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Privacy Always  
Casts Suspicion.

The Daily News regrets that it is unable to give readers a first hand report of the election recount which is being held in camera here. There has been a good deal of discussion there over the legality and illegality of certain ballot papers and on methods of conducting elections which would have proved a useful guide to returning officers and deputies in the future could it have been reported. However, the law makes no provision for the press to be represented and the court, contrary to the usual custom, did not allow reporters to be there.

There are two parties particularly interested in the result of the election. Provision is made for one of these to be present, but not for the other. One party is the candidates and the other party is the people who voted for them. While the candidates have a personal interest, the vitally interested parties are the sovereign people who do the choosing and whose representatives they are. The people are not represented at the recount and there may be collusion on the part of the candidates to elect one of them without the consent of the people who did the voting, yet the public be none the wiser. A grave suspicion hangs over any private gathering which deals with public affairs. The election is the business of each voter just as much as it is the business of Fred Stork or Colonel Peck, yet while the candidates and their agents are allowed to be present, the press, which represents the people, is excluded.

There is a possibility that the account of the proceedings given by the newspapers is a garbled one and incorrect. There is a possibility that shady transactions have been going on behind those closed doors. The law seems to assume that the candidates are the chief interested parties to the election. That is the old idea of politics. The new idea is that the people should be jealous of their representative and should be kept informed of everything that has to do with his possible election or defeat. The press was allowed to be present at the first count, but at the second, when principles and methods of great value to the electors were discussed, they were excluded. The people are the losers thereby.

Rise of Labor  
as World Power.

The despatches of late have been giving more prominence than ever before to the sayings and doings of labor leaders and to the general labor movement. Judging from the present outlook it would seem as if the next contest in Great Britain will be between the Lloyd George party and the labor groups. While labor may not win, the contest will serve to solidify the groups and unify their efforts in readiness for future efforts. It seems very desirable that before a party is elected to power it should give a term in opposition to prove whether it is able to move as a unit. Should labor prove to be well represented in the next British Parliament it would be the official opposition and would learn a great deal more about government than it possibly can as a free lance group without any responsibility. There is a measure of responsibility for those in opposition, just as for those who control Parliament. Labor as an opposition group with hope of some day becoming the controlling factor in the country can formulate a reasonable policy which would be likely to be adopted by all those who labor, not only by a few fanatics. The extremists are always necessary to prepare the way for future advances, but the extremist can not carry a majority of the people. The people as a whole are moderate in their views and will not follow a demagogue very far.

MINIATURE SUBMARINE  
OF SMALL CAPACITYUsed in Europe for Recovering  
Treasure From the Sea.

ROME, Jan. 18.—A miniature submarine having a capacity of about one cubic yard and operated by one man has been invented by an engineer of Trieste to recover treasure from ships lost at sea and now lying in ocean depths. The little craft was devised by Francesco Kalin. It has an electric motor, a pump for expelling water and a device for changing

the air within the submarine which will allow her to remain submerged for two hours.

Two reflectors of 3000 candle-power enable the worker to see clearly about him while immersed.

The little submarine is attached by an electric cable to a ship on the surface which can, if necessary, raise the undersea boat. The latter, however, rises to the surface without assistance.

It is claimed that the little craft can descend to greater depths than have yet been attained by submarines. The boat was recently tested by several naval experts.

NEW WHARF AT  
ALICE ARM IS  
NOW FINISHEDIt and Provincial Government  
Road, Both of Which Now  
Provided, Fill Long Felt  
Need.

ALICE ARM, Jan. 18.—The long awaited Dominion Government wharf at Alice Arm is now a reality. The finishing touches were put on it by Contractor W. T. Muse, of Prince Rupert, on Saturday and it is ready for traffic. With this wharf and the provincial government road connecting it with the town completed, the people now have egress from and ingress to the outside world without having to depend on private wharves or roads.

The new government wharf is located about 600 feet north of the Dolly Varden Railway wharf and is at the end of the government road, a distance of 4000 feet, or a little less than a mile from town.

The wharf contractor started work in October but the nature of the work, both surface and submarine excavating being necessary, made for delay. The excavation under water was especially slow and prolonged owing to the steep shelving nature of the shore line rock. The downward and outward dip of the strata necessitated extra drilling for footings some of them being drilled and shot four times. The services of a diver were required during the entire course of this work.

