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NEW PARLIAMENT TO CONVENE NOVEMBER 18TH

NAVAL FIGHT IN THE BOSPHORUS DESTRUCTION OF THE TURKISH FLEET

Only One Turkish Cruiser Escaped From the Inferno---Report From Malta That Italians Have Commenced the Bombardment of Tripoli---Report of the Sinking of Turkish Torpedo Boat Destroyers is Admitted by the Porte---Military Dictator is Appointed in Turkey

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Paris, Oct. 2.—The correspondent of Le Matin has telegraphed his paper that a report has reached the Turkish Porte that a naval engagement has been fought in the Straits of Bosphorus and that the entire Ottoman fleet with the exception of one cruiser has been destroyed.
The officials at the office of the Minister of Marine state that they are unable either to confirm or deny the news.
Report is Confirmed
Paris, Oct. 2.—The Agency of Fournier's at midnight last night received a telegram stating that

a naval battle was going on in the Straits of Bosphorus. Later this morning the same agency has sent out a report emanating from Rome that the news of the destruction of the Turkish fleet seems to be confirmed.
Destroyers Sunk at Corfu
Corfu, Oct. 1.—Two Turkish torpedo boat destroyers were reported to be sunk in battle off here today, and one captured. The Italian warships are scouring these waters in an effort to drive in the Turkish vessels.
Blow for Turkey
Constantinople, Oct. 2.—The

sinking of two Turkish torpedo boats off Previsa has been confirmed.
The Porte has received a despatch stating that the Italian forces under the protection of three cruisers and four torpedo boat destroyers began the landing of troops at three o'clock yesterday afternoon near Previsa out of range of the guns in the fortress.
Tripoli is Bombarded
Malta, Oct. 2.—It is reported here that the Italian warships began the bombardment of Tripoli at three o'clock Sunday. There is apprehension rising among the Arabs.

All the Europeans are safe. The British fleet is expected here tomorrow.
Direct news from Tripoli is lacking. That the Italian forces have landed is unquestioned, but there is doubt as to whether or no Turkey offered any armed resistance.
Dictator Appointed
Constantinople, Oct. 2.—Cherif Pasha will be made Dictator of Turkey today following the failure of the Sultan's Ministers to complete a Cabinet.
The reported sinking of two Italian cruisers off Smyrna has greatly encouraged the Turks.

COLLISION AT SEATTLE

Street Car is Run Down by a Freight Train—One Dead, Fifteen Hurt.

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Seattle, Oct. 2.—One man is dead and fifteen are injured as the result of a collision between a loaded street car and a freight train here on Saturday. The passengers were night workers on their way home.

OUTCLASSED THE TECUMSEH TEAM

Vancouver Beat the Indians 5-0 in the First Games for the Minto Cup.

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Vancouver, Oct. 2.—Before a crowd that packed the Athletic ground the Vancouver lacrosse team beat the Tecumsehs by a score of 5-0 in the first match for the Minto Cup. The result of the first match makes it fairly certain that the cup will stay in Vancouver, as the crack eastern team was outclassed at every stage of the game.
The final game will be played next Saturday.

FIERCE GALES OFF NOVA SCOTIA

Scores of Vessels Driven Ashore in Gale on Sunday—One Girl Killed.

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Sydney, C. B., Oct. 2.—Nearly a dozen vessels are ashore as a result of a hurricane which swept over this section on Sunday. In Sydney City one girl was killed and one injured by live wires which were blown down. Scores of schooners and one steamer have come in for shelter.

SHIPPING NEWS

The Dominion Government wireless stations report cloudy weather at Triangle, Skidegate, Estevan, Point Grey, and Cape Lazo.
The steamer Quadra left Pine Island at 8 a.m. for Egg Island.

G.T.P. OFFICIALS GET PROMOTION

Mr. J. E. Dalrymple Now Becomes Vice President—Others are Raised Too.

News reached the city on Saturday evening of some important alterations in the Grand Trunk Pacific staff.
Mr. J. E. Dalrymple who has had rapid promotion until he became assistant freight manager with offices at Winnipeg, has been further promoted to be Vice President in charge of all traffic, with offices at Montreal. Mr. Dalrymple is still a young man. By his latest promotion he now becomes a Vice President of the G. T. R., of the G. T. P. and the G. T. P. Steamship Company. His predecessor, Mr. Loud, will be superannuated, and Mr. C. E. Dewey, general freight agent for the G. T. P. will succeed to Mr. Dalrymple's late position.
Another popular promotion is that of Mr. J. Pullen, assistant freight manager on the G. T. R., who is now appointed vice president and general manager of the Canadian Express Company in succession to Mr. J. Bryce who will be superannuated.

MEET ON NOV. 18th

Proclamation Issued Today by the Governor General—May be Changed by Mr. Borden.

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Ottawa, Oct. 2.—A proclamation has just been issued by the Governor General calling for Parliament to assemble on November 18th. This date however, may be changed to suit the convenience of the new leader.

WON FIRST MANN CUP GAME

Vancouver Amateur Lacrosse Team Beat the Young Torontonians in First Round.

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Toronto, Oct. 2.—The Vancouver team beat the Young Torontonians by 7 to 2 in the first match of the Mann Cup series for amateur lacrosse. The match was played before a big crowd on Saturday. The Vancouverians will meet another team in the final.

OPPOSED THE POLL TAX

Hon. Carter-Cotton Wants to See It Removed and a Graduated Income Tax Instead.

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Vancouver, Oct. 2.—The session of the Taxation Commission which closed on Saturday before leaving for up-country was marked by strong opposition to the present poll tax.
Hon. Carter-Cotton, late President of the Council in the McBride Cabinet was among those who testified. He said he was convinced the poll tax was a wrong and should be removed. He favored a graduated taxation on incomes, by which the deficiency could be easily made up.
Mr. Charles E. Tisdall, M. P. P. also testified, saying that the poll tax was "a vicious system of taxation."
The Commission will proceed up-country today.

