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Robt. F. Green at Nelson

His Firm Belief in the Future of the Kootenays

Hon. Robert F. Green, M.P., was the guest of the Nelson Board of Trade on Thursday evening, and no one expressed more strongly his real ization of the good conditions which have prevailed in the Kootenay dis. trict during the past year.

The following is Mr. Green's speech io response to the toast "The Dominion of Canada." In responding Mr. Green said'

"The Dominion of Canada.j' He congratulated the people of Nelson in having such a live institution in their midst as the Board of Trade. He had never known a time when the people of Nelson were not alive to the interests of Nelson, the district,the province, and the Dominion as a whole.

The Board of Trade had always been an institution for the City of Nelson to be proud of. He also congratulated the city on the acquisition of the two new utilities and said he believed the time would arrive when the city would be glad that it had control of the gas plant and the street railway.

The Dominion had grown from very small beginnings; it was today developing very rapidly from coast to coast, the population was growing wonderfully; it was a country to be a resident of which any man should be proud.

There had been a financial stringency, but it had touched the province of British Columbia least of any he thought. The reason it touched the country at all was that the coun try had been growing too rapidly and that so many bond issues had been floated that Canadian securities were not looked upon as highly as they might have been.

But since that time the British postmaster-general, British bankers and others prominent visitors had travelled in the Dominion and on their return had told England not that Canada was borrowing too rapidly, but that it was borrowing for legitimate expansion, to meet the remarkable growth of population and development of the country, and he believed that this stringency would soon pass away. ...

He mentioned the great shipbuilding yards to be built at Esquimalt by a great old counsry shipbuilding firm. which constructed 1,300 vessels annually, as an indication of the great future of the province. This firm made a specialty of destroyers.

Realising the future of the Pacific coast the firm had decided to build yards at Esquimalt and in a few years would be in a position to construct small naval vessels.

So great has been the growth of British Columbia that when the redistricution bill was brought down at the next session the province would be biven double representa tion; Kootenay would have two mem bers in place of one.

For the man prepared to work hon estly with hand or brain there could be little of hard times at present in British Columbia. The monthly pay roll for railway construction alone in the province was $3,500,000. With such a payroll how could there be hard times in British Columbia.

It was true that there had been over-speculation in real estate, but the prosperity of the province was now on a sound basis.

The mining revival he had prophesied for two years was coming. The payroll in the interior was greater than it had been in the boom days, the country was in a position to produce more ore than it had ever been before.

Mining was now on a legitimate basis; the old days of wild-catting were gone.

He advised prospectors who had claims which they could not now sell to hold their properties, because a mining revival in British Columbia would come as surely as the sun would rise tomorrow.

He spoke of the progress which was being made in the reduction of low grade zinc ores and said that if not enough money were voted to carry the experiments to a succesful conclusion and the government did not make the appropriation required Kootenay would have to find a new member.

But he did not think it would be necessary for them to call for a new member, because he knew Hon. Lewis Coderre well enough to feel sure that the necessary money would be forthcoming.

Mr. Green referred to his experience as a member of the legislature and said that when he went to Ottawa he was curious to compare the two houses. He had a fairly good opportunity at the last session. It was very pleasant to be a member from Kootenay, but there had been a drawback. Last session he had to spend seven months in Ottawa, and of that time the first five months were absolutely wasted owing to the blocking of the naval bill.

Comparing the two parliaments he said that the commons consisted of a splendid body of men and there was more diversity of interests in the subjects discussed. He believed the members from British Columbia would compare very favorably with those from any other province, and he believed that the members of the provincial house were as good as those in the federal parliament. The parliament of British Columbia compared very favorably with the house of commons at Ottawa. The men of British Columbia had pioneer experience, in the opening of the country, cutting new paths and developing new industries, and their outlook as a result was broadened, their point of view enlarged.

The people of Canada realised the responsibilities to the empire and the assistance they had received; they were sensible of their obligations and he believed that before long Canada would be meeting her share of the naval obligations which the mother land had for long so nobly borne alone. ...

Report of "Onward" Bible class

The members of the Onward Adult Bible Class of the Methodist Church met in the class room on Wednesday Evening of January 7th, for the semi annaul election of officers and to receive reports from the various committees on the work of the past six months, reports show that the class has made great progress both in attendance and its usefulness as a teacher training and bible study class. The treasurer reports a favorable balance in hand after all accounts have been paid. The retiring president Mr. C. W. Rendall, in a few words thanked all the officers and members for the support they had given to him during his term of office, special praise being given to the convenors of the various committees for the earnest attention given to the work of their department. Mr. R. Hockey, the retiring Vice-president endorsed the President's remark

The election of officers then took place, the following being elected:—

Hon-pres.—Mr. C. W. Rendall
Pres.—Mr. R. Hockey
Vice-pres.—Mr. M. T. Harris
Secretary—Mr. R. Webster
Treasurer—Miss L. Egger
Teacher—Rev. W. E. Dunham

Rev. W. E. Dunham spoke of the privelege and pleasure there was in being the teacher of the class, and of the many ways the class had assisted in the work of the church.

Business was followed by a light supper which was well prepared by the social department under the diection of Miss Bevan, a special feature being the partaking of the first "Birthday Cake" of the class.

A short musical programme then followed in wnich the following took part:—Misses Bechtel and Egger; Messrs. Nidd, Racklyeft, Rendall, Ashworth, and Ketteringham. An en joyable evening was brought to a close by the singing of "Auld Lang Syne." ...

The dance on Thurshay night given by the Cranbrook Dancing Club, was well attended, the music by the Cranbrook Orchestra was excellent, and a general good time was had by all that were present.

Annual Meeting of the Women's Institute

The annual meeting and election of afficers of the Womens' Institute was held on Tuesday afternoon in the Carmens Hall. During the past year the society has experienced a large increase in membership as well as gn added interest in the work. The membership has increased from 49 to 92 during the year. Very successful meetings have been held during the past year. Some very sucjects which have been taken up and demonstrated during the year were: Stocking darning; biscuit making competitions for members (prizes given by the officers); demonstrations on dark layer cake; salads; iced drinks, iced desserts; pickles; canning of meat; fruit and vegetables; icing of layer cakes; making of cinnamon rolls; candies and the icing of Christmas and wedding cakes.

The following new officers were elected for the coming year:—

Pres.—Mrs. E. H. Leaman
Vice-presidents—
Mrs. W. B. MacFarlane
Mrs. Dan Campbell
Ser.-Treas.—Mrs. John Shaw
Directors—
Mrs. Edwin Ismay
Mrs. G. Couldwell
Mrs. A. Tisdale
Mrs. H. H. McClure
Mrs. H. Gridley

The following were appointed to act as the Social Committee for the first six months of the coming gear Mrs. Mirams, Mrs. Sanderson, Mrs. D. McKay and Mrs. H. Howlett.

At the opening of the meeting the retiring president, Mrs. E. H. Leaman, read the following address to the memqers. (Mrs. Leaman was subsequently re-elected).

"As this is the last time I shall preside before resigning the chair to my successor, I should like to thank the officers and members for the support they have given me during the past year; if it were not for the united efforts of all, I feel we should not have had the success we have.

"After hearing the reports from the directors and secretary-treasurer, I think you will agree with me that it has been a successful year in every way, but while this is so, I feel that there is more that we can do as an Institute. I would like to ask every member to try and bring another member as the more members we have, the more interesting our meetings will be—our membership has increased during the past year from 49 to 92.

It is with regret we have to report tne loss of several members by removal to other places. We feel that our loss will be the other's gain.

