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EDITORIAL NOTES.

There is no provision for taking a vote on prohibition in the Yukon district, and consequently the miners of Klondyke will have nothing to say on the question. Prohibitionists in the older sections of Canada will not greatly regret this.

Moncton electors at a public meeting resolved to exempt the cotton mills in that town from taxation. The cotton company pays about $4.500 per month in wages which is a great benefit to the town. The exemption is conditioned on the mill operating during ten months of the year.

The war taxes in the United States are said by the World to bring in half a million dollars a day. This will go on till Congress makes a change. The effect of the war is thus to create a surplus in the national accounts where before there had been successive deficits for a number of years.

Hon. R. W. Scott, the author of the so-called Scott Act, is taking charge of the arrangements for the plebiscite. Already returning officers have been selected and writs sent out to all the electoral divisions. Prohibitionists may rest satisfied that the venerable Secretary of State will not play them false, and that the machinery for taking the vote and recording the people's verdict is under safe direction.

Mr. Ogilvie, the administrator of the Klondyke, has not lost faith in that region. At a farewell banquet tendered him on leaving he said that "in the Yukon country, extending over millions of miles, the gold colour was found everywhere. Half the country would pay when labour was cheap. Thawing would be done by electricity. The gold of the Klondyke had not been exaggerated. A vast quantity of that mother lode would yet be found. In the next ten years the Klondike would prove the greatest gold area in the world."

The political muddle in British Columbia appears to have terminated in the formation of a coalition government in which Mr. Joe Martin becomes Attorney General. The previous report that he had been appointed to the bench was therefore premature. With parties so evenly divided the formation of a coalition seemed the easiest way out of the difficulty. The weakness of the new government will probably be found in the fact that Vancouver Island is not sufficiently represented in it, as there is much jealousy between the Island and mainland.

It is stated that within the past twenty-eight years France has paid the $2,400,000,000 which the war with Germany cost her, increased her postal traffic threefold, her telegraph lines have been multiplied ninefold, the number of railway passengers has tripled, and the banks have increased their business enormously. The remarkable progress that France has made under republican rule, coupled with the vast sums spent on the army navy and public works is one of the marvels of the time. It is also a monument to the industry, energy and economy of her her people.

The estimate of Canada's annual drink bill at thirtyfive to forty millions of dollars is based on the customs and excise returns. There is reason to think that these figures, large as they seem, are within the mark. There is the product of illicit stills and the smuggling trade to be added, together with the extensive adulterations. It is well known that large quantities of stuff that is sold over the counters, especially of the lower class of saloons, never saw a distillery. It is made on the premises, from cheap alcohol and cheaper and nastier colorings and if account is taken of this class of liquor the monetary cost of the intoxicants consumed by the people of Canada may safely be placed at a sum not far short of fifty millions dollars a year, or enough in five years to pay off the national debt.

A good story is told of the visit of Mrs General Miles to one of the military hospitals. She found there a storeroom filled with boxes of delicacies for wounded soldiers contributed by individuals and relief societies, but which remained unopened for "lack of authority from the War Department." Mrs Miles comes from a fighting family and has married in to one as well, and she declared war right then and there—war on red-tape. She ripped open the boxes, distributed pajamas, jelly, tobacco, ginger ale, devilled chickens and whole stockings until the wounded cheered themselves half well. Then she went to Washington and applied at the War Department for permission to open the boxes.

Dr. Russell, M. P. of Halifax, in a letter published by the Chronicle declines to take part in the plebiscite campaign, his principal reason being that Nova Scotia is now a very temperate province and he fears that the enactment of a prohibitory law would not effect any considerable improvement. Mr. Russell is an astute politician who naturally desires to retain the votes which elected him in 1896. It will please the distillers and brewers to know that Dr. Russell, like Principal Grant, predicts the failure of prohibition. But his reasoning will neither convince nor satisfy the prohibitionists. The latter know full well that the counsels of expediency never yet promoted any genuine reform. Cabinet ministers and politicians want to save their positions. All true reformers desire to save the country and benefit the people.

The figures compiled by the Inland Revenue dapartment show that since confederation the consumption of spirits and wine has steadily declined in Canada, whereas the people have taken too freely to beer drinking. The following shows the quantities per head for the last nine years, as compared with the record of the two previous decades:

	Spirits Gallons	Beer Gallons	Wine Gallons
1869	1.124	2.290	.115
1879	1.131	2.209	.104
1889	.776	3.263	.097
1890	.883	3.360	.104
1891	.745	3.760	.111
1892	.701	3.516	.101
1893	.740	3.485	.094
1894	.742	3.722	.089
1895	.666	3.471	.090
1896	.623	3.528	.070
1897	.723	3 469	.084
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