POLICE HERE MAY HAVE ARRESTED BANK ROBBER

Alex. Johnston Who Spent \$1,000 Last Week in Prince Rupert and Boasted it Was New Westminster Money is Detained Pending Investigations

In the police court today Alex Johnston, suspected of being one of the New Westminster bank robbers, appeared before the Magistrate charged first with being drunk and disorderly, and second with having threatened to kill a girl. He admitted being drunk and was sentenced to pay the usual fine, but is detained on the second charge, and for further investigation of his case.
Spent \$1000 a Week
Chief Vickers states that Johnston has been in the city for about a week, during which time he has been spending money lavishly in the restricted district. It is believed that he has blown in about \$1000 there since his arrival in town, and his brag that the

money was obtained by the looting of the bank at New Westminster led the police surveillance followed by Johnston's arrest on the first opportunity.
Called "Bill Wheeler"
When arrested, he had \$960 upon him, but there is a rumor to the effect that he has banked large sums of money in different banks here recently. He registered at the Central Hotel as A. Johnston of Winnipeg, but was introduced about town as "Bill Wheeler." To the police he gave the name of Alex Johnston of Montana, and stated that he had made his money by the sale of lands there. Chief Vickers is in communication with the police at New Westminster regarding the case.

HARDY MAIL-CARRIER

Barney Mulvaney Arrives from Up River to Make Fall Arrangements.

Barney Mulvaney is down from Hazelton—a guest at the Premier Hotel—owing to the probable early stoppage of steamer navigation on the Skeena this fall Barney will probably be on the job earlier than usual with his famous dugout canoe carrying up river mail.

VALUABLE NEW IRON DEPOSIT

Claims Just Located by Messrs. Lawson, and Benson on Island Close to Prince Rupert. Finest Ore Yet Struck.

What is said to be one of the finest iron properties yet found in the district has just been located on one of the islands within a few miles of Prince Rupert. As soon as further investigation of the property have been made, development will proceed. The claims are in the hands of Messrs. Mawson, Hudson and Benson who have been prospecting the district during the past few months.

Indications of iron followed up by surface investigation by expert prospectors lead to the certainty that a large lead of ore exists on the spot. From the quality of the samples submitted to test it is estimated that the iron deposit represents the finest of ore. While other rich iron discoveries have been made on the Queen Charlotte Islands, this set of claims is on one of the smaller near in islands, and development can be all the more speedily undertaken. Mr. James Sword is said to be interested in the find.

A Local Wedding

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tanksley on Third avenue, last night Rev. F. W. Kerr united in marriage Miss Margaret McLachlin and Mr. Charles Peterson. There were a large number of guests to wish the young couple happiness in their married life. Both are well known Prince Rupert folk. Mr. Peterson is associated with the Pacific Stevedoring Company.

BASEBALL SCORES

SATURDAY'S BASEBALL

Northwestern League
Vancouver 11, Victoria 11.
Portland 9, Spokane 3.
Tacoma 10, Seattle 4.
National League
Pittsburg 8, Philadelphia 7.
New York 3, Chicago 1.
Boston 9, 1; Cincinnati 2, 4.
Brooklyn 6, St. Louis 6.
Pacific Coast League
Portland 12, San Francisco 4.
Vernon 6, Los Angeles 3.
Oakland 4, Sacramento 3.
American League
Chicago 9, 4; Boston 1, 2.
Washington 3, Detroit 2.
St. Louis 5, New York 4.
Philadelphia 6, 3; Cleveland 1, 4

Dr. McNeill was one of the passengers going south by the George this morning.
Pantorium Pioneer Cleaners, Phone 4

HURRY UP CITY HALL

Double Shift, Night and Day to be Worked on Excavation

That blast which blew in the side of the Mack Realty office Saturday was one of the finest shots ever fired on an excavation job in Rupert. It was city work, too, on the new city hall site. Night and day shifts will be worked from now on to hasten the work of erecting the new city hall.

For New Fall Suits and Overcoats, see Sweder Bros., Helgerson Block. 3t

About forty-five first class passengers went south by the George this morning and about seventy deck passages were issued.

TWO PENNSYLVANIA TOWNS SWEEP AWAY BY BURSTING OF BIG DAM

Towns of Austin and Costello Destroyed and Hundreds of People Drowned Without Warning---Big Dam at Bayliss Paper Mill Burst and 500,000,000 Gallons of Water Broke Loose---Carloads of Coffins Sent in to Bury the Victims---Not a Sign of Life in Costello

(Canadian Press Despatch)
Austin, Penn., Oct. 1.—A terrible dam accident rivaling the great Jamestown flood has desolated the district destroying the towns of Austin and Costello and drowning hundreds of people. Early reports made the death loss a thousand people. It will probably be in the hundreds.
Mill Dam Burst
The awful death strike came without warning, when with a roar that could be heard miles away, the great dam at the Bayliss pulp and paper mill burst. This was at about four o'clock on Saturday afternoon.
500,000,000 Gallons
The dam was fifty-two feet long and forty-nine feet high, and held back 500,000,000 gallons of water. The dam was built two years ago and had shown no signs of weakness. Yesterday was the first day, however, that it had been tested to its capacity, when the recent rains had swollen the lake up till its waters flowed over the dam.

subsidied, appeals for help were sent out, and by six o'clock about thirty of the bodies were recovered.
Found Many Alive
The rescuers to their joy found many to be alive that they had believed were dead. The first estimate of dead sent out was seven hundred, but it is now thought that two hundred will be nearer the mark.
Town Annihilated
A report from Costello, a little town further down the valley, states that the flood swept down the valley and annihilated the town. A survivor who reached here at ten o'clock at night, said they heard the roar of the bursting dam miles away. Shortly after the water was on them. He said there was no sign of life in the

town when he left. It is feared that four hundred to five hundred people have perished in Costello.

