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THE FINK TICKET

MEN WHO WILL RUN AS ALDERMEN

To the Citizens of Cranbrook:

Notwithstanding my refusal to many personal requests I have, within the past week, received a strong petition signed by almost all the business men and many other citizens requesting me to reconsider the matter and consent to my name being placed in nomination for the mayoralty.

Under such circumstances I have been lead to believe that, perhaps during every man's life, a certain amount of time must be sacrificed in the public interest. I have, therefore, decided to allow my name to be placed in nomination. If elected my policy will be as follows:

The Aldermen elected shall assume an equal portion of responsibility of the administration, the different committees shall be responsible for the faithful performance of their several duties.

The chief of police and fire department shall be held responsible for the satisfactory discharge of their duties and for the efficiency of their departments. I believe that, in the interest of public good, slot machines and gambling should not be tolerated, but otherwise, the city having been conducted in a satisfactory manner during the past year I propose to make no change. I will not, to too great an extent, neglect my own business.

I will not accept office as a supporter of any clique, party or faction but as a plain business man, having in view at all times, the best interest for the advancement of Cranbrook. I will have no committee rooms nor will I ask any person for her or his vote.

As I am confident the citizens are sincere in asking me to make such a sacrifice they will be willing to support good men for aldermen who, if elected, will be willing to support me in carrying out the policy as above outlined.

J. P. Fink.

Dated at Cranbrook, January 6th, 1908.

Much against his own inclination, but doing that which he thought to be to the best interests of Cranbrook, Alderman J. P. Fink has allowed his name to be placed on nomination for the office of mayor. His manifesto, which appears in this issue of the Herald, is clear and distinct. There is no "beating about the bush." It is all fair and above board. Mr. Fink very wisely points out that, if elected, he will expect that the aldermen elected shall assume their share of the responsibility of the government of the city. This is right and for this to be carried out it is necessary that the ratepayers of Cranbrook elect men who are capable and willing to assume these responsibilities. A citizens' ticket will be placed in the field and with the nomination of Mr. Fink as mayor, the following will be nominated as councillors: James Ryan, V. Hyde Baker, Joseph Jackson, George Johnson, P. DeVere Hunt and James Henderson. It would be well for voters to look over the men who comprise this list. James Ryan is a man who from the first day he set foot in Cranbrook has had the welfare of the town at heart. He is a man of business, absolutely honest and has no axe to grind, and further he has been in the council and has that experience behind him.

V. Hyde Baker is the largest property owner in Cranbrook and anything in the interest of this city is more to his interest than any man in it. He has served as a counsellor before and is an eminently suitable man for the position of alderman.

Joseph Jackson has been in the council for two years and three months, and as yet the first word against him as an alderman has to be heard. Mr. Jackson is one of the best aldermen Cranbrook ever had.

George Johnson has been in Cranbrook ever since construction. He is, like Mr. Jackson, in the C. P. R. service and a man of good business ability.

P. DeVere Hunt is a man of unusual business qualities. He has been chairman and delegate for the Brotherhood of Trainmen ever since their lodge was established here. He is an absolutely clean man and a man who has worked and will continue to work for Cranbrook.

James Henderson is a man who will make an excellent alderman. He has developed excellent business qualities and is one who will be independent of any clique or clan.

The great beauty of this ticket is that the men who compose it, like the mayor, are controlled by no clique or party and will be independent in thought and action, and above all will pull together for the best interests of Cranbrook. J. P. Fink says in his manifesto, "I believe in the interests of the public good, slot machines and gambling should not be tolerated, but otherwise, the city having been conducted in a satisfactory manner during the past year I propose to make no change." This plank in Mr. Fink's platform should be eminently satisfactory to all parties. Mr. Fink will have no committee rooms and will ask no voter for his or her vote.

OPERATION IN MID-OCEAN

New York, Dec. 31.—When Christmas eve festivities were at their height on board the steamer Pannonia, in from Mediterranean ports, the Cunard liner was brought to an abrupt stop in order that Dr. J. Fraser Orr, the ship's surgeon might have the most favorable conditions under which to perform an operation for appendicitis. It was just at midnight that a hurry-call came from the steerage and the steamer lay to for one hour while the delicate cutting and stitching was done. The patient, a man passenger, was recovering nicely when the steamer arrived.

THE McBRIDE TICKET

THE NAMES OF THE PROBABLE CANDIDATES

J. D. McBride has been asked by a number of ratepayers to stand for mayor. Last week a committee representing about one hundred ratepayers of Cranbrook who had signed a petition asking J. D. McBride to stand as a candidate for mayor waited upon that gentleman. Mr. McBride stated that he had no desire to be a candidate for any office, but since there had been an expression of such a large proportion of the ratepayers of Cranbrook, he felt that it was his duty to accede to the request made. He further stated to the committee that it would be a personal sacrifice on his part to accept such a nomination, as the performance of the duties of the office of mayor would materially interfere with the management of his business yet he deemed it his duty to accept the tender that had been made to him by so many ratepayers of the city.

A representative of the Herald saw Mr. McBride this afternoon and asked him as to the personnel of the aldermanic ticket that would be running with him. Mr. McBride said: "I have no information as to the make-up of any ticket and cannot give you what you desire. So far as I am concerned I am simply acting at the request of the petition which has been presented and consequently am not a candidate of any clique or faction but simply running because I consider it my duty as a citizen to obey the behest of a request such as was presented to me." Although the Herald is evidently not in the confidence of the element who are arranging for a ticket to be placed in the field in support of Mr. McBride and in consequence has never been advised as to any movements on the part of those interested in that way, yet it has made an honest endeavor to secure the news for the benefit of its readers. A representative of the Herald saw Alderman McCowan this afternoon, who is credited as being the leader of the movement to elect Mr. McBride and an aldermanic ticket to support him. On being asked the names of those who composed this aldermanic ticket, Mr. McCowan said: "There will be a full ticket but I cannot tell you all the names yet. There will be a meeting in a day or two after which I shall know but so far as I know at present J. D. McBride will run for mayor and Messrs. H. Hickenbotham, T. S. Gill, Wm. Flowers, J. J. Kennedy and myself will be on the ballot paper for aldermen."

SIR WILFRID EXPLAINS

The following was published by the Nelson Daily News on Tuesday:

Editor The Daily News: My attention has just been drawn to an editorial in the Victoria Colonist of December 18, and a statement made by the Hon. Richard McBride in a speech to the Young Conservative club of New Westminster, and reported in the Columbian of the 21st instant, both referring to certain words said to have been uttered by me at a public meeting in Ottawa, on December 3rd.

In discussing the views and sentiments of the people of British Columbia, in regard to the Oriental immigration, I am quoted as saying: "You have your views on this question. You are hostile to the immigration of the Oriental races. I do not care for your sentiments, and I believe you are making a mistake."

Had the editor of the Colonist and Mr. McBride, gone farther, and quoted the words immediately following: "but these are your sentiments and I am bound to respect them," it would have at once been apparent that I was misquoted, and that the words which were actually used by me were:

"I do not share in your sentiments."

I would also refer to my speech in the House of Commons, delivered the day immediately preceding (see Hansard, p. 61):

"The people of British Columbia have certain views upon this question. I would not be honest with myself or with them were I to say I share those views, but whilst I do not share them I am bound to respect them. We are bound to see that the views of all people in a free country like this are given respect to."

Yours respectfully,
Wilfrid Laurier,
Ottawa, Dec. 30, 1907.

HANLAN IS DEAD

"Ned" Hanlan, the greatest oarsman the world has ever known, and who made Toronto famous wherever the English tongue is spoken, passed away at 1 o'clock on Monday morning at his residence on Beverley street, Toronto.

He had been ill for eight days with pneumonia. For the last 48 hours he was unconscious.

At the bedside when the end came, were his wife, his sister, Mrs. Lawrence Solman, his daughter, and his sister-in-law, Mrs. Dunning.

It is understood that the city of Toronto will take charge of the funeral and that it will be of a public nature and a well-deserved last tribute to an honored son.

BRAIN LEAKS

(Selected.)

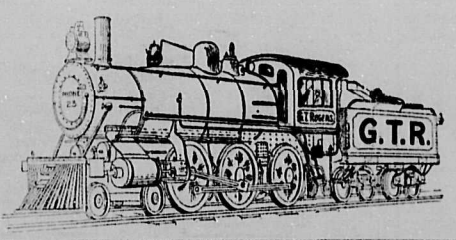
Determination and Doubt never compromise.

A man is always willing to listen when he is in deep trouble.

Some people demand personal liberty and then insist that it is a license.

Our Latest Imports

This week we received from CEYLON direct a consignment of THIRTY FIVE CHESTS OF G. T. R. TEA. These teas range in price from 25c to $2.00 per lb.—G. T. R. SPECIAL BLEND GOLDEN TIPPED PEKOE, per lb., 50c.—G. T. R. CADDY BLEND BROKEN PEKOE 5 lb. boxes, $2.00.—G. T. R. HOTEL BLEND, in 50 and 100 lb chests, per lb, 35c. G. T. R. CAMP BLEND, in 20, 50 and 100 lb chests, 25c.—JACOB'S BISCUITS are still the favorites for afternoon teas. Our latest shipment, direct from the factory in DUBLIN, consists of the usual variety at prices from 25c. to 75c. per lb.—BANQUET CAKES, weighing two pounds, with thick almond icing, $1.75 each.—PHILIPPINE BISCUITS, per box, $1.75.—WATER FLAKE BISCUITS, per box, 75c.