Then we have to express our best thanks to our secretary for the very able way she has discharged her duties during the past year and those who have anything to do with this kind of work will know it takes a lot of time and patience to carry out the duties that fall on a Secretary who reports a balance of over $100.00 in the books.

In closing my few remarks I again thank one and all for their kind support to me during my year of office, and wish all a very Happy and prosperous New Year.

Mrs. E. H. Leaman.

Find Tango Modest

Landon, Jan. 6—A special matinee performance given yesterday at the Aldwych Theatre for the edification of the peeresses and church dignitaries, who recently publicly expressed disapproval of the tango, resulted in giving practically a clean bill of modesty for the much-discussed dance.

Duchesses, countesses and bishops in large numbers were invited, but they, whether present or not, did not advertise their identity. The Duchess of Norfolk, who was among those invited, wrote that she regretted she would not be in London when the performance was given.

The result of a vote taken among the audience was 731 to 21 in favor of the modesty of the tango. One fair guest wrote on her card that the dance was "so modest it bored her to tears."

Bunty Pulls the Strings

At the Auditorium on Tuesday January 13th, everything from the main entrance to the stage will be Scotch. "Bunty Pulls the Strings" will be the attraction, and it is without doubt, the greatest theatrical success that has been seen in America during many years. The first company was brought over last year for New York, and played over one year to capacity business. This was one of the two attractions that played throughout the entire summer

Another "Bunty" came over for a Chicago run, opened in January last and remained there for six months. To satisfy the clamorings of managers throughout the cauntry a third company was organized in Scotland rehearsed in London by the author, and sent to America for a tour of Canada.

"Bunty" is entirely different from all other plays, and therein, perhaps lies the secret of its wonderful success. Americans like a change in their diet, whether it is food, books or plays, and Graham Moffat, the author of "Bunty Pulls the Strings" seems to have touched the palate on the right spot, for "Bunty" appears to be the most palatable theatrical dish served up in many a season.

It is just a simple story of a simple folk in the Highlands of Scotland where "Bunty's" father, Tammas, is the big man of the village, stern and hard, where his word is law. But his career is built on a shaky foundation. He is finally exposed, and "Bunty" steps into the breach, and very successfully arranges matters for everybody and everything.

Liberals will tour the province

A tour of the province is to be made by several of the Liberal party leaders before the convention which is to be held in Victoria on February 25th. This course was decided upon at a conference held at Vancouver on Tuesday night. The meetings will be held at Ashcroft on January 18th, with M. A. Macdonald, H. C. Brewster and J. P. McConnell as the speakers. Meetings have been arranged for Kamloops, Vernon, Revelstoke, Nelson, and Cranbrook on January 25th. Other meetings will be held at Fernie, Creston, Phoenix, Greenwood, Grand Forks, Rossland, Merritt and points on the northern coast; and other meetings will held on the lower mainland after the convention.

Annual Meeting I. O. F.

The Annual meeting of the Independent Order of Foresters was held in their meeting room on Thursday, January 8th, at which the following officers were elected:—

Chief Ranger—W. B. MacFarlane
Vice-chief Ranger—Mrs. F. Wells
Past chief Ranger—Geo. Ladds
Treas.—Fred Lister
Financial Sec.—Benj. Palmer
Recording Sec.—L. B. Hayward
Orator—Geo. Park.
Senior Woodward—Mrs. Smoke
Junior Woodward—Miss G. Carson
Senior Beetle—Mrs. J. Kemball
Junior Beetle—R. Fraser
Court Deputy—Fred Wells.

Martial Law for Regina

Regina, Sask., Jan. 8.—Regina will be under martial law tomorrow night, it was announced tonight, because of the acute labor situation and of threats of violence by leaders of many unemployed men. Superintendent McGibbon of tne mounted police has dispatched a detachment to patrol the city. Threats were made in a letter to the police to burn the city. The unemployed men are said to be armed

Hon Robert F. Green, M. P., was at Creston on Saturday night, and was tendered a banquet. He will pass through Cranbrook on Sunday afternoon, and owing to the urgent necessity of his being at Ottawa on the 15th will not be able to make any extended stop either at Fernie or Cranbrook.

Fire Brigade Report

For the Year 1913

The annual report of the Chief of the Cranbrook Fire Department is as follows:

On January 2nd, the brigade responded to an alarm caused by a chimney being on fire, house owned by W. B. MacFarlane, no damage.

On January 2nd, called to a chimney fire in a house owned by A. C. Bowness, no damage.

January 5th, called to a fire in a house owned by G. H. Chapman, caused by a defective chimney, dam age $500.00, covered by insurance.

Jandary 7th, responded to an alarm sent out, and caused by a fire at the house of E. Slater, the fire originated from a defective furnace, loss $1,500.00 covered by insurance.

January 23rd, chimney fire at Kerrigan's Brewery, no damage,

January 31st, fire in the Prospector office, caused by gasoline burner back-firing, damage $350.00, covered by insurance.

February 15th, fire in Nicholas' shoe shop, caused by children playing with matches, no damage,

February 27th, called to fire outside city limits, caused by chimney fire, house owned by W. Neil, no damage.

March 25th, fire at residence of Mrs. R. Kellogg, caused by overturning of stove, no damage.

April 28th, fire in the Model Variety store, owned by R. Moffat, cause unknown, $400.00 damage, no insurance.

May 29th, fire in stable, rear of Royal Hotel, cause unknown, $50 damage covered by insurance, owned by Wm. Stewart.

June, 18th, Fire in shack ...near outside the city limits.

August, 10th, Fire in house owned power house, no damage, and was by F. A. Lizzert, cause unknown, loss $325 covered by insurance.

September, 5th, Fire at the paint shop of R. C. Carr, caused by defective electric light wires, damage $165, covered by insurance.

October, 1st, Called to fire in Kwong Chong laundry, caused by defective stove pipe, no damage.

November 13th, Fire at Cranbrook Cleaning Works, caused by gasoline explosion, no damage, building owned by Geo. Powell.

December 7th, fire at residence of J. A. Arnold, cause unknown, $60 damage, covered by insurance.

December 31st, chimney fire at residence of J. H. Doyle, no damage

Total number of fires in city...16.

Total number of fires outside of city ...,2.

Total—18 fires.

The total loss by fires in city during year 1913 was $3,300, the amount of insurance paid $2,$00

The small amount of damage done at fires during the year is accountable to two facts, first, the water system of the city which is ample at all times for fire protection, the second, is the high state of efficiency of the fire department.

Will amend charter

The Calgary and Fernie railway, incorporated in 1906, will at the next session of Parliament apply for amendments to its charter-

It will also ask for an extension of time for the completion of the road, ro change its head office from Fernie to Calgary, for power to issue securities not to exceed $60,000 per mile, and for power to enter contract with another railway Company.

Important communication to business men

Cranbrook Prospector,
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Gentlemen:

Kindly announce in your columns that a Time Check from the Rock Creek Lumber Co., of Elko, B.C. for $26.00, No. 1222, payable to Jack Silverstone, indorsed was stolen and when it is presented to be cashed the merchants should be on the lookout. ...

Yours truly.
JACK SILVERSTONE

P.S.—My address is Box 157, Nelson, B.C.

