.

In regard to the complaints made at the board of trade meeting, made at the Marine hospital, Collector A. R. Milne has a somewhat different story to tell to that already published. It was stated that in cases the collector had at times to be looked up in the middle of the night in order to secure a patient's admission to the hospital. This statement Mr. Milne declares entirely misleading. The collector department has nothing to do with the hospital. It is true that all orders have to be signed by him allowing seasons to enter the institution, but this is a purely formal matter and never needs stand in the way of emergency cases. In fact the papers may not be signed for days afterwards. Mr. Urwin, the steward of the hospital, has authority to take a man day or night who requires immediate care. The entire management of the hospital is in the hands of Capt. Gaudin and Dr. Davie, the medical attendant of the institution, who in turn are responsible to the department of marine and fisheries. The collector of the Columbia, an investigation has already taken place before Capt. Gaudin. Much evidence was adduced and forwarded to Ottawa. Of such a nature was this that the deputy minister of marine and fisheries states in his finding that "if the facts are as stated by Capt. Gaudin, the department fails to see that the master of the Columbia has any just grounds for complaint in this case."

Speaking about the offer made to the government for the treatment of sick seamen in the Jubilee hospital, Mr. Milne says that a prominent member of the hospital board told him that an arrangement to this end had been made. The terms for a sick man were to be \$10 a week. The government was subsequently repudiated, however, by the Jubilee hospital management, because it considered the amount too small. On a consideration of the whole revenue collected in the hospital, a vote was demanded, but to this proposition the government did not acquiesce, and the matter there stood.

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### SONG BIRDS COMING.

Natural History Society Will Endeavor to Provide Means For Protecting Them.

The Natural History Society met on Monday. The time of the association was largely taken up with a discussion concerning the importation of song birds from England. These are expected to reach Victoria next week. It has been suggested that the birds shall be kept during the winter in the aviaries at Beacon Hill park, and at Vancouver. In the spring these will be liberated in various parts of Vancouver Island and the Lower Mainland.

The Natural History Society is considering the means to be adopted to better protect the birds. Efforts will be made to overcome the destruction from the use of air guns, sling shots and other methods employed by boys. A committee was appointed to take the question fully into consideration with the object of bringing about better means for the protection of these imported birds.

The society has also been made the recipient of several specimens of fish and of salmon fry in all its stages from the ova to the fish ready to be liberated. These were presented by the Skeena River Hatchery, and were deposited in the provincial museum.

The programme of addresses and papers for the coming season was arranged on Monday also. It has been specially prepared, and is an exceedingly interesting one.

### PROMINENT PRELATE REACHES VICTORIA

Archbishop Bruchesi, of Montreal, Arrived in Victoria on Monday—A Brief Biographical Sketch.

There arrived on the Yosemite Monday evening a distinguished prelate in the person of Archbishop Bruchesi, of Montreal. He is accompanied by Rev. Father Demeo, and it is understood his visit to the coast is in the nature of a relaxation from the labors involved in the administration of his important office. On arriving Monday evening Archbishop Bruchesi proceeded to St. Joseph's hospital, where he spent the night.

The Most Rev. Louis Paul Napoleon Bruchesi is the son of the late Paul Bruchesi.

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### MINERAL ACT, (Form F.)

### CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE

John Hancock Mineral Claim, situated in the Port Renfrew Mining Division of Victoria District. Where spotted: At Port Renfrew, on the N. W. 1/4 Sec. 35, Tp. 13, R. 12 West District.

Take notice that I, Henry Croft, Free Miner's Certificate No. 378633, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under Section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 23rd day of September, 1903.

HENRY CROFT.

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### Sir Wilfrid

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In his speech in the House of Commons on the boundary question, Sir Wilfrid said: "I have often said that we are a great colony, but still a colony, and I regretted also that the hands of the treaty would enable us to do so. But in this position, we have no power. I am sorry to see this question since placed before parliament, not only that we are an independent state, but that it is not placed before parliament the Canadian government. But our correspondence, and whole of it, no matter how it comes from abroad, whole of it, and I know exactly what you share of it, upon each of the 'this matter.' (He referred to the correspondence of the Hon. Sir Wilfrid.)

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