Carloads of Coffins
Austin, Oct. 2.—This morning the town realised the awful grimness of Saturday's tragedy, when several carloads of coffins arrived for the victims. The police and sanitary engineers are busy collecting the dead. It is thought that they will total over two hundred.
Martial Law Observed
Martial law is being practically observed both at Austin and at Costello owing to the throngs of sightseers who arrived on Sunday. A twelve hours' rainfall has helped to thin out the crowds and leave the police free to help the search parties.

SAYS RESULT IS A WIN FOR POPULAR STUPIDITY

New York World is Very Outspoken in Its Opinion of the Recent Elections—United States Press Is Disappointed

Eastern papers in today, contain columns of comment on the Canadian elections clipped from various metropolitan papers in the United States. Extracts follow:
A Witless Joke
The Boston Journal:
"Canada is not ready for reciprocity. The movement is too liberal for a people who are still deeply susceptible to such a false alarm as annexation. It is too advanced for a people who, as yesterday's results at the polls show, are blind to the deliberate misconstruction of friendly words spoken by the American President and tragically serious over a witless joke sprung by the Speaker of the House of Representatives at Washington."
New York World:
"Popular stupidity has really won a more decisive victory. The time will come, we think, when intelligent Canadian opinion will regard yesterday's election as one of the greatest disasters that has ever befallen the Dominion."

The New York Times:
"Again the hands of the clock have been set back. Prejudice and delusion have triumphed in Canada, the best government the Dominion has had in many years has been overthrown, and her ablest statesman has been deprived temporarily at least, of his leadership."
The New York Tribune:
"The Canadian voters have evidently been governed more by prejudice than by reason in rejecting a friendly trade agreement by which both Canada and the United States would undoubtedly have profited. Yet the people of the Dominion are entitled to their own opinion as to the effects of a compact intended to bring the two countries into closer commercial relations, and if they believe that the political dangers of such an association of interests would outweigh its admitted economic advantages it is not for the people of the United States to quarrel with that decision."

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DAILY EDITION.

MONDAY, OCT. 2

THE FAILURE OF THE COMPANIES ACT

Vancouver, Sept. 30.—Evidence was given today at the Taxation Commission favoring the exemption from taxation of all outside capital invested in the province.

The Companies Act recently introduced by Mr. Bowser was strongly condemned. A number of business men declared it has an unjust tendency to keep outside firms from doing business in B. C.

The majority of those giving evidence favored the retention of the poll and income taxes.

The above dispatch will have a familiar look to all who read the newspapers on Saturday. But its importance at the present time warrants it being given a second day's emphasis. It means that within a few months of being put in operation, the clauses of the Companies Act taxing extra-provincial companies doing business in the Province, are having precisely the effect that all competent observers prophesied they would have; namely, to hurt the trade of the Province.

It is not suggested that the Premier and Attorney General of the Province intended to cripple the trade of the Province when they placed the obnoxious clauses in the Companies Act. Recent utterances by both gentlemen make it very clear that on questions of trade principles, both are sublimely ignorant. It is quite possible that they acted in absolute good faith, not realising the inevitable consequences of putting shackles on the feet of trade.

No one who knows them would think for a moment of accusing Messrs. McBride and Bowser of being statesmen, and it is quite possible that they fell into the common error of thinking that they could turn taxation into protection by merely thinking of it as such, just as the Christian Science folk say they can remove pain out of the Universe by saying, "There is no pain."

Unfortunately the money markets are not susceptible to auto-hypnosis, and a capitalist or a corporation confronted with half a dozen requests from various provinces, finds it more profitable to invest it in either of the eight provinces which do not tax capital and trade, rather in the one that does. All of which is very simple when you come to think it out.

The truth of the matter is that no community can make itself rich by taxing itself, any more than a man can lift himself by his bootstraps. Taxation is always a burden and a hindrance. Taxing food makes food less easy to obtain. Taxing salt as they do in India, makes salt a luxury; taxing heraldic emblems as they do in Great Britain makes the work of the Herald's office lighter than it would do if heraldic emblems were free. An increase from \$5 to \$7.50 in the dog-tax in Berlin meant the lethal chamber to nine hundred canines. A dog-tax (if high enough) would mean death to every dog in Prince Rupert within a week. The work of economic statesmen is to devise means of taxation so that the least possible amount of hindrance is caused to the commercial progress of the state.

And in this province that is urgently needing outside capital to come in and develop it, Messrs. McBride and Bowser devised a Companies Act to tax outside capital; in this province which has to buy nearly everything it uses at high prices they proposed to supplement the tax against United States products by imposing taxes upon all trading concerns in our sister provinces that sought to supply our demand; in this province of excessively high cost of fire insurance they proposed to impose taxes upon every fire insurance company that came in to do business.

They did not see that the effect of this would be to keep out outside capital, to still further increase the cost of commodities in B. C. and to still further increase the cost of fire insurance.

It is to be hoped that the Taxation Commission will be able to let in some economic light into the darkened legislative chambers at Victoria.

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A TENDERFOOT'S WOING

By Clive Phillips Wolley

(AUTHOR OF GOLD, GOLD IN CARIBOO, ETC.)

As soon as the doctor's inspection was over, a council of war was held in the dining-room, whilst Jim and the doctor cut themselves vast chunks from the boiled salted beef on the table.

"Fifty that the boys did not overhaul some of them," said Jim. "Yes, it would have saved a hull lot of trouble," agreed Al, "we could have given them their medicine right there. Now we've got to take it to them."

