

## BRITAIN'S SEA POWER.

Largest Naval Fleet Ever Assembled.

The outstanding feature of British naval manœuvres this year is the number of ships engaged in the mimic war and the enormous increase over other recent assemblages of the imperial navy. The increase is to be noted in all classes of ships and most of all in the important fighting classes and in the fleet as a whole it amounts to considerable more than 100 per cent. over the showing of the two great reviews of 1897 and 1902.

Thus, of big battleships there were in Queen Victoria's diamond jubilee review in 1897, only 21, and in King Edward's coronation review in 1902, the same number, while at present there are no fewer than forty. Of those powerful armored cruisers which are practically battleships there were in 1897 only 4 and in 1902 only 6, while now there are 27. Of those destroyers which Mr. Kipling has celebrated as the deadliest of all craft, "the choosers of the slain," there were thirty in 1897 and thirty-two in 1902, and now there are 117. Torpedo boats have increased from twenty in 1897 and fifty-six in 1902, to 79 while submarines which were non-existent in the two reviews, now number 26. The totals are 165 in 1897, 125 in 1902 and 350 in 1909.

In connection with this tremendous showing it may be remembered that in 1897 and 1902 about half of the battleships were more than ten years old, and some were more than twenty years old, of the forty this year all but eight are less than ten years old, and practically all the armored cruisers, destroyers, torpedo boats and submarines are within that limit. That is to say, within ten years Great Britain has put into commission 32 battleships, 20 armored cruisers, scores of destroyers and torpedo boats and more than two dozen submarines.

The present fleet is not only the largest in numbers that has ever been assembled, but also the newest and most up-to-date and most efficient. In the face of such a showing Britannia may certainly have some degree of confidence that she will continue to rule the waves.

### Cranbrook Union Mission Band.

At the Baptist church last Sunday afternoon there was organized the above new christian force in the community. The president is B. A. Tozer; vice pres., H. Campbell; Sec. treas., J. F. Broughton. These together with the ministers constitute the executive. The very worthy aim of this band is to carry the gospel to the several lumber mills and camps within reasonable reach of the city, conduct open air services and in other words put the shoulder to the wheel of the christian chariot, and incidentally to exercise the moral muscle of the workers in our church. Everyone who would like to help in this work to reach our isolated brothers will be cordially welcomed to membership. There is no fee, no restrictions. Only spontaneous zeal. Last evening the entire band went to conduct their first meeting at the Standard mill.

### No Graft There.

Montreal, July 15—After three days of consecutive sitting and one of the biggest fights in the history of Montreal, the city council decided, by the narrow majority of one, to stand by the principle of accepting the lowest tenders for paving work, and rejected that most criticised reports of chairman Groulx of the streets committee. These reports recommended the letting of contracts for paving and sidewalk to the extent of \$400,000; in many instances the contracts were recommended to firms charging as much as a dollar a yard more than the same work cost in the states, and some fifty cents a yard lower than other paving contractors offered.

### New use for the Gramophone.

It has been left to the managing board of the Moscow, Windau & Rybinsky railway to turn the gramophone to practical use, for the board has announced its intention to set up a large gramophone at the Moscow station of the line, so that the arrival and departure of every train can be announced clearly to the travelling public, says a Petersburg dispatch to the London Globe. At the same time the gramophone will sound the bell three, as is usual, before a train starts on its journey. As more than seventy per cent. of the people of European Russia are unable to read or write, the ordinary time tables are not of the smallest use to them, and the gramophone referred to has a splendid future before it, if only it can be made to speak clearly and loudly enough.

### For Steady Silver.

John Hays Hammond is authority for the statement of the probability in the near future of an international conference of representatives of those countries interested in silver to prevent further depreciation in the price of that metal. A movement is now on foot to that end, instigated, not by the mine owners, but by the merchants of this and several European countries, most interested in oriental trade. The fact is becoming recognised, says Mr. Hammond, by traders with those countries, whose currency is silver, that under present existing prices of silver and low rates of exchange it is almost impossible for oriental countries to trade with or make purchases in the markets of countries whose basis of currency is gold.

## "PACIFIC" CANADA.

The Development of the West.

The magazines of the United States are devoting a great deal of space to the railroad development of that section of the Dominion which they term "Pacific" Canada. This is the definition they give to that rich empire of which British Columbia is the centre. The rapid progress of the Dominion are making in that section and the valuable land, mines and timber being brought to public notice through these transportation facilities has unquestionably aroused the cupidity of the United States "captains of industry." They desire to see such a prize captured and held by those men who cannot be brought under the "community of interest" management by which the opulent industries of the States are today controlled.

For this reason some big projects directed toward the control of "Pacific" Canada are today maturing on the other side. The fight for the control of the transportation facilities may develop into one of the historic industrial battles. It is no secret that vast areas of timber have been purchased lately through British Columbia by American companies, syndicates have secured many valuable mining claims and the invested capital will make the transportation facilities valuable. From the ton of the press in the western states it is apparent that these contests for the development of the Pacific province of the Dominion are by no means remote. The tenacious competition of Seattle for transportation business to Vancouver suggests that foreign companies will exhaust every device of trade to control this rich commerce, naturally tributary to eastern Canada via the prairie provinces.

If there is one aspect of this situation that appeals to every Canadian as necessary it is that the great Pacific coast empire of the Dominion must reach eastern markets through all-Canadian sources. Anything less would not be tolerated for an instant by the sane business men of Canada. For this reason it is not surprising that Vancouver is displaying unusual interest in the contest for the development of British Columbia.

The prairie provinces have a warm friend in British Columbia, whose people recognise the community of interest bond which binds these two rich sections of the Dominion together. Just at present the press of Vancouver is unanimously favoring the Selkirk Centennial Exposition as one of the greatest projects binding together the remote parts of the Dominion. It is this identical feeling that is resisting the plans of the capitalists from the south to enter the British Columbia field with the purpose of diverting this business via foreign lines to eastern markets.

### B. C. Indian Trouble.

Hazelton, B. C., July 14—Commissioner Stewart of Ottawa, with Judge Howell of Winnipeg, arrived yesterday to arrange a settlement of the Indian trouble. A big gathering of Indians was held this afternoon, but from it the whites were vigorously excluded.

### Conservatives Meet.

A meeting of the executive committee of the Cranbrook Conservative Association was held in Mighton's Hall on Thursday evening for the purpose of making the necessary arrangements for the calling of the regular yearly meeting of the association and the election of officers for the ensuing year.

The annual meeting will take place July 29th.

### Sultan's Brother Dead.

Constantinople, July 14—The brother of the Sultan of Turkey, Prince Süleyman, died here today suddenly of heart failure.

### Japanese Diplomats.

Tokio, July 14—It is confidentially whispered here in well informed circles that Ambassador Takahira will not return to his post in Washington. He probably will be succeeded by K. Uchida, at present representing the Japanese government in Vienna. It is reported that Uchida is commanding the exceptional confidence of the authorities, both here and in Vienna. The remarkable consideration which has been shown him by Vienna authorities during the Balkan complications proved the cause of the suspicion culminating in the false report of the Japan-Austrian rapprochement.

### Three New Stations.

METEOROLOGICAL RECORDS TO BE KEPT AT KOOTENAY POINT.

Victoria, July 14—The establishment of three new meteorological stations is the result of the tour of the Kootenays just completed by Supt. Baynes Reed of the Dominion meteorological service, who visited in all 23 points and found the work progressing well. The new bureaus will be at Needles, on Arrow lake; Atholmer, on the Upper Columbia and Cranbrook. These extensions are not expected to materially improve the department's facilities for forecasting throughout the west, for the system being provided, most for the benefit of the districts for which they will serve as centres.

Repeat it—"Wholly's Cure will always cure my coughs and colds."

## SUBMARINE IN COLLISION.

Fifteen Sailors and Officers Drowned.

London, July 15—The British submarine C11 is reported sunk in collision with C17 off Lowestoft, on the east coast today. The lieutenant and fifteen members of the crew were drowned. Lieut. Brodie is the officer missing. Submarine C17 is badly damaged.

Later Lieut. Brodie and Watkins were rescued, also one sailor, as they were in the conning tower at the time. With the exception of the three mentioned, the crew did not have the time or opportunity to save themselves.

The cruiser bonaventure with a flotilla of eight submarines were proceeding in a southerly direction when the steamer Eddystone ran in among the vessels, colliding with C11. The submarine was badly stove in, and lies in fifteen fathoms of water.