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CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR

I am a candidate for the office of mayor. I shall have no committee rooms nor shall I ask anyone for her or his vote. I will do the best I can for the city of Cranbrook for the next year, if elected.

J. P. Fink.

CANDIDATES FOR ALDERMEN

As a candidate for the office of Alderman I wish to say: that I am governed by no clique or party but will act as my own judgment directs.

James Henderson.

Joseph Jackson will be a candidate for Alderman. He has been a member of the Council for the past two years and if his services during that time have been satisfactory to the ratepayers he asks for their votes and influence.

If you think that I am entitled to another term as Alderman, vote for me, if not, vote against me.

James Ryan.

I am a candidate for Alderman at the forthcoming Municipal Election. If elected I shall use my best efforts for the advancement of the city's best interests.

V. Hyde Baker.

If elected to the office of Alderman I shall do my best for Cranbrook without fear or favor.

George Johnson.

I am in the field as a candidate for the office of Alderman. If elected I shall do all I can to further the interests of our city.

P. DeVere Hunt.

OLIVER WINS IN TORONTO

Toronto, January 2.—At the municipal elections here yesterday, Ex-Ald. Jos. Oliver, was elected mayor by 5,500 majority. Ald. Reginald Geary was in second place. The other candidates were Dr. Beattie Nesbitt, ex-M. P. P., Ex-Ald. Miles Vokes and James Simpson, Socialist. Oliver is a prominent Liberal and Oddfellow.

A bylaw for a two million dollar distribution plant for Niagara power was carried by about 9,000 majority.

It is estimated that it cost anti-power interests twenty thousand dollars in futile efforts to defeat the bylaw.

For the board of control H. C. Hocken, J. J. Ward, W. S. Harrison and F. S. Spence were elected. The first three were re-elected. Spence sat on the board for some years but was not in municipal politics last year. Controller Hubbard, the colored man, who has held office for years was defeated. Spence, Ward and Harrison are Liberals and Hocken, a Conservative. Last year's board of control had only two Liberals, this year there are four.

CANADA'S ROYAL MINT OPEN

Ottawa, Jan. 2.—The Canadian branch of the Royal Mint was opened by Earl Grey this afternoon. Two hundred persons were received in the main hall by the deputy master, Dr. Bonar. After the opening speech of the governor general, Hon. W. S. Fielding directed matters.

Earl Grey lifted the lever of the stamping mill fixed for silver 50 cent pieces and the first half dollar coined in Canada, bearing date of 1908, dropped out and was presented to the governor general. Countess Grey then started the mechanism of the mill set for copper one cent pieces and received the one she had made. Other copper pieces were then made and presented to the visitors. It is announced that there will be a refinery constructed in connection with the mint.

MULLEN ARRESTED

Operator Mullen, the operator at Pincher, who is blamed for causing the wreck which occurred at Brockett Siding last month, and who disappeared after the wreck, was arrested by the R. N. W. M. P. on Tuesday at a ranch about six miles south of Lundbreck. He is held at the police barracks at Macleod.

COME! COME!! COME!!!

A most important meeting of the congregation of Christ church will be held at the church on Monday evening next at 8 p.m. Let none be absent. Men and women, come!

E. P. Flewelling, rector.

COAST WIRELESS STATIONS WORKING

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 1.—Three wireless telegraph stations out of the five erected by the Dominion government in British Columbia, are now in communication with each other, the Pachena station on the west coast of Vancouver island, near the scene of the terrible Valencia wreck, having successfully exchanged messages with that at Gonzales Hill, Victoria.

The Pachlena station was completed two weeks ago, but did not at once send messages to Victoria. While the instruments were being adjusted a report was circulated to the effect that the two stations could not communicate on account of the mountainous character of the intervening country. This proved to be entirely erroneous, however, as a few hours after the story was circulated, Superintendent Haughton, of the Gonzales Hill station, received the first message from the west coast operators expressing congratulations at the establishment of communication.

The Dominion government has now in operation wireless stations at Victoria, Pachena Point, both on Vancouver Island, and Point Grey, on the mainland, near Vancouver. Two more stations, both on this island, at Estevan and Cape Lazo, are completed and will be working within a week or two. Already the operating stations have proved valuable, communication with the mainland having been maintained when the regular telegraph service was deranged by the recent storms. Reports have also been received from the vessels of the Pacific Coast Steamship company's fleet, running between Victoria, Puget Sound and San Francisco, which have proved of great value to shipping men.

As the C. P. R. steamships and other vessels sailing from these waters to the Orient, are to be equipped with wireless apparatus shortly, the utility of the government's service will soon be demonstrated on a larger scale.

The system used on the government stations is the Shoemaker, which can communicate with any other system. The stations have, up to the present, given complete satisfaction and their value in case of emergency as well as in times of quiet, is already realized by those connected with marine matters on this coast.

A GREAT COAL COUNTRY

C. P. Hill, the coal baron of Hillcrest, Alberta, spent a few hours in Cranbrook today. Mr. Hill is of the opinion that Hillcrest is destined to become the commercial center of a very large area of coal producing country. A new hotel, containing 40 rooms and steam heated and electric lighted, was turned over to Mr. Hill today by the contractor, completed. Within a distance of three quarters of a mile from the door of this hotel there are fine producing coal mines. The main entrance to the Frank mine is three quarters of a mile distant, the Bellevue mine is only half a mile away, the Maple Leaf lies three-quarters of a mile to the west, the Leitch collieries three quarters of a mile to the east, and the Hillcrest mine is within half a mile. The Hillcreast mines, of which Mr. Hill is managing director, are producing 700 tons of coal per day. This coal is of exceptionally good quality as a steam coal, and the C. P. R. is using it on their passenger trains. Five hundred thousand dollars have been expended on developing this mine and, Mr. Hill tells the Herald five hundred thousand more will be expended during the next year or two in building cottages and in other improvements. C. P. Hill is a man who has done much to develope the resources of southern British Columbia and Alberta. He is a pleasant gentleman to meet and an all round good business man and with all a good fellow.

PEARSON BUYS THE LONDON TIMES

London, Jan. 6.—The London Times has passed from the control of the Walter family, which has owned it and conducted it for three generations, since it was first established. Arthur Pearson, one of two journalistic magnates of London, has secured the newspaper. A company has been formed with Mr. Pearson as managing director. He will assume the active management of the paper. Arthur Walter, president of the old company, becomes chairman of the board of directors of the new company. The announcement of this change will be made public in London tomorrow.

EFFICIENT POLICE

That Cranbrook is one of the most orderly towns in the west everybody admits and this is due, in no small way, to the city police force. Serious crime is practically unknown and petty offences on the police magistrates docket are few and far between. Harsh measures have very seldom to be resorted to, but tact and common sense take the place of the club and handcuffs. Chief Cory Dow is a natural born policeman and has had years of experience, not only as chief of police for this city but also on the provincial force. Officer D. McLean has been on the city force ever since incorporation and is a favorite with everybody. A courteous gentleman at all times and a first-class officer. G. Moore, who is in charge of the city lockup, although he has been on the force only a short time, has shown himself to be the right man in the right place. The people of Cranbrook are proud of their city and its orderliness and this same orderliness reflects great credit on the city police force.

CORBIN WILL OPERATE EAST KOOTENAY COAL

If all goes well with the application of the company known as the Eastern B. C. railway company for permission to build a railway, the first ten miles of which will run from the Crows Nest Pass to the Loop, British Columbia, will within a few months have another big producing coal company, says the Victoria Colonist. An intimation that the company will apply for incorporation at the next session of parliament has appeared for the last few weeks in the British Columbia Gazette.

It now transpires that back of the company is D. C. Corbin, the well known capitalist and railway man of Spokane.

Mr. Corbin has in Eastern Kootenay some 17 coal measures. J. A. Harvey, legal adviser to Mr. Corbin has been in the city closing up the details which transform the leases into patented claims. In all Mr. Corbin will have over 10,000 acres of coal lands in the district and hence the importance of the construction of the railway mentioned as it will tap the country where the above coal measures lie.

The bill came up at the last session of the provincial legislature but was killed in committee.

REBEKAHS INSTALL OFFICERS

The Maple Leaf Rebekah lodge installed officers last Wednesday evening as follows:

N. G.—Mrs. R. S. McLean.
V. G.—Mrs. T. S. Gill.
R. S.—Miss Johnston.
F. S.—Miss Hall.
Treas.Miss Tannhauser.
Chaplain—Mrs. F. E. Simpson.
Conductor—Mrs. C. Smith.
Warden—Mrs. W. B. McFarlane.
I. G.—Mrs. Beaton.
O. G.—P. T. Hayward.
R. S. N. G.—Y. E. Beaton.
L. S. N. G.—Miss E. McKay.
R. S. V. G.—Mrs. S. Richards.
L. S. V. G.—Mrs. J. Ryan.
R. S. S.—Miss Eakins.
L. S. S.—Miss Speers.

Mrs. H. Y. Parker is the retiring noble grand. The official work of installation was in charge of Mrs. P. Dingman, the district deputy.

CLOSES ONE DOOR

Ottawa, Jan. 8.—The interior department is drawing up regulations which will require that all emigrants seeking admission to Canada must come to this country direct from their place of birth or their country of citizenship. This will apply both to Atlantic and Pacific and will put an end to the emigration of Japanese from Honolulu to British Columbia.