## Heavily Braced.

The wharf is constructed of creosoted piling and is heavily braced, all the braces having been treated. All piers are anchored in concrete forms except the three outer ones which are held in place by sacked cement placed around the footings of the piles. The heavy bracing consists of four 8 by 12 and two 6 by 10 diagonal braces, each alternate bent having an additional 6 by 10 brace. The wharf is further anchored to the shore with six 1-inch galvanized steel cables extending from the front of the wharf and secured to eye bolts fastened in the rock. The dimensions of the wharf are 50 by 100 feet.

The superstructure consists of a warehouse 24 by 50 feet extending back eight feet into the roadway. For unloading purposes a 2-ton hand derrick has been installed.

COMMUNISTS HAVE  
DIFFICULT TIME  
IN JUGO-SLAVIADeath Penalty Faces Offenders  
Against State in That  
Country.

BELGRADE, Jan. 18.—Communism seems to have been suppressed in this country. The vigorous action of the government, which recently passed a law imposing the death penalty upon enemies of public security and offenders against the state has struck terror into the hearts of radicals and revolutionaries.

The jails of the country are choked with persons accused of Bolshevik or Communist activity, and others who are not in prison are declared to be either thoroughly cowed or to have fled from the country. Those persons implicated in the murder last July of M. Draskovitch, the minister of the interior, and in the attempt to assassinate Jugo-Slavia's young king, Alexander, will be brought to trial in January. Among them

are a number of Communist deputies in parliament.

Jugo-Slavia's statesmen assert that the entire Communist party, once of formidable and menacing proportions, have been suppressed as a result of fearless action by the government and that many of its members have been exiled or imprisoned.

The parliamentary privileges of Communist members of the National Assembly, numbering nearly 60, have been cancelled and since August none of them have participated in the proceedings. Communist newspapers and propaganda organizations throughout the country have been suppressed and their principals placed in custody or under surveillance. Communism first gained a foothold in Jugo-Slavia in 1919.

The Man in the Moon  
SAYS—

ACCORDING to tradition the stork plan is for population without immigration.

MONDAY'S paper was full of crime, Tuesday's of politics, what will you have for Thursday?

MRS. Pankhurst is on the move again. She feels very much out of it since the suffrage has been granted to women. Perhaps she is going East to get near Quebec where the women still do the work without having a say in affairs of state.

THERE has been a competition going on throughout Canada, the result of which was announced only yesterday. The despatches say that Tuberculosis won over Cancer by a score of 2590 to 2336.

AUTO-accidents also took part in the game but was so far behind he was hardly seen. He had 116 for half the year in all Canada except Quebec. The remainder of the score will be announced later.

## STONE AGE RELICS.

BERLIN, Jan. 18.—Necklaces of wolves' and dogs' teeth were among the relics of the early stone age reported to have just been discovered in Westphalia, near Menglarn, by scientific in-

vestigators. A stone chest containing stone vessels was unearthed.

TWO ALICE ARM MEN  
IN ANYOX HOSPITALJack Murdock Suffering From  
Broken Leg and John Strom-  
beck, Fractured Thigh.

ALICE ARM, Jan. 18.—Jack Murdock had the misfortune to break his leg last Thursday morning while on shift at the Esperanza Mine. The accident occurred as he was drifting in the tunnel, a mass of rock sliding down and pinning him to the wall. He was brought down by dog team to town and taken to the Anyox Hospital.

John Strombeck, the well known prospector, is also in the Anyox Hospital as the result of an accident last Sunday on the ice when he was playing in a scrub game of hockey and fell, fracturing his hip. He was taken to Anyox by special launch on Sunday evening.

Ten Years Ago  
in Prince Rupert

January 18, 1912.

William Manson, M. P. P., promised the Conservative Association last night that he would use his influence towards getting a road around the Island and a trail up Mount Oldfield.

Frank Mobley, addressed the Presbyterian Club last night telling of his experiences in the Northland. He paid a high tribute to the women of the north as pioneers.

A shot from a grading contractor shattered plate glass windows and wrecked offices in the Empress Theatre Block yesterday afternoon.

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MEN'S HEAVY LACED GUM RUBBERS, 8-inch top—\$3.75, \$4.25 and..... 5.50  
BOYS' BOX CALF SCHOOL SHOES, 11 to 13..... 3.25  
1 to 5..... 3.75

WOMEN'S SHOES in odd lines and sizes, high or medium heels..... \$2.75, \$3.75 and..... 4.75  
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