Wire hawsers have already been passed under her, and it is hoped she can be raised at once.

### Conserve Public Resources.

Interesting information with regard to the American campaign for the conservation of public resources has been received. The secretary of the interior Mr. Ballinger, recently three open to settlement all but one hundred and fifty thousand of the 1,400,000 acres of public land in Utah, Colorado, Wyoming, Montana, Idaho and Oregon, which under the last administration, were withdrawn from entry as containing possible water power sites. This action at first caused some comment as appearing to be a reversal of Mr. Roosevelt's policy. However, it appears that the geographical survey has been conducting a detailed examination of the land in question, and as a result Mr. Ballinger is able to protect all the water power sites withdrawn by the former secretary of the interior, and others besides, while reserving only a fraction of the area originally affected. President Taft is as firm a believer in the conservation of natural resources as Mr. Roosevelt, but being equipped with later information is enabled to improve upon the latter's methods.

The president intends to urge congress in his first message next December to enact legislation reserving water power sites on the public domain from acquisition by individuals or corporations. In the meantime, in a letter to the editor of System he has made it known that he insists on "the necessity for a comprehensive and systematic improvement of our waterways, the preservation of our soil and of our forests, the securing from monopolistic private appropriations of the power of navigable streams, and the retention of the undisposed coal lands of the government from alienation."

Thus the American government is going a long way ahead in the policy of conservation.

### Body Found in Stable.

Deloraine, Man., July 14—John Griffith, a farmer, who lived about fifteen miles west of here, was found dead in an old unused stable on his farm last night. He had used a razor to cut his throat. His mind, it is thought, had become weakened under weeks of illness, and while his wife was asleep in the afternoon he slipped out of the house unobserved. He was well known in Deloraine, having resided a couple of miles out for a number of years.

### Farmer Burned Out.

Tofield, Alta., July 13—Last Thursday the Anderson family, living ten miles north of the town, was almost completely burned out. The entire family was absent from the place. It is thought that the fire was of incendiary origin, as an unknown man was seen loitering around the place during the afternoon. A subscription list is being circulated in the town and neighborhood and has been successful in raising a fund for the benefit of the sufferers. Mr. Anderson has been totally blind for a number of years, and the farm has been run by Mrs. Anderson.

### Attempted Suicide at Chatham.

Chatham, Ont., July 13—Thomas Wallis, an Englishman, attempted to suicide this afternoon by swallowing paris green. He was discovered in time to save his life. He was despondent over the loss of eighty dollars which he intended to use in taking a trip to the old country.

### The British Navy.

Lord Charles Beresford estimates that three hundred million dollars will be needed to put on the Royal navy to place it on a proper footing. This is a vast sum of money to be spent on machines of war, which may be out of date before the last of them is ready to go into commission. But there seems to be no help for it.

### Head Completely Severed.

Port Arthur, July 15—A man named J. Lowery had his head completely severed from his body by a C.N.R. shunting engine in the yard this evening. Deceased was lying on the track asleep, and neither the driver or fireman noticed him until too late to stop. An inquest will be held.

George Laurie of Creston was in town Friday.

## CHINESE IMMIGRATION.

Government has let Down the Basis for Orientals—Only Laborers Pay Head Tax.

Acting upon the request of the Chinese of Vancouver, the Dominion government has, by order in council approved May 4, removed many of the restrictions imposed on Chinese immigration according to advice received today from Ottawa. The scope of the exempt class, that is those Chinese who are not called upon to pay head tax of five hundred dollars has been greatly widened. Immediate effect was given to the order. The order was approved by its terms were forwarded to all Canadian immigration and custom authorities, but so quietly that the public until today never received any intimation of the change in the regulations.

In a word the new order so widens the scope of the Chinese immigration act of 1906 with the amendment of 1908 in regard to the privileged class of Chinese that it practically leaves only the Chinese laborers to pay the head tax with the insane, pauper and infectious still prohibited. The new law puts even "students of manners and customs" in the student and merchant classes exempted from the payment of head tax.

### Assistance Refused G. T. P.

Chicago, July 15—Officials of American railroads operating west of Chicago have flatly declined to enter into any scheme that would help populate Canada or any foreign country. Some time ago the G.T.P. asked the general passenger agents of the Chicago-St. Paul roads to cooperate in making a low rate from Quebec to western Canada, by way of Chicago. The G.T.P.'s plan was to meet the fares of its competitors the Canadian Pacific.

The C.P.R. having its own road between the Atlantic and Pacific has been quoting very low fares to Europeans to settle in western Canada, and also, through its new Chicago line, has been seeking colonizers from this district. At a meeting of the general passenger agents of the Chicago-St. Paul and the Chicago-North Pacific coast lines yesterday, the G.T.P. asked the American lines to make a rate or join in a fare from Quebec to western Canada that would meet the American roads about 3c per mile. It was not the low rate requested, but the building up of another country at the expense of the United States.

### Celebration at Marysville.

A large number of visitors from Cranbrook, Port Steele, Kimberley and neighboring towns in the district were in attendance at the Marysville celebration on Monday last. The program included horse racing, foot races and other caledonian sports. The celebration was the most successful in the history of the smelter city.

### Diaz and Taft.

Mexico City, July 15—President Diaz has announced that he will ask permission to meet president Taft at El Paso, Texas, in October, and no doubt his request will be granted.

### Big Purse for Short Bout.

New York, July 15—An offer of a purse of twenty-five thousand dollars has been made by Jack McGuigan and Harry Edwards, the fight promoters, for a six round bout between Stanley Ketchell and Sam Langford, in Philadelphia, sometime in September.

The promoters plan to have the bout take place in the open air at the grounds of the Philadelphia league club. Joe Woodman, manager of Langford, says he will accept the offer unless the Ely promoters guarantee him ten thousand dollars for Langford's end and five hundred dollars for training expenses.

### Ministers Silent.

The federal ministers maintain silence about the cause of Engineer Lumsden's resignation. But it is practically admitted that over classification and over payment on Transcontinental contracts is the cause of the trouble. How far Mr. Lumsden may be blamed for this, and how far he has protested against it will probably not be known until the papers are brought down in parliament. When the house meets explanations must be given; until then, the government can keep the matter quiet.

It is certain that the estimate of \$62,000 per mile, given by the minister of railways in the last session is far below the cost of the road, though the figure is a large advance on the promise of 1903 that the road would cost \$25,000 per mile. The charge is climbing rapidly to one hundred thousand dollars per mile. But suppose it should be no more than seventy-five thousand the company will be under contract to pay a fixed rental of \$2,250 per mile for the whole line. Compare this with the fixed charge of one thousand dollars per mile on competing railways.

It will be understood what this means when it is remembered that one thousand dollars per mile is more than sufficient to pay the whole C.P.R. dividends on common stock.

Government Agent J. F. Armstrong returned Friday from a business trip to Moyle.

### READ THE PROSPECTOR

## GOVERNMENT EXPENDITURE.

Appropriations for British Columbia Not Favorable.

An odd event of the session which has closed was the fate which befell an attempt which Mr. G. H. Barnard, M.P., made to obtain information with regard to certain classes of government expenditure. Mr. Barnard set out to ascertain the amounts expended since 1906, in the Maritime provinces on one hand and in British Columbia on the other. Very early in the session he asked a question on the subject. He was told that the answer would be so voluminous that he must move for a return. He moved accordingly on February 17th. He inquired from time to time as to its progress, and was assured that it was being prepared as rapidly as possible, but although the return covered only two years and although the department had almost the whole length of the session in which to work as rapidly as possible it did not work rapidly enough to get the work ready by prorogation time. The point of the question of course, is the lavish manner in which these works have been built in favor of constituencies along the coast of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, while the appropriations for British Columbia are anything but satisfactory. For example, Mr. Fielding's constituency of Queen's and Shelburne has had spent upon it since 1896 between one hundred and fifty and two hundred thousand dollars in small coast protection works; while the adjoining county of Lunenburg, with an extensive coast line and a great fishing industry, apparently needed only five thousand dollars during the eight years from 1896 to 1904, during which it was represented by a Conservative.

### Additional Locals.

A. R. Meyers and A. W. Thompson of Vancouver were in town Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McTavish of Moyle were in town Thursday.

Wm. Carlin and R. T. Richardson of Fort Steele were in town Friday.