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HAVE A CLEAN ELECTION

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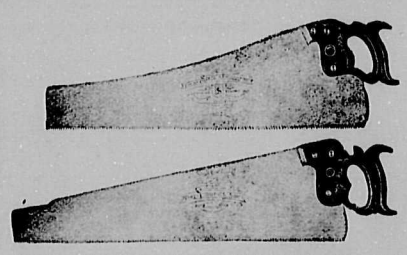

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THE EAGLES' SMOKER

The new Edison theatre was filled with Eagles and their friends last Friday evening and a magnificent time was spent by all those who were lucky enough to be present. The Eagles are birds who know what real hospitality is, as was evidenced by the bountiful supply of both solid and liquid refreshments which graced the board. About 9 o'clock, J. Edgar Davis, the chairman, gave a short address of welcome and finished by proposing the toast of the King, which was drunk with musical honors. A musical selection was next rendered on the piano by Prof. Clarence Washington. Then F. W. Reeves sang a couple of songs in his usual splendid style. The next number on the programme was a recitation by James Bates. He gave "Marshall's new piano," and as an encore "The Sermon in Barkerville." A banjo and mandolin selection by Messrs. Stewart, Lewis and Stewart followed and was much enjoyed. George Foster-Thomas sang some songs in that inimitable way that is all his own. The Edison company then put on some moving pictures and it may be said that if they keep up the standard they set on Friday night they will draw big audiences in Cranbrook. The toast of South East Kootenay was then proposed by the chairman and responded to by F. E. Simpson. Next was a selection on the piano by the McHenry orchestra. F. W. Reeves sang again and Mr. Downing introduced his one man band, after which the toast "our guests" was proposed and replied to by Messrs. McLean and Thos. Cole. John Hutchison gave a monologue, and supper was served while music was rendered by Prof. Washington and the McHenry orchestra. Following supper Stewart, Lewis and Stewart gave further selections on the banjos and mandolin after which the toast "our order" was drunk and replied to by Messrs. C. Smith and C. Knocke. Both these gentlemen made very interesting remarks, touching the inception and the work of the order of Eagles, which were listened to with much attention by those present. A zylophone selection by Prof. Washington followed and then the Eaglet, Master Lincoln Smith, sang a song much to the delight of the audience. More moving pictures, a song by W. E. Worden, a piano and violin duet by Messrs. Washington and Laing, a song by Alex. Black and the toast of "the ladies," replied to by George Foster-Thomas, followed. F. W. Reeves sang "Soldiers of the King" and moved a vote of thanks to the hosts. The singing of "God Save the King" and "Auld Lang Syne" brought the proceedings to a close at—well, it was before daylight. A novel feature of the programme was an impromptu speech by Mr. D. Elmer, who displayed a beautiful silken flag bearing the rents of shot and shell. The flag had been made by the great grandmother of Mr. Elmer, about the year 1846. The unrehersed speech of Mr. Elmer coupled with the display of the flag brought out the call for the "Soldiers of the King," which was sung amid great enthusiasm.

Too much cannot be said in praise of the manner in which the committee, consisting of J. E. Davis, C. Smith, C. Knocke, Thos. Cole, Foster Thomas, A. Shean, F. VanDecar, W. O'Hearn and G. Downs, carried out the programme. J. E. Davis makes an ideal chairman, as everybody knows who has heard his ready run of wit. The Eagles are to be congratulated upon the splendid entertainment they gave.

BOOKS ON CIVILIZATION

How lonely we feel sometimes when we find ourselves agreeing with the old bitter jest that our acquaintances would fill a church but that our friends could be amply accommodated in the pulpit. Yet we have other friends, our books. A very small sum serves to introduce them to us, after which they cost us nothing. They are grave or gay as we choose. They are not insulted if we cut them, but on the other hand open out to us more and more; the fumes of tobacco are good for them so that our favorite pipe may be with us when we call them to our council. They do not expect us to wear good clothes, our oldest and most disreputable smoking jacket is good enough for them; nay, they condescend to come to our bed chamber audience. They are our courtiers, our jesters, our counsellors—yes, often our censors, but their reproofs carry with them no sting. We, even we who may be of no account, can at will, through the magic of the printing office sit among the gods and bid them discourse. Ah, there they are upon their rough wooden shelf as ragged as Falstaff's army, but with what hearts of gold. We have only to take one down and the snow drifts melt away, we forget our poverty, our loneliness, ourselves and we sit in the courts of kings. How they carry civilization to the four corners of the earth, so that the dwellers in the frozen arctic, or the wanderer in Central Africa can walk in fancy down the "sweet shady side of Pall Mall," or bask in the sunshine of the Mediterranean. You may remember the exqusite lines of Bret Heart's:

"The fir trees gather closed in the shadows
Listening in every spray,
While the whole camp with Nell in English meadows
Wandered and lost their way.

By means of books we converse with the wise of all ages, and get their most careful considered and weighty thoughts. By means of printed matter man gets in touch with man and old prejudices and abuses die away. Civilization has ever followed the printing press and the more civilized a country becomes the more do the people of that country read and the broader minded they become.

SUPERINTENDENT S MEET

Today there was held at Medicine Hat a meeting of the Canadian Pacific railway superintendents and officials of that portion of the railway west of the great lakes. The convention is called to discuss railway matters. Some twenty superintendents are present. Mayor Cousins has tendered, on behalf of the citizens, the use of the city hall for the conference. This is one of the most important gatherings of railway officials ever held in the west, and Medicine Hat is honored at being chosen the place of meeting.—Medicine Hat News.

A RIGHT BONNIE PLAY IT WAS

A good house greeted the beautiful play "The Bonnie Brier Bush," on Saturday night. The story of Scottish life, so pathetically told by Ian Maclaren, was extremely well portrayed by the company who presented the play. Evidently the Scotch element was there in force, for the gestures, accent, the piper and the reel, all appealed to the audience, and many tears were surreptitiously wiped away as the story of Flora Campbell flowed on and smiles replaced the tears when the denouement proved Lord Hay the gallant lover. J. Palmer Collins, as Lachlan Campbell, was splendid. He is a fine old man and his silent acting in that part of the play where he arases his daughter's name from the Bible and puts the light in the window will not soon be forgotten by those who saw it. The "Posty" of Ward E. Ranselier was exceptionally clever. Miss Maggie McCann's Scottish songs were appreciated, her rendering of "Loch Lomand" and "Come Under My Pladdie," were particularly good. The rest of the company were good and furnished excellent support to the principals. The Bonnie Brier Bush "caught on" with the people of Cranbrook and if this company books a return engagement they can pack the opera house.

The cast of characters was as follows:

Earl Kilspindie ..... Mr. Frederick Beichert
Lord Hay ... Mr. Daniel Jarret, Jr.
Rev. John Carmichael ..... Mr. Walter Scott Weeks
William McLure...Mr. Robert Ireland
Flora Campbell ..... Miss Marion McDonald
Tammas Mitchell ..... Mr. William J. Casey
Annie ..... Miss Ann Caird
Archibald McKittrick, known as "Posty" ..... Mr. Ward E. Ranselier
Sandy McPherson ..... Mr. Neil McDonald
Geordie ..... Miss Flora Bennet
Jennie ..... Miss Winnie Bennet
Margaret Howe ..... Miss Elizabeth Bennet
Kate Carnegie ..... Miss Adelaide Matthews

Harvesters:

Jack Anderson...Mr. Jack Theopulus
Watty McDougall ..... Mr. Stanley Morse
Alex Dimmouth..... Mr. George Murray
Kenneth Mackenzie ..... Mr. Julius W. Baier
LACHLAN CAMPBELL ..... Mr. J. Palmer Collins

BRYAN'S BIG EARNINGS

Washington, Dec. 28.—According to the report of his agents, just made public, William Jennings Bryan is making about $50,000 a year from his lectures. Charles L. Wagner, secretary of the Slayton Lyceum bureau, which manages his lecture tours, tells that he has filled 174 dates during the year 1907, and that his receipts for the season have averaged more than $300 for each appearance. Mr. Bryan stands at the head of the list of platform speakers today for the size of his audiences, for the receipts at the box office, and for the demand for his appearance.

"Mr. Bryan's regular charge at Chatauquas," said Mr. Wagner, "is the first $250 taken at the gate and half of all the receipts over $500, not including season tickets. He is the only man who can make such a liberal contract. For evening lectures in a course he charges $200 cash as a guarantee and half of all receipts at the door. For single evening lectures not in a regular course he asks half the gross receipts.

"His average for the season under these terms has been more than $300 a lecture, and he has probably filled 175 dates under our management without including his political speeches. He started out on the 6th of January last and spoke almost every day until September 10, frequently twice daily, and once during tge summer three times, morning, afternoon and evening, in three different towns in Iowa. In addition to these he has made a large number of political speeches. During the year he has spoken at conventions, banquets, college commencements, Y. M. C. A. and church meetings, and on other occasions without a fee, of which I have kept no record.

"Mr. Bryan uses a special form of contract prepared by himself, which differs from the contracts of all other lecturer. The chief features of his contract are the stipulation that the general admittance to his lectures shall not exceed fifty cents; that he will not lecture under individual management or where the profits go to individuals.

"The greatest indoor audience Mr. Bryan ever had was at Seattle last January, where he delivered "The Prince of Peace" to about 8,000 people and his receipts were over $2,000."

CARRIED KNIVES A FOOT LONG

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 2.—Three city firemen, named Frost, Anderson and MacDonald, were set upon by a small mob of armed Japanese, early this morning and left for dead at the corner of Powell street and Gore avenue, two blocks from the police station. The men were clothed in distinctive uniforms which makes the attack of the Japanese all the more serious. By accident Frost fell against the window of a Japanese store breaking the plate glass. Instantly the proprietor rushed out and many of his countrymen came to join in the fight, which happened in the heart of the Japanese district.

