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POLITICS IN AUSTRALIA.

It appears that in the late federal elections in Australia there was an extraordinary apathy displayed by the great body of the masculine electorate. More than half of the men and women qualified to vote are reported to have refrained from voting. The women voted in much larger proportion than the men, perhaps because they had been in several States newly enfranchised, and it is pointed out that not more than 30 per cent. of the qualified men voters made their appearance at the polls.

What we have said applies to the election for the House of Representatives which corresponds to the Canadian House of Commons. The Senators are elected at large in each State which is made into one

constituency for this purpose. In New South Wales there were three Senators to be chosen and for the three seats there were twelve candidates. Of these three represented the Free Trade party, three were Independent Free Traders, three Protectionists, one Protectionist Labor and two Socialists. The three Free Traders were returned by 49,000 majority over the Protectionist Labor candidate who came next in order.

The Protectionist and Labor elements made a very different showing in some other States from that shown in the elections in New South Wales. A novel feature exists in the platform of the Victorian section of the Australian Labor party. It provides for the creation of a Federal State of 20,000 square miles surrounding the Commonwealth capital, to be governed on Socialistic principles—that is a state in which the lands, mines, minerals and machinery are to be owned and controlled by the people in their corporate capacity, and in which no private receiver of rent, interest or profit is to be allowed.

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Two women were committed to jail yesterday for violation of the Prohibition Act as appears by the report in another column. Both have families which will require looking after. It is suggested that the Provincial Government which receives in the aggregate a large sum from liquor fines, should give attention to these cases and see that the little ones do not suffer.

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JAPAN'S FIRST REVERSE.

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command of the Russian navy as president of the board of admiralty, taking an active part in the negotiations preceding hostilities. He presided at the special council which prepared Russia's undelivered reply to Japan.

Alexis paid a memorable visit to the United States when a young man. His career as high admiral is well known and brilliant. The Grand Duke is now in very bad health, but if his health permits he may exercise general direction of the naval movements in the Far East.

Grand Duke Boris is a lieutenant of hussars, and is considered an excellent soldier. He is likely to distinguish himself in battle, and probably will be on the staff of Grand Duke Nicholas. After Boris returned from the United States he bought the palace formerly occupied by Ambassador McCormick.

The Grand Duke Nicholas is 47 years old, and is considered the foremost cavalry expert in the Russian army. As inspector general of cavalry, he will be able to advise General Kurapatkin, who is an infantry specialist. Nicholas is one of the few grand dukes who married a commoner, and though his marriage has not been recorded, it is none the less a happy one. With General Kurapatkin's appointment as commander-in-chief of the army and the presence of Grand Duke Alexis in the Far East, the opinion is strengthened, that while Admiral Alexieff may remain as viceroy, the active direction of operations will pass out of his hands.

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