Bruce-Northcote

Columbian Pioneer Weds with Nobilty

London, Jan. 6th.—There took place today in the picturesque old church of Upton Pynes, in Devonshire, Eng., the marriage of Mr. Robert Randolph Bruce of Windermere, B.C. to Lady Elizabeth Northcote, second daughter of the Earl and Countess of Iddesleigh. Considerable interest has been aroused in society circles in Great Britain by the announcement of this wedding for it is not often that daughters of noble families marry self-made men and Robert Randolph Bruce is proud of the fact that he is in every sense of the word a selfmade man. His father, the Rev. Charles Bruce, was for fifty years minister of the parish church of Glenrennes, Scotland, and though he had to struggle hard to do it, he insisted upon giving all his sons a good education. He believed that to be the best groundwork for a successful career and so young Robert Randolph Bruce was sent to Glasgow University where he graduated and took his degree as a Bachelor of Science. But when his college days were over and he left the land of his birth to seek his fortune in the new world, he had little but his indominatable energy and ambition—in fact upon arriking in Canada he found himself practically penniless. He secured an appointment on the engineering staff of the C.P.R., remaining with the company for ten years, during which time he was one of the pioneers in the west in charge of railway construction. When the mining boom of 1895-97 broke out, he, along with countless others, took the fever and he acquired some mining properties in partnership with the late Mr. Hammond of Osler & Hammond. It was while prospecting in the Selkirks that he first got into the Columbia Valley, and afterwards he became so facinated with its beauty and prospects that he acquired vast tracts of land there for the purpose of colonization. Mr. Bruce has played in his quiet way a considerable part in the development of the Canadian West, and in particular the Windermere district of the Columbia Valley. His interests are extremely varied and he admits that he has been "very successful" in his business operations. The Northcotes—which is the family name—have been located for many centuries in Devonshire, the head of the family holding landed estates near Exeter. Sir Stafford Northcote, Bart., who became the first peer, was private political secretary to Mr. Gladstone when that famous Liberal chief was the "rising hope of the Conservative party." The present Earl and Countess have a family of three, namely Lord St. Cyres, Lady Rosalind and Lady Elizabeth. This marriage between Randolph Bruce and Lady Elizabeth Northcote will be particularly interesting to Canadians because the bride's aunt is Lady Northcote, the widow of the late Lord Northcote and as is known, Lady Northcote was Lord Mount Stephen's adopted daughter. After the honeymoon following the wedding today the couple will leave for Canada towards the middle of March, arriving in the Columbia Valley about the beginning of April. Here they intend to build a residence at Inveremere and will reside there for the summer. Lady Elizabeth, among other hobbies, is very keen on gardening, riding and music, and she is charmed with the idea of going to Canada and of having a home in the Columbia Valley. The bride and groom have known each other for many years, but marriage with an earl's daughter was obviously impossible while the young scot was making a career, first on the engineering staff of the Canadian Pacific Railway and later in the mining fields. The name of Northcote is a far more notable one in English political history than that was only conferred on Sir Stafford Northcote, the grandfather of Lady of Iddesleigh. Indeed, the earldom Elizabeth Northcote almost at the end of a political career of nearly 20 years. Lord Salisbury was very much attached to Sir Stafford, who was one of the leading figures in the Conservative party for many years and held most of the principal cabinet positions, and when the ascendancy of Lord Randolph Churchill caused the displacement in the party Lord Salisbury showed his friendship as well as his appreciation of Sir Stafford's statesmanship by resigning the foreign office in favor of Sir Stafford, reassuming it after his untimely death. Sir Stafford did not live long to justify the confidence of his political chief. It will be remembered that he died while walking up the steps of the foreign office. Lord Salisbury's oration in the House when the vote of sympathy was being passed was one of the finest efforts and was one of the few occasions on which he was moved to emotion. After alluding to the fleeting nature of human ambition he made use of those familiar words "What shadows we are, what phantoms we pursue."

One of Sir Stafford's sons found his wife in Canada. He was a member of the Marquis of Ripon's commission sent to the United States ta arrange the Alabama Treaty and from Washington he went to Ottawa, where he met the adopted daughter of Lord Mount Stephen, whom he married a year later.

Annual Meeting of Farmer's Institute

The Farmers' Institute will hold their annual meeting on Wednesday evening next, January 14th at 8p.m. in the old Gymnasium, back of the Methodist Church. The election of officers for the year and other business will be taken up. All farmers and ranchers in the district are cordially invited to attend and become members, the nominal fee of 50 cts. is charged for membership. Literature dealing with all branches of farm life is published by the Department of Agriculture at Victoria and is sent free to all members of the Institute also stumping Powder for the clearing of land can be obtained by members at a reduced rate. The local Institute has given liberally each year to the Fall Fair special prizes to encourage Agriculture in our district. The Department is sending out mailing matter to draw the attention of farmers to the work of the Institute, but it has not arrived yet so kindly accept this invitation to be present at the Annual Meeting.

The Government also offers liberal cash prizes to members in competition through the Institute districts, for the growing of grain and vegetables and fodder for stock.

Yours respectfully,
S. Macdonald, sec.

Record in railroad construction

This week a Canadian Northern train leaves Toronto and will reach Winnipeg over Canadian Northern tracks— another band of steel connecting the East and West. Next May a train will leave Halifax and reach Winnipeg over the transacontinental tracks—the third band between the East and West. By end of 1915 trains will be running from Eastern Canada to the Pacific Coast over the two new transcontinentals, the Canadian Northern and Grand Trunk Pacific. This marked advance in railway construction has been due to the aggresive railway policy of the Borden government.

Completion of these transcontinentals will give a great impetus to the government's policy of encouraging interprovincial trade and keeping Canadian trade in Canadian channels In 1912 there was placed under operation 1,300 miles of railway in Canada. This record has been beaten this year when 1,900 miles of new road will be operated. In all at present 6,000 miles of new road are under construction. The Borden government's aggressive railway policy has established new records in Canadian railway construction.

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Maps of British Columbia, illustrative of the timber resources and the area of agricultural land are being prepared by the Commission of Canservation.

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Three hundred billion feet is the rodgh estimate of the amount of the commercial timber in this province at the present time.

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Upwards of 300,000 acres of agricultural land along the banks of the North Thompson river are to be thrown open for free settlement by hamesteaders within the next twelve months, according to a statement made by Geo. D. McKay, superintendent of the forest department of the provincial government. The larger portion of these lands are logged-off and cut-over timber limits which are capable of being converted into agricultural lands. In the Cranbrook district there is a large acreage of similar lands which have been surveyed by the prokincial government, which is qeing petitioned by the Conservative party and the Cranbrook Board of Trade jointly, to throw open these lands for settlement.6 The petition is being largely signed and will soon be sent to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council for considera- These lands in the Cranbrook district are declared to be ideal for all fruit and agricultural purposes. According to pland formed by the provincial government, to obtain these lands, the applicant must be a bona fide settler and engaged in development work on his land for three years.

Liberalism and Party

There is no disguising the fact that Liberals throughout Canada are sick and ashamed of their party. Sir Wilfrid Laurier's indiscretion in launching his free food policy, deeming it a political opportunity not to missed, has placed the party in serious perplexity. The fact that this new policy offers no feasible remedy for the food situation while at the same time the farmer is abandoned by this old time professed friend creates a condition of affairs which amounts almost to a revolt against the present party leadersnip.

When in September, 1911, the Liberal party found itself relegated to opposition the Liberal press immediately began to serve out a species of political consolement in the form of long editorials on high ideals in politics, urging upon the party to keep up the fight towards their realization. Since that time, the rank and file of the Liberal party have been compelled reluctantly to acknowledge that instead of any such a guiding spirit possessing their leaders they hake shown time and again a pervading baseness of spirit and tendency to play the game in a most unscrupulous manner devoid of both fairness and truth. The insincerity of the professions of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his collegues can no longer be concealed and that their leader is a political opportunist first and last has been undeniably proven. Liberals now realize that it was not a mere whim of the people which resulted in the party's downfall, but that defeat was brought about by the failure of the "Partyj' to do justice to the people. The mistrust created will be long in overcoming. The wrong doing of the "Party" both definite and indefinite must be atoned for, The period of pennace may be prolonged but it will have a refining effect.