Constable H. C. Adney of Wardne was in the city Friday.

W. L. Lucas of Moyle was in town Wednesday.

C. J. Archibald and G. Thurman of Nelson were in town Wednesday.

F. R. Ross and son of Detroit were guests at the Cranbrook Wednesday.

Constable J. Walsh of Fort Steele was in town Thursday.

New pictures at the Edison theatre tonight.

Cecil Pidgeon was down from Perry Creek Thursday.

E. A. Watts of Wattsburg was in town Thursday.

Mr. Pugsley, minister of public works, is expected to reach the coast early next week.

Born—At Cranbrook, Friday July 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Steward, a daughter.

Owners of automobiles were busy this week taking out the necessary provincial licenses.

The fire brigade were out Thursday evening taking their usual weekly practice.

The encouraging outlook for the lumber industry means considerable prosperity for the Kootenay lake section.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. McVittie of Port Steele, were Cranbrook visitors Thursday.

P. DeVere Hunt has gone to New York to attend a meeting of the Prudential Insurance Co.

Mrs. Aikens of Brockville, Ont., arrived this week, and will make her home with her son Mr. R. S. Aikens.

Born—At Cranbrook, on Friday, July 9, to Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Nesbitt, a son.

At the Winnipeg and Calgary exhibitions the principal attractions were the Kootenay trout exhibits.

C. W. Smith of Fernie and J. Rankin of Vancouver were guests at the Cranbrook Wednesday.

E. Elwell, of Beale & Elwell, was at the coast this week on company business.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Long of Hastings were visiting in the city Thursday.

F. J. McCrohan of Nelson, B. Massey of Nampa, and G. T. Darland of Spokane, were registered at the Cranbrook Friday.

The time is not far distant when the railway companies can't afford to ignore the scenic attractions of this portion of British Columbia.

McBrides window, on Friday, was surrounded by a throng of ladies. The window was filled by a lot of fine singing birds.

D. S. Ayres, manager of the North Star Lumber Co., of Elko, was in town Wednesday on company business.

J. C. Drewry of Cowley, was in town Wednesday. Mr. Drewry is an old timer in the Kootenays where he has a host of friends.

V. Hyde Baker left on Thursday evening for Windermere. He was accompanied by E. Small and R. E. Beattie.

## OF KEEN INTEREST.

Kootenay Exhibits Holding Spectators.

Winnipeg, July 13—A big throng gathered around the Kootenay exhibit at the Winnipeg fair today, and piled the staff in charge with a multitude of questions. Interest was centred in the strawberries which although picked last Friday were still in excellent condition and appeared almost as fresh as when first opened up.

Today was citizens day and the fair grounds was thronged. Practical all the business houses of the city closed in the afternoon to let their employees attend the fair and when a rainstorm commenced about the middle of the afternoon and broke over the grounds, there were nearly as many in attendance as yesterday or somewhere in the neighborhood of twenty thousand. The visitors were driven to the buildings for shelter and hundreds pressed eagerly about the corner allotted to Kootenay.

The ore specimens, particularly the one from Sheep Creek, attracted great deal of attention and provoked many questions. Kootenay's name on the tongues of hundreds and many complimentary remarks are passed upon the excellence of its general display although regret is freely expressed over the failure of the British Columbia government to enter a general provincial exhibit.

### A Youthful Advertiser.

Willie Brown was the proud proprietor of a small hen, which one day laid an egg. It was so very small that Willie was greatly disappointed. His father, who kept a lot of curios in the house, had some specimens of the ostrich egg, one of which was found to be missing. Willie was taxed with the theft of the egg and asked where he had put it. The boy pleaded guilty and led his father to the house of the hen. In side, opposite the nest, the father was astonished to find the missing ostrich egg, with the following note posted over it: "Dear little hen, keep your eye on this and do the best you can."

The Cranbrook junior baseball team put all over the junior Moyle nine on Wednesday evening, the score being 22 to 12, in favor of Cranbrook.

Rocky Mountain chapter R. A. M. held a regular monthly convocation in the chapter room of the Masonic temple on Tuesday evening.

Members of the local branch of the Canadian Order of Chosen friends reminded that lodge meets Wednesday evening next in Carman's Hall at 8.30, sharp.

In all probability there will be a provincial election before the end of the year, and when it is brought on we suppose that we will do what we can to elect our political friends.

There will be an important meeting of the Conservative Association of the Cranbrook district on July 29th. All members and other conservatives are requested to attend.

F. J. Graves of Montreal, T. F. Davidson of Calgary, W. C. Meyer of Chicago and E. J. Cann of Calgary were guests at the Cranbrook Thursday.

A large grove of sheep passed through Cranbrook Thursday. They consisted of a portion of a flock of five hundred recently purchased by P. Burns & Co., from Macdonald & McLaren, of St. Mary's prairie.

Though advertised, the Weidmar circus did not show at Cranbrook. A considerable number of people from neighboring towns were here, but owing to the non appearance of the circus, were disappointed.

The picture show at the Edison theatre has been improved this week by the arrival of new machinery and from now on will be the most up-to-date moving picture show in Kootenay.

Wesley Cline, president of the Cranbrook Fishing Association, will have a try at the gamey trout tomorrow. Several local fishermen will accompany him, just to see that no old time fish stories are sprung on Monday next.

The official year book issued by the Canadian government has been issued and contains a large number of statistics concerning the Dominion in 1908, and showing its rapid progress during the past few years.

By the way, how does the negotiation of that treaty with France, by which that country is given special treatment in Canadian markets coincide with the government's alleged devotion to the British preference?

A movement is on foot to drive out all chinks from Cobalt camp. This must ultimately become the sole solution of the Chinese and Japanese problem as far as British Columbia is concerned. Oil and water will not mix any more than the Oriental with the Occidental.

The Epworth League spent a very pleasant evening Tuesday. It was opened in the usual form with Miss Connolly in the chair. A very interesting and instructive paper was given by R. S. Garrett on the 'History and Art of Printing,' to whom a hearty vote of thanks was extended. A vocal duet was given by Miss Connolly and Mrs. Chapman, which was much appreciated. A hearty invitation is extended to all to attend the League meetings.

## HAVE MORE TROUBLE.

Strike in Crow's Nest Pass is Revived.

Lethbridge, July 13—Trouble between the miners and coal operators is not over yet. According to the agreement recently signed matters in dispute regarding differentials in pit-labor work at the Hillcrest mine were to be settled by arbitration. Steps were immediately taken to have the trouble adjusted. The miners nominated Rev. H. R. Grant of Fernie, the chairman of the conciliation board of the big strike. The operators accepted the nomination. Mr. Grant made his investigation and gave a decision that upheld the contention of the company rather more than it did that of the men. Although the agreement states that each party is bound to accept the award of the arbitrator, the district board of district No. 18, met at Frank yesterday and refused to accept the award given by Mr. Grant. The trouble in Hillcrest is therefore as bad as ever and as the act of the board for the miners is a violation of the agreement recently signed, it may be that the whole agreement may be set aside.

### Man Hunt Abandoned.

That the desperado who on June 23 shot and killed special constable Becker at Ascroft was a brother of the dead train robber, Haney, who had just been shot by the constable, is a fact established by detectives who are still pushing along the trail left by the bandits. The man hunt has been abandoned, but detectives all over the country are running down the records of the Haney brothers and it is confidently expected that in time the escaped murderers will be caught.

### Presbyterian Church.

SUNDAY, JULY 18  
The usual services will be held morning and evening to which all are invited. Thought will be had for the summer heat, and the services duly arranged to avoid discomfort. Guild meets on Tuesday at 8. Subject, Pointe Aux Trembles Schools—Miss J. Deever, leader.

The K. G. C's of the Presbyterian church have made a name for themselves as entertainers and hostesses, Friday evening next week, July 23, in the spacious lawn of Mr. J. G. McCallum. A varied musical program will be prepared, both vocal and instrumental. Tea, coffee, sandwiches and cake will be served without charge. Ice cream will be for sale. A free will offering will be received at the gate. Come and be so fitted.

