

THE MORNING GUARDIAN

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COLONIAL LAW LORDS.

The important announcement was made in our despatches yesterday that it is the intention to strengthen the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council by the appointment thereto of one member each from the larger Colonial possessions, India, Canada, Australia and South Africa. The immediate occasion for this change is to reconcile the Australians to the retention of the right of appeal from the Supreme Court of their proposed Commonwealth, which appeal it was proposed in their draft constitution to abolish. From the British standpoint it is desirable to have one central court of last resort. Australian opinion had concluded that it would be better and more convenient for their country that any litigation arising in Australia should be finally settled by their own Supreme Court. It is hoped that by appointing Colonials to the Imperial Judicial Committee that body may be infused with a fuller knowledge of colonial affairs and so be made more acceptable to the Colonies as a final court of appeal.

The Judicial Committee of the Privy Council is composed of such members of the Privy Council as possess certain stipulated judicial qualifications. This makes it nominally a large body, but the member of the Judicial Committee usually attending are the Lord Chancellor, the four Lords of Appeal in Ordinary, with Lord Hobhouse, Lord Ashbourne, Lord Shand, Lord James Herford and Sir Richard Couch. Among the number usually attending the four Colonial Judges would make a considerable addition and a considerable change in the complexion of the tribunal, but the Colonials would of course, always be in the minority. As we understand the proposition the Colonials would be appointed and paid by the Imperial Government, though no doubt the recommendation of the Colonial Governments as to the persons to be selected would be given due weight. The appointments to the Judicial Committee would be for seven years, at the end of which term they would be translated to the House of Lords, where they would become Life Peers, and other Colonials would be appointed to the Judicial Committee in their stead.

When the plan is ready to be carried out we may therefore expect that the Canadian Government will be asked to nominate one of our most eminent jurists to be appointed to the Judicial Committee, and after seven years, should he live so long, to become a Peer for life. Very probably the choice would be made from among the Judges of the Supreme Court of Canada, and this would give a chance for a new appointment to the vacant position. In any case the plan opens up another and wider vista of promotion for our greater legal lights.

Cape Nome, the new Alaskan gold field now attracting attention, is situated some 250 miles northward of the mouth of the Yukon, on the opposite side of Norton Sound in latitude 64. It is a little farther north than Dawson City and nearly 1000 miles due west therefrom. The route between Dawson and Cape Nome by the Yukon River, the only practicable route, is very much longer.

The latest improvements in rapid telegraphy have recently been tested in and near Berlin. A message of 220 words was sent and received over the wires in nine seconds, or at the rate of 88,000 words per hour. The system was found to be faultless in operation, every dot and dash being clearly marked. The plan is an improvement upon the earlier plan of a perforated tape, in which the message is punched before sending. The method of receiving the message is by reflecting points of light on sensitized paper, the instantaneous flash causing a discoloration where the light falls.

Seldom if ever before has Prince Edward Island received so much attention at the hands of the newspapers of the other Provinces. The leading papers of Halifax, St. John, Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto and many other cities and towns have all had telegraphic news, correspondence and editorial articles dealing with the election of Mr. Wise and the attitude of Mr. Pineau. The various journals have looked the situation over through their party spectacles and have discussed it with considerable party bitterness. The Island has received a good deal of gratuitous advertising, but it has been by no means all of a complimentary character.

The British Columbia elections are to come off next month and in the meantime there is and will be intense interest and excitement in the politics of the Pacific Province. Premier Martin, whose chances at the outset seemed hopeless, now appears to be steadily gaining ground. Hitherto the affairs of the Province have been virtually in the control of a few wealthy men and corporations who were powerful enough to depose any Government which would not carry out their behests. Against this oligarchy Mr. Martin appeals to the masses, and promises them pretty nearly everything they desire. His program contains some impossible or impracticable features, but his boldness and superhuman energy are alarming his opponents. It might be a good thing to have the present oligarchical control broken up and beaten even at the cost of a few years of Joe Martinism.

The greatest industry under single control in the present or any age of the world's history is the Knapp iron works. At present its employees number 41,750. The headquarters are at Essen on the Rhine where over 25,000 men are employed. Here the grandfather of the present head of the firm established his works in 1810. Essen had then but 4,000 inhabitants; now it has over 105,000. Other large bodies of men are employed 3,458 in the steel works at Magdeburg, 2,756 in the German shipyards at Kiel, and 10,344 in various smelting works and coal mines owned by Krupp. The firm owns a large number of iron mines, including the famous Bilbao mine in Spain, the ore of which is taken to the coast by a railway owned by Krupp, and thence conveyed in Krupp steamers to Rotterdam. When their new works are completed at Kiel 7,000 men

will be employed there. The testing ground for the big Krupp guns is at Meppin in Hanover, and is nearly 14 miles in length.

A few years ago it began to be predicted that the electric street cars, the automobile vehicles, the bicycle and other contrivances would enable mankind to dispense with the horse almost entirely. The horse market was seriously affected by these innovations, and horse-breeders began to turn their attention to other lines. The Boer war has now changed all that. Against an army of Boers wholly made up of mounted men Britain has been compelled to oppose an equal force of cavalry and mounted infantry. To effect this the whole world has been laid under tribute for horses. Already the consumption and destruction of horse-flesh has been enormous, and it is still going on. Prices are going up, and people are beginning to think that the armies of the future must be largely mounted. A great European war, such as is liable to occur at any time, would probably create a demand for horses greater than the world has ever known, and horses cannot be grown to maturity in a year.

NEWLY INTRODUCED

Sensation caused in Barnaby River, N. B., by Dodd's Kidney Pills. Barnaby River N. B., May 14—Quite a sensation has been caused here lately by the introduction of a new medicine—Dodd's Kidney Pills. Although there had been many deaths in this village and surrounding district from Bright's Disease and other kidney troubles, yet strange to say Dodd's Kidney Pills had never been tested. Our people had little faith in patent medicines.

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Wary of experimenting with salves, suppositories and ointments and dreading a surgical operation, scores and hundreds have turned to Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment and found in it an absolute cure for piles. The first application brings relief from the terrible itching, and it is very seldom that more than one box is required to effect a permanent cure.

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Bananas 15, 20 and 25c per doz at W. F. Carter's. 16 31

New neckties are here—come in and see them. Moore & McLeod. 16 11

Strawberries and cream at W. F. Carter's 16 61

Mary a man is cross and worried these spring days—thinks he's not well—all the matter is too heavy underwear—the right kind of light underwear is here—See ad. Moore & McLeod. 16 11

Children's suits to fit any child on earth and cheap enough to fit any purse. Try us for ready made clothing. R. H. Ramsay & Co. 16 11

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Percy G. Armour,
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May 16 1900.

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