The firemen were athletic young men but were overpowered after fighting hard. The flesh on their faces was torn into ribbons by the razor like knives the Orientals carry. Frost was probably mortally injured, his neck being cut and slashed, and laid open for four inches long and two inches deep alongside the jugular vein. The men were frightfully mangled about the arms and breasts, but McDonald and Allan were still fighting over the body of Frost when a squad of police arrived.

Four Japanese were arrested and the three firemen were taken to the hospital. The Japanese fought like demons and some carried knives a foot long.

OLD COUNTRY NEWS

INTERESTING ITEMS

In the hope of keeping the right sort of men on the land, Sir John Amecy, the largest landowner in the Tiverton district of Devon, has intimated that he will meet all requirements for small holdings.

A man summoned at North London police court for not sending his daughter to school said this was his twenty-first child, and it was the first time he had been summoned. The summons was adjourned.

In connection with the sixty years' jubilee of his accession the Emperor Francis Joseph has granted amnesties to a number of men who failed or delayed to report themselves for military service.

Father Bernard Vaughan's appeal at Farm street on behalf of the Uganda missionaries drew a considerable amount of jewelry into the plate. Necklaces, rings, and trinkets were noticed among the silver and gold.

At Birmingham assizes Joseph McHugh was sentenced to five years' penal servitude for impersonating the next of kin of Thomas Louis Carton, and obtaining £86 from the war office by fraud. In a second case he obtained £116.

The North German Lloyd announces that the second cabin rates on their New York to Paris steamers has been reduced from £11 to £9 16s., and the rates to Bremen from £10 to £8 12d. In the slower steamers the second cabin rates to Bremen are £7.

Mr. William Nightingale, a retired butler, of Hove, left an estate valued at £1,105. By his will he left a Tennyson memorial with autograph to Sir Edwin Durning-Lawrence, lately M. P. for the Truro division of Cornwall, and twenty pieces of old china to Lady Durning Lawrence.

Sir Charles Dilke, M. P., pleaded recently at the rooms of Society of Arts for the establishment of a statistical department, which would resolve order out o the present chaos. Each department of state should hand over its data to a central department, so that the great growth of statistics might be dealt with scientifically.

The district auditor has questioned the legality of an expenditure of 13s. quarterly by the Poplar Guardians in providing the inmates of their workhouse with Sunday papers. Consequently the Guardians are appealing to the local government board for sanction to the expenditure of 1s. per week for this purpose.

Mr. T. Goodman, rural postman of Carborne, Cornwall, who has just been awarded the Imperial Service Medal by the King, has completed over forty years service, during which time he has walked over 230,000 miles. He walked for twelve years without a break, including Sundays, a round of sixteen miles per day. A late attendance was nev recorded against him.

A juryman during the hearing of the police perjury case at Old Bailey complained of a headache, and Mr. R. D. Muir said it was a peculiarity of the courts that their feet were frozen and their heads were boiled. The recorder remarked that they suffered from a system of compressed air like that of a diving bell.

An application for a commitment order against the Rev. A. G. Prichard, a passive resister, who was in ears to the extent of 1s. 1. on two rates was granted at East Ham police court. The magistrate ordered one day's imprisonment in each The recorded remarked that they suf- Pritchard, who occupied a seat at the solicitor's table, was allowed to go at the close of the day's business.

Captain Sydney C. Birch, who served over five years in the ranks before getting his first commission in the 1st Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry—now at Woolwich—has been selected for the adjutancy of the 2nd Volunteer Battalion Northumberland Fusiliers. He was specially promoted from India to the "Fighting Fifth" in South Africa during the Boer war.

Mr. Cornelius Lundie, of Cardiff, is the oldest railway director living. He is in his 95th year, and takes an active part in promoting the interests of the Rhymney railway, from the general management of which he retired only a few years ago. He is proud of the fact that he has talked to Sir Walter Scott. Mr. Lundie was born at Kelso, where Scott received his early education, and the future novelist was a frequent visitor at the manse where the Lundie family resided.

In the Middle Ages Caversham, on the Oxfordshire side of the Thames (now virtually a suberb of Reading), was a popular place of pilgrimage, owing to its shrine and famous relics, and to a holy well, whose waters were held in repute for their healing powers. This well has been re-discovered on Priest Hill, and Dr. J. B. Hurry, a local antiquary, will now secure its preservation and erect a memorial there in the form of a marble tablet, with an inscription and an ornamental seat.

CANADIAN MINING INSTITUTE

Notice of Meeting

On January 15th at 2 p.m. there will be convened at Nelson, B. C., a meeting of the western members of the Canadian Mining Institute for the purpose of forming a western branch of the institute, and also for the reading and discussing of papers. The Canadian Pacific railway will sell reduced rate tickets to Nelson and return to members and their wives when accompanying them.

All members who expect to attend the meeting should at once notify Mr. J. J. Campbell at Nelson, who together with other Nelson members is looking after hotel accommodations, etc.

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Commencing at a post planted at he south-west corner of a post marked Timber Limit 6214, thence north 80 chains, thence west 60 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 60 chains, to point of commencement.

Henry F. Landeck, Locator,
Eathen W. Butts, Agent.

Dated at Gateway, B. C., December 5th, 1907. 88-6t

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THE TRUE WIFE

Oftentimes we have seen a tall ship glide up against the tide as if drawn by some invisible bow-line, with a hundred strong arms pulling it. Her sails were unfilled, her streamers were all drooping, she had neither side-wheel nor stern-wheel, still she moved on stately, in serene triumph, as with her own life. But we knew that on the other side of the ship, hidden beneath the great bulk that swam so majestically, there was a little toilsome steam tug, with a heart of fire, and arms of iron, that was tugging it bravely on; and we knew that if the little steam tug untwined her arms and left the ship it would wallow and roll about, and drift hither and thither, and go off with the refluent tide no man knows where. And so we have known more than one genius, high-deck, full-freighted, idle-sailed, but that for the bare, toiling arms, and brave, warm-beating heart of the faithful little wife that nestles close to him, would have gone down with the stream, and have been heard of no more.

DO IT YOURSELF

Do not ask the teacher or some class-mate to solve that hard problem. Do it yourself. You might as well let him eat your dinner as "do your sums" for you. It is in studying as in eating; he who does it gets the benefit, and not he who sees it done. In almost any school, the teacher learns more than the best scholars, simply because the teacher is compelled to solve all the difficult problems and answer all the questions of the indolent pupils. Do it yourself. Never mind though they do look dark. Do not ask even a hint from anyone. Try again. Every trial increases your ability and you will finally succeed by dint of the very wisdom and strength gained in the effort, even though, at first, the problem was beyond your skill. It is the study, and not the answer, that really rewards your labor. Look at that boy who has just succeeded, after four hours of hard study. How his large eye is lit up with a proud joy as he marches to his class! He treads like a conqurer, and well he may. Last night his lamp burned low and this morning he waked at dawn. Once or twice he nearly gave it up. He had tried his last thought; but a new thought strikes him, and he ponders the last process. He tries once more, and succeeds; and now mark the air of conscious strength with which he pronounces his demonstration. His paor, weak schoolmate, who gave up that same problem after his first trial, now looks up to him with something of a wonder, as a superior being. And he is his superior. That problem lies there, a great gulf between those boys who stood side by side yesterday. The boy who did it for himself has taken a stride upward, and what is better still, has gained strength to take other and better ones. The boy who waited to see others do it, has lost both strength and courage and is already looking for some good excuse to give up school and study forever. Do it yourself. Remember the council given to the artist, who lay reclining upon his couch, and wondering what the fates would work out for him. Directing his attention to a block of unhewn marble, with a chisel lying by its side, the sculptor in the vision is represented as thus addressing him:

"There's the marble, there's the chisel,
Take it, work it to thy will;
Thou alone must shape the future,
Heaven send the strength and skill."

THE HONEYMOON

Few will admit that they need any advice in the honeymoon; fewer still will take it. Most young people think: "Well, it is hard if we may not be left to ourselves at such a season!" And yet, perhaps, if we took the experience of the many on this subject, they would admit that the honeymoon has been the time of all others when they have been the least able to help themselves.

Is it too much to say that during those two months the happiness or the misery of two young lives is very nearly settled. Well, perhaps that is too much to say, for errors and misconceptions may be lived down, and habits may be formed or broken after the honeymoon, in the course of years. But still much is often decided, we will not say in the first few months, but even in the first few days. Little things are decided in little ways, and neither understand that "it is the little rift within the lover's lute" that has begun to show even on the first day.

Patience on both sides is needed—but especially on the man's side, for he is the stronger vessel, and knows life. At the bottom of her heart his young wife wants to please him; but she cannot bear him out of her sight—he must account for every moment. His ways are incomprehensible. Why does he want to go out for an hour after dinner for a stroll? Why does he prefer spending an hour or two down stairs with an old friend at night to going up into the drawing-room. Why does he *want to see the papers at the club.* instead of going out, after a hard day in the city, for a little shopping? Man is a mystery to many a young girl for the first few months after marriage. She has not learned that a man's interests are and must be various.

We hear a good deal about incompatibility of temper—we believe very little in it. The sexes are almost indefinitely plastic. People quarrel more from errors of judgment than from any other cause. You can live with anybody if you understand him, providing you mean well, have a decent heart, and are willing to be patient and to make some sacrifices for love.