### Moral and Social Reform.

A large and enthusiastic meeting of the Cranbrook Moral and Social Reform Council was held on Wednesday evening at the Presbyterian schoolroom. Final reports of the committee appointed to canvass the entire list of ratepayers were given and the meeting was overjoyed to find that practically two hundred property owners had availed themselves of this opportunity to express their desire for the suppression of the infamous colony of vice, "vox populi vox dei." Next Wednesday evening is the regular monthly meeting and in the interval the committee will check off the signatures from the voters' list in order to make it sure that every person has had an opportunity to place himself or herself on record as tolerating or condemning this awful evil. It is hoped that the large number who have signed may lend backbone to the fearful ones and that several names may yet be added. Arrangements will be made at the next meeting for the presentation of the petition to the commissioners. Several new important matters will also be before the council for consideration.

Bert W. Farrell of Vancouver was in the city Friday.

W. G. Colwin and C. J. Davidson were Cranbrook visitors Friday.

Barrister M. A. Macdonald has gone east on a visit. He will be away several weeks.

For some reason or other circus people don't seem to fancy Cranbrook.

Born—At Cranbrook on Friday, July 16th, to Mr. and Mrs. W. Logan a daughter.

The mayor of Boston was kissed by 50 girls the other day. It is enough to make socialists of the rest of us.

J. Cameron, D. McKenna and Jas. Land will leave this afternoon for Scotland. They will be away for several months.

The city council has passed the Trades License Bylaw. There is but little change from the old bylaw, by the new.

A general meeting of the Conservatives of the electoral district of Cranbrook will be held in Mighton's Hall on July 29 for the purpose of election of officers and other business.

The Kaiser declares that he is for peace. He is like the chairman of an eastern gathering, who said he was going to go down from the chair "and lick the whole bunch."

A general meeting of the Conservatives will be held in Mighton's Hall on Thursday, July 29, at eight p.m., for purpose of election of officers and other business.



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A cigarette fiend in Spokane recently said: "that he would give his last quarter if he could only smoke his coffin nails in peace."

Crops are in excellent condition in the Cranbrook district, and sufficient moisture has fallen to ensure a bumper crop.

Farmers, fruit growers, cattle men and miners in the Upper Columbia and Kootenay valleys are anxiously awaiting the construction of the Kootenay Central railroad.

McGill university now confers the degree of Bachelor of Agriculture, the oldest of the arts has been the longest in coming to honors in our universities.

Fishing in the numerous streams and lakes is now at its best. The high water having subsided, and the trout are rising to the fly, also taking bait freely, and a number of excellent catches are reported.

Cranbrook juniors defeated a fire brigade nine last Friday evening. That was pretty good, but the juniors are hunting for the scalp of the senior club, and if they meet and do not win, it will not be because of the lack of honest effort.

The old saying that lightning never strikes twice in the same place has been exploded by the fact that a house in Santa Fe, was struck twelve times in as many minutes. One person was killed and a dozen more occupants were severely shocked.

Experts in the lead market report that large sales of lead have been made recently and that all the surplus stock, which has been carried on for some time, is now exhausted. This will probably result in a slight advance in the price during the next month.

The Chinese population of the United States is estimated at \$1,534. The relatively small number of Chinks would appear to facilitate the capture of the individual Chink wanted by the police of New York. The success with which Leon has evaded detection shows remarkable cleverness in hiding.

A report from B. C. says that the chase after the train robbers has been abandoned. Perhaps it has but if the robbers wish to keep out of the pen, they will take this tip and lie low, or they will be in the quarters recently vacated by W. Miner, whose late address was New Westminster, Calgary Herald.

Living at low cost is a matter of individual choice. The opportunity is universal, but it does not mean living on tinsel and other luxuries. The people are so saturated with cheap, whole some food that they fail to correctly estimate the blessing, just as they do not appreciate pure air and pure water. It seems as if familiarity bred contempt.

If Peter Piper picked a pile of people's pockets, then where's the pile of people's pockets? Peter Piper picked? You'll find 'em mostly in the liberal party, for only as they stand staunchly by the principles of liberalism can be preserved that sacred grafting in virtue of which Peter Piper is provided with pockets from which to pick his pile.

It is not too soon for the farmers and cattlemen of the Kootenay valley, to begin preparations for the Big Cranbrook Fall Fair. The managers of the Agricultural Association are doing a lot of hard work, and if they get the support and assistance which they have every reason to suspect, Cranbrook's first Agricultural Fair will be a grand success.

The board of railway commissioners have heard the application of the V. V. & E. railway to amend the location of its branch line at Sapperton to the Fraser River Lumber Co. and the New Westminster, and also with regard to the crossing by it of the C.P.R. tracks. The application was granted and in addition the V. V. & E. was given leave to cross the C.P.R. line; proper safety appliances will be installed at the cost of the applicant company.

Chairman, Mabey of the railway commission has given out an important B. C. judgment in Riel vs. Great Northern. C. P. Riel of Rykert, B. C., shipped railway ties from Rykert to Portage la Prairie, Man. The route taken dipped into United States territory and the G. N. R. abolished its joint freight rate and charged Riel the full local rates all the way. Mr. Mabey laid down the principle that a joint rate cannot be abolished without the establishment of a new one which involves no appearance before the board. With regard to the case at issue he ordered the G.N.R. to refund to Riel the excess it had charged him over the joint rate.

Despatches from Washington indicate in part the nature of Canada's claim to territorial jurisdiction over Heate Strait, which the Americans describe as "admittedly the most known halibut fishing ground in the world." It appears that the Canadian contention is that in principle, the Alaskan boundary award gave Great Britain jurisdiction over all waters south of Dixon entrance. In addition it is said that the Canadian government invites the attention of His Majesty's government to whom the despatch is addressed, to the tacit admission by the United States of British sovereignty over these waters in asking a few months ago for permission to lay a cable to Alaska through the strait.

There has come to light an interesting example of the work that can be done for his constituents by a member of parliament who really interests himself in their welfare. Some months ago while engaged in rifle practice at Slocan a member of the militia was injured by the bursting of the rifle with which he had been supplied by the Dominion gov-

ernment. At the advice of the senior officer in the vicinity he went to some expense in procuring medical attendance, and when the bill was rendered departmental difficulties arose as to recouping him for the expense to which he had been put. On arriving in Ottawa, however, Mr. A. S. Goodale, within whose constituency the accident occurred, took the matter up with the Minister of Militia so vigorously, and presented his constituent's claim with such effect, that Sir Frederick Borden issued instructions to his department to have the claim admitted and the man reimbursed for the expense to which he had been put. It will be observed that to do this little piece of work, which is only a sample brick out of Mr. Goodale's record for the session, it was not necessary for the member to be a supporter of the government.

## Canadian Loan.

The Canadian Associated Press is informed that Messrs. Rothchild, on Wednesday, July 13, were underwriting \$2,000,000 of G.T.P., three per cent bonds, guaranteed by the Dominion government for issue at 82½. One per cent, the underwriting price is considered extraordinarily low in many quarters.

## Appointments

The following have been appointed for the taking of affidavits under the election act in the Cranbrook electoral district: James Bates, Thomas B. Gavin, John A. Kennedy, Frank Dickson, Andrew McCowan, James Henderson, Arthur Shanklin and Joseph Hall.

## Methodist Church

SUNDAY, JULY 18

Services at 11 and 7:30. Sunday School and bible classes at three. Young men and women will find the bible classes interesting and helpful, and all who do not go elsewhere are cordially invited. The subject for the evening service will be "The fall of Jericho, and its relation to Cranbrook, being a plea for the immediate removal of the Restricted District."

United open air services at nine on Baker Street.

The Epworth League hold a prayer service at seven in the inner vestry to which all are invited.

Tuesday, Epworth League, missionary meeting, life and work of H. M. Stanley. Addresses by Messrs. Ryckman and Johnson.

Wednesday—Parsonage lawn open for croquet and social chat at 7 p.m. Thursday—Prayer service at eight. Choir practice at 8:30.

## THE GYMNASIUM

The trustees met on Tuesday last and decided to pay off the small outstanding account in connection with the institution. The matter of the railway Y.M.C.A. was discussed, and it was hoped a fully equipped building under those auspices would soon be established in Cranbrook, where the need was very great. Until then, the trustees felt that their duty was to continue to supply to the best of their ability healthy recreation for the young people of the city. A committee was appointed to make the necessary arrangements for the coming winter season.

THE BOYS' BRIGADE CAMP  
All members of the Boys' Brigade who wish to go to camp are requested to send in their names to Captain Main, Sub-Captain Hughes, or Sergeant Wilson, with a fee of fifty cents on or before Wednesday, July 21. The Brigade will leave on Monday afternoon July 26 at two, from the gymnasium, and return to town on Friday, July 30 at five. Full particulars will be announced in next week's paper. No other boys but members of the Brigade need apply. The camp will be held about two miles from town.