"You think that we can't afford to leave things as they are?" asked Rolt. "I don't think about it. I haven't known Injuns since I grew grass high for nothing. When Injuns start on a racket of this kind, they've got to be wiped out or they'll come back like chickens to a doughnut. Ain't that so, Jim?"

But Jim was busy eating and listening. He was not much of a gas bag any way, the men said. "But at last even his appetite was appeased, and he turned from the men to the Boss.

"I'm afraid that it has got to be, Rolt. There are more Indians out there than the boys think, and it's a saw deal more serious than I like. I saw two bands coming this way on my ride to Soda Creek. I met Khelewna and I'm afraid he has raised the whole country side."

"That's so," put in Al. "There ain't so much of an old klook left at the rancherie since the burning."

"How do you know, Al?" "I sent one of the breeds to prospect."

"Where is he?" "He never came back. I didn't calculate as he would, but I thought he'd be better with them than with us if that was the kind of swine he was. Then I sent Dan here and he says they've all vamoosed. Don't you, Dan?"

"Every last hoof of them." "For a few moments there was a dead silence in the room, the men puffing quietly at their pipes and staring into the log fire. After so many years of undisturbed peace, it seemed impossible to believe in a general rising amongst B. C. Indians. It was almost as if the cattle had turned on the cowboys.

"What are we to do, Jim?" "Well, Rolt, if these Indians were not Chilcoets, I should say that we had seen the worst of it and it might all blow over, but they are Chilcoets, and Chilcoets are not like other B.C. Indians."

"Oh, them Coast Indians is like a pack of wet hens," put in Al. "These fellows are mean as wolves. They wiped out that survey party on Bella Coola pretty clean."

"That was a long time ago, and all the ring-leaders were hanged." "That's what you know, Boss. Khelewna was one of the ring-leaders, and he wasn't hung, worse luck. None of the ring-leaders were hanged. The fellows they gave up were slaves, that's all. There wasn't a Chilcoet amongst them. Government knowed it, but couldn't do nothing."

"Do you remember, Doc, that smoke that I thought I saw late yesterday evening?" asked Jim. "In the timber towards Grouse Creek?"

"Yes." "I remember, but you don't think that that is where they are? If they had been there they would have seen us and cut us off."

"I'm not sure of that. They might have been scared that one of us would break back to Soda Creek. It would be safer for them to round us all up here at the ranch."

"You think that they have cut off our communications then?" "With Soda Creek and Faircloughs, yes. That's what I'd try to do if I was in their place. Al's plan is the right one. We had better go after them. The first blow is worth a dozen later on, and it won't do to let them think we are scared, but we must leave a strong guard with you and the ladies."

"Yes, I mean to," said the Boss, waking up and taking command. "Pick up your gun, you comb." "How would it be if the doctor, old Toma, two of the breeds, and the Fairclough boys stayed with you and Anstruther. I'm afraid about the Faircloughs. I doubt if they will ever get here."

"They're in the corral now. Won't believe a word about the rising, and think as we're scared at our own shadows."

"Go and bring them in, Al." Al went out and returned presently with two fair-headed young Englishmen, beefed giants, with gaiters and other relics of the Old Country still clinging to them. Until now they had been looked upon with a certain amount of disfavour at the Risky as not belonging to quite the same class as most of the English importations and as intruders whose small hay meadow hardly justified their existence and the presence of their herd upon the range, but in the straits which the Rolts had been reduced, the Faircloughs were accorded a very hearty welcome, although their obvious scepticism and too loudly proclaimed indifference to anything that a pack of many Indians could do, was a little trying to the old hands.

"The Chilcoets have not been near your place yet, Al tells me." "No, sirree! I guess they know better," replied Bob Fairclough, handing a new Winchester with meaning.

"I hope so, indeed, Mr. Fairclough, and I daresay that we exaggerate the danger having ladies and an invalid to take care of. Would you mind staying with us for a day or two? Half of us are going out to try to round up Khelewna and his band, and your presence and your brother's would relieve the tedium of our absence for the ladies, and give them a greater sense of safety."

"Why, certainly. Delighted, I am sure, unless you would like to have us along with you and leave two of your men behind. Jack is a capital shot, you know, used to shoot at Wimbledon, and I can beat him a bit most times."

Rolt smiled at the ingenious statement, but he wanted men who could hit something more difficult than a target at a measured two hundred yards from a rest. That style of shooting would do from the ranch off-hands, but in the straits which he preferred to trust some of his boys who had never heard of Wimbledon.

"Thank you, very much. But I think you must be content with the

place of honor. It will be good to know that two such shots are watching over the ladies' safety. I'll take the trail to-night, Jim."

"Better let me go instead, Boss." "One of us two must stay, Jim, and you have had your share of fun."

Jim hesitated, and prepared to argue. "Besides, I don't want the wife to think that there is any serious danger, and if you stay behind she will not think so much of my going. She will argue that if there was anything really to be done I should take my best man with me. See?"

"Finally it was arranged in this way, and in the dark, long after the ladies had retired, Dick Rolt stood for a minute looking down at the food he loved, so white and calmly lovely in the moonlight.

It was too white, he thought, and then a hideous vision came to him of how that face might be when he next saw it.

"What a fool I am," he muttered to himself, "and all because a parcel of white livered swishes burned my stacks. Even that was rather heroic for them."

But when he reached over his horse's shoulder for Jim's hand, which he gripped hard, his voice had a queer ring.

"You won't let any harm happen to her, Jim." "Not whilst I'm alive," and if "her" meant Polly to one man and Kitty to another it made no difference since the two were together.

Then Rolt turned away from the corral and rode silently with his men through the night, believing that he had spared his wife the pain of parting and hidden from her the risk which he was running, not knowing, kindly fool that he was, that she had read him like a book; that her heart had yearned to him as he stood silently by the corral, marking but not guessing the cause of her paleness and that she, not he, was the one who had spared the other the pain of that which they knew could not be avoided.