Newly-married women are, no doubt, very trying sometimes to their husbands; but it is the fault more of their social training and the want of education than anything else. Men should remember how much a girl has to learn, and how much, alas, most men have to unlearn, when they first begin the married life. We venture to say that if all newly-married couples were to make a contract not to quarrel for six months they would seldom have any very serious quarrels in after life.

You can get into the habit of living peacefully and happily, and that habit is quite as difficult to break as any habit we know of. Let there be no long poutings; let there be no long, careless, *indifferent fits.* If little storms arise—and they will arise—let them be brief. Don't let us sleep over it, and wake up the next morning and cudgel our brains to remember who nagged last. This kind of thing is mean, it is ungenerous and it is silly.

WHAT HAS HE MADE?

We note that the metropolitan papers report that one of our wealthy men so well managed his fortune of twenty million as to double it in three years. Suppose he has, what then? What has he made by thus increasing his wealth, except increased worriment to keep the run of his increased wealth? With his increased wealth he eats no more quail and turkey than he did when worth ten millions. He dresses no better and has a thousand times less fun. We beat him on the sleep and have no law suits with tenants and trespassers. Robbers lay for him every time he goes out of doors after dark. They don't think of us. The man with sixty millions of dollars has sixty millions of troubles. To keep the run of his rents, bonds and real estates keeps him at hard work fourteen hours a day and yet he only gets three meals a day, which is just what we obtain without any millions, any tenants and only have to work eight hours a day to credit up all who pay their subscription.

If men's happiness increased with their money, everyhody should be jkstified in worshipping the golden calf. The happiness increases with their earnings up to a certain point—the point necessary to secure them the comforts of life, say $2,000 a year. All beyond this is superfluous. Being superfluous it is productive of no good whatever. The richer the man the greater is the probability that his sons will live on billiards and die in the inebriate asylum. With contentment and $2,000 a year a man may be as happy as a prince. Without contentment you will be miserable, even if your wealth equals that of Morgan or Carnegie.

A GOOD DAUGHTER

There are other ministers of love more conspicuous than she, but none in which a gentler, lovelier spirit dwells, and none to which the heart's warm requitals more joyfully respond. She is the steady light of her father's house. Her ideal is indissolubly connected with that of his fireside. She is his morning sunlight and his evening star. The grace, vivacity and tenderness of her sex have their place in the mighty sway which she holds over his spirit. She is the pride and ornament of his hospitality, and the gentle nurse of his sickness. Fortunate is the home in which is a good daughter.

A Low-Bred Woman: One who stays at home, takes care of her children, and never meddles with the business of her neighbors. Species almost extinct.

Charming Man: A fellow who has a bow and a smile for everybody abroad, and beats his wife at home.

CRANBROOK CITY BAND

The Cranbrook city band have secured "Bob" Smith, the messenger of mirth, for an entertainment to be given next Tuesday, the 14th, at the new opera house. Bob Smith, who only landed on Canadian soil some four months ago on his mission of good cheer and good will to mankind, is said to be one of the best monologists and reciters who ever came out of the Sunny South to appear in the northwest. The Cranbrook city band is now under the direction of Mr. J. Austin. Mr. Austin is a thorough musician. He got his early training in the band of the 60th regiment of the British army, the rifle brigade. Mr. Austin was bandmaster of the famous Sarnia band in the late seventies. This band took the first prize at the International contest at Port Huron, Mich., in 1882. In 1883 he conducted the Artillery Volunteer band at Victoria, B. C., and later he was in charge of the Nelson city band. He comes to Cranbrook from Moscow, Idaho, *where he has been* in charge of the band for the last five years. It is the intention of the Cranbrook band to give weekly open air concerts during the summer months with which in view practices are already in progress. There are 14 pieces in the band at present and these will be added to from time to time as Mr. Austin's pupils become proficient. If the Cranbrook city band receives the support of the citizens Mr. Austin assures the Herald that he will give Cranbrook one of the best bands in the province. The entertainment on the 14th is under the auspices of the band and it is to be hoped that they will get a good house.

SANFORD DODGE COMPANY

The universal dramatic favorite, Mr. Sanford Dodge and a remarkably talented company will play an engagement in this city on January 17 and 18th. This is Mr. Dodge's tenth annual tour during which time he has produced all of the popular Shakespearian, classic and romantic dramatic masterpieces. He is one of the few actors now living whose aim is to keep and maintain the best traditions of the stage by producing only such plays as improve and ennoble those who see them presented rather than to demoralize and degrade, in other words the influence of Mr. Dodge's dramatic work has been always for good rather than evil and for this reason he should be supported by those who desire to see the stage uplifted and elevated rather than demoralized and degraded. Mr. Dodge has an extensive repertoire this season consisting of "The Three Muskateers," "The Royal Rival," "The Merchant of Venice," "Ingomar," "Damon and Pythias," "Romeo and Juliet" and others. Each and every one of these plays will be given with every attention to detail, costuming, accessives and scenic investure.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

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THE CAPTAIN THOUGHTFUL AS USUAL

(From the Golden Star.)

On Friday afternoon the children of Golden were the guests of Capt. Armstrong. They gathered at the bank at about 2 o'clock in response to his invitation. There a number of sleighs met them and they were taken through the streets of the town, round the mill, and to other places of interest. Candies and oranges were distributed with marked prodigality and judging by the noise the youngsters made all along the route they *enjoyed themselves immensely.* Little Miss Carpenter received the prize, a performing monkey, for creating the most uproar. The outing was concluded with by the singing of God Save the King and three hearty cheers for the "Captain."

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

DISTRICT OF SOUTHERN DIVISION, EAST KOOTENAY

Take notice that Allan G. Wilmot, of Cranbrook, B. C., occupation, Accountant, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north-west corner of Lot 358, thence running north 45 chains, more or less, thence east 46 chains, more or less, thence south 9 chains, more or less, thence east 80 chains, more or less, thence south 36 chains, more or less, to the corner of Lot 358, thence west 126 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Allan G. Wilmot.
Dated December 12th, 1907. 42-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

DISTRICT OF EAST KOOTENAY, SOUTHERN DIVISION

Take notice that George Herbert Thompson, of Cranbrook, B. C., occupation, Solicitor, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted adjacent to and in a northerly direction from the north-west corner of Lot 7317, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 10 chains, thence east 40 chains to the place of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

George Herbert Thompson.
Dated December 16th, 1907. 42-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

DISTRICT OF SOUTH-EAST KOOTENAY

Take notice that Abel Delaney Horsman, of Cranbrook, B. C., occupation, Tie Maker, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a point eighty chains north and 20 chains west and in a north-westerly direction from the north-west corner of Timber Limit 9033, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

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CIRCULATION STATEMENT

I, F. E. Simpson, manager of the *Cranbrook Herald, do hereby state* that the pressman's books show, an that I have every reason to believe that the circulation of the Herald for the past five months has been 24,2, copies, divided as follows:

July	4,460
August	4,830
September	4,485
October	5,975
November	4,520
Total	24,270
Average per month	4,854

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of December, 1907, at Cranbrook, B. C.

John Hutchison,
A notary public in and for the County of Kootenay, British Columbia.

OBSERVATIONS
BY THE OLD MAN.

The voters of Cranbrook are the guardians of the city in exactly the same way as the managers of a business are guardians of the welfare of that business. Because an individual is a "good fellow" it is no guarantee that he is either a good business man or a man suitable to hold an office which pertains to the conduct of the affairs of the city. Because a man is not adapted to the business of holding office in a public capacity is no reflection whatever *upon that man's worth along other* lines. Every man has his natural bent and there is no good reason for "putting a square peg in a round hole." It is just a matter of cold business; personal likes and dislikes must be laid on one side and men to fill the positions on the city council must be selected who, by reason of their business capacity and executive ability, are suited to these offices. Prejudice must be abandoned, personal feeling must be forgotten, narrowness must be trodden underfoot and broad-mindedness must be the watchword if the people of Cranbrook are to have a set of city officers worthy of the city and the people. Every property owner, every business man, every clerk or other employe is interested in the progress of Cranbrook. What we want for the next year is a municipal policy that will mean prosperity for the town, a policy that will mean continued business and continued opportunities for all. Can you get it by electing men who have narrow ideas as to the management of the city's affairs? That is for the people to decide. The Herald editor has the greatest personal respect for the candidates on what is known as the McBride ticket, but he does not think they are the right men to promote the prosperity of Cranbrook. The Herald editor has spent many hundred dollars during the last nine years for anything that would tend to advance the interests of this city, and feels at liberty to express his opinion upon matters pertaining to the progress of the city. He has all that he possesses in Cranbrook and is working therefore for what he believes is the best for the city. That is why the Herald wishes to see J. P. Fink elected mayor and all of the aldermen on his ticket. Such a result means prosperity for Cranbrook. We all want prosperity and let us work and vote for it.

When you cast your vote, cast it for men who have the city's welfare at heart.

If you were going to place your business in the hands of others to run for a year, you would be careful. Be equally careful in selectin the men to run the business of Cranbrook this year.

A rumor has been published in some newspapers to the effect that the Lethbridge Herald had suspended publication. This is a mistake. It was the Lethbridge Daily News that suspended; this was a foregone conclusion when a paper like the Lethbridge Daily Herald was published. Instead of suspending the Lethbridge Herald is very much "alive and kicking," and is getting stronger every day, both in the matter of circulation and the quality of its reading matter. It is one of the best daily newspapers published on the American continent in a town the size of Lethbridge.