## Baptist Church.

It will be Hymn Lover's day in the Baptist church this Sunday. The most popular hymn in the congregation and in christendom respectively, according to vote, will furnish the theme for the two sermons. The pastor, Charles W. King, assisted by the choir, will conduct a service of song at both 11 a.m., and 7:30 p.m. Sunday School at three p.m., classes for everybody. You are cordially invited to attend.

Last Friday the young people of this congregation enjoyed an evening of music, games, and sociability at the parsonage as the guests of Pastor and Mrs. King and Miss Stark, their sister. The piano, and the new game of Roko, chiefly the latter, received the bulk of the young people's attention.

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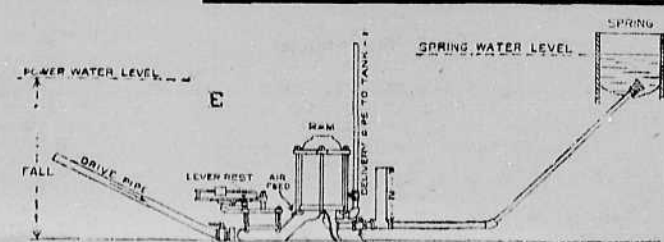
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#### CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

District of East Kootenay.

Take notice that I, Mrs. McFarlane of Cranbrook, occupation married woman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the north east corner of Cooper's pre-emption, thence west 16 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence east to Moyie river, thence following down stream to place of commencement.

Mrs. Sadie J. McFarlane, H. Melton, Agent.  
Dated April 3rd, 1909. 17

#### CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

District of East Kootenay.

Take notice that I, Walter Bruce McFarlane of Cranbrook, occupation merchant, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of lot 8435, thence south 70 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence north 30 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains to place of commencement.

Walter Bruce McFarlane, H. Melton, Agent.  
Dated April 3rd, 1909. 17

#### CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

District of East Kootenay.

Take notice that I, Harry McIntosh of Halcov, B. C., occupation Hotel keeper, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at about one mile west of the Flathead river and one mile north of the international boundary line, and west of lot 7336, being the north east corner, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

Harry McIntosh, Locat.  
George W. Kerr, Agent.  
Located March 28th, 1909. 17

#### CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

District of East Kootenay.

Take notice that I, Thomas Edward Murphy, occupation station agent, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the north bank of the Moyie river, opposite the N. E. corner of lot No. 8745, thence north 40 chains, thence east 20 chains more or less to the Moyie river, thence following the meandering of the Moyie river to place of beginning, containing 80 acres more or less.

Thomas Edward Murphy, H. Melton, Agent.  
Dated April 21st, 1909. 17

#### COAL AND PETROLEUM NOTICE

1. Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands, situated in Southeast Kootenay, British Columbia, block 4593, commencing at a post planted at or near 1 mile east of the present C. P. R. survey line at 33 mile post and being the northeast corner of the M. A. Macdonald claim, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to the point of commencement, making 640 acres more or less.

M. A. Macdonald, Locat.  
John Livingstone, Agent.  
Located April 23rd, 1909. 24-5

#### COAL AND PETROLEUM NOTICE

2. Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands, situated in Southeast Kootenay, British Columbia, block 4593, commencing at a post planted at or near 4 miles east of the present C. P. R. survey line at 29 mile post, and being the southeast corner of the Lewis Hilton claim, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement, making 640 acres more or less.

Lewis Hilton, Locat.  
John Livingstone, Agent.  
Located April 6th, 1909. 24-5

#### COAL AND PETROLEUM NOTICE

3. Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands, situated in Southeast Kootenay, British Columbia, block 4593, commencing at a post planted at or near 1 mile east of the present C. P. R. survey line at 27 mile post and being the northeast corner of the Thomas Leask claim, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to the point of commencement, making 640 acres more or less.

Thomas Leask, Locat.  
John Livingstone, Agent.  
Located April 7th, 1909. 24-5

#### COAL AND PETROLEUM NOTICE

4. Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands, situated in Southeast Kootenay, British Columbia, block 4593, commencing at a post planted at or near 1 mile east of the present C. P. R. survey line at 27 mile post and being the southeast corner of Harry H. Hughes claim, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement, making 640 acres more or less.

Harry H. Hughes, Locat.  
John Livingstone, Agent.  
Located April 7th, 1909. 24-5

#### COAL AND PETROLEUM NOTICE

5. Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands, situated in Southeast Kootenay, British Columbia, block 4593, commencing at a

#### CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

District of East Kootenay, Southern Division

Take notice that I, Oliver Harvey Barber of Vancouver, B.C., occupation real estate agent, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the north east corner of timber license 3236 being on the south bank of the St. Mary's river, thence west 80 chains; thence north 60 chains more or less; thence down stream of said river to place of commencement and containing 320 acres more or less.

OLIVER HARVEY BARBER.  
May 1st, 1909. 22-9

#### CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

District of East Kootenay.

Take notice that Percy Charles Coe of Cranbrook, B.C., occupation shoemaker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted 10 chains N. of S.E. corner of lot 4142, thence east 40 chains, thence south 30 chains, thence west 40 chains thence north 30 chains, to point of commencement.

Percy Charles Coe, Locat.  
James William Moore, Agent.  
Dated April 15, 1909. 19

#### COURT TO CONTRACTORS

Court House, Fernie.

Sealed Tenders, superscribed "Tender for Court House, Fernie, B. C.," will be received by the Hon. the Minister of Public Works up to noon of Wednesday, the 9th day of June 1909, for the erection and completion of a concrete and brick Court House at Fernie, B. C.

Plans, specifications, contract and forms of tender may be seen on and after the 10th day of May, 1909, at the offices of the government agent at Fernie, the government agent at Nelson, and at the Public Works department, Victoria, B. C.

Each proposal must be accompanied by an accepted bank check or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Hon. the Minister of Public Works, for a sum equivalent to ten per cent. of the amount of the tender, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fails to complete the work contracted for. The cheques or certificates of deposit of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelopes furnished.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

F. G. GAMBLE,  
Public Works Engineer,  
Victoria, B. C., May 4th, 1909. 22

#### NOTICE

Take notice that I intend to apply to the superintendent of provincial police after thirty (30) days from the first appearance of this notice for the transfer from ourselves to William J. Allen and A. I. Crowley of the license to sell intoxicating liquors at the Falls View Hotel in Marysville, British Columbia.

CHARLES E. FINCH  
Dated April 30th, A.D., 1909. 21

#### NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that I have left my outstanding accounts with M. A. Macdonald, of Harvey, McFarlane & Macdonald, for collection.

JOHN DEZALLI.

#### CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

District of East Kootenay.

Take notice that I, Harry W. Melton of Cranbrook, B. C., occupation prospector, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted 80 chains west of the N. W. corner of lot No. 6425, thence south 30 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of beginning containing 640 acres more or less.

Harry William Melton,  
Dated June 10th, 1909. 24-

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Washington, D.C.

#### CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

District of East Kootenay.

Take notice that I, Harvey Houghland, of Cranbrook, B. C., occupation rancher, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted 20 chains west of the south east corner of lot 5247, thence west 20 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence north 80 chains.

Harvey Houghland,  
Dated July 15th, 1909.

#### CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

District of Kootenay.

Take notice that I, Robert Burns Benedict of Mayook, occupation lumberman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at a point 80 chains west of the N.W. corner of Lot No. 6425, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Robert Burns Benedict,  
Dated May 8th, 1909. 24-9

#### CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

District of Kootenay.

Take notice that I, George J. Hunter of Pincher Creek, Alberta, occupation banker, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about three and a half miles north of the international boundary line and about one and a half miles north east of lot 7841 and adjacent on the eastern boundary to Henry E. Hyde's and Henry Riviere's application, being the northwest corner adjacent to the south west corner of Arthur C. Kemmis' application, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, to the point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

George J. Hunter, Locat.  
George W. Kerr, Agent.  
Located March 30th, 1909. 16

#### CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

District of Kootenay.

Take notice that I, Laurence E. Bolster of Sturgeon Falls, Ontario, occupation doctor, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about three miles north of the international boundary line and about one mile north of the northern boundary of lot 7841 and adjacent to the northwest corner of Henry E. Hyde's application, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Laurence E. Bolster, Locat.  
George W. Kerr, Agent.  
Located March 29th, 1909. 16

#### CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

District of Kootenay.

