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Crushed Under a Falling Building

Eleven Employes at C. P. R. Station are Injured.

THE INJURED.

DONALD McALLISTER,
Cut face, bruised right side, left leg bruised.

C. BOLAND,
Right arm cut and bruised, right leg bruised.

F. H. McKAY,
Bruised back and scratched face.

W. SMALL,
Dislocation of spine and contusion of back.

J. A. McDOUGAL,
Dislocated right shoulder joint, hip bruised.

J. CALDWELL,
Face bruised, four ribs on left side fractured, back bruised.

E. WILLIAMS,
Badly bruised all over.

A. J. ENGLISH,
Cut face, dislocated left shoulder, back severely bruised.

R. BAYNE,
Cut face, both legs fractured, one arm broken.

W. O'BRIEN,
Foreman, cut on left hand, severe bruises, abrasion of left leg.

E. D. DOWLING,
Bruised face, left leg fractured.

At noon today all the men were in a most satisfactory condition considering the nature of the injuries received. William Small seems to be improving, and the sense of feeling is again reaching down on his legs that have been paralyzed since the accident. The dislocation of the spine has been reduced and there is a chance of ultimate recovery.

At 10:50 last Tuesday morning, the second story of the C. P. R. station, that was being jacked up to admit the construction of a third story, fell without a moments warning catching all of the men working beneath. For a moment consternation prevailed. From out of the clould of dust that arose from the falling plaster in the debris, came the creaking of twisted timbers and cracking boards mingled with the agonizing shrieks of the injured men pinioned like rats in a trap beneath a ruined mass weighing many tons.

Victor Rollins, who happened to be at Rogers corner, turned and rang up for doctors, and George Hoggarth had the firebell turned loose. This spread the alarm quickly and within five minutes the business portion of the town was virtually depopulated, and a great horror stricken crowd gathered about the ruins of the depot, anxious to do all in their power to assist the victims of the disaster.

Ed Cline, one of the despatchers working on the lower floor of the building, was the first man to the rescue. He ran out of the office and up a ladder, climbed through a window and was soon among the suffering men. There were cries for aid at once when they saw help was at hand, as each man was anxious to be relieved from his pains and taken to a place of safety. There were other men who had been employed on the work but escaped as they were on the outside. When they heard the rallying cry of Cline they lost no time in coming to his assistance. But the second man to get in was J. McSweyn the tailor. He heard the crash and waiting for nothing, started for the scene of disaster, and hurrying up a ladder, was soon at the side of Cline and ready to go to work. James Greer, the contractor, was soon there, and his knowledge of building was of great assistance in an emergency of that description. The first man taken out was F. McKay, who was lucky enough to escape with only a few injuries. William Small was seen pinned down under a heavy timber, and it was supposed by all that he was dead, and he was passed up by the rescuers. After McKay was taken out it was noticed that Small was alive and the men hastened to his help. Near him, however, was J. Caldwell, who presented an horrible appearance with his face a mass of bleeding bruises and cuts. "Get this heavy timber off my back and then help that fellow," said Small, and this was done at once. Then the four heavy timbers that held Caldwell down were lifted and the man with broken ribs, fractured side and badly mutilated face, was tenderly carried down the ladder and hurried to the hospital. Then the men turned to Small, who was brave enough and generous enough to remain where he was until a suffering comrade had been carried to safety, and yet Small was more seriously injured than any of the others, as he had his spine dislocated. As he was carried to the conveyance he said to those helping him, "I gess I am all in. This blow will do me." William O'Brien, the foreman, was caught with his hand and leg between the studding at the side that had doubled up like a jack knife, and it took some time to get him loose. It was only a short time before all the men eleven in all, were in the hospital with the exception of McKay, who was taken home. But the big crowd that had gathered remained some time looking with sorrow at the ruins that had brought suffering to so many good men.

CAUSE OF THE ACCIDENT.

The heavy second story was being jacked up to permit the placing of a third story on top of the first one. The work had been well done, notwithstanding the difficulty of the task, and each day saw the heavy load going higer. On Tuesday the desired heighth had been reached and studding had been placed in proper place. Then the blocking on which the top story had rested as it was being raised was taken out, one pile after another. The last one had been removed and the men were ready to proceed with the work of finishing, when there was a slight quiver of the upper story, then the men saw that the studding on the sides that held the load was moving slightly. That was the warning, but it came too late to allow the men to escape. For a second it wavered, and then with an awful rush it fell to the north, true and even, and rested on the side studding that in collapsing, fell one on the top of the other, thus making a solid foundation directly over the lower walls, and that saved the people below, as well as preventing complete annihilation of those working above. It is supposed that the direct cause was due to insufficient bracing for such an heavy weight, and when the mass got started it carried everything with it.

STORY OF AN EYE-WITNESS.

Victor Rollins, of the Cranbrook hotel, was an eye-witness to the disaster, and he said a short time after it had occurred that he would give anything if he had not seen it. "I had gone to the corner to call Mr. Werden to come over and get a trunk that was to go out on that morning train. I had just yelled to him when I noticed that the roof of the building seemed to be moving. For an instant I imagined that I must be mistaken, then I saw that it was too true. That great mass of stuff was slowly coming down, that is it seemed slow, yet I know that it was not. And below it I thought that I could see 25 or 30 men. I knew that there was no chance of escape, and from where I stood I could see clearly the open part of the building where the men were standing. As the upper part got about half way down, it seemed to suddenly let go and come with a rush, and then all the men were shut off from my view and I knew that they were buried beneath the ruins. I felt that most of them must surely be dead, that there could be very little if any chance for them to escape being crushed to death. I don't think I moved for two or three seconds, and then I turned and ran to the hotel and yelled to Mr. Ryan to telephone the doctors. I would not go through that experience again for any money."

NOTES OF THE ACCIDENT.

George Hillier, the station agent, must have had a premonition of trouble. A few minutes before the accident he told those in the waiting rooms to vacate. This was done and it was fortunate, as all of the plastering in the men's room came down and the big, heavy rafters were broken and splintered in several places. Mrs. R. Joyce and two children and Miss Arrowsmith were in the ladies' waiting room when the crash came, having gone in just a short time before. Naturally they were very much frightened.

Conductor Cavin was in the agent's room arranging for the departure of the Kimberley train. He heard the grinding noise and with one cry for all to get out made a dash for the rear door and landed in safety away from the building.

Superintendent Erickson was on his way to Calgary at the time but was notified as soon as the wires could be put in shape.

Chief Clerk Haines, of the superintendent's office, says that they had a bad scare in their department, as most of the plastering came down on the bunch.

Mr. Smith, the superintendent of the bridge and building department, was in Fernie when he got the news of the accident, and his first information was to the effect that four men were killed.

W. Cameron, one of the men working in the middle portion of the buildingsaid that he did the quickest figuring he ever did in his life. He saw the studding at the side of the building start to move and he wondered if he could get out before it got far enough down to catch him. In the second that he figured he came to the conclusion that he would not be able to make it and so started to get down on the floor and even at that the top of the building caught him and hurt his back, but fortunately not seriously. If he had tried to jump through the studding he would have been caught and squeezed to death.

W. O'Brien, the foreman, was caught by the studding that was shut up like a jackknife and had one hand and one leg badly pinched.

E. L. Chudleigh, chief dispatcher, came in on the morning passenger from Winnipeg, and arrived just a few minutes after the accident. He was shocked at the condition that met his gaze as he stepped from the train.

Station Agent Hillier says that if M. J. Haney, the contractor who built the Crow, had not put up such a solid structure that all of them would have been crushed to death. As it was the heavy rafters were strong enough to stand the shock.

Little Inez Finnis answered the cry of J. McSweyn for an axe and ran from her home across the street with an axe in her hand, which was quickly passed up to the rescuers.

Dr. Miles, the dentist, rang the fire bell, and this was a good thing as it brought plenty of help on the ground early.

Many persons were heard to remark that it was fortunate that there was such a well equipped hospital as the St. Eugene right at hand. Drs. King, Green and Connolly were soon on hand and doing all in their power to alleviate the sufferings of the victims.

The reason that the half story was being raised was for the purpose of giving sleeping rooms to the young men in the offices. They were to be heated and lighted by the company and would have made very pleasant quarters.

Miss Cousins, the stenographer in the superintendent's office, was busy at her machine when the accident occurred and received a terrible fright.

If the building had fallen toward the west the loss of life would have been terrible, as the platform was crowded with people at the time.

It will be impossible to do anything with the second story except to tear it to pieces, as it is a total wreck. The loss to the company will run up to several thousand dollars.

The C. P. R. officials did all in their power to make the unfortunate men as comfortable as possible under the distressing circumstances. Every attention was paid to them, and the human side of a corporation came to the surface in this instance.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

Here is a story told by an exchange that fits many communities:

Said the groceryman to the butcherman: "It is really a sin that you buy your salt on the wholesale plan and don't let me handle the tin." Then he hied him back to the grocery store and quickly an order sent, for a few choice hams for family use and a box of fish for lent. Said the clothing man to the hardware man: "You certainly don't do right when you order a suit from the eastern house with my big stock in sight." But the clothier wanted a new steel range, and it came, as his neighbors know, in a box he tried to hide in a barn, marked "Timothy Eaton & Co." The business men then called a meeting to see where the trouble lay, and they all agreed 'twas the editor man and not the devil to pay. Why don't he roast the department store and peddling fakirs, say; and stand by those who patronize him and give him his daily bread? So they drew up a compact long and strong for the editor to peruse, and waited on him with aspect grim as he solemnly dug for news; but the editor laughed a big horse laugh till the gang all took to the woods, for 'twas written on axle grease letterheads that came free with a bill of goods.

Some of the articles in the Trail News meet with our approval. If they did not we would never have written them A newspaper man who will steal from a newspaper should be in some other occupation.

C. E. Smitheringale, formerly of the Slocan Drill, and Frank Drumm, late telegraph editor of the Nelson News, have joined in the publication of a paper at Frank. That will make a strong team and the Crows Nest Pass will have a paper that it will be proud of.

The Fort Steele Prospector is dead. The Cranbrook Prospector will be born next week. The journalistic stork is hanging around a new establishment on Armstrong avenue formerly occupied by the Owl restaurant.

Editor Lowery has started his crusade on Mayor Stork of Fernie. Stork is quite a fighter himself, and although Lowery has the big advantage with a newspaper back of him, he may have some fun before he gets through.

Is it not pleasant to live in Cranbrook and speak good words for the town and her people? We have thought so for the past seven years.

Watch Cranbrook grow.

The Herald is for Cranbrook. That is characteristic of the Herald.

RAMBLING REVERIES

BY A DREAMER.

HAPPINESS.

Talk happiness!
Not now and then, but every
Blessed day,
Even if you don't believe
The half of what
You say.
There's no room here for him
Who whines as on his
Way he goes,
Remember, son, the world is
Sad enough without
Your woes.
Talk happiness each chance
You get—and
Talk it good and strong;
Look for it in
The byways as you grimly
Plod along;
Perhaps it is a stranger now
Whose visit never
Comes;
But talk it! Soon you'll find
That you and Happiness
Are chums.

If there is a stone or stump, or other unsightly object in the yard, plant some morning glories, cypress vines, canary flowers and balloon vines (love puffs) around it. You'll be glad it was there before the summer is over. Do the same way with the mind. If dark, ugly thoughts persist in obtruding themselves, plant flowers around them and they will disappear.

Patience is the guardian of faith, the preserver of peace, the cherisher of love, the teacher of humility. Patience governs the flesh, strengthens the spirit, sweetens the temper, stifles anger, extinguishes envy, subdues pride; she bridles the tongue, restrains the hand, tramples upon temptations, endures persecutions. Patience is the courage of virtue, enabling us to lessen pain of mind or body; it does not so much add to the number of our joys as it tends to diminish the number of our sufferings. Labor is still, and ever will be, the inevitable price set upon everything which is valuable.

Life's sunshine is braided with death's shadow. We have attended many funerals—one stands out with special sadness. The faithful wife and mother lay still and at rest. The flowers were many and beautiful. Always and everywhere appropriate, their perfumed lips spoke of the eternal gardens and the lily sang its gladsome Easter song. The service was over. There was a last fond kiss and look. As the heart-broken daughter left the coffin she said: "Mamma loved flowers—she never had many—but she has now." Yes, we thought, but how much better it had been if some of these beautiful flowers had sweetened the mother's heart before it was stilled in death.