In the great complex of this country's affairs, allowance must be made for a certain amount of individual blunders and misconduct. No party has ever been free from such and none ever will. During all of its fifteen years of office the Liberal party and its press exhibited an almost criminal resistance towards any admission of this fact. Blunders and misconduct were denied or condoned, until, as happened in several cases, public opinion demanded their recognition. Liberal parliamentary committees constituted themselves into "whitewashing" organizations. The scandals they were required to investigate were trivial compared with the scandalous methods of secrecy and suppression adopted.

The most dishonorable conduct and what occasioned the most public,distrust was not the individual malfeasance, but the repudiations, the bluster, the challenges and the histronic indignation all designed to cover up what in the very interest of the party itself should have been exposed. The greater culpability exists in those long silences and the repeated and obstinate struggle to suppress any discussion and any publication of transactions of a discreditable character.

Out of office, the Liberal party has not yet divested itself of its cloak of deceit and conspiracy. No doubt, this is chiefly due to the fact this is chiefly due to the fact that the party went out of office with its "black bag' well filled. A campaign unparalled in the history of Canada for its bitterness and deliberate untruthfulness has been carried on by the Liberal organization during the past two years. Methods both despicable and corrupt have been adopted in practically every bye-election held since the party's defeat in 1911 and at the same time the most disgraceful charges of corruption have been made against the government only to react most uncomfortably upon the Liberals.

The public disillusionment is complete. The Liberal party stands revealed in its true character. The gang of conspirators who for self agrandisement have so long been sheltered and fattened under the banner of Liberalism have been discovered. The many indications of file of the party presages a general a gathering fury of the rank and clean-up and a new beginning. Wire-puller's dinners to discredited politicians must be abandoned, the present party organization with its amazing display of trickery must be cast off. The lush temptations of office must give place to an intelligent faith in the principles of Liberalism before the party can ever hope to possess that solidarity which will induce the public to again entrust it with office.

A long sojourn in the bracing wilderness of opposition is the only possible method of a chastening reconstruction.

The lenght of that sojourn depends entirely upon how soon the present party leaders will accept the inevitable.

There is no other hope but that.

Develop Large Ore Bodies at Sullivan

The Sullivan mine at Kimberley is owned and operated by the Consolidated Mining & Smelting company. C. H. McDougall is in charge of the property. Besides the claims that belonged to the Fort Steel Mining & Smelting company 14 others have been purchased.

The vein is nearly flat and was worked by a shaft, the tenth level was only 100 ft. below the collar of the shaft. A tunnel was run to connect with this level and this is now the main working tunnel of the mine Below this level the vein has considerably more pitch and a winze was sunk 100 ft. Last year the main driven steadily ahead this year into tunnel was in 2,300 ft., and has been new ground, which has been thoroughly diamond drilled. The drift from the winze has also been pushed ahead very steadily.

The principal vein filling is pyrrhotite with bodies of lead and zinc sulphides contained in it. These ore bodies are developed by raises, drifts and the use of the diamond drills till their nature and extent has been fairly well outlined, a cross cut is then run underneath from the main drift, raises run up to the ore bodies, and the ore taken out throu the raises.

Development work this year has opened up a good tonnage of ore of a good grade and the output of the mine will be increased this coming year. The remainder of the surface plant was moved down to the tunnel mouth and the construction of the shops, etc., completed this year. A steam heating plant for all the mine bunk houses and buildings has been installed. The shops are housed in a building built last year. This building is 112 ft. by 5 ft., and situated near the tunnel mouth. Power is supplied by a 30 horsepower motor The equipment consists of a forge, a Ward drill sharpening machine, an air hammer for the blacksmith shop, two lathes, shears, drill press, metal saw, planer and pipe threader, The carpenter shop is equipped with timber framing saws and such necessary equipment. A Sullivan diamond drilling machine is also at the property One hundred men are employed at the property, 60 of whom are underground. The output is about 100 tons of crude ore per day.

Seven big machines are at present in use breaking about 225 tons of crude ore, second class ore and waste per day. On account of the flatness of the ore bodies a vertical setup is about the only one possible in the stopes. No more second class ore is mined in the stopes than can be helped, but considerable is taken out from the drifts. Very little timber is required in the mine. When a stone cribbing erected to take up any stope gets too big pillars left, or a weight from the roof.

Between the old shaft and the rock house several old prospect shafts had been sunk, showing the existence of a body of ore very near the surface. This ore was stripped by a scraper operated by a compressed air hoist. The ore was then mined by the glory hole method. This work is only carried on in the summer time.

The ore is hauled to the rock house and the waste to the waste dumps by a four-ton Jaffray electric locomotive. running on 30-pound rails and pulling a train of eight 2½-ton cars. The rock house is 800 ft. from the tunnel mouth, the track is covered by a roof to keep it free from snow in the winter.

METHOD OF HANDLING ORE

At the rock house the crude ore is dumped over a three-inch grizzly, the fines going to a storage bin, whence they are passed through a six-foot 25 mm. trommel. The fines from the trommel may be directed to the aerial tramway bin, the waste bin or second class ore bin. The same also applies to the oversize. The oversize from the grizzly go to the bin from whence they are drawn into a 15x24 in. Farrel jaw crusher, from which they pass to the pickling belt. The oversize from the trommel and the feed from the chrusher are not usually put on the pickling belt at the same time.

The picking belt is a 50 ft. link conveyor steel belt 36 in. wide, giving a 30 ft. sorting table length.

Three classes of ore are sorted, First class ore is anything over 14½ per cent. lead, if not too high in zinc. This is thrown down chutes to the tramway terminal bins beneath. Second class ores is anything containing below 14½ lead or over 14½ lead, if too high in zinc. This goes to the second class ore bins, from which it is drawn and run out to the second class ore dump. The 3rd product is waste and clean pyrrohite which is run out to the waste dumps

The second class ore from the mine is dumped down into a separate bin. If it contains any clean ore of shipping grade, it is put thraugh the rock house; if not, it is drawn directly from the bin and taken to the second class ore dump.

The aerial tramway to the C.P.R. track is loaded by a self-loader. The chute gates are operated by compressed air.

POWER PLANT

The hydraulic power plant consists of two six-foot Pelton wheels driving a 30-drill compressor and one six-foot Pelton driving a 150 k.w. 2080-volt Royal electric generator.

The wheels are controlled by Lombard governors. The water is brough to the power house from Mark creek in a 30-inch wood stave pipe 4,385 ft long, with a 200-ft- fall. The compressed air is conkeyed by 6,000 ft. of pipe line 8 in. at the lower end and 6in at the upper end. At the rock house there is atransformer station, where the current is transformed down to 550 volts. A 75-horsepower 550 kout motor is belt connected to a line shaft which drives the crusher, beut conveyor and a 20 lb. W. D. C. generator, which supplies tne power for the haulage locomotive and electric light for the tunnell.

The power house is situated on Mary creek gt the terminus of the Kimqerly branch of the Canadian Pacific railway. The hydraulic plant has been found insufficient at low water. A boiler plant was installed and steam cylinders put on the 3,000 ft, gir compressor. When water is low in the wiater time the steam can be turned on to help out the water power. By this arrangement only sufficient steam is used to supplement the water power and keep the compressor running at full speed.