A rancher's wife, like a soldier's, is obliged sometimes to take chances even with the life of her best beloved. If not there would be no ranching.

CHAPTER XIX.

"What is your programme, Al?" whispered the Boss, when the ranch lights had died out behind the hog's back.

"I was calculating to make for that gulch as leads into Grouse Creek. We could leave our horses there, and do a sneak down it to Khelewna's camp."

"How do you know he is camped there?" "It's the nearest water to the place where Jim saw the smoke. He might not be there, of course, but it's worth trying. We might get the drop on the whole outfit if we did a good sneak at night."

"We might as they won't dream of our being in the neighbourhood, but it isn't likely. They aren't white men and the woods talk."

"That's so, but if they spot us before we get the drop, it's only three to one. They'll run, sure."

"That is the spirit of the West. Three to one is about a fair match in the eyes of the Western man. If the odds are white, with rather heavy odds on the one, and history has proved that the handicap is not too heavy in most cases, although some 'fool white,' as Al would have put it, may sometimes 'get left.'"

The Boss, at any rate, seemed satisfied, and the five went on silently in the darkness, which was of the kind which absolutely obliterates everything. A chinook wind was blowing, one of those curiously soft warm winds which occur in British Columbia, cutting the snow off the hills in a few hours like a red hot knife. By their feet they could tell when they were riding over prairie, for then there was only the whisper of the grass at their feet, or through timber, for then the sighing of the trees made weird music for them, but in that solid dark blackness you might have burst your eyeballs in trying to discover the outline of a pine tree or the edge of the timber against the sky, and your efforts would have been in vain.

And yet with the instinct of a homing pigeon, old Al led them steadily on, never complaining of the darkness, never hesitating, or asking questions, and his companions felt their way after him, trusting implicitly to his guidance and to the instinct of their horses.

"Better get off here, Boss," Al said at last. "It's bad going. Hold on to your stirrup leathers and let your horse come along after me," but he himself remained in the saddle.

It had to be more than bad going to persuade an old cowboy to foot it. "Who's that blundering idiot?" he hissed a minute later as some one broke a stick, "can't you move your hoof without knocking the trees down. If they ain't deaf they'll hear that in Soda Creek bar."

Though the old man's language was more picturesque than accurate, a good many things seemed to have heard that unlucky stick. Until it broke, but for the solemn sighing of the trees, the dumbness of the woods had matched the darkness of the night. You would have thought that woods and prairie were alike untenanted, had you not remembered that all those who move in them by night, are stalking or stalked, seeking the life of another or shudderingly trying to save their own.

As the stick cracked, there was a rustling in every bush, a stir in every tree, unseen feet padded, unseen wings fluttered for a moment, and then again all was still, listening.

As the five paused with all their senses on the alert, a tiny bright red star showed for a moment in the gloom ahead of, and above them.

"Gosh!" didn't know that we were that close," muttered Al. "If that fool hadn't have touched his fire I'd have blundered right into them. Lie low, boys."

For a quarter of an hour the five men lay motionless, and so still was everything that before the fifteen minutes had passed, the Boss felt convinced that the light which they had seen must have been born of their imagination. It could not be that there was any live thing in such a silence as that. But Al did not share in this feeling.

"It's a mercy none of the cayuses whinnied," he whispered, "but it won't do to trust them any longer. Let me

git past you, Boss. Now foller me back. Go easy, and for the love of life, don't speak any more trees, but do so saying 'he led them back by the way they had come.'

At last he stopped. There had crept into the sky the faintest suspicion of light. Black darkness it would have appeared to most men still, but to these whose eyes had become accustomed to the utter dark it sufficed to show a new land.

"We'll tie the horses here, and wait a bit. When we can pretty nigh see our sights, we'll begin our sneak. They're blanked right nearer than I thought they was."

As he spoke his words were justified. The black belt of gloom which surrounded the hollow in which they lay, was suddenly starred in a dozen places by quick riffs of flame, and the silence shattered by the ringing reports of many red jets, after which the darkness came back again and the silence, but for the screaming of a wounded horse.

"Guess they beat us on the sneak," muttered old Al coolly. "Get into cover, boys, quick."

Probably no white man but Al could have led the march posse through those woods at night as silently as he had done. They had stirred no heavy bead to precede them and carry a warning to their foes. There had been no fluttering of disturbed wings in front of their advance, except that once; but a warning need not be given in large type for an Indian to see it.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

LAND PURCHASE NOTICE

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5. Take notice that Hiram Roy McTavish of Vancouver, B. C., occupation barrister, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner 40 chains east and 40 chains north from N. E. corner of Lot 1116, Harvey's Survey Coast District Range 5, thence 20 chains south, thence 60 chains north, thence 60 chains west, thence 60 chains south to post of commencement containing 400 acres more or less.

Dated Sept. 18, 1911. FRED W. BOHLER, Agent.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5. Take notice that Lottie McTavish of Vancouver, occupation barrister, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north-west corner 100 chains east and 40 chains north from N. E. corner of Lot 1116, Harvey's Survey Coast District Range 5, thence 20 chains south, thence 40 chains west, thence 60 chains south, thence 40 chains west to post of commencement containing 400 acres more or less.

Dated Sept. 18, 1911. FRED W. BOHLER, Agent.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5. Take notice that Frank S. Miller of London, Eng., occupation civil engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the N. E. corner of Lot 25, thence north 20 chains, thence west 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 400 acres more or less.

Dated Aug. 26, 1911. FRANK S. MILLER, Agent.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range 5. Take notice that Herbert J. Mackie of Pembroke, Ont., occupation lumberman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the left bank of the Zymosits or Zim-a-got-ti River, at southeast corner of Lot 1706, thence northerly, following the westerly boundary of Lot 1706, 80 chains north, thence easterly, following the westerly boundary of Lot 1706, 80 chains north, thence westerly and southerly, following the left bank of said river, 80 chains more or less to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.