Poor Carlyle! He little appreciated the wife who cared for him so kindly and made possible his literary success It all came to him after she died. He went to the place where she was last seen alive, bared his head in the wind and the rain, and said: "O, if I could but see her for five minutes to assure her that I had really cared for her throughout all that! But she never knew it—she never knew it!"

Mary gave the alabaster box of affection before the Lord's death. Many others delay until the flowers they send are for the sepulchre. Better late than never. Better never late. The kind words you intend to say, say now. The sympathy you expect to show, show now. Record your love now in your friend's toilsome days, not in the future on his dreary tombstone. What are hot tears on the marble brow—loving words in the heavy ear—or a fragrant rose in death's white fingers?

In most every home you will see over the door the legend worked in letters of red: "What is Home Without a Mother?" Across the room is another brief design: "God Bless Our Home." Now, what's the matter with "God Bless Our Dad?"

He gets up early, lights the fire, boils an egg, grabs a dinner pail and wipes off the dew of the dawn with his boots while many a mother is sleeping. He makes the weekly handout for the benefit of the grocer, milkman, butcher and baker, and his little pile is badly worn before he has been home an hour. He stands off the bailiff and keeps the rent paid up. If Johnnie needs a new pair of boots 'cause he's just walking on the ground," dad goes down in his hip pocket and comes up with the price of a hard day's sweat. If Mary needs a new ribbon for her back hair, mother yearns for a new wrapper, and the baby howls for a rattle, down goes dad again and comes up with the coin.

But if he buys a new pipe for a quarter because the old one is getting "kinda" strong, he is warned that smoking is an expensive habit and men have smoked up blocks and farms and happy homes. When slow times arrive dad comes up with the price and ma goes out with the neighbors and Flora sparks her beau in the parlor. Dad's clothes are none too good and grim with stick, so he sits in the kitchen with the kids. If there is a noise during the night he is kicked in the back and made to go down stairs and find the burglar and kill him.

Mother darns the socks, yes she does, but Dad bought the socks in the first place and the needles and yarn afterward. Mother does up the fruit. Well, dad bought it all, and jars cost like the mischief. Dad buys chicken for the Sunday dinner, carves it himself and draws the neck from the ruins after everyone else is served.

"What is Home Without a Mother?" Yes, that is all right. But what is home without a father? Ten to one it is a boarding house, father is under a slab, and the landlady is the widow.

Dad, here's to you! You've got your good points and they'll miss you when you're gone.

MARYSVILLE CELEBRATION

IT WAS MADE A SUCCESS NOTWITHSTANDING THE BAD WEATHER.

Despite the rain that prevailed throughout yesterday, standing room was at a premium in the two coaches that composed the special train which carried the Marysville excursion. It is estimated that about 150 of our townspeople did the honors th the smelter city at its most enjoyable Victoria day celebration and the number would easily have been doubled had the weather been fine. The visitors arrived about noon and distributed themselves among the three up-to-date hostelries that the little city boasts of, where they were treated with that special brand of wholehearted hospitality for which each of the landlords is noted.

After lunch the excursionists proceeded to "take in the sights." Marysville is a beautiful spot, rain or shine, and the contrariness of the elements did not deter the throngs of pleasure seekers from appreciating the grandeur of this God-favored locality. The main feature of interest in the fine spread of natural panorama was the falls; this and other beautiful scenes were visited, admired and kodaked.

The new smelter was visited by nearly all and great interest was exhibited in this monster necessity to modern mining. By the kind courtesy of several of the celebration committee the crowds were conducted through the various departments of this truly wonderful institution and were shown the various processes by which the fresh mined ore is converted into bars of lead and silver. The second huge furnace of the smelter is rapidly nearing completion, and the day when the blow-in will be heard of with pleasure and pride by the whole district is fast approaching.

About 3:30 everyone proceeded to the athletic grounds where an interesting program of sports was pulled off. Each event was closely contested and created much friendly excitement and competition.

The football game between the Marysville team and the Cranbrook Fire Brigade was warm to the limit, as every lover of the sport will agree when they know that it was even fast enough to excite satisfactory expressions from that harsh critic, Vic Rollins. Both teams were in fine condition, were evenly matched and played fast ball from start to finish. There was a continual round of lively combination work on the part of both teams and many exciting and critical mixups occurred before each goal; but hard as the teams fought and with all the star plays with which the match was interspersed, neither side was lucky enough to register a score. The Brigade boys acknowledge that Marysville has a speedy football team, composed of players that are gentlemen at every stage of that game or any other.

To sum up it is sufficient to say that the Cranbrook excursionists enjoyed a most pleasurable day at Marysville, and there are many who will revisit the place in more agreeable weather. The program of the day was carried through in true sportsmanlike shape and to the evident enjoyment of all. It is to be hoped this eminently successful attempt at a celebration in the beautiful smelter city is only a prelude to others that will follow in due course of time.

G. T. P. CONSTRUCTION.

The word of Charles M. Hay, president of the Grand Trunk Pacific, who all along maintained that once construction work begins on the new line it will be rushed forward to completion, is now backed up by Sir Chas. Rivers Wilson, who has arrived in Montreal from New York. Sir Rivers said: "The work will begin just as soon as specifications are accepted by the government, and, once begun, it will be pushed forward with all due speed, and no time will be lost in bringing it to completion. We now have all the money we require for this work, and there will be no delay in starting it."

When asked if he thought the Grand Trunk Pacific would be remunerative from the beginning he replied: "I am not a prophet, of course, but just think the matter out. It is known how fertile the western country is; what brilliant prospects it has; how settlers are flocking in, and how immigrants always follow a railway. Look at the marvellous success which has attended the efforts of the C. P. R., and remember that we are entering that country under much more advantageous circumstances, for the C. P. R., when it first laid its rails in the west, was entering what was practically a vast wilderness. Besides all this, we will have the experiences of the latter road to profit by. You will see, and I also think I will live to see, the new road a success."

As to the question of the Grand Trunk possessing its own fleet, as does the C. P. R., Sir Rivers said: "We have enough on our hands, goodness knows, at present; but you may live to see a fleet established by the Grand Trunk." Sir Rivers is a guest of Sir Montague Allan. He is on his annual tour of inspection, and expects to be in Canada until June 30th.

GOODERHAM'S MILLIONS.

Toronto, May 17.—The estate of the late George Gooderham will be probated at the value of $9,000,000. It is divided among his family. The province will get about $450,000 inheritance tax. Mr. Gooderham made no bequests in the will for charitable or religious work.

CRUSHED UNDER FALLING BUILDING.

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Prest & Co. did some great work. The accident occurred in the morning at 10:50 and before 1 o'clock they had some fine photos of the wrecked building on sale.

Robert Coughlin, a carpenter, was up on the building at the time of the accident, although not working there. He had gone up to talk with Foreman O'Brien a minute and taken his dog with him. In the accident he was standing at the north end and was knocked down and rendered unconscious for a few minutes, but soon came to and got out unhurt. The dog escaped without a scratch.

Young Bambrick was working on the outside and was struck by some of the brick from the falling chimney, but not seriously injured.

R. Bayne, who had both legs broken and received other injuries besides, had been out of the hospital only two weeks, having broken a leg about three months ago.

The time of the accident was taken in a manner that could not be disputed. The regulator in the agent's office was shaken so by the shock that the heavy pendulum was broken loose and the lower point driven into bottom of the case. The time registered when the cock stopped was 10:50½.

ROADS FISHY.

The rather startling news of the fact that a train holdup on the Crow Nest branch of the C. P. R. is at least supposed to have been planned recently reached Nelson yesterday, says the News. No particulars regarding the contemplated holdup are obtainable for the very obvious reason that no official of the C. P. R. who might have knowledge of the fact could be expected to tell what he knew, but it is none the less true that a holdup is supposed to have been planned and that train crews have been on the alert for some time.

All that is definitely to be learned with regard to the matter is that a private circular was sent to those employes of the railroad company affected, notifying them to be prepared for an attempt. The information upon which this circular was based is said to have been furnished the officials of the C. P. R. by the Pinkerton detective agency.

Whether the fact that one successful holdup of a C. P. R. train was pulled off recently with security to the perpetrators or whether the would be robbers had in some manner obtained the information that Crow trains frequently carry large sums of money will never be revealed even if anything in that connection was known to the detectives who supplied the information to the railroad officials.

DIED

On Thursday May 18th, at the St. Eugene hospital, W. E. Becker, of Stillwater, Minn. The remains were taken to the Macconnell undertaking rooms and enclosed in an handsome casket. At 3 p. m. Friday short services were held at the undertaking parlors, Rev. Bastain, of the English church, officiating. The remains were then taken to the station and forwarded to the home of the deceased, accompanied by the father and two brothers, H. M. and F. D. Becker.

W. E. Becker was only 21 years of age, and all of his life had been in delicate health. His two brothers, who are connected with the Otis Staples Lumber company, thought that a few months in the bracing air of the Kootenays would prove beneficial and induced him and the father to come to Cranbrook. They arrived just about three weeks ago, and for several days the change seemed to promise a great benefit. But on Tuesday of last week there was a sudden change for the worse and he was hurried to the hospital, but medical science could do naught for him and on Thursday afternoon he expired. Although not unexpected, yet the death was a hard blow to the two brothers and the aged father, especially as the blow had come among strangers and away from home and a loving mother.

MARRIED.

On Wednesday, May 17th, at the home of the bride's brother, Mr. Arthur Nesbitt, Miss Rebecca Nesbitt and Mr. George H. Farquharson, Rev. Fortune officiating. The bride was dressed in white muslin and all over lace and carried a shower boquet of white roses. The bridesmaid, Miss Elizabeth McDonald, was attired like the bride and carried pink and white carnations Mr. John McNab was the best man. There were many handsome presents as testimonials of the high esteem in which the worthy couple are held by their many friends in this community.

WORKING ON THE CORBIN ROAD

The contractors are at work on the Corbin road. Most of the work south of the line has been let and the eleven miles north of the line has been let to Breckenridge & Lund, who are already on the ground. This firm of railway contractors is one of the best known in Canada, and were given this piece of work for the reason that they are in a position to push it through quickly. They will soon have about 350 men at work and it is expected that they will have the line graded through to the boundary within 90 days. The grade will leave the Crow 2¼ miles west of Yahk.

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ENLARGING THEIR QUARTERS.

Messrs. Hoggarth & Rollins, of the Cranbrook hotel, have been endeavoring for some time to devise means to increase the capacity of the hotel, as they were turning away people five nights out of the seven each week. When G. P. Tisdale changed locations he vacated the rooms in that block, which adjoins the hotel. There are thirteen rooms and they have been connected with the main hotel by a covered passage. These rooms have all been fitted up in modern style and give the hotel the extra room that it has needed for so long. This makes the Cranbrook hotel one of the best in the district with the accommodations to properly care for their guests.

LIKES THE DISTRICT.

W. O. Bohart, the leading meat merchant of Bozeman, Mont., was in town last Saturday with his brother, R. H. Bohart, of Wardner. It was Mr. Bohart's first visit to East Kootenay and he was very much impressed with what he saw in the district. "They told me they had a little sawmill at Wardner and I hesitated about taking the trouble to walk down to see it. I have seen a good many sawmills in my state and of course did not have much interest in the little one they might have at Wardner. But when I got down to the plant and saw the magnitude of the institution I was overcome with surprise. Talk about sawmills, that one at Wardner is a wonder, and they do business in a business like manner. It is a pleasure to stand there and see them turn out lumber. I had heard of Cranbrook, but I had no idea of seeing such a town. Your business men are up to date, and they carry up to date stocks. Then your printing office is an exception in a town the size of Cranbrook. It is easy to see that your plant is a modern one in every respect, and that the men employed are men who understand their business. Cranbrook is a whirlwind of a town, and the best I have seen in this country. I like this district and if I was thinking of making a change I believe that I would come to this country. Bozeman is one of the best towns in Montana, and she has been made so by the energy and enterprise of her people. There is not a hamlet in the United States that has not heard of Bozeman. You have a wonderful climate in British Columbia and I hope that the people appreciate the fact."

LECTURE AT BAPTIST CHURCH.