Any man who is requested by 60 business men in a town the size of Cranbrook to run for mayor, has only one thing to do, and that is to obey that command. J. P. Fink received that kind of a demand from the business element of this city and as a loyal citizen he had to obey it. Perhaps no man in a town of this size has ever received such a universal endorsement and his election is a foregone conclusion.

J. D. McBride is one of the best business men in East Kootenay, but he cannot be elected for mayor simply for the fact that he is being backed by an element that the people of this town will not stand for.

Have you read the ticket with J. P. Fink for mayor and the men who are backing him up for aldermen? If not you should. They are the men who don't want office but whom the people demand shall act. That is a good sign.

Speaking of J. P. Fink for mayor, **has there ever been** a man who has **made more personal** sacrifices for the **good of the town** than that gentleman? **As alderman** and as fire chief **he has shown himself** to be a man **who was absolutely** committed to the **interests of Cranbrook**. Time and **time again he has** even neglected his **own business to do** work for the **advancement of Cranbrook**, and really **such a man is entitled** to every **vote in the city for** the position of **mayor.**

One strange thing about this municipal campaign is the fact that every man on the citizens' ticket, from J. P. Fink, as mayor, down to the last alderman, had to be urged to consent to run. None of them wanted the position, all of them were anxious to see the very best thing done for Cranbrook. There was no caucus on their part to see if they could become candidates, there was no scheming to get their names before the public, but on the contrary none of them were desirous of accepting nomination. That is really the beauty of ticket and shows on its face that when they are elected, which they surely will be, they will leave nothing undone to advance the very best interests of Cranbrook.

If you want to protect your home and increase the value of your property, vote for J. P. Fink for mayor and the following men for aldermen: Jas. Ryan, V. Hyde Baker, Joseph Jackson, George Johnson, James Henderson and P. DeVere Hunt.

What the people of Cranbrook demand is a decent town, a clean town, a town that all can be proud of. The old timers in Cranbrook, those who have been here for years and who have spent their money and their time to make Cranbrook what it is today, want to see that kind of a town. They are men who have families, men who would do everything in their power to make Cranbrook one of the very best towns in Canada. J. P. Fink is that kind of a man. He is a pioneer, not only of Cranbrook, but *of East Kootenay*. He has large interests in Cranbrook, and like every man named on the ticket with him, has only one desire in this municipal matter, and that is to see Cranbrook advance as rapidly as possible.

If you vote right you will vote for J. P. Fink for mayor, and the councilmen on his ticket. That *will mean increased prosperity.*

What do you want for the next year? A town that is closed up entirely against outsiders, or a town that extends the hand of welcome to the lumber jack, to the miner, to all who labor in this district, asking them to make their headquarters in Cranbrook If you want a town that is open to all, and not a town that is controlled by radicals, vote for J. P. Fink for mayor and the aldermen who back him up in his policy.

If you are a property owner or a wage earner in Cranbrook it is your duty to protect yourself. The best way to do that is to vote for J. P. Fink for mayor and the aldermen on his ticket. The reason for this is that they are broad-minded people with liberal ideas and will do all that they can to make Cranbrook a better, a bigger and a more prosperous town. That means more money each year for every man or every woman who has any material interests in the city of Cranbrook.

Elbert Hubbard, the philosopher of East Aurora, New York, has framed the following New Year's pledge for the readers of his publication, The Phylistine: "I will tabu the gabfest, kibosh the killjoy, hikerino the pooh pooh, cut the grumps and grouch and get onto my job." All of which when being translated from the United States dialect, as used in East Aurora, would appear to mean: Talk less, smile more, quit running down the other fellow, turn the bright side out for general inspection and work. The same is a good collection of ideas for the citizens of other places besides East Aurora.

The organization of a Farmers' Institute in the district is another mile stone passed on the road to the prosperity of the country. The Cranbrook-Fernie Farmers' Institute district includes the whole of the Cranbrook and the Fernie electoral districts, and has within its limits one of the largest areas of undeveloped agricultural land in the province. The forming of this institute *will give the farmers*, ranchers, fruit growers and agriculturalists of the district an opportunity of not only hearing lectures by the gentlemen appointed by the government but, as Mr. Fenwick so aptly put it last night: "It will teach them how to work out their own salvation and that of the district by reporting the various experiments they make and the results obtained to the institute, so that each may profit by the experience of the other." It is to be hoped that the institute will have frequent and regular meetings and it is up to, not only the farmers, but to the townspeople also, to see to it that the enthusiasm which was displayed last night is not allowed to flag. The Herald takes the stand that what is good for the development of the resources of the country along any line is for the good of the whole community. The Farmers' Institute may rely upon the hearty support of the Herald at all times and its columns are open for any articles of merit and value that may be prepared for the benefit of the members, free of cost to the association.

Should not those in charge of the city's health look carefully into the matter of the Chinese market gardeners swill wagons? Who would for one moment tolerate one's vegetables being hauled and delivered from the same dirty wagon box in which swill for the swine is hauled, if a white man were doing it? Yet the Chinamen do it every day and the people take their medicine. Vegetables washed in pools in which the Chinese swill-fed swine wallow is another menace to the public health which should be looked into and stopped at once. It is distinctly up to the health authorities of the city to look into this matter.

Several months ago the editor of the Herald said that he would support for mayor of Cranbrook either G. T. Rogers or J. P. Fink. In municipal matters the Herald does *not permit politics to control* it. It believes in working for the best men and for the best interests of Cranbrook.

If you vote for J. P. Fink for mayor and the councilmen named on his ticket, you will vote for a body of men who are broad-minded, yet conservative, and who will do all in their power to advance the very *best interests of* Cranbrook. Can you afford to turn down men of that character at a time like this?

The Herald has been abused by many reformers and yet the Herald was the only paper that had the courage to condemn and run out the pimps and tin horn gamblers. The Herald is proud of its record in this respect.

J. P. Fink, has shown by his proclamation, that he is a proper man for mayor of Cranbrook. He is not after the office, but if elected everybody knows that J. P. Fink will be mayor and no one else. He has said that he is opposed to gambling in every form in this city and that means that Mayor Fink will maintain a clean town.

J. D. McBride has been one of the most successful business men in Cranbrook, and the Herald has no doubt that if he could have full control as mayor he would give the city of Cranbrook a most admirable administration. But J. D. McBride as mayor, with a council that has not the proper conception of the growth of a western town, with a council that perhaps does not believe in the progress that is necessary to make a great and growing town would be helpless. That is why the Herald is not in favor of J. D. McBride for mayor. The Herald considers nothing in the way of politics, nothing in the way of individuals but only looks to the best interests of Cranbrook. It believes that the election of J. P. Fink for mayor and a council that *has been named with him is for the* very best interests of Cranbrook. And in saying this the Herald says nothing against the personality of any individuals on the other ticket. The Herald editor has been a friend of all whom have been named on the opposition ticket and hopes to continue to be the same but at this time he believes that it is to the interest of the property owners and *the business men to do all in* their power to elect J. P. Fink for mayor and all of those who are named on the ticket with him.

The editor of the Herald is being abused by a very small element on the theory that it is opposed to what is termed the church element. The editor of the Herald desires to say only one thing, and that is that if the books could be shown it would demonstrate the fact that he had given dollars during his nine years residence in Cranbrook, where his accusers have given cents for the *building and maintenance* of church institutions. We don't like to say anything on this subject but the persistence with which some people would like to present the Herald as an instrument working against church influences is unfair and unjust. The Herald believes in the church and has shown its belief by contributions of dollars and cents and the man who endeavors to make capital *against the Herald on a matter* of this kind is one who is entirely controlled by narrow prejudices and petty personalities.

Don't you think, as property owners and taxpayers, that the following men on this ticket will do all in their power to advance the very best interests of Cranbrook: J. P. Fink, mayor; aldermen: James Ryan, V. Hyde Baker, Joseph Jackson, George Johnson, James Henderson and P. DeVere Hunt.

Two school trustees have to be elected next Thursday. The Herald believes that the two men most eminently suited for this office are G. T. Rogers and J. G. McCallum. G. T. Rogers has had years of experience as a school trustee in Cranbrook and the present excellent condition of the educational department of the city is largely due to his efforts. J. G. McCallum, besides being an exceptionally shrewd business man, has had a great deal of experience in school matters, not only on the prairie but also in West Kootenay. Added to this Mr. McCallum has a large family of school age, and is of necessity anxious to see good schools well run in Cranbrook. It would be difficult to find two better men for the position in the city.

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The drinker who tries to "taper off" generally topers on.

People who take life easy usually make it hard for somebody else.

People who are always looking for evil miss seeing a lot of good.

Worry makes itself known, but good fortune has to be introduced.

When a man really becomes acquainted with himself he feels humble.

A balky furnace is responsible for sins that will take more than charity to cover.

After all, the chief difference between most people is in the length of the clothesline.

A lot of people who think they are wearing crowns now will know their crosses after awhile.

It always makes us mad to hear anybody boasting of how early they arise in the morning.

It would be difficult to find nine tailors willing to accept the responsibility for some men.

Reputation has carried men to success when their characters would have condemned them.

Last year's failures will count for naught if made the stepping stones to this year's successes.

We always have our doubts about the people who make good resolutions and then loudly boast of them.

The man who tries his level best and fails is entitled to more credit than the man who succeeds without effort.

There is only the difference of one letter between luck and pluck, but that one letter makes all the difference in the world.