Dated August 29, 1911. HERBERT J. MACKIE, Agent.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range V. Take notice that I, Peter Erickson of Prince Rupert, laborer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the north bank of Williams Creek where the railway right-of-way crosses back from the creek bank, thence south 30 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 30 chains, thence west 40 chains to point of commencement.

Dated July 7, 1911. PETER ERICKSON, Agent.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range V. Take notice that I, John Evenson of Prince Rupert, laborer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 45, thence north 80 chains, thence east 60 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 60 chains to point of commencement.

Dated July 13, 1911. JOHN EVENSON, Agent.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range V. Take notice that I, Benjamin A. Fish of Towner, N. D., occupation merchant, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the east bank of McNeil River at the northwest corner of Lot 4484, thence north 60 chains, thence east 30 chains, thence south 60 chains, thence west 30 chains to point of commencement.

Dated July 25, 1911. BENJAMIN A. FISH, Agent.

Skeena Land District—District of Coast Range V. Take notice that Stanley Green of Prince Rupert, laborer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 40 chains south and 40 chains west of the northwest corner of Lot 1735, Lakelse Valley, District of Coast Range V, thence west 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

Dated June 30th, 1911. STANLEY GREEN, Agent.

COAL NOTICE

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Commencing at a post planted two miles north of C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 10, marked N. E. corner C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 16, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement.

Dated Sept. 23, 1911. C. E. BAINTER, Lessor.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte. Take notice that thirty days from date, I, C. E. Bainter of Prince Rupert, B. C., by occupation bookkeeper, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on and under 640 acres of land on Graham Island described as follows:

Commencing at a post planted two miles north of C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 12, marked N. W. corner C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 18, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement.

Dated Sept. 11, 1911. C. E. BAINTER, Lessor.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte. Take notice that thirty days from date, I, C. E. Bainter of Prince Rupert, B. C., by occupation bookkeeper, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on and under 640 acres of land on Graham Island described as follows:

Commencing at a post planted two miles north of C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 14, marked S. W. corner C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 19, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement.

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Commencing at a post planted two miles north of C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 15, marked S. E. corner C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 21, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement.

Dated Sept. 12, 1911. C. E. BAINTER, Lessor.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte. Take notice that thirty days from date, I, C. E. Bainter of Prince Rupert, B. C., by occupation bookkeeper, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on and under 640 acres of land on Graham Island described as follows:

Commencing at a post planted two miles north of C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 17, marked N. E. corner C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 24, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement.

Dated Sept. 12, 1911. C. E. BAINTER, Lessor.

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Commencing at a post planted two miles north of C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 18, marked N. W. corner C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 24, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement.

Dated Sept. 12, 1911. C. E. BAINTER, Lessor.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte. Take notice that thirty days from date, I, A. T. Broderick of Prince Rupert, B. C., by occupation bank manager, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on and under 640 acres of land on Graham Island described as follows:

Commencing at a post planted two miles north of C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 20, marked N. E. corner A. T. B. Coal Lease No. 29, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement.

Dated Sept. 12, 1911. A. T. BRODERICK, Lessor.

Skeena Land District—District of Queen Charlotte. Take notice that thirty days from date, I, A. T. Broderick of Prince Rupert, B. C., by occupation bank manager, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on and under 640 acres of land on Graham Island described as follows:

Commencing at a post planted two miles north of C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 21, marked S. E. corner A. T. B. Coal Lease No. 29, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement.

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Commencing at a post planted five miles east of C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 4474, marked C. E. Bainter's N. E. corner C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 29, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement.

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Commencing at a post planted one mile north of C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 9, marked N. W. corner C. E. B. Coal Lease No. 8, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement.

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ITEMS OF SPORT. Jack Sheridan, dean of the American league umpiring staff, arrived in Chicago the other day with a plea to President Johnson to be relieved permanently from further duties as an arbiter.

If the clergy's crusade to prohibit the Jack Johnson-Bombardier Wells fight on October 2 proves successful, a motion picture concern that bought up the picture right will be \$100,000 out of pocket. It is largely against these pictures that opposition is being directed, on the ground that they would create among children lust for brutality and bloodshed.

The success of Russell Ford's pitching is a peculiar shaped thumb. The digit bends back and the second joint seems to be double jointed. He throws all of the spitters off the freaky-looking thumb. By simply twisting it different ways he makes the ball break accordingly.

He has three separate and distinct spitters. By a slight change of his thumb he can make the ball break in, out or down. It all depends upon the position of the batmen as to which he may wish to dish up. Catcher Sweeney is forced to "ride" with the ball and has to guess like the batter, which way the pellet is going to shoot.

Ford wets the ball very little, and, despite the fact that many players have claimed their errors were due to grabbing a damp spot, it is not so with Ford's ball. He doesn't wet a spot any larger than a dime.

BLASTING AND THE RAINFALL

Effect of Big Shots on Prince Rupert Weather and the Difference When They Were Fewer. Interesting Experiments.

There was less heavy blasting than there has been seen in Prince Rupert, this year, and Prince Rupert this year has had one of the finest summers on the Pacific Coast. Is there any connection between heavy blasting and heavy rainfall? Many people in Prince Rupert believe there is, and that now the blasting is lessened there will be less rain.

Experiments made to ascertain whether the discharge of explosives during cloudy weather produces rainfall are described in a letter from James Stanes. "Some years ago," he says, "an experiment was tried in the Cuddeph district of southern India with considerable success. I am part owner of an estate in the Seramully Hills, which is situated in a particularly dry zone. For several seasons poor coffee crops withered away from lack of rain during July and August.

