

Where did you come from?" and "Did you come by continuous journey and through ticket bought before you started?"

The doctor is in fact put back to his former official limits, the boundaries before this order was issued, which have to do merely with the physical and financial fitness of the anxious immigrant.

The Fatal Words.

These were the fatal words in the order:

"Whenever, in the opinion of the Minister of the Interior, the conditions of the labor market in Canada are such as to make the application of the act desirable or whenever, in his opinion, other conditions exist which in a special degree render necessary, etc., the application of certain sections of the act."

"This," said the court "is delegating to others, not contemplated nor permitted by the act, the authority and discretion which clearly the Governor-General in Council alone can exercise."

"If that is Your Lordship's view," continued Mr. Macdonell, "there is no object in arguing the case, the other points, for the Hindus are all detained under the same order."

And the application for habeas corpus was immediately granted.

Bolha Sing and his dusky brethren who crowded the court and the corridor, revealed beautiful rows of pearly teeth in smiles that were audible.

May Claim Indemnity.

It is not improbable that claims for indemnity for wrongful arrest and detention may be made by Bolha and his brothers. A flood of writs is expected.

"Will Your Lordship give a written decision?" asked Mr. Macdonell.

"Yes, I will give written reasons at an early date," the court returned.

When counsel for the Dominion Government entered court with his usual confidence and a large section of the law library, he had two sections of the Immigration Act upon which he chiefly relied. One was section 10 to this effect:

"The Governor-General in Council may, upon the recommendation of the Ministers, make such orders and regulations, not inconsistent with the Immigration Act, as are considered necessary or expedient for the carrying out of the act according to its true intent and meaning and for the better attainment of its object."

Contained no Authority.

The other, section 10, was to like effect, using the words, "The Governor-General in Council, by proclamation or order, may, whenever he considers it necessary, etc."

But, by its decision, the court holds that neither of these reveals any authority to delegate to the Minister of the Interior or any other Minister or official, the discretion as delegated by the order in Council of January 8.

The federal order is now no more effective than the Natal Act, and should the Dominion Government appeal the decision to-day the Law Lords of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council may have the spectacle of the Dominion and provincial powers seeking the rights which the provincial courts have thus denied them.

In Kondo vs. the C. P. R., heard two years ago, the court gave a decision similar to the judgment to-day.

Premier Scott Coming West.

Ottawa, March 21.—Premier Scott, accompanied by Mrs. Scott and daughter, left yesterday for Regina.

Kaffir Chief, an Outsider, Led To-day in the Classic English Handicap.

Lincoln, England, March 24.—The Lincolnshire Handicap, 1500 sovereigns, for three-year-olds and up, the first big race of the spring season, was carried off to-day by F. S. Barnard's Kaffir Chief, ridden by J. H. Martin; Longcroft was second, and Snatch third.

Twenty horses started. Kaffir Chief was an outsider, and started in the betting at 100 to 7.

BETTING IS BARRED AT BENNING'S TRACK

Washington, March 24.—Betting on horseracing at Benning's so far as the House of Representatives is concerned shall not continue. Late yesterday that body by a vote of 79 to 4 amended the anti-gambling laws of the District of Columbia so as to extend them to the territory in which the Benning's track is located.

The Supreme Court of the District of Columbia recently held that these laws did not apply to the Benning's track, because it was more than a mile from the boundaries of the city of Washington. The spring race meeting opened yesterday.

PATERSON IS STILL HOME OF ANARCHY

Paterson, N. J., March 24.—President Roosevelt in answer to an appeal from Mayor McBride to exclude La Question Sociale from the mails for the purpose of suppressing it, states that in addition to stating that the newspaper, he denied the use of the mails, he has requested the Department of Justice to make every effort to prosecute criminally those responsible for the publication.

A copy of the President's letter to the Department of Justice was enclosed by Secretary Loeb, as the reply to the appeal of Mayor McBride. La Question Sociale recently published an appeal of inflammatory character which resulted in the action taken.

SENT DEAD BODY THROUGH THE MAIL

Denver, March 24.—Postmaster of Partialas, New Mexico, has reported to E. L. McKee, Chief Postal Inspector of the Rocky Mountain region, the discovery of the body of an infant in the mails. The package was addressed to a man at Boswell, N. M., and bore the return address of a woman of Woodstock, Ill. Under the outer cover of the package was the following unsigned message:

"I did not know what else to do, burn or do something right away. Do not open."

The Postmaster turned the body over to the officers. Inspector McKee says an investigation will be held.

Injunction Made Permanent.

Washington, March 24.—The American Federation of Labor and President Gompers and others of that organization, were permanently enjoined from conspiring, agreeing to obstruct or destroy the business of the Buck Grove & Range Company, in a decision rendered by the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, making permanent the temporary injunction against the Federation in that case. The Federation's counsel immediately noted an appeal to the District Court of Appeals.

The structure will stories above the base dome in the centre, 100 feet above the. The work in connect minals will cost in th \$2,000,000.

GERMANY INS ON FR

Von Buelow Decl William Had Idea of Inte British Naval

Berlin, March 24.—Reichstag to-day Chaw low declared he regret to give out the cont William's letter to La First Lord of the B which had created auc land. He said this coi purely private, and t it was an attempt to l val policy of Great B lutely without foundat "The purely defens our naval programme the attempts to imput ive intentions and pla Britain, cannot be reg or too sharply," the "It would tend to th countries and he worl very came to an end, tory to know that the in England to create a regarding this com fallen through."

GOLDEN JUBILEE OF TH

It was fifty years ago first placer gold claim the Fraser and then follo rush which forms a co of the history of Bri There is no celebratio golden jubilee of the first gold in this provin felt in many circles i should be done along t The old pioneers, the ticipated in that rush to Eldorado fifty years ago fewer year by year, an interests of the provin should be brought toget ing else than to glean facts affecting the coun known that they possess Mr. C. H. Gibbons of gets a pageant in honor to be given in connectio Victoria Day celebration engaged in preparing d of such a function.

Steamshipman

Montreal, March 24.—Je for many years had of Line of steamships in th gerously ill at his home square. He is sufferin monia.

Temperance in Q

Ottawa, March 24.—Ft titions were read in the day from the province of ing for the distribution holic literature among tl