The Baptist congregation has succeeded in securing the services of Rev. F. W. Patterson, of the First Baptist church, Calgary, to conduct the anniversary services on Sunday, June 3rd. Mr. Patterson will also deliver on Monday evening, June 4th, a lecture entitled "Self Made Cripples." Mr. Patterson is recognized as one of the leading pulpit orators and lecturers of the west and all are invited to attend these services.

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KOOTENAY OIL LANDS

The following despatches and interview with Judge Forin re the litigation on the oil lands in the Flathead country are taken from the Nelson News of the 19th.

Victoria, May 18.—The chief justice this morning made an interesting order in connection with speculation going on in blocks 4593 and 4594 in South East Kootenay.

John Watt and J. E. Smart, of this city control 15 licenses for which they have paid $1500, and have also spent $1400 for land leased under those licenses. They were notified by the department of lands and works that their leases would have been issued this month, but in the meantime they were stopped by an order from Judge Forin of Kootenay, issued at the instance of Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper and others, restraining the chief commissioner from issuing licenses to these two or to any others and requiring them to answer the petition of Tupper and associates to Judge Forin, asking him to direct the chief commissioner to issue to him and his associates for $50 the license required under the standard form.

Watt and Smart paid a hundred dollars instead of fifty for the license, the issue of which is now balked.

Watt and Smart have obtained from the supreme court an order prohibiting Judge Forin from taking any steps for the issuing of any restraining order whatever, as it is claimed he has no jurisdiction under the act.

The chief justice made an order this morning requiring Tupper, Forin and associates to show cause by June 1st, in this city, why the order of prohibition should not be made absolute.

Victoria, May 18.—There is much amusement in legal circles here at Judge Forin's precedent in placing an injunction on the king and ordering his ministers not to deal with crown lands.

The cause of the judge's order was the dispute between Sir Charles H. Tupper and associates, and Watt, McVittie, et al, and associates, over coal licenses in South East Kootenay the particulars of which are familiar to Kootenaians.

When R. T. Elliott, counsel for Watt, today applied for an injunction restraining Judge Forin from granting an injunction against the king in the person of his givernment, the chief justice smiled quietly and granted an order nisi, calling on Judge Forin to show cause by June 1st why he should not be restrained from restraining the king in the matter of dealing with the public domain.

His honor Judge Forin was shown the first of the above dispatches last evening by a Nelson News representative. He remarked: "I am very glad that it has reached the supreme court." Then he added:

"When the present provincial government decided to issue licenses in respect of blocks 4593 and 4591 in South East Kootenay, subject to all rights and equities acquired therein, it was foreseen that there would be considerable litigation. There are claims three and four deep to the lands in question.

"Section 9 of the Coal Mines Act provides: In case of any dispute as to right or title to a prospecting license or any claim under this act, the same shall be decided by a county court judge, on petition, in a summary way, who shall have full power to order what shall be done in the premises.

"Under that section Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper and his associates petitioned the county court for a decision. After three months publication there have cropped up four groups of claimants.

"Realizing the importance of the question and the apparently absolute power which the county court had in the premises, I applied to the attorney general during the late session of the provincial legislature, asking for an amendment to the act, or to section 9 of it, which would give co-ordinate jurisdiction to the supreme court, and also allow appeal from either county court or supreme court. The attorney general promised to do so, but either overlooked it or considered it unnecessary, as no amendment was made.

"Watt and his associates took up the land under a timber license. Upon the petitioners, who were before the court, requesting the commissioner of lands and works not to issue a timber lease over lands, title to which was in dispute, they received a reply from him that unless the county court restrained him from so doing, he saw no other way open but to issue the timber lease over the lands in question.

"Thereupon I issued the restraining order. If I had not done so, the prior locators would have been ousted from their rights by the department in Victoria, although their relative rights were at the time sub judice.

"As I could not get the question into the supreme court with the assistance of the department I had to take a round-about way to have what I consider the most important question of title ever brought before the courts of this county taken to a forum from which there would be an appeal, if necessary, to the supreme court of Canada or the privy council."

LEAGUE FOOTBALL.

Town Team, 2, Fire Brigade, 0.

The result of this match places the Town team securely in first place at the conclusion of the first half of the series of games. From the showing made by the Brigade in the game with the Offices it was prophesied by many that they would secure the decision in this game, and certainly the article of play actually put up went far toward justifying that assertion, but despite the fact that every position on the team was capably filled, and that a good combination game was played, it proved futile against the experienced and tactful work of the Town boys, who appear to be alive to and who take advantage of every point of strategy peculiar to the game. It is a fair judgment of the game to say that this was the most skilful game played to date, and while it places one team at the head of the list, it is the safest betting that the other team is too swift to remain for any time far below them. The teams lined up as follows:

Town Team—Goal, Moore; backs, S. Baldwin, G. Scott; half backs, Lewis, Worlidge, Captain Baldwin forwards, M. Dick, Ferguson, O'Neill, McLaren, Turbull.

Fire Brigade—Goal, Rev. Sloat, backs, Grimmond, Attridge; half backs, Greer, Captain Stark, Pennett; forwards, Graham, Staples, Towers, Haines, Harrington.

NOTES.

Sid Grimmond was the most prominent of the players, his work being faultless.

Towers is a great acquisition to the Brigade team.

Something good is always looked for and as surely forthcoming from Captain Stark.

Worlidge never misses an opportunity and combines coolness with resourcefullness.

Scott, the new full back, helped greatly in preventing a score from accumulating on the Town end.

Chris. Moore made good in goal in the absence of Edmundson.

The standing of the league now is as follows:

TEAM	WON	LOST
Town	2	0
C. P. R. Shops	1	1
C. P. R. Offices	1	2
Fire Brigade	1	2

MARRIED.

A quiet wedding took place on Monday morning, May 22, at the residence of the bride's brother, Wm. McKenzie, the contracting parties being William James Tosh and Johanna McKenzie. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. W. G. W. Fortune. The bridal couple left on the west bound train for Nelson.

The Herald extends congratulations.

THE CORBIN ROAD.

(Bonners Ferry Herald)

Burns & Co. received the contract for furnishing the fresh meat for the contractors on the Spokane International railway, and Blake Wilson, of Nelson, B. C., member of the firm, arrived Tuesday to make the preliminary arrangements for starting the project.

The first contractors to arrive for the construction of the Spokane & International railway were Twohy Bros., whose outfit reached here Saturday, consisting of fifteen cars laden with horses, cars, track and other construction material. M. S. Ross, the general manager of the outfit, is on the ground and Monday he was very busy with a gang of men transporting the supplies, etc., to the headquarters of their contract across the river. Their contract begins about one mile east from Owen's ranch and continues toward the Moyie for a distance of six miles.

SNAP SHOTS.

(Selected.)

Justice is patted on the back by all kinds of people.

No view is just the same on both sides of the fence.

The thumbscrew method of doing business is opposed to publicity.

People who want everything their own way do not have to go far to find a fight.

Girls who do not stay at home nights are doing something to make all the hours dark.

Boys who "blow in" their earnings will by and by lament the lack of opportunity.

Selfishness is the devil's bait.

A "cheap skate" is never critical of the ice.

Many men are in need of work, but there are few to be had to work around the house.

Some men have long business hours to shorten their hours at home.

Many a girl who is kissed for the first time is disappointed to find it has the taste of tobacco.

The cost of a good time is always written in black and white.

The man who can put himself in the place of another is a strong man.

Now and then a man working in the back yard exercises his mind on the question why the man of the house does not get a divorce.

SOCIALISM WELL DEFINED.

Two Irishmen were engaged in a discussion and Pat asked Mike to define socialism.

"Well, socialism is sort of an equal division of property," declared Mike. "What's mine is yours and what's yours is mine. That's the idea."

"If you had $2,000,000," asked Pat, "would you give me one million?"

"I would that," said Mike, "that's according to my principles."

"If you had two houses would you give me one of them?" was Pat's next question. Mike insisted that he would.

"And if you had two fine horses would you give me one?"

Mike declared that he would follow his principles.

"And if you had two goats would you give me one of them?" finally asked Pat.

"I would not. I have them," declared the socialistic disciple.

"And that is socialism," said Mr. Wood.—Chicago Tribune.

NEW STEAMER FOR C. P. R.

It is the intention of the C. P. R. company to build a large steamer to take the regular run from Nelson to Kootenay Landing. The new steamer will be of steel and thoroughly modern in finish and equipment. It is estimated that its total cost, when completed will be in the neighborhood of $150,000. The steamer will be built at the C. P. R. shipyard in Nelson. Construction will be begun at a very early date.

SULLIVAN AND MITCHELL.

Tacoma, May 18.—Charles Mitchell and John L. Sullivan have signed articles for a 15 round fight in Tacoma on September 19th, for the gate receipts, to be divided 65 and 35 per cent.

ELECTRICITY.

AS A PURIFYING AGENT FOR FOOD PRODUCTS.

HOW MODERN SCIENCE IS UTILIZING NATURE'S POWERFUL AGENT TO PURIFY, STERILIZE AND IMPROVE OUR FOOD.

We have been so accustomed in the past to hearing almost weekly of some new and marvelous development in the field of electrical science, that we are now not greatly surprised at any new mechanical application of electricity —the wireless telegraph, the telephone electric motor and the marvellous X rays.

Many of the wonderful inventions of Edison and others are now past history and accepted facts, but scientists have been busy experimenting with the electrical current for other than mechanical purposes, applying it in the practice of medicine as well as in the arts, sciences and many manufactures.

The latest but by no means the least important application of the electric current is for the purification and sterilization of various food products.

Experiments along these lines have been carried on for some years past, but the recent discovery of the value of the electrical current for the purification and sterilization of flour has attracted widespread attention, as everyone is naturally interested in anything pertaining to the purification of food.

It was generally considered that, with the improved machinery now employed in thoroughly up-to-date mills, that the milliag of flour had practically reached perfection, and in so far as the handling of the flour during the process of manufacture is concerned this is no doubt quite true, but the discovery of the electrical process makes it possible to greatly improve the finished product.

The new process is extremely interesting. Briefly it consists in purifying air by passing it through a tremendous electrical flame, the action of this flame upon the air being something the nature of the action of lightning in the air; the flour is then passed through specially designed purifying machines where it is subjected to the action of the electrically purified air, and the results are certainly little less than marvellous.

The finished flour emerges from the electrical purifiers a beautiful silvery white color, perfectly sterilized and absolutely pure. The quality is improved as well as the appearance, the purified flour is freed from every particle of the non-nutritive portions of the wheat, viz.; the branny particles, leaving only a perfect flour containing the greatest amount of nutriment in its most easily assimilable form which makes a bread silvery white in color, pure, wholesome and delicious to the taste.

Many of the leading scientists in Great Britain, France and other countries were at first disinclined to accept the claims made as to the benefits to be derived from the electrical purification of various food products, but subsequent thorough and extensive experiments, covering a period of over two years, have conclusively shown that these electrical processes not only purify but sterilize and improve the various other qualities of flour and similar food products.

That the patents covering these processes are valuable is evidenced by the extensive litigation in which the various patentees are involved in both England and the United States, from which is disclosed the fact that practically every large and important miller in both countries has adopted one or other of the various patented systems in his mills, and this is perhaps the most conclusive evidence of the merit of the process.

In view of the apparent great improvement in the wholesomeness and nutritive qualities of flour by use of these inventions, it is hoped that it may not be long before every miller will adopt the electrical system of purification.

The great and growing question of the day is the purification of food products, therefore everything that contributes to that end is hailed as a boon to humanity. No expense should be spared to bring every food product to the highest possible degree of purity.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Take notice that all creditors of the estate of the late Leroy Sage of Cranbrook, are required on or before the 26th day of June, 1905, to send to the undersigned a statement of their account containing full particulars, verified by affidavit, and nature of security, if any, held by them.

And take notice that after the said 26th dayof June, 1905, the executors shall proceed to distribute the estate, having regard only to the claims of which they then have notice and shall not be liable for the estate or any part thereof to any person of whose claim they shall not have notice before the time of distribution.

Dated at Cranbrook this 25th day of May, 1905.

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9-4t Solicitors for Executor.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that two months after the first publication of this notice I intend to apply to the Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of John Mott's purchase, Lot 7008, near Elko, B. C., thence north 40 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west along the north line of Lot 247 and Lot 3051 and railway to point of commencement.