"When I was visiting the estate in July, 1905, I noticed that heavy clouds gathered every afternoon and I thought that if we had been in a position to fire explosive rockets from the highest peak of the hills, about 4,500 feet, a shower of rain might have been produced.

"I therefore arranged to have a supply of rockets kept on the estate and fired off every afternoon at the rate of one rocket every five minutes, but only when the condition of the atmosphere was such that heavy rain threatened on all sides.

"Whether rain has fallen in response to these explosives or not the fact remains that ever since we first tried the experiment we have been fortunate enough to catch sufficient moisture to enable the crops to survive the drought." Firing into clouds with the object of causing rain was practised for several years in Southern Germany, Switzerland and France.

THE COSY CORNER. DEVOTED PRINCIPALLY TO THE INTERESTS OF WOMEN. This is a little section of the paper, which from day to day will be devoted to subjects of special interest to women. Any and all of the ladies of Prince Rupert are invited to contribute to its columns, and to take part in its discussions. Suggestions and criticisms are invited by the editor. The hope is expressed that "The Cosy Corner" will fill a social need.

REVERS AND COLLARETTES

Pretty Fashion Again in Market Evidence This Fall. The incroyable revers are again much in evidence, and some of the new models show a rever on one side only. While the sailor collar is not so prominent as it was, it has not been entirely eliminated. Many pointed collars are shown, and the fall models will probably show the large round collars with hood effects at the back. The skirts adhere to the present fashion of straight lines, close-fitting about the hips, but show a little more width at the hem.

The new double collarettes are among the most attractive of the new ideas in neck adornment. These fluffy creations encircle the neck instead of the stiff boned collar or its uncomfortable relation, the linen collar, and rising from a corolla of cloudy fabric, the face appears soft and flower-like.

These collarettes are made of tulle, mousseline de soie, or of embroidered handkerchief linen. Most of them show edges of beads or of fine silk fringe joined to the material, with rows of French knots or beads.

HEATED CARPETS

Luxurious New Idea for the Homes of the Very Rich. Many patents have been granted in respect of passing electric wires or gauze along grooves or in compartments in carpets, table covers, "and such like," as the patent agents say, but these have generally been for lighting purposes, connections being made by means of sharp spurs that penetrate the top cover. A patent has been taken out lately in Germany in connection with running fine wires through a carpet in parallel lines connected with an ordinary electric light current. The wires become warm, and in larger sizes of carpets the temperature can be regulated at will. After the current is turned off the carpet remains warm for two or three hours, and a small foot rug may in this way be placed hot in a carriage in winter and keep the feet warm without additional current during an ordinary drive.

LEARN TO FORGET

Makes for Peace and Prosperity Far More Than Worrying Does. To forget—that is what we need. Just to forget. All the petty annoyances, all the vexing irritations, all the mean words, all the unkind acts, the deep wrongs, the bitter disappointments—just let them go, don't hang on to them. Learn to forget. Make a study at forgetting. Train the faculty of the mind until it is virile. Then the memory will have fewer disagreeable things cumbered with and it will become alert in remembering. All its attentions will be given to the beautiful things, to the worthwhile things. No matter what business you are pursuing, no matter what literary subjects you are studying, no matter what scientific problems you are trying to solve. Take up the study of forgetting. The art of forgetting will add lustre to all your literary, business or scientific attainments, and it will add measurably to health of mind and body.

Bible-Selling a Crime

In the Austrian Tyrol it is still a crime to sell a Bible—almost the only district left in Europe. As the society's report says: "The work of the Bible society in the Austrian half of the dual monarchy has always been a struggle against adversity. Enemies, concealed and open, have waged way against us for three generations, and are as bitter and inexorable today as they were a hundred years ago.

WANTED—AN OWNER. Before his address last night in the Empress Theatre Rev. F. W. Kerr, Prince Rupert's bachelor pastor, announced that he had been the finder of a young lady's handkerchief at the close of the morning service. "It is a very pretty little handkerchief," the pastor remarked tenderly, "and I mention having found it so that if the owner wishes to have it returned she can apply to me either at the end of this service or at any time during the week." Several ladies were observed to cautiously feel if their lace handkerchiefs were still in place.

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PROCESSION OF DOGS

Attended Funeral of Two Blue-Blooded Boston Terriers. San Francisco, Sept. 29.—At the beautiful country home of Miss Jennie Crocker there was a strange funeral of two blooded dogs at which nearly one hundred high class canines of the Crocker kennels were mourners, and marched behind the men who carried the bodies of the dead pets.

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COAL NOTICE

Skene Land District—District of Coast Range 5. Take notice that I, John Rutherford Beatty of Prince Rupert, occupation engineer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the east shore of the Eskatsum River, and being about two miles northerly from the mouth of the said Eskatsum River, and which post is about forty chains north from a stake planted on the Eskatsum River and known as "29"; thence north 40 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains to the place of commencement, containing 480 acres more or less. Dated September 12, 1911. C. E. BAINTER, Locator. Pub. Sept. 23.

Skene Land District—District of Queen Charlotte. Take notice that thirty days from date, I, C. E. Bainter of Prince Rupert, B. C., by occupation bookkeeper, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on and under 640 acres of land on Graham Island described as follows: Commencing at a post planted five miles east of Coal Lease No. 4478, marked C. E. B. S. E. corner of Coal Lease No. 4, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to place of commencement. Dated Sept. 11, 1911. C. E. BAINTER, Locator. Pub. Sept. 23.

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PAID A VISIT TO THE NEW OIL TERRITORY

Daily News Correspondent at Graham Island Inspected the Plant of the B.C. Oilfields—Drills are Now at Work in the Limestone

Owing to the interest being taken in the development of the resources of Graham Island, the Daily News has arranged for a special correspondent to visit the various points on the Island and write a series of short articles of which the following is the first telling of a visit to the new oil territory on the west coast.