The trouble with some people on New Year's day is that they make so many good resolutions that they soon lose track of them.

When a man wants an excuse for meanness he usually begins by criticising the churches.

Talk about bravery! What's the matter with the courage a young fellow musters up the first time he gets into a barber chair?

A whole lot of trouble would be avoided if people merely kept going straight ahead instead of dodging around to see where trouble is.

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LOCAL NOTES

PICKED UP ABOUT THE CITY BY ASKING QUESTIONS OF MANY PEOPLE.

F. C. Douglas, the Bull river rancher, spent Friday in Cranbrook.

Mrs. H. L. Sawyer, of Marysville, was in Cranbrook on Saturday.

The public schools opened after the Christmas holidays on Monday last.

J. Fleishman, of Vancouver, came in from the west on Monday.

Gust Theis, of Perry Creek, spent Monday in Cranbrook.

Wm. Carlin, of Fort Steele, was in Cranbrook on Monday.

F. R. Morris was down the line west for a day or two this week.

G. G. Jewell, the Jaffray lumberman, was in town Monday.

D. Breckenridge, of Kimberley, visited Cranbrook last Friday.

Mrs. E. Mallandaine, of Creston, visited Cranbrook on Friday last.

H. G. Lockhart, of Fernie, was in town on Friday.

D. R. Yates, of Wycliffe, spent Sunday in Cranbrook.

Harry Melton, the Baker mountain iron king, was in Cranbrook on Sunday.

A. L. McDermot visited Kingsgate on Saturday.

Dr. Mercer visited Marysville on professional business yesterday.

A. E. Watts, of Wattsburg, spent Tuesday in Cranbrook.

C. J. Digby, of Fernie, was in Cranbrook on business on Monday.

Conductor D. J. McLennan and wife left on Sunday for a holiday visit to the coast.

George Laurie, one of Creston's lumbermen, was in town on Tuesday.

M. W. Schilling, of Perry Creek, was a Cranbrook visitor on Monday.

George Ashworth has been acting as city auditor for the municipality of Cranbrook.

Mrs. Hodges, of Vancouver, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. J. F. M. Pinkham.

Thos. Leask, the Creston lumberman, is in Cranbrook, the guest of his father, Andrew Leask.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. McVittie, of Fort Steele, were in Cranbrook on Saturday.

E. E. Jones, of Kimberley, was in Cranbrook several days the past week.

Mrs. Whitmore and daughters, of Marysville, were registered at the Cosmopolitan hotel on Sunday.

G. C. Bowness, of Prince Edward Island, is visiting relatives in Cranbrook.

Percy McKee, of Elko, eldest son of "Big Jim" McKee, who has been in the hospital undergoing medical treatment is improving rapidly.

Don't forget the citizens meeting at the opera house tomorrow night. Every voter should be present.

E. O. Cohoon, of the Adolph Lumber company, of Elkmouth, was in Cranbrook on Tuesday transacting business.

Miss Fraser, of New Westminster, has again joined the teaching staff of the Cranbrook public schools and arrived here on Sunday.

WANTED—Position as camp cook. Address Leslie Payn, Cranbrook, B. C. 42

Mrs. George Glassford and Miss Glassford will receive Friday afternoon and evening, January 10th, and afterward on the second Friday of each month.

Our new open stock patterns of Limoges china has arrived. An entirely new design.—Fink Mercantile Co.

Every citizen of Cranbrook should be present at the meeting at the new opera house tomorrow (Friday) night, to hear the council's report.

D. Bale, of Windermere, spent a few days in Cranbrook on his way to Revelstoke. Mr. Bale built most of the government bridges in this district and is a well known old timer.

J. J. Binns, the well known dry goods traveller of Vancouver, was in Cranbrook on Tuesday. Mr. Binns has just returned from a month's holiday in the southern States.

Thos. Young, of the tie contracting firm of Young & Horsman, had the misfortune to cut his foot badly on Saturday. The wound was attended to by Dr. King and is healing nicely.

See our new "baby rose" design of Limoges china. It's the most dainty we have ever shown.—Fink Mercantile Co.

Mark O'Neil, shipper and storekeeper for the East Kootenay Lumber company, was in town for a few hours on Tuesday, and says that between the mill and the tie camp over 100 men are employed and will be all winter.

Don't forget the band boys entertainment on the 14th. Bob Smith, the messenger of mirth, will be the principal attraction and the band, under the leadership of Prof. Austin, will render selections.

The management of the Royal hotel has placed notices over the doors of the bar and billiard room reading, "No Minors Allowed." Thos. Cole, the manager, informs the Herald that this is being lived up to strictly.

The annual meeting of the British Columbia Fruit Growers' association will be held in the council chambers, city hall, Victoria, at 2 p.m. Wednesday, January 15th, Thomas A. Bryden, of Victoria, will speak on "Better Fruit, How to Obtain It," and Chas. A. Spratt, of Barnaby, will address the meeting on "The Highways as They Affect the Fruit-grower."

WANTED—A girl for general housework or to look after baby. Apply A. C. B., care Herald. 42-2t

The Edison theatre opened on Monday night with a moving picture and illustrated songs entertainment. The pictures and the music were both good and the audience of nearly 300 people were well pleased. A change of programme will take place each Monday and Thursday nights.

The Sanford Dodge company will play a return engagement at the new opera house on the 17th and 18th. Damon and Pythias will be one of the plays presented.

Garlands of small pink roses intermingled with delicate green sprigs and finished in gold leaf. This is how our new "Baby Rose" Limoges china is decorated.—Fink Mercantile Co.

Major F. Morris accompanied by Adjutant T. Bloss, of Vancouver, will conduct special services in the Salvation Army barracks (Patmore Hall) on Monday and Tuesday, January 13th and 14th, at 8 p. m. The major has travelled extensively and filled many important positions in the Salvation Army. A pioneer of Army work in the Klondike, etc., recently arrived from Newfoundland to assume command of the Pacific province. Excellent music and spirited talks will be given. All are invited to attend. Admission free.

WANTED—A furnished bedroom Apply X. Y. Z., care Herald. 41-5t

A Chinaman was up before the police magistrate on Monday charged with selling opium without a license. It seems that a decoy was sent by the police to buy opium with a marked bill. The decoy got the opium and the Chinaman was found with the marked bill. Police Magistrate Anderson imposed a nominal fine. M. A. Macdonald appeared for the accused and on his behalf appealed the case to the county court.

You can buy one piece or a whole set of our new "Baby Rose" design Limoges china. This method of selling makes it easy to complete your set. Start early.—Fink Mercantile Co.

A presentation took place at the C. P. R. superintendent's office on Friday last. Miss Crooker, who has been the official stenographer in the superintendent's office for some time past, was presented with a goodly purse from the C. P. R. staff on the eve of her marriage. The presentation took place in the superintendent's office. Mr. Chas. Smith was in the chair and Mr. F. W. Reeves made the presentation on behalf of the station staff, accompanying the same with a few appropriate remarks. Miss Crooker has been diligent and faithful in her duties and her loss will be felt not only by the members of the superintendent's office, but by the whole station staff.

Remember the citizens meeting tomorrow (Friday) night in the new opera house, to hear the report of the city council.

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Hugh D. McMillan, an old resident of Cranbrook, but now of Cowley, Alberta, was among the list of candidates who were promoted to the Royal Arch degree A. F. and A. M. at Lethbridge on New Year's day.

The Cranbrook hotel is always up-to-date. The latest addition that has been made, for the comfort and convenience of the guests, is a sound proof telephone booth, with an automatic telephone. The booth is in the writing room and all one has to do is to place the necessary amount of coin in the slot and one can speak with Fernie, Moyie or any other place in the district and owing to the sound proof qualities of the booth no one can hear the conversation except the party for whom the message is intended.

Chas. Harris returned to Cranbrook last Saturday, after spending Christmas with Mrs. Harris' father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sprague. Charley went back to Cranbrook to arrange his business there and pack up his household belongings and move back to his old place here. He is well enough satisfied with Cranbrook, and has done well in a business way there, but Mrs. Harris prefers to live here, and Charley himself like Nanton pretty well, and as he has one of the finest quarter sections around here and well improved, he is moving back to stay.—Nanton News.

G. Erickson, superintendent; Chief Despatcher J. Scott and Trainmaster Joe McNabb attended the C. P. R. convention at Medicine Hat this week.

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The wind made a new record for itself Monday evening. Old timers say it was the hardest blow the town has ever known. No serious damage was done, but there were some minor instances of damage. A section of the roof of the Coal company's power house at the shaft was blown off, part of the wall of one of the new brick buildings being built by the cement company at Blairmore blew down, a few telephone poles were tipped over and a number of windows broken.—The Frank Paper.

The barbers of Moyie met on the 7th and agreed to close their shops at 8.30 p.m. on all week days except Saturday, when the barber shops will remain open until 11 p. m. No barber shop will open on Sunday under any circumstances.