Dated April 18, 1905.
4-9t Regina Mott.

NOTICE.

Take notice that thirty days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a twenty-one year lease and permission to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in South East Kootenay:

Commencing at the northwest corner of the Grant limit, about 60 chains from the west line of Chas J. Armstrong's purchase, near Lake creek, running thence 20 chains south thence 80 chains west, thence 20 chains south, thence 40 chains west, thence 165 chains south, thence 160 chains west, thence 325 chains north, thence 260 chains east, thence 80 chains south to northwest corner of A. E. Watt's application for timber license.

Dated this 6th day of April, 1905.
The Wattsburg Lumber Company,
Limited,
3-5t A. E. Watts, Agent.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in South East Kootenay:

Commencing at a point 20 chains west of the east corner of Lot 7101, G. 1, thence west 40 chains, thence south 160 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 160 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated this 28th day of March, 1905
4-5t C. A. Paulson,
Per, P. A. Paulson, Agent.

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NOTICE.

Thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works at Victoria, B. C., for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands situated in the district of South East Kootenay:

Commencing at a postplanted about one and one-half miles east of Tochty Siding, on the B. C. Southern railway, thence north 40 chains, thence west 160 chains, thence south 40 chains, more or less, to the right of way of the B. C. Southern railway, thence along said right of way to place of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated April 5th, 1905.
4-5t J. Johnston.

NOTICE.

Thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in South East Kootenay:

Commenciag at a point one-half mile west of the northeast corner of Frank Armstrong's pre-emption; thence west to the east limit of Grant Belangee's pre-emption; thence north to the north limit of said pre-emption; thence west to the east limit of Hogan's timber license; thence north to the north limit of said license; thence west to the east limit of Clubb's pre-emption; thence north to a point directly west of the south limit of the Marysville Lumber Company's timber license (produced); thence east to a point one-half mile west of the southeast corner of said license; thence south 80 chains more or less to place of commencement.

Dated this 11th day of April, A. D. 1905.
3-5t John C. Porter,
Locater.

TIMBER NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land in South East Kootenay district:

Commencing 20 chains north of the southwest corner of Chas. J. Armstrong's purchase, near Lake creek, running thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 east, thence 80 chains south to point of commencement.

Dated this 6th day of April, 1905.
A. E. Watts,
3-5t Wattsburg, B. C.

TIMBER NOTICE.

Take notice that thirty days after date I intend to apply for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in South East Kootenay:

(1) Commencing at a point 40 chains south and 80 chains east of the southwest corner of Lot 331, Group 1, Kootenay district; 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.

(2) Commencing at a point 40 chains east and 40 chains south of the southeast corner of H. Arnold's pre-emption, Lot 6318, Group 1, thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres of land more or less.

Dated this 1st day of May, 1905.
6-5t John Leask.

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MINERAL ACT.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

"Pretoria" mineral claim, situate in the Fort Steele Mining Division of East Kootenay district.

Where Located:—On a hill west of Swansea station on the Canadian Pacific Railway company's line between Cranbrook and Moyie.

Take notice that I, Harry H. McVittie, free miner's certificate B73487, acting as agent for John Porter Hailey, free miner's certificate B73487, intend, sixty days after date hereof, to apply to the mining recorder for a certificate of improvements for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action under Section 37 must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 1st day of April, A. D. 1905.

(Signed) H. H. McVittie,
2-9t* Agent.

MINERAL ACT.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

"Emma Fraction" mineral claim, situate in the Fort Steele Mining Division of East Kootenay District.

Where located: Sullivan Hill.

Take notice that I, William J. Langley, free miner's certificate B73410, acting for myself and agent for Judson B. Langley, free miner's certificate B73411, Andrew J. Devlin, free miner's certificate B73412, Charles C. Farrell, free miner's certificate B60575, Walter C. Burchett, free miner's certificate B73451, Edwin C. Smith, free miner's certificate B73479 and Robert L. T. Galbraith, free miner's certificate No. B73434, intend sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the mining recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of each of the above claims.

And further take notice that action under section 37 must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 27th day of February, A. D. 1905.

49-9t W. J. Langley.

CRANBROOK LICENSE DISTRICT

A special meeting of the Board of License Commissioners, Cranbrook License District, will be held at the Court House, Cranbrook, on Friday, May 19th, 1905, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to consider the following applications:

R. C. McLure, Prospector's Hotel, two miles west of Yahk.

J. M. Carroll, Ontario Hotel, Kimberley.

A. P. Chenette, Queen's hotel, Cranbrook, transfer to Gougeon & Netterfield.

Wm. A. Forsyth, Royal Hotel, Kimberley.

J. H. McMullin,
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Synopsis of Regulations for disposal of Mineral's on Dominion Lands in Manitoba, the Northwest Territories and the Yukon Territory.

Coal.—Coal lands may be purchased at $10 per acre for soft coal and $20 for authracite. Not *more than 2 acres can be acquired by one in*dividual or company. Royalty at the rate of ten cents per ton of 2,000 pounds shall be collected on the gross output.

Quartz.—Persons of eighteen years and over and joint stock companies holding free miner's certificates may obtain entry for a mining location.

A free miner's certificate is granted for one or more years, not exceeding five, upon payment in advance of $7.50 per annum for an individual and from $50 to $100 per annum for a company according to capital.

A free miner, having discovered mineral in place, may locate a claim 1500x1500 feet. by marking out the same with two legal posts, bearing location notices one at each end on the line of the lode or vein.

The claim shall be recorded within fifteen days if located within ten miles of a mining recorders' office one additional day allowed for every additional ten miles or fraction. The fee for recording a claim is $5.

At least $100 must be expended on the claim each year or paid to the mining recorder in lieu thereof. When $500 has been expended or paid the locator may upon having a survey made, and upon complying with other requirements, purchase the land at $1.00 an acre.

Permission may be granted by the Minister of the Interior to locate claims containing iron and mica, also copper, in the Yukon Territory, of an area not exceeding 160 acres.

The patent for a mining location shall provide for the payment of royalty at the rate of 2½ per cent of the proceeds of the location.

Placer Mining. Manitoba and the N. W. T. (excepting the Yukon Territory.—Placer mining claims generally, are 40 feet square; entry fee $5, renewable yearly. On the North Saskatchewan River claims are either bar or bench, the former being 20 feet long and extending between high and low water marks. The latter consists of dry diggings, and extends back to the base of the hills or banks, but not exceeding 1,320 feet. Where steam power is used, claims 2½ feet wide may be obtained.

Dredging in the rivers of Manitoba and the N. W. T., excepting the Yukon Territory.—A free miner may obtain only two leases of five miles each for a term of twenty years, renewable in the discretion of the Minister of the Interior.

The lessee's right is confined to the submerged bed or bars of the river below low water mark, and subject to the rights of all persons who have, or who may receive entries for bar diggings or bench claims, except on the Saskatchewan River, where the lessee may dredge to high water mark on each alternate bench.

The lessee shall have a dredge in operation within one season from the date of the lease for each five miles, but where a person or company has obtained more than one lease one dredge for each fifteen miles or fraction is sufficient. Rental $10 per annum for each mile of river leased. Royalty at the rate of two and a half per cent collected on the output after it exceeds $10,000.

Dredging in the Yukon Territory.—Six lease of five miles each may be granted to a free miner for a term of twenty years, also renewable.

The lessee's right is confined to the submerged bed or bars in the river below low water mark, that boundary to be fixed by its position on the 1st day of August in the year of the date of the lease.

The lessee shall have one dredge in operation within two years from the date of the lease, and one dredge for each five miles within six years from such date. Rental $10 per mile for first year, and $10 per mile for each subsequent year. Royalty same as placer mining.

Placer Mining in the Yukon Territory.—Creek, gulch, river and hill claims shall not exceed 250 feet in length, measured on the base line of general direction of the creek or gulch, the width being from 100 to 2,000 feet. All other placer claims shall be 250 feet square.

Claims are marked by two legal posts, one at *each end, bearing notices. Entry* must be obtained within ten days, if the claim is within ten miles of mining recorder's office. One extra day allowed for each additional ten miles or fraction.

The person or company staking a claim must hold a free miner's certificate.

The discoverer of a new mine is entitled to a claim of 1500 feet in length, and if the part consists of two, 1,500 feet altogether, on one out of which no royalty shall be charged, the rest of the party ordinary claims only.

Entry fee $10. Royalty at the rate of two and one-half per cent on the value of the gold shipped from the Yukon Territory to be paid to the Comptroller.

No free miner shall receive a grant of more than one mining claim on each separate river creek or gulch, but the same miner may hold any number of claims by purchase, and free miners may work their claims in partnership by filing notice and paying fee of $2. A claim may be abandoned, and another obtained on the same creek, gulch or river, *by giving notice and* paying a fee.

Work must be done on a claim each year to the value of at least $200.

A certificate that work has been done must be obtained each year; if not, the claim shall be deemed to be abandoned, and open to occupation and entry by a free miner.

The boundaries of a claim may be defined absolutely by having a survey made and publishing notices in the Yukon Official Gazette.

Petroleum.—All unappropriated Dominion Lands in Manitoba, the Northwest Territories and within the Yukon Territory are open to prospecting for petroleum, and the minister *may reserve for an individual or company* having machinery on the land to be prospected, an area of 640 acres. Should the prospector discover oil in paying quantities, and satisfactorily establish such discovery, an area not exceeding 640 acres, including the oil well and such other land as may be determined, will be sold to the discoverer at the rate of $1.00 an acre, subject to royalty at such rate as may be specified by order-in-council

W. W. CORY
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior
Dept, Interior.

A. W. McVittie
Dominion and Provincial Land Surveyor.
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GAME PROTECTION ACTS 1898 AND AMENDMENT ACTS 1904 AND 1905.

The undersigned will pay $20 reward for information leading to the conviction of any person or persons under the above acts.

It is unlawful to take, or attempt to take, or kill beaver for six years from August 1st, 1905, or to buy, sell or barter, or have *in possession* untanned pelts of beaver.

To export any deer alive or dead, or the skin or hide of a deer—penalty $50 fine and 60 days imprisonment.

To use or employ any explosive, lime, poison or net, or any other device than hook and line, or to use salmon roe as bait for the purpose of *capturing trout—penalty $250.*

To catch, kill or have in possession trout of any kind or species under the size of six inches in length, or to catch or kill any kind of trout between November 15 and March 25.

To destroy birds at any time that live on noxious insects.

To take game birds by means of traps, nets, snares, gins, or baited lines. To take game birds at any time during the close season or to buy, sell or expose same for sale.

To buy or sell the heads of mountain sheep, elk, moose or Caribou, or the teeth of wapita or elk.

Non-residents other than officers officers and men of his majesty's army and navy and the *permanent corps* of Canadian militia, shall not at any time hunt, kill or take any of the animals and birds mentioned in the above acts without having first obtained a license, either from the government agent or the game warden, which shall be in force for that shooting season for which the same has been issued; the fee to be paid therefor to be fifty ($50) dollars.

The government agent or game warden may grant permission in writing for a period not exceeing one week to any person not a resident in the province to hunt, take and kill any of the game birds mentioned in schedule B to this act; the fee for such permission shall be five ($5) dollars. Penalty for killing without license fifty ($50) dollars fine or 30 days imprisonment, or both fine and imprisonment.

Any person found committing an offence under the above acts may be apprehended without a warrant by any constable or peace officer or game warden, who also are empowered to stop and search any conveyance or persons suspected of being in unlawful possession of any animals, birds, eggs or fish, and to search the *premises of any person engaged* in selling, buying or trading, or any vessel, boat, hotel or restaurant.

It is the duty of every constable and peace officer within the province of British Columbia to enforce all the laws for the protection of animals, game, game birds, song birds, wild fowl, trout and forests within their respective histricts.

Persons desirous of assisting in the preservation of wild animals, game and fish are invited to correspond with the undersigned.

A. E. Watts,
Deputy Game Warden for the Electoral District of Cranbrook,
Wattsburg, B. C.

LAND NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that, 60 days from date, I will apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase about 80 acres of land commencing at the northeast corner of lot 2041, group one, Kootenay division, thence north 20 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east to point of commencement.

9-9t Clyde V. Downing.
Dated this 25th day of May, 1905.