Take notice that I, Henry Ernest Hyde of Pincher Creek, Alberta, occupation banker, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 3 miles north of the international boundary line and about one mile north of the northern boundary of lot 7841 and about a quarter of a mile east of the east bank of Hage Creek, in the Flathead valley, being the northwest corner thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to the point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

George W. Kerr, Agent.  
Henry Ernest Hyde, Locat.  
Located March 29th, 1909. 16

#### CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

District of Kootenay.

Take notice that I, David Warnock of Pincher Creek, Alberta, veterinary surgeon, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 4 miles north of the international boundary and about 2 miles north of lot 7841, and adjacent to the northeast corner of George B. Bolster's application, being the south east corner, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

David Warnock, Locat.  
George W. Kerr, Agent.  
Located March 29th, 1909. 16

#### CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

District of East Kootenay.

Take notice that I, Eva Wood Cane of Newmarket, Ontario, married woman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted 80 chains south of the southeast corner of lot 424, group 1, Kootenay District, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains to point of commencement containing 160 acres more or less.

Eva Wood Cane, Locat.  
Harry Melton, Agent.  
Dated April 16th, 1909. 18

#### CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

District of East Kootenay.

Take notice that I, John Angus Fergusson of Cranbrook, occupation merchant, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the S.W. corner of lot No. 1113, thence west 20 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence south 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.

John Angus Fergusson, Locat.  
Dated July 9th, 1909.

#### CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

District of Kootenay.

Take notice that I, Alexander W. Smith, of Rossland, B. C., occupation Hotelkeeper, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about one mile west of the Flathead river and one mile north of the international boundary line, and west of lot 7339, being the south east corner, thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

Alexander W. Smith, Locat.  
George W. Kerr, Agent.  
Located 28th day of March, 1909. 16

#### CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

District of Kootenay.

Take notice that I, Arthur C. Kemmis of Pincher Creek, Alberta, occupation Barrister, intend to apply to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 3 1/2 miles north of the international boundary line and about 1 1/2 miles north east of lot 7841 and adjacent on the eastern boundary to Henry Riviere and Frederick Porritt's applications, being the southwest corner, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

Arthur C. Kemmis, Locat.  
George W. Kerr, Agent.  
Located March 29th, 1909. 16

#### CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

District of Kootenay.

Take notice that I, Frederick Porritt of Barrie, Ontario, occupation gentleman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 3 1/2 miles north of the international boundary line and about 1 1/2 miles north east of lot 7841 and adjacent on the eastern boundary to Henry Riviere and Frederick Porritt's applications, being the southwest corner, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

Frederick Porritt, Locat.  
George W. Kerr, Agent.  
Located March 29th, 1909. 16

cribed lands, commencing at a post planted about four miles north of the international boundary line and about 2 miles north of lot 7841 and adjacent to the northwest corner of Henry Riviere's application, being the south west corner, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

Frederick Porritt, Locat.  
George W. Kerr, Agent.  
Located March 29th, 1909. 16

#### CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

District of East Kootenay.

Take notice that John Cannon of Cranbrook, B. C., occupation checker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at N.E. corner of lot 8535, thence east to S. E. corner of lot 4142, thence south to north boundary of lot 123, thence north to point of commencement.

John Cannon, Locat.  
James William Moore, Agent.  
Dated April 15, 1909. 19

#### CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

District of East Kootenay.

Take notice that Henry Hector Linnell of Cranbrook, B.C., occupation checker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the N.E. corner of lot 4142, thence east 40 chains, thence south 30 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 30 chains to point of commencement.

Henry Hector Linnell, Locat.  
James William Moore, Agent.  
Dated April 15, 1909. 19

#### CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

District of East Kootenay.

Take notice that I, Thomas Edward Murphy of Fort Steele Junction, occupation station agent, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the south east corner of Wm. Tupper's pre-emption No. 1074, thence north 40 chains, thence east 20 chains more or less to the river, thence following the said Moyie river down stream to the place of commencement containing 80 acres more or less.

Thomas Edward Murphy, Locat.  
H. Melton, Agent.  
Dated June 3rd, 1909. 23

#### CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

District of Kootenay.

Take notice that I, Henry Riviere of Pincher Creek, Alberta, occupation rancher, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about three miles north of the international boundary line and about one mile north of lot 7841 and adjacent to the northwest corner of Henry E. Hyde's application, being the southwest corner, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

Henry Riviere, Locat.  
George W. Kerr, Agent.  
Located March 29th, 1909. 16

#### CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

District of Kootenay.

Take notice that I, George B. Bolster of Pincher Creek, Alberta, occupation

horse dealer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands, commencing at a post planted about three miles north of the international boundary line and about one mile north of the northern boundary of lot 7841 and adjacent to the north west corner of Henry E. Hyde's location, being the south east corner, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

George B. Bolster, Locat.  
George W. Kerr, Agent.  
Located March 29th, 1909. 16

#### CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

District of Kootenay.

Take notice that I, Thomas William Leask, occupation mill owner, intend to apply for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land, bounded as follows: Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of lot 8435, and thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains.

Thos. W. Leask, Locat.  
H. Melton, Agent.  
Dated April 2nd, 1909.

#### CERTIFICATE OF THE REGISTRATION OF AN EXTRA-PROVINCIAL COMPANY.

"Companies Act, 1897"

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the "Seppel Timber Company" has this day been registered as an extra-provincial company under the "Companies Act 1897" to carry out or to affect all or any of the objects of the Company to which the legislature of British Columbia extends.

The head office of the company is situated at Stillwater, Minnesota.

The amount of the capital of the company is one hundred thousand dollars, divided into one thousand shares of one hundred dollars each.

The head office of the company in this province is situated at the city of Cranbrook, and Alexander B. Macdonald, Barrister-at-law, whose address is Cranbrook, B.C., is the attorney for the company. Not empowered to issue and transfer stock.

The time of the existence of the company is thirty years from the 27th day of August, 1906.

The Company is limited.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this 31st day of March, one thousand nine hundred and nine. (L.S.) S. Y. WOOTTON, Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

The object for which this company has been established and registered are—

To do all kinds of manufacturing and trading business; to purchase, own, hold and dispose of timber and all the products of timber; to carry on and conduct a general logging, lumbering and manufacturing business; to erect, buy and sell saw-mills, shingle-mills, planing mills, and all other mills and factories; to establish, operate, buy and sell lumber yards; to purchase, own, hold, manufacture, sell and deal in any and all kinds of goods and wares, merchandise and personal property of every character



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Our Prices have done the talking, so in this case, we give below prices in convincing terms, that must if you are in need of any article mentioned below cause you to feel That now is the Time to Buy.

### CHAIRS AND DINERS.

COMMON CHAIRS, SINGLE STRETCHER .....	36
COMMON CHAIRS, DOUBLE STRETCHER .....	43
COMMON CHAIRS, DOUBLE STRETCHER, DOVE TAILED UNBREAKABLE SEAT .....	55
DINERS, ALL WOOD, SPINDLE BACK .....	99
DINERS, ALL WOOD, ROUND BACK .....	1 16
DINERS, ALL WOOD, PANEL BACK .....	1 48
DINERS, ALL WOOD, S. OAK, SET OF SIX, IN- CLUDING ARM CHAIR .....	11 98
DINERS, ALL WOOD, SOLID OAK E. E., SET OF SIX INCLUDING ARM CHAIR .....	15 80
DINERS, ALL WOOD, SOLID OAK, G. O. QUARTER ED, SET OF SIX, INCLUDING ARM CHAIR .....	24 58
DINERS, LEATHER SEAT, SOLID OAK, G. O. QUARTERED, set of six including arm chair .....	18 60
DINERS, LEATHER SEAT, SOLID OAK, G. O. QUARTERED, set of six including arm chair .....	33 34
DINERS, LEATHER BOX SEAT, SOLID OAK, G. O. QUARTERED, set of six including arm chair .....	34 98
DINERS, LEATHER BOX SEAT AND BACK, SOLID OAK, G. O. Quartered, set of 6 with arm chair .....	32 48
DINERS, LEATHER SEAT, S OAK, E. E. ....	23 60
DINERS, LEATHER BOX, S OAK, E. E., G. O. QUART- ERED OAK, set of six, including arm chair .....	24 88

### ROCKERS.

ROCKER, ALL WOOD, NURSE .....	98
ROCKERS, ALL WOOD, NURSE, BRACE ARM .....	1 16
ROCKER, ALL WOOD, NURSE, BRACE ARM AND HIGH BACK .....	1 48
ROCKER, ALL WOOD, BOSTON .....	2 08
ROCKER, ALL WOOD, WITH ARM .....	2 34
ROCKER, ALL WOOD, WITH ARM .....	2 46
ROCKER, ALL WOOD, WITH ARM, COBLER SEAT .....	2 54

### PARLOR ROCKERS.

14 DIFFERENT STYLES OF PARLOR ROCKERS WITH  
PRICES FROM \$6.00 TO \$11.00, ALL WILL GO AT COST.  
LEATHER, WICKER AND UPHOLSTERED GOODS TO  
MEET THE SAME FATE, IN MANY CASES COST OF  
THESE GOODS WILL BE DISREGARDED, IN FACT A  
NUMBER OF PIECES ARE MARKED AT JUST HALF  
PRICE.  
IF YOUR PARLOR OR DEN NEEDS AN EXTRA PIECE  
OF FURNITURE, NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY.