(Special Correspondence) Masset, Sept. 30.—A launch trip, to the west coast of the island, is an experience that few have undertaken. At certain seasons, it is considered dangerous, there being few places of refuge from Langara Island to Otard Bay.

We were fortunate enough to make the journey safely; but will not be anxious to repeat the visit to the oil plant of the B. C. Oilfields Company. There were found seven men at work, with a drilling plant representing ten thousand dollars and considered one of the best in Canada. The men are through the shale and are now in limestone formation, a precursor of the oil beneath. That they were jubilant over the showings obtained, would be telling but the truth.

As usual, they had several setbacks caused by the lack of

lubricating oil and the fact that the driller left for the south. Another man has been engaged and the work is progressing satisfactorily. We examined the tar, asphaltum and other evidences of the existence of oil beds, and were so much taken with the indications that it was proposed to stake a few claims, and we are now prospective oil magnates.

Accompanying us was the owner of oil wells in the state of Utah, and his opinion is that there are no better oil grounds anywhere. He has since gone to California where he placed the samples before the State Mineralogist, and his opinion has been received verifying the report of Mr. Andrews, who had previously reported on them most favorably.

The "shale" formation on the west coast of Graham Island is all "in place," which indicates that there has been no disturbance by which oil would escape. In the tests made, as the drill descends, oil has been encountered of a quality that will excel any "paraffine" yet found on the Pacific Coast. It is not expected that the "oil sands" will be encountered at a less depth than two thousand feet, and the fact that limestone is now being extracted shows that the "capping" is perfect.

LIVE DANCE AT PORT ESSINGTON

Happy Gathering of Residents and Friends the Other Night in Cunningham's Hotel. Music, Dancing, and a Jolly Good Time.

A delightful social evening and dance took place over at Port Essington the other night. The assembly was held in Cunningham's Hotel, the dining room of which was tastefully decorated for the occasion. To instrumental music supplied by Mr. T. Alexander and other members of the company the dance was kept up in live style till the small hours. The hotel is centrally situated for the district, and is quite near the Hot Springs so there was a good attendance of residents from around there, and the evening's enjoyment went with a swing. Refreshments served by Mr. Perkins of the hotel, acceptably accounted for the intervals in the dancing. Amongst those present were: Miss F. Noble, A. J. Matheson, Clyde Hunter, Mrs. G. Church Mr. J. L. Christie, Mr. A. R. Mackie, Mrs. S. Kirby, Miss M. C. Inrig, Mr. W. Reith, Mr. Jack McDonald, Mr. L. Kendall, Constable W. R. Carmichael, W. G. Rudge, Tiny Alexander, Constable Forsyth, G. B. Bailey, A. Gird, H. Gird, Mr. F. Ellis, Miss Cotton, Captain W. Noel, Billy Knowles, F. Goodenough, C. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Noel, Miss Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Rudge, Mr. and Mrs. G. Davis, Miss L. Davis, Mrs. H. Berryman, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Donaldson, Miss Gird, Mrs. Litness, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Orwig, Mr. and Mrs. Kipp, Jim Caruthers, Stewart Donaldson, G. A. Taylor, Mr. Rooney, R. G. Cunningham, Alf Perkins.

FINED \$100

Woman Found Guilty of Supplying Liquor to an Indian

Nellie Dupont was fined \$100 and costs today for having supplied liquor to an Indian named Harry Ryan. The woman defended her own case. Sergeant Phillipson conducted the prosecution.

SLOAN SUIT CLUB

Winners Saturday Night Club 11.—H. A. McVeety. " 12.—Jack Bothurst. " 13.—G. W. Johnstone. " 14.—H. E. Sewell. " 15.—J. W. Jackson. " 16.—R. M. McIntosh. " 17.—Frank E. Cullin.

PASTOR NAMED

Rev. F. W. Kerr on the Warpath Against Representatives of the People as Chosen under Democratic Rule Scores the System.

In the course of his address to the evening audience in the Empress Theatre last night, Rev. F. W. Kerr criticised and condemned the Democratic system of government. He said that the system seemed to him imperfect since those chosen by the people to represent them in parliament were so often poorly qualified. Under democracy there was no difficulty in securing a nomination as candidate provided a man were a strong enough party adherent. Other qualifications counted for nothing. The pastor thought that in this system lay the source of grafts and kindred abuses by men in power in the government.

"Under democracy," said the preacher, "any one at all may become a representative of the people. A rail splitter may become a president like Lincoln or a carpenter may become an alderman like Mr. Hilditch." There was quite a small sensation in the audience at this remark. The idea of the modest young carpenter laying down his hammer and saw to achieve the exalted ambition of becoming a president like Lincoln or "an alderman like Mr. Hilditch," was too much for the self repressive faculties of even a douce Presbyterian congregation.

MINE STARTS ON JAP INLET

Development Work Begins This Afternoon on Copper, Gold, Zinc and Silver Properties Located There Last Fall.

Development work begins this afternoon on the mineral properties located last fall at Jap Inlet, Porcher Island, by Messrs. Lawson, Hudson and Benson. The property is said to be a very good one, and further investigation during development is awaited.

Copper, zinc, gold, and silver are present in the ore which is likely to be easily worked. The percentages so far tested by assay give two per cent copper, fifteen per cent zinc, and from \$3 to \$5 in gold and silver showings to the ton.

Work is to be pressed on rapidly this fall with a view to extensive development of the properties for next spring. Shipments will very likely be made then, if not sooner, granting favorable conditions.

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STANDING OF BASEBALL TEAMS

Vancouver, New York, Philadelphia and Portland Top the Big Leagues.

(Canadian Press Despatch) The following are the calculated standing of the clubs in the principal baseball leagues up till Saturday night:

Table with columns for League, Team, Wins, Losses, and Games Played. Includes Northwestern League, National League, and Pacific Coast League.

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