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Tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10 p. c.) of the amount of the tender, must accompany each tender. This cheque will be forfeited if the party tendering decline the contract or fail to complete the work *contracted for, and will be returned* in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
Fred Gelinas, Secretary.
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, May 16, 1905. 9-2t

TO RENT.

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MINERAL ACT.
CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.
NOTICE.

"Dixy," Collingwood" and "Mayflower" mineral claims, situate in the Fort Steele Mining Division of East Kootenay district.

Where located: On St. Eugene hill, on Moyie Lake.

Take notice that I, William J. Langley, free miner's certificate B73410, acting for myself and as *agent for Judson B. Langley, free* miner's certificate B73411, and Andrew J. Devlin, free miner's certificate No. B73412, intend sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the mining recorder for a certificate of improvements for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of each of the above claims.

And further take notice that action under section 37 must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this 27th day of February A. D. 1905.

40-9t W. J. Langley.

LAND NOTICE.

Take notice that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works permission to purchase the following described land:

Beginning at the northeast corner of Lot 1203, G. 1, Kootenay district, thence north 20 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence east 80 chains to *place of beginning*, containing 160 acres.

Dated May 11th, 1905.

8-9t J. E. H. Laidlaw.

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DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

This is to certify that we, Samuel J. Morrow and Walter B. McFarlane, heretofore trading under the firm name of "Morrow & McFarlane," in Cranbrook, B. C., and that we, Jonathan Manning and Nelson E. Siddons, firm name of "Manning & Siddons," of Cranbrook, B. C., and that we, Robert A. Macconnell and John A. *Gillis, heretofore trading under* the firm name of "Macconnell & Gillis," of Cranbrook, B. C., have dissolved the aforesaid several partnerships as and from the 11th day of April, 1905, and have assigned all accounts due us to the The Cranbrook Co-Operative Stores, Limited, who will carry on the business of the said three firms and assume all liabilities in connection with the said three partnerships. 7-2t

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

The partnership heretofore existing between John Hutchison and Alex M. Black *is this day dissolved by mutual* consent.

The business will in future be conducted by John Hutchison, to whom all bills are payable.

John Hutchison,
A. M. Black.

John Leask, Witness.
Cranbrook, B. C., May 9, 1905.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

Cranbrook Presbyterian Church.

Sabbath Services.....11 a. m and 7.30 p. m.
Sunday School and Bible Class.....3 p. m.
Christian Endeavor, Tuesday.....8 p. m.
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Sunday School.....3 p. m.
Divine Worship.....7:30 p. m.
Tuesday: Epworth League of Christian Endeavor.....8 p. m.
Thursday: Weekly Prayer Meeting....8 p. m.
A cordial invitation is extended to the Public.
Pastor, S. J. Thompson.

Cranbrook Baptist Church.

The following is a list of the services held in the Baptist Church:
Sunday.....11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.
Sunday School.....3 p. m
Young Peoples.....8 p. m. Tuesday
Prayer Meeting.....8 p. m. Wednesday
The public are cordially invited to attend all meetings.
Pastor, J. L. Sloat.

MINERAL ACT.
(Form F.)

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

MAMMOTH MINERAL CLAIM

Situate in the Fort Steele Mining Division of the East Kootenay District.

Located on Luke Creek.

Take notice that I, Thos. T. McVittie, F. M. C. B73710, agent for J. T. Laidlaw, F. M. C. No. 73454, Jas. Angus, F. M. C. 43546; Wm. Tarrant, F. M. C. 43563, and Jas. A. *Harvey, F. M. C. 43,556, intend sixty* days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim, and further take notice that action under Section 37 must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate.

Dated this 8th day of May, 1905.

7-9t Thos. T. McVittie, Agent.

LAND PURCHASE.

Take notice that two months after *date we intend making application to* the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land in South East Kootenay District:

Commencing at the northwest corner of Lot 5243, G. 1, K. D., running thence 80 chains west, thence 40 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 40 chains south to the point of commencement.

The Wattsburg Lumber Co., Ltd.,
9-9t A. E. Watts, Agent.
Wattsburg, May 9, 1905.

TIMBER NOTICE.

Take notice that thirty days after date I intend to apply for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in South East Kootenay:

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of J. H. Spences timber license, No. 3499, Group 1; thence 40 chains south; thence 23.18 chains east; thence north along the west boundary of R. R. Jamieson's license, 38.17 chains, to the north boundary of the lands included in said license; thence east along the said north boundary of said license 40 chains, to the southwest corner of Lot 5982, Group 1; thence north 123.94 chains; thence west 103.18 chains to the east boundary of pre-emption No. 944; thence south 2.11 chains to the north side of G. K. March's license; thence east 20 chains *to the northeast corner of the said* G. K. March's license; thence south 40 chains along the east boundary of the said G. K. March's license; thence east 60 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 40 chains to the place of beginning, containing 640 acres of land more or less.

Dated April 24th, 1905.

6-5t A. Hogarth.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I will apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land in South East Kootenay:

Commencing at a post planted where the east boundary of Lot 7172 crosses the southern boundary of the Crows Nest Pass railway, thence south 40 chains, more or less, to the Moyie river; thence northerly along the Moyie river to the right of way of the said railway; thence along the said right of way in a northwesterly *direction to the place of commence*ment.

18th April, 1905.

5-9t Thos. Caven,
H. H. McVittie, Agent.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that sixty days after date I will apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, for permission to purchase the following described land in South East Kootenay district:

Commencing at a post planted on the east bank of the Kootenay river, at the northwest corner of Humphrey's claim in Lot 15, *thence* east 30 chains to the northeast corner of said Humphrey's claim, and still east from said corner 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west to the Kootenay river 20 chains more or less, thence southwesterly following the course of the Kootenay river to the point of commencement, containing 120 acres more or less.

Dated this 21st day of March, 1905.

2-9t John J. Grady.

NOTICE.

Take notice that I, Fred Drew, of Marysville, intend to apply to the Board of License Commissioners for Cranbrook district, at the first meeting held 30 days after the first publication of this notice, for a transfer from myself to George H. Wales of the license to sell intoxicating liquors at the Royal hotel in Marysville.

Dated April 24th, 1905.

5-4t Fred Drew.

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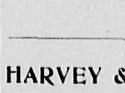

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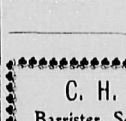

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LOCAL NOTES

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T. M. Roberts was a Moyie visitor last Saturday.

Superintendent Erickson went to Calgary this week.

All kinds of river drivers' shoes at Fink Bros.

Mrs. J. F. Armstrong has gone to Golden to visit her daughter, Mrs. Dr. Taylor.

Special prices on carpets at Reid & Co's.

Services in the Methodist church as usual next Sunday conducted by the retiring pastor.

A good clock makes a sensible wedding present. Wilson, the jeweler, has just received a new supply.

C. R. Ward, formerly in the local office of the resident engineer of the C. P. R., has returned to Cranbrook and resumed work in his old position.

M. Quinlaven, who was remanded on the charge of stealing a saddle from Paul Handley about three years ago, was taken to Nelson last Friday to await the assizes.

Coffees, the only good, ground fresh while you wait at the Vancouver.

Mrs. John Hutchison and son arrived last Friday, Mr. Hutchison having gone as far as Morrissey to meet them. They will soon be installed in their new home on Baker hill.

Limburger cheese at Fink Bros.

General Superintendent Jamieson was in town last Friday on one of his periodical trips over the Crow. Mr. Jamieson has a lot of friends in Cranbrook who are always pleased to meet him.

Slater shoes at Reid & Co's.

G. E. Miller, the brakeman who was injured at Morrissey a few weeks ago by being caught by a wire stretched over the track at Morrissey, made a visit to Fernie the first of the week. He has recovered so so that he hopes to be able to go to work within a short time.

Two front offices, second floor Watts block, for rent. Apply to Mighton & Kelsall. 7-tf

While the J. P. R. station is under repairs the offices of the second floor have been removed to cars on the side track. As a consequence in many of the departments the employes have to be acrobats to be able to get to their offices each morning. They would not think of going through the ordeal at 12 o'clock at night.

All kinds of river drivers' shoes at Fink Bros.

Joseph Jeffries, who is employed in the East Kootenay Lumber company's mill at Ryan, was hurt last Saturday by getting his hand caught while running a slab off from the saw He came to Cranbrook in the afternoon and had the injured member properly taken care of by a physician.

Wanted—Servant girl. Apply Mrs. F. E. King.

The license commission held a meeting last Friday and considered the different applications before it for licenses. The application of R. C. McClure for a license two miles west of Yahk, and the applications of J. M. Carroll and W. A. Forsyth, for licenses at Kimberley, were turned down. The license of A. P. Chenette was transferred to Gougeon & Netterfield.

The latest in gent's straw hats at Reid & Co's.

P. Nevin, of Macleod, was in town a couple of days last week arranging for some material at the Cranbrook Sash and Door factory for the government building that he is constructing at Moosejaw. Mr. Nevin was pleased to see the progress in Cranbrook since he was last here, and says that he has been kept busy since he left Cranbrook with impaortant contracts.

All kinds of river drivers' shoes at Fink Bros.

READ WILSON'S AD.

M. B. King was down to Fernie on Tuesday.

Limburger cheese at Fink Bros.

Isaac Baker, of Moyie, was in town last Tuesday.

B. R. Dawson, of Nelson, was in town last Tuesday.

C. V. Downing, of Spokane, was in town last Tuesday.

See Reid's ad. this week.

Mrs. W. H. Griffith visited Fort Steele Junction on Tuesday.

Ed. MacBeth, of Moyie, was visiting Cranbrook the first of the week.

Miss Ella Johnson left on Tuesday for Fernie, where she will spend her holidays.

The Vancouver for teas. Tetley's best Ceylon regular 60c now 40c.

Gus Cory has returned from his trip to the coast and left Tuesday for Medicine Hat, where he will resume his duties with the C. P. R.

O. J. Johnson, one of the old timers of Moyie, was in town a short time last Saturday, on his return from a visit to the middle States.

Frank Johnson, of the Moyie hotel, Moyie, was in town Friday and Saturday of last week. Mr. Johnston is feeling good over the prospects of Moyie.

Your eyes will receive careful attention at Wilson's. Don't wait until it's too late.

The sacrament of the Lord's supper will be observed in the Presbyterian church next Sabbath at the morning service. Preparatory services on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

To Rent—House on Kain street, lot 36, block 24; 5 rooms, electric light, waterpipe in kitchen, newly papered and painted; rent $15. Apply to J. F. Armstrong.

assembly convenes in Kingston on June 7th. Rev. S. Lundie will have charge of the congregation during the absence of Rev. Fortune.

Next Monday, May 29, Rev. and Mrs. Fortune leave for a two months' holiday in the east. Mr. Fortune will attend the general assembly of the Presbyterian church as a representative from Kootenay presbytery. The

For Sale—One pony, well broken to saddle or harness; one Singer sewing machine, good as new, cheap; preserve jars, half dozen Plymouth Rock hens, two with broods. Inquire at parsonage, Hanson avenue.

S. J. Thompson.

George Wales, Leslie Fox, A. McEachern and Otto Weisner, Wardner's strong quartette, spent Sunday in town. These four gentlemen are six day a week workers and once in a while they come up to Cranbrook to breath a little metropolitan air.

The Vancouver for India and Ceylon teas, best at lowest prices. All grades of green and black teas. Call for sample.

Constable Walker, of Fernie, has been on duty in Cranbrook the past week to meet the vacancy caused by the illness of Constable Morris. Mr. Walker is one of those specimens of human nature who is recognized as a gentleman as soon as one knows him, and he has made many friends during his brief sojourn in Cranbrook.

All kinds of river drivers' shoes at Fink Bros.

Beattie & Atchison, the druggists, have two of the most attractive windows to be seen in any drug store in British Columbia this week. They are the work of E. H. Small, proprietor of the Cosmopolitan hotel, who is without a doubt one of the most artistic decorators in the province of British Columbia. Many people have stopped to admire the beauty of these windows and all have words of praise for their appearance.

Reid & Co. for linoleums and carpets.

Three years ago last Sunday was the start of the big flood that caused so much damage in this district to the C. P. R. and the government roads. It started in with a rain which turned to snow and then finally changed to a warm rain only to be followed by warm sunshine. As a result all of the mountain streams were filled to overflowing, mud slides were an every day occurrence, and the damages amounted to thousands of dollars.