ST. EUGENE

At the St. Eugene at Moyie a crew of from 20 to 35 men have been at work steadily. A small amount of development has been done. The ore stopped was shipped crude, any mill ore encountered is piled in the dump awaiting a final clean up.

SOCIETY GIRL

The Society Girl mine lies back of the St. Eugene, 3½ miles from Moyie It is developed by two crosscut with drifts. The upper crosscut is 200 ft. long, the lower is 1,200 ft. long and 260 ft, on the dip of the lead below No. 1. The two levels are connected by a raise. A snoot of ore was heveloped this year on the lower level but no ore was shipped.

In the Windermere country the coming of the Kootenay Central railroad will undoubtedly see renewed activity in the mines of the district. The Black Diamond on Toby creek has been doing development worv this year and some work on other properties will be pushed this year.

The Sullivan mine at Kimberly is opening up big ore reserves and a steady increasing tonnage is to be eypected from this property. The developments in the new ground adjoining the old property are giviog highly satisfactory results. The old St. Eugene at Moyie still continues to produce a small tonnage. There is ore developed on the Society Girl and the Aurora, near Moyie, and a small tonnage may be shipped from these properties soon.

Society

LONDON, Jan. 5.—The court to be held in February will be remarkable for the number of debutantes to be presented. Lady Mary Carson is sure to be the centre of much attraction, while two other interesting debutantes will be Lady Maude Cavendish, daughter of the Duchess of Devonshire, and Lady Mary Hamilton, daughter of the Duchess of Abercorn

After a dull winter, there seems a possibility that the coming season will be unusually lively and brilliant Hostesses who have not entertained for years are stated to intend doing so.

The wedding of Randolph Bruce, of Windermere, B.C., and Lady Elizabeth Northcote, will take place at Upton Pine church, Devon, tomorrow afternoon, and promises to be quite an event. The mere fact of a lady of the nobility deciding to share the lot of a "pioneer of the fruit industry" in far off British Columbia, seems to have taken the fancy of many English girls of good families, and it is certain that if the future Mrs. Bruce sends home good reports of her life in Windermere valley, the example will be followed by other girls in society.

There are enough well bred men fruit farming in British Columbia to provide a dozen such weddings if there are not many of noble blood.

Nickle Plate Mine may be re-opened

Rossland—Great interest is being manifested in Rossland at the receipt of authentic information to the effect that the Nickel Plate Mine is to be re-opened. The property has lain idle far nearly ten years, except that part of the plant being operated under lease by the Leroi No 2. The Nickle Plate is owned by the Rossland-Kootenay Mining Company of Englaod, with C. Williamson Milne as chairman and F. A. Labouchere, secretary. Mr. Bedford McNeil consulting engineer for the company was here with the touring geologists and mining engineers last fall and carried back to England accurate reports of the great success of the operations of the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company and reported that rich veins in tne War Eagle and Centre Star ran in the direction of the Rossland-Kootenay Company's prouerties. At the annual meeting of the company it was decided to spend from $50,000 to $100,000 on exploration work and diamond drilling

Mr. C. H. Stewart of Alexander, Hill & Stewart, consulting mining engineers, has been in Rossland recently investigating for the company and has sailed for England. The mine is down 800 feet.

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London, Jan. 2.— game returned to I from Italy after de ter of Vesuvius for taking film picture talian assistants, l scent at one point w minutes, they were only by covering t nostrils with cloth. 2,000 feet they reac ter, formed last went into the cone other 200 feet, re minutes. The heat fessor Malladra has said Mr. Burlingame Centigrade. He an could hear the noi lava from where th

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Cranbrook, B.C.

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Meets in Carmen's Hall, First and Third Wednesday of each month at 8:00 p.m., sharp.
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R. S. Garrett, Sec'y

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LIQUOR LICENCE ACT
(Section 34)

Notice is hereby given that on the 5th day of January next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for the grant of a licence for the sale of liquor by retail in and upon the premises known as the Canal Flats Hotel, situate at Canal Flats, British Columbia, upon the lands described as Lot 110, Group 1, East Kootenay District.

Dated this 6th day of December, 1913.

ENEAS H. SMALL
49-4t — Applicant.

COAL AND PETROLEUM NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Minister of Lands for a licence to prospect for Coal and Petroleum over the land in Lot 4593 described as follows:

Beginning at this post (N.W. Cor. of Lot 11953) and being the Southwest corner post of Anna K. Webb's claim, thence East 24.03 chains; thence North 10.71 chains; thence West 24.03 chains; thence South 10.71 chains to the place of beginning surveyed as Lot 11954.

Located this 15th day of October, 1913.

ANNA K. WEBB, Locator
Chas. E. Webb, Agent

The Corporation of the City of Cranbrook

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the electors of the Municipality of Cranbrook, B.C., that I require the presence of the said electors at the Municipal Buildings, Norbury Avenue, Cranbrook, B.C., on the 12th day of January, 1914, at 12 o'clock noon (1 o'clock p.m. local time), for the purpose of electing persons to represent them in the Municipal Council as Mayor and Aldermen, and also for the purpose of electing persons to represent them as School Trustees.

The mode of nomination of candidates shall be as follows:—

The candidates shall be nominated in writing, the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the Municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of this notice and 2 p.m. (3 p. m. local time) of the day of the nomination, the said writing may be in form numbered five in the schedule of this Act, and shall state the names, residence, occupation or description of each person proposed in such manner as sufficiently to identify such candidate, and in the event of a poll being necessary such poll will be opened on the 15th day of January, 1914, at the Municipal Offices, Norbury Avenue, Cranbrook, B. C. of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

The qualification by law required to be possessed by the candidates of Mayor are as follows:—

The persons qualified to be nominated for and elected as the Mayor of any City shall be any person who is a male British subject of the full age of 21 years, not disqualified under any law, and has for the six months next preceeding the day of nomination been the registered owner in the land registry office of land or real property in the city of the assessed value on the last Municipal Assessment Roll of $1,000.00 or more over and above any registered judgment or charge, and who is otherwise duly qualified as a Municipal voter.

The qualification by law required to be possessed by the Candidates for Aldermen as follows:—

The persons qualified to be nominated for and elected as Aldermen of a City shall be such persons as are male British subjects of the full age of 21 years, and who are not disqualified under any law, and have been for the six months next preceding the day of nomination the registered owners in the Land Registry Office of land or real property in the City of the assessed value on the last Municipal Assessment roll of $500.00 or more over and above any registered judgment or charge, and who are otherwise duly qualified to act as Municipal voters.

The qualification by law required to be possessed by the Candidates for School Trustees are as follows:—

The persons qualified to be nominated for and elected as Trustees of City School Districts of a first, second, or third class, any person being a British subject of the full age of 21 years and having been for the six months next preceding the date of nomination the registered owner, in the Land Registry Office, of land or real property in the City school district of the assessed value, on the last municipal assessment roll, of five hundred dollars or more over and above any registered judgment or charge, and being otherwise qualified to vote at an election of school trustees in the said school district.

Given under my hand at Cranbrook B.C., this 26th day of December, 1913

T. M. Roberts,
Returning Officer
52-2t

COURT OF REVISION

Fort Steele Assessment District.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Court of Revision and Appeal, under the provisions of the "Taxation Act" and the "Public Schools Act" for the Fort Steele Assessment-District with respect to the Assessment Rolls for the year 1914 will be held at the Government Offices, Fernie, B. C. on Monday the 26th day of January, A.D., 1914, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, legal time, and at the Government Offices, Cranbrook, B. C. on Wednesday, the 28th day of January, A.D., 1914, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, legal time.