### PARLOR CENTRE TABLES.

YOUR FRIENDS ARE ENTERTAINED IN YOUR  
PARLOR, AND A NICE CENTRE TABLE AL-  
WAYS SETS OFF A ROOM—HERE IS A BAR-  
GAIN. OUR BEST SELLER IN SOLID QUAR-  
TERED OAK TOP, SIZE 24x24, REGULAR  
PRICE, \$6.00, NOW ..... 3 99  
THIS IS NOT ALL—EVERY CENTRE TABLE IN THE  
STORE MUST BE SOLD, AND THE PRICE WILL BE THE  
MOVING FORCE.

### EXTENSION TABLES.

NO. 41, ELM, 5 LEG, 6 FT. EXTENSION .....	5 58
NO. 5, ELM, 6 LEG, 6 FT. EXTENSION .....	7 98
NO. 139, ELM, 5 LEG, 5 FT. EXTENSION .....	10 08
NO. 4291 QUARTER CUT OAK, 8 FT. EXTENSION .....	21 10

OUR DISPLAY OF EARLY ENGLISH AND GOLDEN  
FINISHED QUARTER CUT EXTENSION TABLES IS THE  
BEST IN TOWN, AND THE PRICE AT THIS GREAT  
SALE IS SURE TO RESULT IN THIS LINE OF GOODS  
GOING THE FIRST DAY OF THE SALE SO COME  
EARLY.

### LOUNGES.

IN SOLID LEATHER, AMERICAN LEATHER,  
VALOUR AND VARONA COVERS.

NO. 714 IS OUR BEST BARGAIN, SOLID OAK  
FRAME, COVERED IN AMERICAN LEATHER,  
DIMOND TUFTED, REG. \$35.00, NOW ..... 22 98  
NO. 286, GREEN VARONA COVER, VERY LARGE,  
SPRING EDGE, REG. \$31.50, NOW ..... 20 88  
MANY LINES TO CHOOSE FROM, PRICES RANGING  
FROM \$7.00 TO \$45.00—ALL REAL C. C. S. BARGAINS.

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MOST USEFUL ORNAMENTAL PIECE OF  
FURNITURE THAT ANY HOME  
CAN SECURE.

NO. 375, GREATEST VALUE IN THE STORE, HAS  
THREE DRAWERS, LARGE BOOK ACCOMMO-  
DATION, WITH GLASS DOOR; MAGAZINE OR  
MUSIC CUPBOARD AND WRITING TABLE,  
REG. PRICE \$20.00, SALE PRICE ..... 13 76  
WE HAVE SEVEN ONLY OF COMBINATION SECRE-  
TARIES, ALL DIFFERENT DESIGNS, VALUE IN EVERY  
PIECE EQUAL TO THE ONE DESCRIBED ABOVE.

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YOUR BEDROOM OR SITTING ROOM IS NOT COM-  
PLETE WITHOUT A NEAT WRITING DESK. WE HAVE  
THEM IN S OAK, QUARTERED OAK, EARLY ENGLISH  
AND GOLDEN FINISH. ALL MUST GO AT EXACT COST.  
NO. 410 IS A SNAP; REG. PRICE \$10.75, NOW ..... 6 32

### BUFFETS AND SIDEBOARDS.

NO. 4848 BUFFET, REG. \$55.00, NOW ..... 40 00  
THIS IS A HANDSOME PIECE OF FURNITURE,  
QUARTER CUT, POLISHED, LARGE MIRROR. YOU USE  
YOUR DINING ROOM THREE TIMES EVERY DAY, HAVE  
THE SURROUNDINGS NEAT AND WELL FURNISHED.  
THE CHANCE OF YOUR LIFE TIME IS NOW, TO DO  
THIS AT LITTLE COST.

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YOUR ATTENTION IS PARTICULARLY  
CALLED TO OUR TREMENDOUS LINE  
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NO. 700 DRESSER AND STAND, ELM WOOD, THREE  
DRAWERS, MEDIUM SIZE, BRITISH BEVEL  
MIRROR, 24x14 ..... 8 98  
NO. 6567, QUARTER CUT OAK, TWO PIECES, REG.  
PRICE \$46.00, GOING AT ..... 27 50  
WE CAN SHOW YOU 17 DIFFERENT DESIGNS IN  
DRESSERS, IN ALL KINDS OF WOOD EXCEPT E. E.  
SPACE WILL NOT PERMIT US TO DESCRIBE THEM ALL  
—IN EVERY LINE THE COST TO US WILL BE THE  
SELLING PRICE TO YOU.

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Entire Bedroom Furnished for \$24.98

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1 NO. 2081 DRESSER AND STAND, S OAK, 3 DRAW- ERS, BEVEL MIRROR, 26x15 .....	15 00

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Don't Miss this Money Saving, Complete  
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BE CONVINCED THAT EVERYTHING IN OUR STORE  
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PRICED ON THIS SHEET.

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HIGH CHAIRS, COMMODE CHAIRS, SECTIONAL BOOK  
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### Timber Commission.

The government has selected for the forestry commission the following gentlemen: Hon. F. J. Fulton, minister of lands; A. S. Goodhue, M. P., for Kootenay; and A. C. Flumerfelt of Victoria. The duty of the commission will be to investigate thoroughly the timber question in this province.

### TO RENT.

On Cranbrook street, near Hyde street, a two room cottage partially furnished. Apply on the premises.

Ice Cream from the Spokane Bakery Co., the finest and best ever brought into Cranbrook. Sold by the pint or quart or dish at Wong Fong's.

## EAST KOOTENAY

(DISTRICT LOCAL NEWS)

### FERNIE.

#### DISTRICT LEDGER.

What about our city band? Has it died so soon?

Mr. Wm. Dicken has received the contract for the extension of the school sewerage system.

It is said that Sampson killed thousands with the jaw bone of an ass, but the jaw bone of the ass that wags so much on our base ball ground does not kill anything but time.

The bank of Hamilton hope to make a start very soon on their new building, likewise the Imperial bank. Both structures will be handsome blocks and up-to-date in every respect.

#### FERNIE FREE PRESS.

Maurice Quain was down from the city of Cranbrook on Tuesday.

The Elk river is now clearing up and fishermen are already bringing in some good creeks of finny beauties.

Judge Wilson held county court on Wednesday, disposing of some speedy trial cases.

Some people are never satisfied. Last winter it was too cold, last week it was too hot and last Tuesday it was too wet. If old probs is sensitive he must be a stranger to peace of mind.

Wilfred Bridger, a driver in No. 9 mine, met with a serious accident during Wednesday afternoon. He was sitting on the front of the first car of a trip when he was tipped off unexpectedly. Fortunately the cars did not run over him but threw him to one side. When found he was conscious but unable to walk. He was removed to the doctor's surgery where the examination proved no bones broken. He was taken to his boarding house and after a few days rest he will be around again.

#### MOYIE LEADER.

The fact that Moyie needs a new school building should not be lost sight of.

The Junior baseball team of Moyie hereby issues a challenge to any local team, aside from the seniors.

The seniors of Moyie and Fernie are arranging for a game at the latter place one week from Sunday July 18th.