Dr. Watt, of Fort Steele, was in town last Friday. The doctor is confident that the Kootenay Central, the road to which he has devoted so much of his time and energy, will finally be built, and that the building of that road will give to Fort Steele her just dues. The Herald believes that the doctor is right and when that road is built it will serve as a monument to Dr. Watt and his faith in the Kootenay valley and Fort Steele.

Lovely tin caddy of Tetley's teas high grade Ceylon 60c for 40c per pound until June 1st. Try one pound caddy at the Vancouver.

Limburger cheese at Fink Bros.

Grant Downing, of Jaffray, was in town this week.

All miner's licenses expire on the last of this month.

P. McClellan came up from the Hat this week to visit old friends.

Mr. Borman, of Victoria, is an addition to the Bank of Commerce staff.

Constable Morris is able to be out on the street again, a fact that is appreciated by his many friends.

H. H. Morris, of Vancouver, inspector for the Canadian Bank of Commerce, is in town today making the regular inspection of the Cranbrook branch.

Lost, a silver brooch with two Scottish thistles. Finder please leave at Herald office and receive reward.

A. W. McVittie is in Nelson this week on business.

George Muir, who is now in Assiniboia in the lumber business, was in town this week. Mr. Parks has a yard at Craik and Mr. Muir is located at Davidson. They are both doing very well.

William Oliver, one of the best known lumbermen in the district, returned last Friday from Medicine Hat where he has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Wm. Rose, for the past three weeks. This is the first vacation that Mr. Oliver has taken for some time and he thoroughly enjoyed it. Speaking of Medicine Hat Mr. Oliver says that the natural gas resources in that town will eventually make the place a most important one.

If you want to get shoes at half price, shoes that will wear and of late pattern, go to "Scotty" McArthur's, at Sage's old stand. He has some great bargains.

H. L. Adolph, of Brandon, has been in town and at Fort Steele Junction the past two weeks the guest of his father and brother. Mr. Adolph is a member of the Brandon council and was surprised to find that Cranbrook was not incorporated.

L. S. Murdock, formerly of Cranbrook, stopped off a couple of days this week to visit with friends.

The postoffice will be closed hereafter at 6:30 except Saturday nights, when it will be kept open until 7:30 for the accommodation of the men in the camps.

Rev. S. J. Thompson returned on Sunday from Vancouver, where he had been attending the Methodist conference. The conference has appointed Mr. Thompson to take charge of Centennial Methodist church, Victoria, and Rev. J. P. Westman who has been in charge of that church is stationed in Cranbrook. Mr. Thompson will leave town about June 6th, and Mr. Westman will arrive in time for Sunday, June 11th. Rev. and Mrs. Thompson have formed some strong friendships in Cranbrook and their departure will be regretted by many who have worked with them for the good of the church.

IMPROVEMENTS IN THE HERALD.

The Herald has secured the services of an expert machine operator of Winnipeg, who will, after the first of the month, relieve Mr. Billings. Mr. Billings will assist the "Old Man" in the front office and Mr. Bennett, who has charge of the job department. Arthur Johnson is a new addition to the Herald staff and will begin work tomorrow.

The increase of business in the Herald office has made these additions to the staff imperative, and after the first of the month the Herald expects to be able to meet the demands of its patrons promptly. Just as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made the Herald will increase the size of the paper to be able to give more reading matter. The advertising patronage has been encroaching upon the reading matter space so rapidly the past few months that the readers have not had as good a paper as they were entitled to. As in the past, the Herald will continue to lead, never follow.

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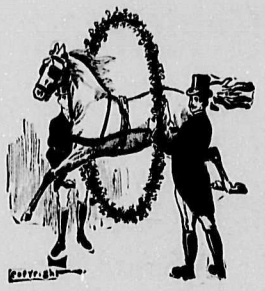

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NEWS OF THE DISTRICT . . . . .

Taken From East Kootenay Papers.

FERNIE.

(From the Free Press.)

Frank Dunn left on Wednesday for Calgary where he will probably remain.

The work of putting in the concrete foundations for the steel tipple at Coal Creek is proceeding rapidly. Men are engaged night and day at the work.

George Thomas, of Toronto, has been appointed an assistant in the lands department of the Coal company. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas arrived last Saturday and have taken up quarters temporarily at the King Edward.

A. C. Nelson, deputy assessor of Cranbrook, accompanied by Alex Lucas, of Kaslo, were in the city yesterday. By a recent act of the government the province has been divided into six districts for the purpose of assessment. The Kootenay district includes the sub-divisions of Rossland, Nelson, Slocan, Golden, Revelstoke and Fort Steele. Each of these is in charge of a deputy and A. C. Nelson is the deputy for the last named district.

The Fernie football enthusiasts held a meeting on Wednesday evening for the purpose of reorganizing the club for the current season. The officers elected were as follows: Hon. Pres., R. G. Drinnan; 1st Hon. Vice-Pres., H. J. Johnson; 2nd Hon. Vice-Pres., Wm. Mills; President, L. Atkinson; Vice-President, A. Gilchrist; Secretary-Treasurer, J. Burton.

A meeting of the directors of the Elk Lumber and Manufacturing company, limited, was held in Fernie on Wednesday of this week. Those present were: O. A. Robertson, St. Paul, president; F. B. Lynch, St Paul, secretary; W. Dutton, Winnipeg, treasurer; J. C. Wood, St. Paul, J. S. Hough, Winnipeg, and F. G. Barrows, Fergus Falls, Minn. These gentlemen came out to inspect their new mill and while here held the meeting to transact routine business. They are very well satisfied with the mill. Messrs. Wood and Lynch returned from their hunt and met their fellow directors here. They all left for the east on Wednesday evening.

Thos. Pogue has secured a long lease of the Waldorf hotel and he took possession on Wednesday of this week. Mr. Pogue has had several years experience in hotel management in West Kootenay and he is well and favorably known in Fernie, where he has lived for some time.

J. A. Rennie, who holds the position of city clerk, assessor, collector, etc., has accepted a lucrative position with W. R. McGaw & Co., of Vernon, as manager of that big concern, and with Mrs. Rennie and family will leave Fernie about June 1st to make their home in the metropolis of the Okanagan. Mr. Rennie has filled his present position very acceptably since the inception of the city nearly a year ago and his departure is a distinct loss to Fernie. His knowledge of muaicipal affairs is very full and the councils have gained many useful pointers from him. The members of the council at the meeting on Tuesday conveyed many sincere expressions of appreciation of the valued service rendered by Mr. Rennie. All agreed that no other man in the city was so conversant with municipal matters and one went so far as to say that the city clerk knew as much as all the rest put together. They also referred to the very efficient manner in which he had performed the clerical duties connected with the office. Mr. Rennie is also secretary of the school board, and he and his estimable wife are ardent workers in Knox church. Mr. and Mrs. Rennie and their four bright children will be missed from Fernie.

MOYIE.

(From the Leader.)

M. A. Beale was in town Monday.

Wm. Tope while working in the mine last night fell down a chute and broke his leg.

F. J. McMahon, accompanied by his wife and two children, left Tuesday for Grand Forks, N. D., on a visit with relatives. They will return to Moyie about July first.

Chas. Farrell was up from Morrissey Mines this week on a business and pleasure trip. Mr. Farrell is owner of the Society Girl mine at Moyie and also has some good prospects near the Sullivan at Marysville.

The Moyie Gun club held its weekly shoot yesterday afternoon and the following is a list of the contestants and the number of clay pigeons broken by each: Cameron, 29 out of 50; Armstrong, 28 out of 50; Campbell, 12 out of 50.

Constable Routh has been appointed by Mr. Armstrong as clerk of the small debts court in Moyie. This court will be held on the last Tuesday of each month.

O. J. Johnson, vice-president of the St. Eugene Mountain Mines Ltd., and one of the owners of the Aurora property, arrived back in Moyie yesterday after an absence of nearly six months. Mr. Johnson spent most of this time in Colorado and Wisconsin.

SCHOOLS EXHIBIT FOR WESTMINSTER.

The superintendent of education of British Columbia is corresponding with the various boards of school trustees throughout the province with the view of arranging for a creditable exhibit of the products of manual training from the schools at the forthcoming Dominion exhibition to be held at New Westminster in September and October next. The desirability of the suggestion being adopted is shown in the following correspondence.

New Westminster,
May 9, 1905.

Hon. F. Fulton, Minister of Education,
Victoria, B. C.:

Dear Sir—I have been asked from different portions of the interior of British Columbia, as well as from the coast cities, that a special effort should be made by the Dominion exhibition to be held in this city, commencing on September 27 and ending on October 7 next, to have an educational exhibit that would be a credit, not only to the province, but to the whole Dominion.

Probably you will remember the importance attached to the educational building at St. Louis last year, and I feel that the value of a good school exhibit would be really immense, if manual training, brush work drawings, compositions, and in fact all the work of the schools could be shown.

A creditable exhibit, though, cannot in my opinion be shown unless the various schools of the province can be induced to take part in this, and I have been requested by the board of control of the Dominion exhibition to write and respectfully ask, first of all, if the idea will appeal to you, and if, approving of same, you would permit the superintendent of education to take charge of such an exhibit, and by doing so we would be able to demonstrate to exhibitors the educational advantages enjoyed by residents in British Columbia.

We will be only to pleased to set aside a room for such an exhibit and give every assistance in our power, as well as prizes.

I omitted to mention that kindergarten work could also be shown as as well as the manual training products.

Thanking you in anticipation for any assistance you can give us in the direction asked for, I am,

W. H. Keary,
Manager and Secretary.

Education Office,
Victoria, B. C.,
May, 12, 1905.

Sir—I am enclosing herewith a copy of communication received by the Hon the Minister of Education from the management of the Dominion exhibition, which is to be held in New Westminster, B. C., on September 27 to October 7, inclusive. The minister is anxious that the department make every effort to have an exhibit of school work at the exhibition, and that it be made as complete and representative as possible. I am, therefore, instructed to ask you to do all you can in your inspectorate to have an exhibit sent in. This should include not only specimens from all branches of school work, but also products from the manual training and domestic science centers. The exhibit should reach New Westminster not later than the 23rd September, and the samples from each school should be carefully marked.

I should think that the exhibits made at the Revelstoke convention could well form part of the exhibit for New Westminster. I have the honor to be, sir,

Alexander Robinson,
Superintendent of Education.

CRANBROOK LICENSE DISTRICT

The half yearly meeting of the Board of License Commissioners, Cranbrook License District, will be held at the Court House, Cranbrook, on Thursday June 15th, 1905, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, when the following applications will come before the Board:

James Brown, Union hotel, Wardner.

A. L. McDermot, wholesale, Cranbrook.

A. C. Bowness, wholesale, Cranbrook.

L. B. VanDecar, Royal hotel, Cranbrook.

Dan McDonald, Manitoba hotel, Cranbrook.

Hoggarth & Rollins, Cranbrook hotel, Cranbrook.

Joseph Brault, Canadian hotel, Cranbrook.

Eneas H. Small, Cosmopolitan hotel, Cranbrook.

Gougeon & Netterfield, Queens hotel, Cranbrook.

W. Small, Imperial hotel, Cranbrook.

William Rollins, Wentworth hotel, Cranbrook.

H. W. Drew, North Star hotel, Kimberley.

J. M. Carroll, Ontario hotel, Kimberley.

W. S. Forsythe, Royal hotel, Kimberley.

A. P. Chenette, Falls View hotel, Marysville.

Fred Drew, transfer to George H. Wales, Royal hotel, Marysville.

Oliver Burge, Perry Creek hotel, Perry Creek.

J. H. McMullin,
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The Breckenridge & Lund Coal Co., limited, of Lundbreck, Alta., wish to announce to the public that no further sales of shares in the company will be made at sixty-five (65) cents per share. Ample arrangements have been made for the immediate requirements of the company, in prosecuting the necessary development of their mine, and for the installation of the necessary equipment.

4-4t Peter Lund, Secretary.