ALFRED CLEMENT NELSON.
Judge of Court of Revision and Appeal. 2-4t.

LIQUOR LICENCE ACT
Section 48

Noticeis hereby given that on the 2nd day of February next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for the transfer of the licence for the sale of liquor by retail in and on the premises known as the Moyie Hotel, situate at Moyie, British Columbia, from Philip F. Johnston, to James H. Doyle of Cranbrook, British Columbia.

Philip F. Johnston,
holder of licence.
James H. Doyle,
Applicant for Transfer

Dated this 6th day of Jan. 1914.
2-5.

LIQUOR ACT, 1910
Section 42

Notice is hereby given that on the 31st day of December next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for renewal of the hotel licence to sell liquor by retail in the hotel known as the International Hotel, situate at Kingsgate, in the Province of British Columbia.

Dated this 15th day of December, 1913.

H. L. SAWYER,
51-4t — Applicant

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
District of East Kootenay, B.C.

Take Notice that I, Angus Ward Davis of Kimberley, B.C., occupation Mining Engineer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted at the South East corner of Lot 9828, thence south 27 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence north 27 chains, thence east 20 chains, and excepting therefrom all land included in the "Tramway" Mineral Claim, lot 4888.

Date November 19th, 1913.

Angus Ward Davis
48-9t. — Applicant

SYNOPSIS OF COAL MINING REGULATIONS

Coal mining rights of the Dominion in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the North west Territories and in a portion of the Province of British Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 an acre. Not more than 2,560 acres will be leased to one applicant.

Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal subdivisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of $5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of $10.00 an acre

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy Minister of the Interior
N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.—30690. — Jan. 3rd-tf.

FORT STEELE ASSESSMENT DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with the Statutes, that all assessed taxes and income tax and school tax assessed and levied under the "Taxation Act" are due and payable on the 2nd day of January, 1914. All taxes collectable for the Fort Steele Assessment District are due and payable at my office, situated at the Government Offices, Cranbrook. This notice, in terms of law, is equivalent to a personal demand by me upon all persons liable for taxes.

Dated at Cranbrook, B.C. the 29th day of December, 1913.

N. A. WALLINGER,
Deputy Assessor and Collector.
Fort Steele Assessment District.
1-2t.

WATER ACT

Notice of Application for the Approval of Works

TAKE NOTICE that The Lund Land & Development Co., Ltd., will apply to the Comptroller of Water Rights for the approval of the plans of the works to be constructed for the utilization of the water from Matthew Creek, which the applicant is by Water Record No. 276 authorized to take, store, and use for irrigation purposes on Pots 4045, 6035 and 6668.

The plans and particulars required by subsection (1) of section 70 of the "Water Act" as amended have been filed with the Comptroller of Water Rights at Victoria and with the Water Recorder at Cranbrook B.C.

Objections to the application may be filed with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria.

Dated at Wardner, B.C., this 29th day of December, 1913.

The Lund Land & Development Company, Limited.
P. Lund, President
Agent of the Applicant
1-4t.

Annual Meeting of the Cranbrook District Agricultural Association

Tuesday, Jan. 13th, 1914

At the Special General Meeting of the Cranbrook District Agricultural Association, held on Tuesday, December 30th, for the passing of the new by-laws, only a small number was in attendance.

The by-laws, which have already been approved of by the Department of Agriculture, were passed with but slight alterations.

The election of officers, etc., will take place on Tuesday, January 13, 1914, at 8.00 p.m. in the City Hall.

The new by-laws will come into force on that date. Under them an Hon. President, three Hon. Vice-Presidents, a President, Vice-President, and nine Directors will be elected.

The Hon. Members, the President, the Vice-President and three directors to retire each year.

The Directors appoint their own Secretary and have full control over him. All memberships expired on December 31st, 1913, and a good attendance of new members is requested for the Annual Meeting on Tuesday Jan. 13th.

The work of the Association is for the good of the District and cannot be successful unless supported by all parties. DON'T FORGET, Jan. 13, in the City Hall, at 8.00 p.m.

The following are the Constitution and By-laws of the Cranbrook District Agricultural Association.

ARTICLE 1.—Title

1. The Association shall be called the "CRANBROOK DISTRICT AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION.

ARTICLE 2.—Objects.

1. The object of this Association shall be to encourage the cultivation of the soil, the advancement of agriculture, and the general development of all the agricultural resources of the district, including the raising of live stock.

2. This Association shall endeavor to foster every branch of mechanical and household arts calculated to increase the happiness of home life.

ARTICLE 3.—Membership

1. Any person may become a member for the current year by the payment of an annual fee of one dollar.

2. The names of all members shall be registered in a book kept by the Secretary for that purpose.

3. Any member of this Association shall be eligible for office, entitled to vote, and shall receive a printed copy of the Constitution and such other matter as the Association shall publish.

ARTICLE 4.—Officers

1. The Officers and Directors of this Association shall consist of an Hononary President, three Hononary Vice-Presidents, a President, Vice-President, and nine Directors, who shall constitute a Board of Directors

2. The Board of Directors shall elect a Secretary-Treasurer. At the discretion of the Directors the offices of the Becretary-Treasurer may be dikided and their several duties apportioned by the Directors, such officers being subject to Clause 13 of the "Agricultural Associations Act, 1911" and to become ex-officio members of the Board.

3. The Hon.-President, Hon. Vice-Presidents, President and Vice-President shall be elected annually, and by ballot, at each Annual Meeting of the Association.

4. Directors. There shall be three directors elected at the 1st Annual Meeting after these by-laws are ratified, for a period of three years, three for aperiod of two years, and three for a period of one year. Directors will assume terms according to the number of votes cast in their favar. At each annual meeting there after three directors shall be elected to serve a period of three years to fill the places of the three retiring Directors.

5. Each candidate to insdre election must have at least a majority of the votes cast.

6. At any meeting of Officers and Directors, five shall constitute a quorum to transact business. ...

7. Duties of President. The President shall preside at all meetings of the Association, and shall, at the request of five members of the Board of Directors, call special meetings, shall appoint all committees not otherwise ordered, shall vote only at the election of officers and in the case of a tie, shall sign all financial and officigl docdments or papers emanating from the Secretary-Treasurer and not otherwise provided for, and shall have a general supervision of all matters pertaining to the interests of the Association.

8. Duties of the Vice-President. The duties of the Vice-President shall be to preside at all meetings and to sign all documents in the absence of the President, and to assist him in the performance of his duties as outlined above.

In the absence of the President and Vive-President the Association may choose a chairman.

9. Duties of Secretary-Treasurer. The Secretary-Treasurer shall conduct the correspondence af the Association, keeping in a separate book copies of all correspondence in the name of, and on behalf of the Association, and holding the same free to the inspection of any member of the Associatioo at any regular meeting of the Directors.

10. He shall receive and file all correspondence addressed to the Association, holding the same subject to the Board of Directors.

11. He shall attend all meetings of the Association and Board, keeping a full record of the doings of each, in a separate book, and shall, if required, furnish a copy of such records for publication. He shall prepare and publish all notices of meetings, prepare and countersign all gratuitous or complimentary cards certificates of merit, etc., awarded or tickets of admission, all diplomas by the Association, and forward the same to their respective claimants.

12. He shall keep the seal and all plates, dies, engravings, etc., belonging to the Association, and shall cause to be struck therefrom such medals and impressions as may from time to time be required.