A new sidewalk is being laid along the west side of Tavistock street and north of Queen's ave. A flume will also be built to carry the water down Campbell Creek. It will follow the course of the creek bed.

G. T. McGregor, while in Vancouver went under a successful operation for stomach trouble of long standing. Dr. Hall of Victoria performed the operation, and it is said to be very successful. Mr. McGregor is still in the hospital in that city, but expects to be home within a short time.



### CRESTON REVIEW.

The government road gang are now working on the new road to Duck Creek.

Tom Cole had the misfortune to fall off the roof of a cottage he is building on Hamilton's ranch, last Saturday, severely bruising himself and breaking a rib.

Frank Bast lost a very valuable brood mare on Sunday last. Owing to one of the railway crossing gates being left open, the animal strayed upon the track and was knocked down by the eastbound passenger train.

The first bricks to be manufactured in Creston have been turned out by Mr. T. Qualie, from material on his ranch. T. Qualie, Jr., doing the work. This was an experimental burn, six thousand being turned out. Those capable of expressing expert opinion state that the bricks are of a very good grade.

The Alice mine, which was bonded a few weeks ago, will be reopened to-day. Mr. G. Lowenberg, the owners' representative, yesterday received notice to this effect from Messrs. Ley and Douglas, who bonded the property for other capitalists.

Messrs. R. H. Ley, H. Winfield and A. Thompson arrived today from Nelson and made the necessary arrangements for sending up the first pack train with provisions.

#### Common Profanity.

"I'll be deviled!" said the ham.  
"I'll be switched!" said the train.  
"I'll be darned!" said the sock.  
"I'll be stumped!" said the tree.  
"I'll be blowed!" said the horn.  
"I'll be hanged!" said the picture.  
"I'll be damned!" said the stream.  
—Exchange.

#### NOTICE.

Take notice that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following lands situate in block 4593, district of Southeast Kootenay: Commencing at a post planted one mile north of the northwest corner of lot 8729 and being the southwest corner of John Hall's claim, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Located, June 28th, 1909. 29-4  
John Hall, Locator.

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Located June 29, 1909. 29-4  
J. A. Harvey, Locator.

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Located, June 28th, 1909. 29-4  
John Devlin, Locator.

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Located, June 28th, 1909. 29-4  
J. Langley, Locator.

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Located, June 28th, 1909. 29-4  
John Hall, Locator.

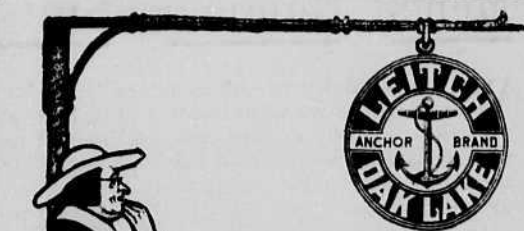
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Located, June 28th, 1909. 29-4  
Arthur Perry, Locator.

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west corner of lot 8729 and being the southeast corner of Goldie Peeples' claim, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains and thence east 80 chains, to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.  
Located, June 28th, 1909. 29-4  
Goldie Peeples, Locator.

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Located, June 28th, 1909. 29-4  
Wm. Devlin, Locator.

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Located, June 28th, 1909. 29-4  
Al. Page, Locator.

#### NOTICE.

Take notice that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum over the following lands situate in block 4593, district of Southeast Kootenay: Commencing at a post planted at or near the northwest corner of lot 8729 and being the south east corner of A. J. Devlin's claim, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement containing 640 acres more or less.

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### LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Take notice that an application has been made to register Gertrude R. Armstrong as the owner in Fee Simple, under a Tax Sale Deed from Alfred C. Nelson, assessor of the district of Fort Steele, to Gertrude R. Armstrong, bearing date the 31st day of October, A.D., 1904, of all and singular that certain parcel or tract of land premises situate, lying and being in the District of Kootenay in the province of British Columbia, more particularly known and described as Lot No. 2070, Group one, District of Kootenay.

You and each of you are required to contest the claim of the tax purchaser within fourteen days from the date of the service of this notice upon you, and in default of a caveat or certificate of his pendens being filed within such period, you will be forever estopped and debarred from setting up any claim to or in respect of the said land, and I shall register Gertrude R. Armstrong as owner thereof.

Dated at Land Registry office, Nelson, Province of British Columbia, this 26th day of March, A. D., 1909.  
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### LOCAL NEWS.

H. L. Sawyer of Marysville was in town Thursday.

Tenders have been called for the new Imperial bank building.

A. C. Bowness was at Creston on Monday.

J. A. Mara of Victoria was in town Sunday last.

N. S. Knox of Orillia, was in the city Tuesday.

D. Lynch and C. Wilson were in the city Monday.

F. E. Pike of Toronto, was in the city Saturday last.

H. Broadwood, of Bonner's Ferry was in the city Monday.

Preserving Apples this week Campbell & Manning.

M. B. Cotsworth of York, England, was at the Cranbrook Sunday last.

Heinz Sweet Pickles in bulk 40c per quart. Campbell & Manning.

R. E. Beattie returned Saturday last from a business trip to Calgary.

It's a little too cool for the campers, but fine weather for the farmer.

Just think what good the showers are doing in the Cranbrook district.

All Atkinson and Thos. Healey will leave today for England.

Andrew Laidlaw, of Spokane, president of the Galbraith Coal company was in town Friday.

For fresh fruit of all kinds get the supply at Wong Fong's on Armstrong Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Fraser of Toronto, spent Sunday last in Cranbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Howard of Chicago, were Cranbrook visitors on Sunday last.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Stadler of Cleveland, Ohio, were Cranbrook visitors Saturday last.

In about two weeks haying will commence on nearly every farm in the Cranbrook district.

E. P. Blackford of Toronto and E. L. Staples of Weyliffe were registered at the Cranbrook Saturday last.

For a nice cold dish of ice cream go to Wong Fong's, next door to Patmore Bros., Armstrong Ave.

L. C. Brown of Vancouver, J. H. Williams and A. Caldwell of Toronto, were guests at the Cranbrook Sunday last.

J. A. Mara and M. Scottworth of Victoria, were here this week, grading the several clerks in the government office.

Mrs. R. Benedict and her mother Mrs. March, of Mayook, were in town Monday, where they will reside for the present.

C. E. Knusch of Crow's Nest was in the city Friday.

Before many days we hope to see a long felt want realised by the taking over by the city the plant of the Water Supply Co.

Don't forget that the Strawberries will about finish this week. If you need a few more rush your order. Campbell & Manning.

J. Walker, who has been with the Pink Mercantile Co., for the past year, has accepted a position with W. E. Werden as bookkeeper.

R. L. T. Galbraith, Indian agent, of Fort Steele, and A. Mutz, president of the Fernie-Fort Steele Brewing Company, were in town Tuesday.

J. Daly of Sirdar, G. Prichard of Sandpoint, J. B. Morris of Montreal and G. A. Moore of Toronto, were registered at the Cranbrook Tuesday.

Every firewarden in the Cranbrook district is keeping a vigilant lookout for forest fires and if one occurs every effort will be made to distinguish it.

After an illness of three weeks with pneumonia Mrs. W. Harding, late of Cranbrook, passed away on July 1st, at Armstrong, B. C. Her remains were interred the following Sunday at Lansdowne.

F. V. Pym of Montreal, E. Prettie of Wardner, A. McNaughton of Vancouver, J. Eaton of Winnipeg, R. Elye of St. Paul and R. W. Kruger of Stillwater were guests at the Cranbrook Tuesday.

The band gave the usual weekly concert Monday evening last on the new band stand, but owing to rain the program announced, which, we are informed, was an up-to-date one, had to be curtailed. A large number of citizens were out to enjoy the music.

Mr. and Mrs. Laidlaw arrived in town Saturday last. Mr. Laidlaw has had charge of the Grocery department of the Fink Mercantile Co., and is very popular. Mrs. Laidlaw will be heartily welcomed to Cranbrook.

An Indiana preacher gives it as his opinion that girls like to dance only because they can thus get themselves hugged. He surely is mistaken. Most girls could get themselves hugged by merely stepping behind the door and it is generally understood that hugging in such a place is much more satisfaction to ball parties than out in the middle of a lighted hall room.

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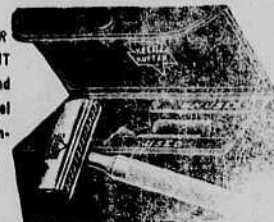
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