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Japs are Victorious

Latest advices confirm the magnitude of the disaster suffered by the Russian fleet, and point to the fact that Russia's hopes so far as this war is concerned now lie in whatever may be accomplished by the oft beaten army in Manchuria. The official report, received from Tokio by the Japanese legation at Washington on Monday evening, says that the Russian losses, definitely known include two battleships, a coast defence ship, five cruisers, two special service ships, and three destroyers sunk, and two battleships two coast defense ships, one special service ship and one destroyer captured, while over 3000 prisoners have been taken, including rear admiral Nebogatoff. The Japanese, it would seem, are still pursuing the Russians, and it may be some time before the final result is known. There is nothing to clearly indicate the extent of the Japanese losses. It is suggested from one source that the government is waiting to hear from rear admiral Rojestvensky by way of Vladivostock before announcing to what extent its has suffered.

The news of the disaster has caused deep depression in official circles in Russia, though it is not yet known generally among the Russian people. Rojestvensky's defeat has given rise to renewed talk of peace. It is pointed out by the Associated Press, St. Petersburg correspondent that Russia in this crisis will turn to France through its foreign minister, M. Delcasse, while from Washington comes information that president Roosevelt in accordance with his promise, announced a long time ago, is taking steps to do all in his power to bring about peace negotiations. Nothing has been heard from admiral Rojestvensky in Tokio. There is some belief that he has perished while another source source says that he was rescued by a torpedo boat, but that he was wounded.

St. Petersburg, May 30.—(1:55 a. m.)—After waiting vainly ll. day and evening for direct news from the scattered remnants of Vice Admiral Rojestvensky's destroyed and beaten fleet, The Russian admiralty at midnight no longer attempted to hold out against overwhelming evidence pouring in from all directions that the fleet on which all their hopes were centered had suffered a greater disaster than did the combined French and Spanish fleets at Trafalgar. More bitter even than defeat is the Japanese claim of the virtual annihilation of the Russian fleet with practically no loss on their side, and many officers atill cling to to the belief that Vice Admiral Togo must have suffered heavily. With every ship of Rear Admiral Nebogatoff's reinforcing division either sent to the bottom or forced to strike its flag and only six of Rojestvensky'ys original fighting fighting ships absent from the list of vessels sunk or captured, and with the Japanese pursuit still continuing, no naval authority has the temerity to dream that Russia can again attempt to wrest the master of the sea from Japan in the present war. The captured warships alone will furnish the Japanese with ready-made re-in-inforcements which will more than be a match for the fourth Pacific squadron now about to sail from Cronstadt.

The emperor was completely prostrated by the news and according to reports he broke down and wept. The effect of the disaster will be a terrible blow to the government. The futility of trying to continue fighting on land is everywhere recognized and the cry for "peace at any cost," is sure to be raised.

This time, it is believed, the government cannot resist such a cry. Indeed the radical liberals are openly rejoicing in this hour of their country's humiliation. They declare that the disaster means peace and a constitution, and that the deaths of thousands of their fellow-countrymen and the loss of over a hundred million dollars worth of warships is not too big a price to pay. Friends of peace in the government are already reproaching the war party with forcing the issue between Togo and Rojestvensky.

When the fleet appeared in the straits of Malacca, they tried to persuade the emperor that the time was opportune for the opening of peace peace negotiations, but the war party convinced his majesty, and Rojestvensky, for the honor of the navy, insisted that the fleets should be given a chance to retrieve the disasters suffered on land.

Diplomats entertain no doubts that the belligerent faction will continue to urge that the war be fought to the bitter end but the friends of Russia abroad, and especially France, are now bringing overwhelming arguments to bear in favor of peace.

The Associated Press has excellent reason to believe that the Russian government in this crisis will turn to M. Delcasse, the French foreign minister, in whose ability and in whose loyalty as Russia's friend the emperor and his ministers have implicit confidence. Some time ago it appeared likely that President Roosevelt would play a big role in the peace negotiations but now his share is apt to be determined by M. Deacasse's decision, who may consider it wise to place the negotiations in his hands.

The war party, however, will insist now, as they did after the battle of Mukden, that peace is impossible under the heels of defeat. The members of this faction are already proclaiming that the naval disaster in no wise alters the situation on land, Lieutenant General Linevitch having prepared his plans as if the fleet did not exist.

A large portion of the officers and sailors of the fleet were residents of St. Petersburg and evidences of grief are seen on every hand. Wives and families are besieging the admiralty and visiting the churches to pray for the escape of their loved ones. Many of the people of St. Petersburg refuse to credit the news from Tokio and are clinging to the belief that perhaps it is not official. Peace demonstrations are generally expected, though pending the decision of the government with regard to the opening of negotiations it is impossible to predict what stand the antigovernment forces may take.

A WONDERFUL VICTORY.

Washington, May 30.—The official Japanese report on the latest details of the great battle in the Korean straits is made in a cablegram received tonight by the Japanese legation here from the foreign office at Tokio, conveying Admiral Togo's despatches up to this afternoon. The report says that Admiral Rojestvensky and another admiral and staff officers were taken prisoners on the sinking of Rojestvensky's flagship Saturday night south of Urleung, off the Korean coast. The total number of vessel lost to the Russians, according to Admiral Togo, now reaches 22 and he adds that although full particulars are not yet fully known, no Japanese ships were seriously injured and the loss to the first division of the Japanese fleet was not over 300.

"Fifth report from Togo received afternoon of May 30: The main force of our combined fleet, upon accepting the surrender of the remaining Russian main force on the afternoon of May 28, as already reported, stopped pursuit, and while engaged in the disposition of the surrendered ships found in a southwesterly direction the Admiral Oushakoff, a coast defence ship. Thereupon the Iwate and Yakumo were immediately despatched in pursuit, and invited her to surrender, but she refused, and was sunk at 6 p. m. Her crew of over 300 men were rescued.

"Cruiser Dmitri Donskoi was also found in a northwesterly direction at 4 p. m. and was immediately overtaken and fired on vigorously by our fourth division and second destroyer flotilla. She was attacked that night by the second destroyer flotilla and the next morning was found aground on the southeastern shore of Urleung islands off the Korean coast.

"Our destroyer Sazanami captured toward the evening of May 27, in the south of Urleung island, the Russian destroyer Biedovy, wherein were found Admiral Rojestvensky and another admiral, both severely wounded, together with 80 Russians, including staff officers from the flagship Kniaz Souvaroff, which was sunk at 5:30 p. m. May 27. All were taken prisoners.

"Our cruiser Chitose while cruising to the northward on the morning of May 28, found and sunk another Russian destroyer. Our cruiser Niyitaka, and destroyer Murakumo attacked also at noon on May 28 a Russian destroyer which finally went aground.

According to various reports hitherto, received and statements of prisoners the result of the battle from May 27 to 29 is as follows:

Kniaz Souvaroff, Alexandra III., Borodino, Dmitri Donskoi, Admiral Nakhimoff, Vladimir Monomakh, Oemtchug, Admiral Oushakoff, one converted cruiser and two destroyers were sunk. Nicholas I., Orel, Admiral Apraxine, Admiral Seniavin, and destroyer Biedovy were captured.

According to prisoners the Ossliabia sunk about 3 p. m., and the Navarin was also sunk, both battleships

The Ilmaz on May 27 was observed in a sinking condition, but her final fate is yet unknown.

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Fred Congdon, ex-commissioner of the Yukon, left for Vancouver on his way to Dawson on Saturday.

HILL & CO'S BIG SALE.

Hill & Co. announced by immense posters this week that they would inaugurate a big sale this morning, and as a result the store was crowded before 10 o'clock. This firm has made a sweeping reduction in all lines and in consequence the buying public are rushing in to take advantage of the bargains offered. The stock must be reduced to raise money and the company are offering unprecedented inducements, in the way of sacrifice prices. It is evident that the people appreciate a good thing and have little sympathy for any losses that may be sustained by Hill & Co., as they are filling the store to overflowing and the goods are going over the counters like the water of Mark creek over the Marysville falls.

THE HOTTEST COON IN DIXIE.

What Frank Daniels and Francis Wilson are to recognized comic opera so are Arnold and Blondy to the ragtime revelation "The Hottest Coon in Dixie." These colored comedians are uniquely original in method, possessing the instinctive spirit of fun, and their every move and saying is provocative of unrestrained merriment. The prima donna of the organization, Miss Mamie Blanton, has been truly termed the Lillian Russell of the colored stage, the possessor of a voice whose every note is linked sweetness. The other members of the cast are exceptionally talented, while the chorus rejoices in a rich dusky beauty of its own. "The Hottest Coon in Dixie" plays here June 9 and 10 at the Cranbrook opera house.

A SUCCESSFUL CONCERT.

A successful smoker, the second of the season, was held under the auspices of the Cranbrook football association in Wentworth hall on Monday evening last. A program of exceptional merit was contributed by the following artists: Martin Dick, basso, James Bates, elocutionist; J. O'Neil, E. Turnbull, J. MacLaren, tenors; R. Baldwin, English concertino; Frank Lewis, banjo; J. Hawkins, violin and cornet; Mr. McCowan, bagpipes; Masters McCowan, sword dance and Highland Fling; Chas. Smith, J. Hutchison, monologues; C. Washington, accompanist; A. M. Black, chairman. Another concert will be given about two weeks from date.

A GREAT BUYING TIME.

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PROVINCE OF A NEWSPAPER.

A great many people have the wrong idea as to the province of a newspaper. This fact has been demonstrated the past two weeks by some people of Cranbrook saying to the Herald editor, "Well, I see Grace is coming to Cranbrook with his paper. Now, I suppose that both of you will crack it to each other." The erroneous idea is based on the assumption that a newspaper is simply a vehicle for the editor to express his *feelings of animosity*, discontent, prejudices and petty spites. The people, or at least many of them, fail to appreciate the fact that a newspaper is simply a legitimate business enterprise, *and is in the field for business* the same as a grocery store, a hardware store, or any other commercial proposition. Cranbrook is a field for one or more newspapers. The Herald has been *published in* Cranbrook since the inception of the town. With the growth of Cranbrook Mr. Grace came to the conclusion that he could do better in this town than in Fort *Steele. It is simply a business proposition* with him. Had it been a question of sentiment he would have preferred, no doubt, to have remained in the town he he has labored for so many years. *He is here after business* and will get business. The Herald is here for business and will continue to do business. The Herald has two objects in view, to increase its business and to promote the best interests of Cranbrook and the district. As to the former object, it does not look or ask for any aid from the proprietor of its opposition, but trusts that it will have that paper's co-operation in working for the upbuilding of Cranbrook. *There is nothing more* distasteful to the people generally than senseless, peurile bickering between two newspapers in the same town. The people care little or nothing *for the personal affairs of the* publisher of a newspaper. They want the news, they want a clean paper, they want a paper that will be credit to the community in which it is published. *The Herald desires to state* right now, so as to settle any mistaken idea that may linger in the minds of any portion of the people, that it has no grievance against Mr. Grace or his paper, and what is more, the columns of the Herald cannot be used by any individual who has a grievance against the Prospector or Mr. Grace, and desires to give vent to it over the shoulders of the Herald editor.

Cranbrook is a *free field*, and Mr. Grace had a perfect right to locate here, as any business man who is satisfied with the field has a right to do. The Herald has worked several years to *build up a business*, and it is a good business. It has been built up by giving the people value received in the way of an up-to-date weekly paper and the best that can be produced in the way of *job work*. The policy that has made the Herald a success will be followed in the future the same as in the past. The Herald has always believed in Cranbrook. It has backed that belief with years of labor for the interests of the town and the people. It will continue to do what it can along that line, and believes that Mr. Grace will join hands in the good work. That is the proper province of a newspaper and that is the province of the Herald.

THE CURSE OF GOSSIP.

Thoughtless gossip has caused untold sorrow in every community, and oftimes it is due to careless natures more than innate meanness. It is a pernicious habit, and a curse to any *people*. Ymir has just had a pitiful example of the baneful effects of neighborly gossip, and the Vancouver World preaches a magnificent sermon in the following article:

"*T. H. Atkinson, druggist, of Ymir*, left the dock in the criminal court of assize at Nelson yesterday without a stain on his character. Mr. Atkinson was charged with burning down his own premises but when the evidence for the prosecution was all in the jury expressed itself satisfied that there was no need to hear the defence and the accused was honorably acquitted.