13. He shall teceive all monies due or payable to the Association, and shall sign all cheques ordered by the Board of Directors.

14. He shall record the names of the Annual Members in a book kept for that purpose, and perform all the other duties appertaining to the office.

15. He shall, before entering upon the duties of office, file with the Board of Directors a bond for the faithful performance of his duty, the said bond to be approved by the Board.

16. In payment for said services, he shall receive such compensation as the Board shall decide to pay.

17. He shall, with the sanction of the Ptesident or Vice-President, be empowered to call a special meeting of the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE 5.—Board of Directors

1. The Board of Directors shall have the general management of the Association in the interim between annual meetings.

2. They shall fill vacancies occuring between elections, and make the necessary arrangements and preparations for all meetings, fairs, etc.

3. The Board shall have the power to make its own By-laws, (not inconsistent with the Constitution), and arrange for the time and place for the holding of its own meetings.

ARTICLE 6.—Exhibitions

1. The Association shall hold an Annual Fair at such time and place as shall be agreed upon by the members at the annual meeting.

ARTICLE 7.—Meetings.

1. The Annual Meeting for the election of officers shall be held the third week in November, at least 10 days notice af date, place and time being given.

2. It shgll not be admissable for any member to vote by proxy at any meeting of this Association, or its Board of Directors.

3. No member shall vote at the Annual Meeting who has not paid his subscription.

4. At any meeting of this Association seven members shall form a quorum.

ARTICPE 8.—Amendments

1. Amendments to this Constitution shall be presented in writing a an Annugl Meeting, when if agreed to by threefourths of the members present they shall be adopted.

Signed by H. H. McClure, Pres.
Alb. H. Webb, Sec-Treas.
on the 31th day of December, 1913.

Spent by Railways

The story of railway construction in Canada in 1913 is told in detail and it will be shown that the progress made far exceeds anything in the past history of the country.

The three transcontinental railways have been working might and main for completion or extension of their systems aod the result has been a long step in the development of transportation facilities of east and west During the past year at least 7,250 miles of new road were approved by the railway board and came into regular operation. In addition, construction work was carried on several thousand miles more. The Canadian Pacific railway alone had work progressing on 1,472 miles of new trackage west of Fort William. The rails have all been laid on the National Transcontinental between Winnipeg and Moncton, and the Grand Trunk Pacific promises to drive the last spike on the British Columbia section of the main line next summer. The Canadian Northern railway has just laid the last steel to connect Toronto and Winnipeg, and is working on the mountain section. At least $100,000,000 were spent on capital account by Canadian railways last year.

OFFICIAL ADMINISTRATORS ACT

Notice is hereby given that on the 5th day of January, 1914-

IT WAS ORDERED BY His Honor George H. Thompson, Esq., Judge of the County Court of East Kootenay, that James A, Arnold, Official Administrator for that portion of the County of Kootenay included in the Electoral District of Cranbrook be Administrator of all and singular the estate of Carrie Baker, deceased intestate.

Every person indebted to said deceased is required to make payment forthwith to the undersigned.

Every person having in possession effects belonging to the deceased is required forthwith to notify the undersigned.

Every creditor or other person having any claim upon or interest in the distribution of the estate of the said deceased is required to send before the 16th day of February, 1914, next, by registered mail addressed to the undersigned, his name and address and the full particulars of his claim or interest, and a statement of his account and the nature of the security (if any) held by him.

After the said last mentioned date the Administrator will proceed with the distribution of the estate having regard to those claims only of which he shall have had notice.

Dated at Cranbrook this 9th day of January, 1914.

J. A. ARNOLD,
2-2t — Official Administrator

LIQUOR LICENCE ACT
Section 48

Notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of February next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for the transfer of the licence for the sale of liquor by retail in and on the premises known as the Falls View Hotel, situate at Marysville, British Columbia, from John W. Colburn, to George Welch of Marysville, British Columbia.

John W. Colburn,
holder of licence.
George Welch,
Applicant for Transfer

Dated this 6th day of Jan. 1914.
2-5.

CROWN PRINCE GEORGE OF GREECE, WHO WILL VISIT AMERICA SHORTLY

PRINCE GEORGE OF GREECE.

It was announced recently at Athens that Crown Prince George will soon undertake a long cruise, visiting Egypt, Tunis, Algiers, Marseilles and New York.

His object is to convey the thanks of the King and the fatherland to the Greek communities which sent contributions during the war with Turkey.

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Local News

Don't make resolutions for the New Year that you have got no intentions of keeping; but resolve to have that Picture Framed that you have promised yourself to so many times.—Kilby Frames Pictures.

C. Dingwall, of Vancouver, was in the city Wednesday.

J. A. Haley, of Vancouver, was a guest at the Cranbrook Wednesday.

F. Robson, of Fernie, was in the city Wednesday.

A. W. Davis, of Moyie, was in the city Wednesday.

A. Barryman, of Jaffray, was a Cranbrook visitor Wednesday.

C. Silverman, of Calgary, was in the city Wednesday.

Geo. Welch, of Marysville, was in the city Wednesday on business.

E. C. Manning, of Calgary, was in the city Tuesday.

Harry Drew, of Kimberley, was in the city Tuesday on business.

J. Griffin, of Calgary was in town Tuesday.

Your Home Welcome

Will be one that you can look forward to with much added delight if, upon returning all fagged out from your day's work, your wife can have ready for you a bottle of

Kerrigan's X Port Stout

Then you will most fully appreciate this strenthening brew It will restore your energy, furnish needed stimulation to the tired body and put you in a frame of mind to respond to the pleasant reception awaiting you.

The use of Kerrigan's XPort Stout in the home spells good nature, good indigestion and good sleep. Let us supply you with a case.

$2.50 per case of a doz. pints

James Kerrigan
Cranbrook, - B.C.

H. McMullen, of Victoria, was at the Cranbrook Tuesday.

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O. L. Beach, of Calgary, spen Tuesday in Cranbrook on business.

E. C. Wilson, of Wardner, spent Sunday last in Cranbrook.

SAUSAGES—Fresh Daily
We make them on the premises and we recommend them. Cranbrook Meat Market. Phone 8

D. M. King, of Seattle, was registered at the Cranbrook Sunday last.

A. C. Bowness was at Bull river Tuesday on business.

F. J. Moore, of Bull river was in town Monday.

O. B. Richards, was down from Thunder Hill Monday on business.

A. E. Watts, of Wattsburg, was in town Monday on business.

Fresh crabs, oysters, kippered spring salmon, lettuce and parsley at the 41 Meat Market Co., Ltd.

W. MacCormack, of Kingsgate was in the city Monday.

F. Stevenson, of Brandon, was at the Cranbrook Monday.

G. Donahoe, of Wardner, was at Cranbrook Tuesday.

Geo. Watson, of Fort Steele, was in the city Tuesday.

S. Coleman, of Joliet, Ill., was guest at the Cranbrook Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Geigerich, of Kaslo, were Cranbrook visitors Tuesday

From every standpoint the prospects for 1914 are most encouraging. Yes! the Winter sports have begun The Liberal party is on the toboga

KILBY FRAMES PICTURES

A. E. Dufar, of Lethbridge, was a guest at the Cranbrook Thursday.

C. H. Hitchcock, of Victoria, was in the city Thursday.

J. Murray, of Fernie was in town Thursday on businessf

A. E. Beeson of Medicine Hat, was in town Thursday.

D. Trotter, of Chicago, was at the Cranbrook Thursday.

C. D. McNabb of Waldo, was in the city on business Thursday.

M. E. Middleton, of Fernie, was a guest at the Cosmopolitan Thursday

Wm. Schad, of Bull river was in the city Monday on business.