"Discharged, but to what? To take up anew the threads of a life which *has been ruined and broken, to return* to a desolate home which will never again be entered by the girl who had accompanied him to the little mining town and had shared his struggles *there, for she, crushed by the trouble* in which evil tongues had involved her husband, threw herself into the reservoir some weeks ago.

"Mr. Atkinson does not, however, in *all probability*, owe the terrible disasters which have overwhelmned him to falsehoods told with malice aforethought. Those who set the story afloat and those who repeated it with such additions that it grew into an accusation of black crime were actuated not by a *desire to injure the* druggist and his family—some of them were possibly the man's friends and may have sat at his table—but by the love of sensation, the delight of telling *a spicy bit of news, the morbid* pleasure in scandal. Mrs. Atkinson was murdered by the same gossip which slew her husband's reputation, and all of those who, without sufficient *ground*, assisted in defaming him (those who by their conduct to her declared him guilty before he had had a chance to show that he was innocent), are accessories to the crime. The brand of Cain is upon them and upon all their kind in the small towns of Canada where, week by week, hearts are broken and lives spoilt by idle but deadly tongues."

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The question of circulation is always an important one to the advertisers. A paper with over 1000 circulation in a town like Cranbrook offers a valuable medium to the advertiser who pays his money for his advertisement the same as he pays it out for any goods that he may have. The Herald has over 1000 circulation, and what is more it is not simply a statement made to fool the advertising *public, but a statement that can be* substantiated by the advertiser going over the subscription list or watching the counter on the press while the papers are being printed. To reach *the people in the Cranbrook district* the advertiser can make no mistake in using the columns of the Herald. It gives dollar for dollar in value, because it has the circulation.

The Herald is still for Cranbrook.

The Greenwood Times has been enlarged. It seems to be a good thing for a newspaper to have its editor a member of parliament.

The banana weather has this district in its pleasing grasp once more.

Look at your back yard. If it is *not clean you are not doing your* duty.

The Moyie Leader has been enlarged and otherwise improved. The Leader has passed through many crucial periods and its many friends will be pleased to note these signs of increased prosperity. Editor Smyth has stood manfully by the town of Moyie and the people and it is evident that they appreciate the fact since there is hardly a person in or around Moyie who does not read the Leader. This fact makes it a valuable advertising medium for those desiring to do business with the people of that particular section, and as its columns have a very healthy appearance it is evident that the business men of this part of the district have reason to know that this is true.

W. B. McInnis has been appointed governor of the Yukon. This is one of the biggest official plums in the Dominion and the many friends of the *eloquent gentleman* will rejoice over his good fortune. He has earned the reward by his excellent work for the Liberal party, and by giving such rewards does a party pay its just debts.

There has not been *anything done as* yet toward building a wagon road up the St. Marys valley. The course pursued by the government regarding that section is driving good mining men out of *this district. Only* this week a gentleman by the name of Harris, who has been interested with friends in that valley for several years past said that he had been *waiting with hope for* a long time for the men who had been spending their money in developing the resources of that valley to receive some recognition in the way of public improvements, but he has given up and was going to return to West Kootenay. The St. Marys valley today is *one of* most promising mineral regions in the province, and yet it can make no further progress until there are some roads and trails built into the district so that prospectors and mine owners can get in with supplies.

A good painter covers up the sins of many a poor carpenter.

This is the time for every resident of Cranbrook to get in and pull together. Cranbrook is a growing town and it should be encouraged in its natural growth.

The Herald has always insisted that the Corbin road would finally be built and that it would tap the Crows Nest line at or near Yahk. That the *Herald has been right* is evidenced by the fact that contractors are now at work on the line and the right of way has been cut to a point two and three quarters miles *below Yahk. This road will mean* a great deal to the future of Cranbrook.

How is that board of trade of Cranbrook? No meeting has been held for some time.

Rambling Reveries

BY A DREAMER.

She knelt alone, that little one,
An orphan child of three,
And whispered the prayer she learned
Beside her mother's knee,
No gentle hand upon her head
In soft caress was laid,
No sweet voice murmuring her name,
She knelt alone and prayed.
The tear drops resting on her cheek
A tale of sorrow told;
For even she, that angel child,
Had found the world was cold,
And murmured forth with tiny hands
Up-pointing to the skies,
"God, take me to my mamma, when
Poor little Lily dies."
The angels, pausing, heard the prayer,
And in the calm moonlight
Bent down and breathed upon the child
And kissed her forehead white;
And bearing her with songs of love
Through the blue depths of even,
They laid her in her mother's arms,
She woke that morn in Heaven.

The memory of misspent years should not hang like a millstone about your neck, so long as you have a desire for better things, you still have in reserve, greater or less in proportion to the earnestness of our aspirations, the very power you need in attaining what you seek. Thousands of bad boys have changed their course radically and become good and useful men. The ablest cardinal and statesman of France in his day was known as the incorrigible boy Richelieu. Mazarin, when young, was a reckless gambler. Dumas was a worthless, idle boy. St. Augustine was called a reprobate when a boy. Whitefield, *the great preacher*, was a thief when young, and his mother kept a public house. President Thiers was the worst pupil in school; he would strike his teacher when angry, and no punishment awed him. All at once he changed his course, and determined to become president of France, although he was very poor. Great men are but common men more fully developed and *ripened*.

AN OBJECT LESSON.

"All I ask," said Nan Patterson in the Tombs, "is to go back to my dear old father and mother, to the dear old home, to forget, if I can, my *long suffering* and be a little girl again."

There was a time when Nan Patterson was an innocent, pure and happy girl, the same as are scores who will *read this article*. She was pretty. Her parents were justly proud of her. In early girlhood she appeared behind the footlights of the stage. Our readers are all familiar with what has followed. Her picture has appeared in all our metropolitan papers. Three times has she been tried for murder, and still no jury can agree as to her guilt.

Hearts of strong men have turned back to the old home for refuge in times like this. The fundamental instincts of human nature are so strong unerring and universal that when we are led by sin into sorrow deep, we turn to the good old home.

Nan Patterson is now free to go back home. But she never can take back to the old home the innocent childhood she took away from it. Neither will the old home look natural *to her, for* a heavy *mortgage has* cast a shadow on the dreary rooms, a mortgage placed there by forgiving parents to protect their child's neck from the hangman's rope. A deeper shadow has fallen upon the unfortunate girl than upon her home, and has fallen upon her by her own sin.

Her father, in the sunset of life, did not forsake his girl in her hour of trouble. And the invalid mother daily sent her messages of love and *cheer. These doting parents can never* again be as they were before her sin bent their forms and whitened their locks.

Too many of our most promising children allured by the bright flowers, the butterflies, the rainbow, may forget and wander far from home But when sin bruises their feet and their limbs become weary and the heart sore they will cry for the good old home once more.

Matured men and women have a little stronger limbs and harder hearts; they can chase the butterflies and the rainbows a little further; and then they, too, like poor Nan Patterson, *must see the mocking folly of it all* and weary and heartsick long for the old home and mother.

No penalty is so sure as that which comes with the suicide or sin. You may hold the beautiful flower you have plucked back to the stem, but it gets no life there again. Nan Patterson can return to her old home but a cloud will ever hover over it. Her innocence cannot return any more than the plucked flower can again grow to the stem.

Too many of our young people, like Nan Patterson, who had a good home and good parents have wandered so far from them that the journey back to innocent childhood and peace is too far for feet of clay. Let the *young* learn an object lesson from the sorrows that have overtaken Nan Patterson and that overtake all who seek pleasure in paths of sin.

THE FAMILY QUESTION BOX.

Every mother knows that her little sons and daughters must pass through several years of questioning when it *seems as if their young minds* were wondering about everything under the sun, above and beyond it in every direction. There are sure to be times when the questions become tiresome. *There are sure to be times* when the questions are very hard and even impossible to answer, but the mother who longest holds sway over her children is the one who answers the *questions truthfully and tirelessly*.

If mothers could realize for a moment how strange all the world is to the little people they would not wonder at the number and variety of the *questions*.

When any of the wondering questions can be answered by the child himself, if set to work investigating the subject, the kindest way of answering is in encouraging him to find out.

There are scores of questions which mothers cannot answer and they should not be ashamed to acknowledge that they do not know what the answer should be. There are scores of questions which cannot be answered until the children have grown to greater comprehension. It will be easy for the mothers to have won their children's confidence by answering, truthfully, hundreds of questions, to tell the little people that they will answer their *questions some day*, when they are old enough to understand.

The mothers who willingly answer the seemingly endless questions of the *baby minds are doing the greatest* possible service to their little people. They are encouraging them ta learn. They are teaching them the delight of knowing new things and are paving *the way to a fine education by and by* The children who are constantly put off or ignored cease to hope to find out things and lose interest in trying to learn.

The older children of the family are apt to be very impatient with the little people for the endless questioning, but they should be taught that they themselves have passed through the days of perpetual wonder, and should be asked to help the little minds to *develop by answering trustfully* as many questions as they can.

SNAP SHOTS.

(Selected.)

The preachers are easy to entertain at meal time.

A conversational boy is slow to take a hint.

A large amount of *religion is required* to control the circulation of one man's blood.

The man who can forget his birthday is still a kid.

The orator has his greatest rival in the baby learning to talk.

What the devil wants above all things is not to be forgotten.

No mind is so pure that it *can dish* up evil and receive none of the coloring.

If doing good does not do the doer good the stuff will rot on his hands.

Many men regard their pronounced opinions as their settled convictions.

Men who are sure they are right are the men nearly everybody considers wrong.

When a girl speaks of her father as boss her parents should be particular as to who she marries.

The girl who titters in church is the same girl who titters in the theater.

It is no fun to play with the world *unless one is on top*.

Some people understand they are thinking when they are simply fussing.

There is much in the art of entertaining, and there is more in the art of being entertained.

People who do not think well of *themselves* have no right to complain if they find the dirt of other people's shoes on their garments.

FAVORABLE COMMENTS.

Referring to the lecture of Rev. F. W. Patterson, who will speak at the Baptist church on Monday evening, JuneJune 5th:

Free Press, Winnipeg: "A unique combination of wit and wisdom."

Calgary Albertan: "Last night at the Lyric theater Rev. F. W. Patterson gave an interesting lecture entitled 'Self Made Cripples.' The audience followed every word and by their laughter showed that they thoroughly appreciated the humor of the lecturer. The lecture can be called without unduly praising it a very great success."

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15.00	for	9.75

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Shirt Waist Suits in white and colored muslins, lustre, canvas cloth and silk

Regular	Sale	Regular	Sale
4.00	3.00	10.00	7.75
6.50	4.75	12.00	10.25
7.50	5.75	15.00	11.50
8.50	6.25	18.00	14.00

75c DRESS GOODS 25c

6 pieces all wool Dress Goods, 42 inch wide in green, blue and rose, reg. 60c to 75c, Sale..25c

54 in. Tweed Dress Goods in all shades, reg. 1.35 to 1.75, to clear at....95c

SILK WAISTS

Ladies' Silk Waists, in taffeta, peru de soir, laureline and china silk; colors black, white cardinal, navy, brown resida, myrtle, fawn; to clear at..25% discount

6 last season's Silk Waists, regular 5.00 and 5.50, for 3.00

HAT SPECIALS

Men's Linen 75c to 1.00 for.....50c

Men's Straw, 75c to 1.00 for.....50c

5 doz. Men's Crush and Hard Hats in all shades regular from 75c to 4.00, while they last..50c

Millinery

33 1-3 per cent. discount off all ready-to-wear Hats

15 only Black Chiffon Shapes regular price 2.25 to 3.75, to clear.....1.50

33⅓ disc. off WHITEWEAR

Ladies and Children's Whitewear in Gowns, Skirts Drawers and Corset Covers at

1/3

off regular prices

6.50 Boots 3.75

24 pairs Men's American Boots, in Bal and Congress, regular 5.00 to 6.50 to clear, 3.75

24 pairs Men's Congress reg. 3.50 to 5.00, Sale 2.00

MEN'S SUITS & PANTS

50 Tweed and Worsted Suits, 7.50 to 12.00 for.....4.95

50 Tweed and Worsted Suits, 13.50 to 16.00, for.....7.75

Men's Pants 75 pairs Men's Tweed & Serge Pants, reg. 3.00 to 3.75 for 1.95

25 p. c. off all Boys Suits

SALE TERMS: SPOT CASH

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