BRING YOUR OLD PIPE TO BOBS PLACE FOR REPAIRS

C. E. Wilson, of Vancouver, was registered at the Cranbrook Wednesday.

M. Wilmott, of Jaffray, was transacting business at Cranbrook Wednesday.

H. E. Wheeler, of Chicago, advance agent for "Bunty Pulls the Strings" company, was in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R Cobban, of Missoula, Mont., were guests at the Cranbrook Monday.

KILBY FRAMES PICTURES

Special for Saturday—Fresh killed spring lamb. The 41 Market Co. Ltd

It may be that your eyes are becoming weak and you are afraid to acknowledge it. That is the way with a good many people, both old and young. The young, particularly, seem afraid to admit their failing sight, but it is no novelty nowadays and certainly no disgrace. We will remedy any defective eyesight and guarantee satisfaction. Delays are dangerous—Come Today.

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Don't know they have Appendicitis

Many Cranbrook people who have chronic appendicitis, which is not very painful, have doctored for years or constipation. The Beattie-Murphy Co. states if these people will try A for gas on the stomach, sour stomach SINGLE DOSE of simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as compounded in Adler-i-ka, the remedy which became famous by curing appendicitis, they will be surprised at the QUICK benefit. 42-54

H. D. Young, of Nelson, was transacting business at Cranbrook Monday.

R. T. Richardson and A. Doyle of Fort Steele were in town Monday on business.

We handle only fresh killed choice stock and our meats are the best to be had—give us a trial. Cranbrook Meat Market. Phone 8

J. G. Leggitt, of Winnipeg, was a registered at the Cranbrook Tuesday.

Lumbering operations have necessarily been curtailed owing to the lack of snow.

Born—At Cranbrook, Monday, Jan 5, to Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Sullivan,—a daughter.

Why should Sir Wilfrid Laurier worry oker the cost of living. His goose was cooked two years ago.

BRING YOUR OLD PIPE TO BOBS PLACE FOR REPAIRS

The Calgary sleeper on No. 12, from Cranbrook to Calgary has been discontinued.

J. E. Borgstrom, of Vancouver, was registered at the Cranbrook Thursday.

Mrs. R. S. Garrett will receive on the afternoon, January 15th, in honor of Mrs. E. Garrett, of Watrous, Sask.

The militant suffragettes of London have decided to lay their troubles before the King personally, tha is if they can secure an audience.

For prompt delivery PHONE 1751 THE 41 MARKET Co., Ltd.

Mrs. W. H. Johnson was taken to the St. Eugene hospital Thursday afternoon suffering from rheumatic fever.

W. B. McFarlane has purchased the Murray store building on Norbury avenue and is now having it fitte up for a first class business house.

Why not invite the School of Minerology to engage in a study of the rocks upon which the Liberal party seems to be bumping.

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P. Lund, of Wardner, managing director of the Crows Nest Pass Lumber company was in town Thursday on company business.

M. A. Macdonald is moving over British Columbia. The jolt that he got in Cranbrook should help him on his way.

England is shy 508,000 babies, says Lord Rosebery. The hand that,rocks the cradle seems to be busy rocking window panes

If Sir Wilfrid Laurier could only prevail on the Canadian hen to lay more eggs he would be really doing worry over the cost of living. His

At the Edison Theatre tonight will be shown the special two reel feature entitled "The Diamond Makers". There will also be three other reels consisting of comedy and drama.

Wm. Shira of Wasa, spent this week in Cranbrook, Mr. Shira is a mining man and has a gold quartz proposition on Lewis creek that is looking exceedingly well.

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A special meeting of the Executive of the Cranbrook District association was held in Manning's hall on Monday evening, at which important business, for the district, was transacted.

A regular monthly assembly of Selkirk Preceptory was held in the Masonic Temple on Monday night. There was a fairly good attendance of Sir Knights.

Smiths premium Hams, Bacon and Lard leads the field. The 41 Market Co. Ltd.

The parliamentary session is but five days away and Liberals are telling of what the Senate is going to do. Why don't they say something about what will happen to the Senate.

Mrs. Geo. S. Stevenson will receive on Thursday, January 05th.

Bruno Cutri, who was sentenced to be hanged for the murder of Felice Zappia, has had his sentence commuted to life imprisonment. Cutri was to be hanged on Thursday, but on Saturday last Sheriff Tuck received notice of his reprieve. He will be sent to New Westminster penitentiary.

Ore Shipments

Ore shipments from mines in the Cranbrook district for the past year were as follows:—

Sullivan	35,925
St. Eugene	1,542
Monarch	196
Society Girl	20
Total	37,683

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PRICES: 75c. to $1.50. Seats on sale at Beattie-Murphy's Drug Store

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Church are going to hold an afternoon Tea and Sale of Home Cookery on the afternoon of St. Valentine's Day, Saturday, February 14, further particulars will be given later.

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Fresh killed grain-fed Pork at the Cranbrook Meat Market. Phone - - - - 8

Little George McMahon, of Kimberley has been confined to his home with a severe attacv of pneumonia, his mother has attended him night and day for the past week, and w trust that Master George will soon be on the road to rerovery.

ATTENTION ATTENTION ATTENTION—The Cranbrook Cleaning Works have just installed a $300.00 Hoffman Sanitary Pressing Machine and we are now in shape to do first-class work at the following prices—Ladies' and Men's Suits sponged and pressed 50c. and 75c.6 Steam cleaned $1.00 and $1.25, French dry cleaned $2.00 and $2.25. We now have the best plant east of Vancouver. Phone 157. We call and deliver goods 50

Captain and Mrs. Carruthers who are in charge of the Salvation Army corps have received farewell orders from Brig. Green of Vancouver. They will be farewelling on Sunday, Jan. 18th, and will be leaving Cranbrook the following Tuesday. The Captain will be able to announce in the course of a few days the name of their successors were and their new appointment.

W. W. KILBY
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Presbyterian Church

Pastor—
Rev. W. Kelman Thomson

Morning Service 11 a.m.
Subject—"Studies in the Life of Jesus—Jesus at the Well of Samaria
S.S. and Bible Class at 3 p.m.
Evening service 7.30 p.m.
Subject—Studies of tne New Testament Characters—Thomas, the sceptic Convinced."

The Annual Business Meeting of the Congregation will be held in the Church on the evening of Wednesday January 14th at 8 p.m. All members and adherents are earnestly invited.

Methodist Church

Pastor—
Rev. W. Elson Dunham

Sunday services, the Pastor will preach at II a.m., and 7.30 p. m. Sunday School and Onward Bible Class at 3 p.m.
Subject of Morning Sermon: "The Need of Authority."
Subject of Evening Sermon: "Gods Maza Lamp."
All are invited to the above services.

Baptist Church

Pastor—
Rev. O. E. Kendall

Morning worship 11f00K.
The Church Attendance League will begin another period of six months at the end of which prizes will be given to all boys and girls who have merited them by faithful attendance at the morning services.
Topic of the morning sermon will be "The Commandment of Love.j'
Topic—"Out of Unfathomable Depths into Unscaleable Heights."
A cordial invitation is extended to all.

B.P.O.E.

A Charter has been opened in Cranbrook for membership in the BENEVOLENT AND PROTECTIVE ORDER OF ELKS of the Dominion of Canada which will remain open until a membership of 50 has been enrolled.

The fee is $20.00.

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