DEATH OF MRS. CONNOLLY

The death occurred in a most sudden and unexpected manner early yesterday morning of Mrs. F. D. Connolly, widow of the late Rev. Daniel Connolly, and mother of Dr. Conwas stricken by paralysis on Sunday and from that time there was no hope of saving her life, though everything was done that medical science and tender nursing could do. Mrs. Connolly was born at L'Orignal Ontario, sixty-eight years ago. Three years ago she came to Cranbrook to make a home for her son, Dr. Connolly, and has lived here ever since. She leaves five sons besides the doctor, one being on the office staff of the East Kootenay Lumber company, another a doctor in Vancouver, and three at Kingston, Ont. A daughter also resides in Cranbrook. Mrs. Connolly endeared herself to everyone who had the privilege of knowing her. Her kindliness and motherliness will never be forgotten by her large circle of friends. The interment will take place at Kingston, Ont., the body being taken east on Saturday. A funeral service will be held in the Methodist church on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

COUNCIL MEETING

A meeting of the city council was held last Friday night, the 3rd inst. There were present the mayor, Aldermen J. P. Fink, James Ryan and A. McCowan. The minutes of the meeting of December the 9th were read and on the motion of Aldermen McCowan and Fink were adopted. The resignation of E. W. Long, as city auditor, was received and accepted and on the motion of Messrs. Fink and McCowan George Ashwoth was appointed city auditor to complete the audit of 1907. The finance committee presented accounts amounting to $1890.95, which were ordered to be paid. It was moved by Alderman McCowan and seconded by Alderman Fink and carried, that a meeting of the citizens be called for Friday evening, the 10th instant, at the new opera house to hear the report of the aldermen and that the clerk be instructed to have posters printed to that effect. The council then adjourned.

WATCH THE DISTRICT GROW

There have been seven births in the district during the last ten days, as follows:

Born—At Wardner, December 30th, 1907, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Smith, a son.

Born—At Cranbrook, December 31 1907, to the Rev. and Mrs. Taylor, a son.

Born—At Cranbrook, January 5th, 1908, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Brennan, a son.

Born—At Wycliffe, January 6th, 1908, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scott, a daughter.

Born—At Cranbrook, January 7th, 1908, to Alderman and Mrs. McCowan, a son.

Born—At Fort Steele, January 7th, 1908, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Walsh, twin sons.

Born—At Cranbrook, January 7th, 1908, to Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, a son.

WALDO WELCOMES NEW YEAR

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Ross, of Waldo, entertained a large party of New Year merry-makers at their home on New Year's eve, who watched the old year leave and welcomed the new taking its place. The first part of the evening was spent playing games and indulging in sweetmeats. Refreshments were served by the hostess at 11.30 and as the last course was being served the old year grabbed up its possessions all but the memories and fled, giving way to 1908. After the usual New Year's greetings had been exchanged the guests assembled in the parlor and enjoyed their first dance of the New Year. The music, furnished by local talent, was enjoyed by all. In the wee sma' hours the crowd broke up, all voting the entertainment a very delightful affair.

CAME BACK HOME

Otis Staples was made a Canadian citizen this morning by Judge Wilson. Mr. Staples, a Canadian by birth, but for many years a citizen of the United States, will be most welcome back as a loyal subject of King Edward. D. R. Yates also took the oath of allegiance and he will make a good "Canuck" at that.

CRANBROOK VERY MUCH ALIVE

The Cranbrook Herald also put out two extra large issues on its special book paper. The Herald carries an ad. for every place in town and did a lot to show that Cranbrook is very much alive.—Medicine Hat Times.

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A lady's match is being arranged for, and will be announced shortly.

Several good magazines have been added to the reading room, which is much appreciated by the boys.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday, Jan. 12, 1908

The pastor will preach at 11 and 7.30; Sunday School and Bible class at 3 o'clock; Men's Own in the gymnasium at 3.30. Evening subject: "The Prodigal Son," which the second of a series of addresses upon this subject. Tuesday, prayer service at 8 o'clock; Wednesday, Epworth league at 8 o'clock. The literary department will have charge; Friday, choir practice at 8 o'clock.

WEDDING BELLS

On Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the Methodist parsonage, Miss Bertha M. Crooker and J. Webster Burton, were united in marriage. None but the immediate friends of the contracting parties were present. After the ceremony the newly married couple repaired to their home on Baker Hill. The Herald joins with the many friends of this popular young couple in wishing them all happiness.

JAMES NEELANDS DEAD

James Neelands died on Sunday evening at 6 o'clock in the Kootenay Lake General hospital, after having made a prolonged struggle for his life. The end came quietly enough, deceased passing away in a state of unconsciousness. At his bedside were his two brothers and his sister. Yesterday evening at 7 o'clock the funeral services were read at the residence of H. G. Neelands, formerly mayor of this city, on Carbonate street and the body was taken down to the C. P. R. station, escorted by the members of the local lodge of Odd Fellows, for shipment to the east this morning to Creemore, Ont., the place of birth of the deceased.

James Neelands was born in 1869 and was therefore not quite 39 years of age. As a young man he came west with his brother, George, and after a couple of years came to Nelson. That was in 1891 and for the remaining 16 years of his life he was a resident of Nelson. After coming here James Neelands was for some time engaged with his brother in running a photograph gallery and in the early days started the first cigar factory in the Kootenays. The popular Royal Seal owes its name to the deceased. During his residence here deceased pursued several avocations and was always well liked.—Nelson Daily News.

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Any person may impound an animal found running at large. The fine to the poundkeeper for every animal is as follows:

Stallions, $5.00.
Other horses, mares, geldings, fillies or mules, $1.00 each.
Bull, $5.00.
Cow or other kind of cattle, $2.00.
Boar pig, $4.00.
Pig, sheep or goat, $1.00.
Fowl, 25 cents.

The poundkeeper may also collect $1.00 for impounding any animal and 25 cents for impounding any fowl, and for feed may charge as follows:

Fowl and geese 25 cents per diem.

If the animals are not redeemed the poundkeeper will proceed to sell.

There shall be a tax on all dogs of $1.75 and on all bitches $5.00.

It is the duty of the owner of dogs to procure a tag from the City Clerk, otherwise the dogs will be impounded and unless redeemed will be sold or destroyed. Tags must be placed on dog's collar so as to be plainly seen.

In addition to the above charges, any person guilty of an infraction of the by-law is liable to a penalty of $100.00 and costs or two months imprisonment.

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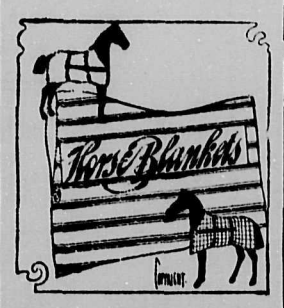

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News of the District

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ELKO AND TOBACCO PLAINS

(From our own correspondent)

Ah me! The cold grey dawn of the morning after.

A big band of Piegan Indians arrived in Elko New Year's Eve, had dinner with Old Chief Cannokeluckanana, and went south with the stage to Pineapple Flats, Indian Village, Tobacco Plains. They were a fine bunch and in charge of Big Plume K. C. B., who is also a mason and a bricklayer, Wolf Robe, Two Feathers, Old Man Asleep-on-the-Top, White Rabbit, Little Bear and others. They are visiting the Kootenays and will remain for the big Potlatch dance.

W. S. McEwen, F. Church and Wm. Hammill are spending New Year's holidays in Montana. They took "Dead Easy," the only living rival to Dan Patch, and will enter him in the winter Derby at Tobacco Plains.

Father Wagner, of the St. Eugene Mission, held mass in Elko Saturday and proceeded to the Plains, where he will spend several days.

Frank Olmstead, the popular young railroader and his fiancee, held a reception in the Elko hotel parlors from 3 to 5 o'clock on New Year's day. There were about fifty callers, which endorses the popularity of the young couple.

Napoleon Bone-in-his-Heart was arrested on Friday by a squad of cant hook twisters and tried before a lumber jack court, charged with refusing to get full when he had the chance. He was sentenced to a soda water bath with muslin trimmings, and he looked like a cherub all but the wings, when he came out with a hump on his back that would make a camel look like a clothes line, and his teeth rattled like bones at a coon show. He made a bee line for the C. P. R. trail and started west.

Jack Lewis, game warden, was in Elko this week. Now is the time a game warden is most needed and Elko is the place he should be located.

The Christmas tree at the school house, Monday, December 23rd, was a great surprise to the parents, the residents and visitors. The school house was packed and standing room was at a premium and was occupied by the sour doughs. The programme was the best ever presented to an Elko audience, and with Engineer Carter at the throttle, was as follows:

Song ... ... Merry Christmas Bells
Children
Recitation ... Miss Sheridan Holbrook
Dialogue ..... Competing Railroads
The Boys
Recitation ....
.... McKee, Lowery and Robey
Reading (comic) ... ... Mr. Robey
Dialogue ... Why Mrs. Gassett Did Not Engage a Cook ....
Mrs. Burgess, Mrs. Holbrook, Miss Todhunter, Miss J. Todhunter, Miss Brown, Mr. Robey, Mr. Gib Todhunter, Miss Katie Mott

This dialogue was nicely staged and played to a pink finish, one sour dough remarking that he had never seen such an attractive bunch of beautiful women since he left Dublin.

Song ... ... Good Bye Georgiana
Mrs. Burgess, assisted with a full chorus

Mrs. Burgess possesses a beautiful voice. It was her first appearance before an Elko audience, and to say she took them by storm is putting it mildly. Vociferous and vehement in applause, the audience recalled her again and again.

Doll drill .... By 24 Little Girls
Coon Show ... ... By Senior Boys

This was another big surprise to Elko. The jokes were all new, the latest songs, the "bone solo" would put George Primrose, Billy Weston, Lew Dockstader on the blink if they'd heard it. Some of the old timers thought it was the real thing and started to throw silver dollars on the stage, when a good local joke was made.

Song...Look at our Beautiful Christmas Tree ....
By the Children
Distribution of Presents

The greatest credit is due Mr. Myers, the school teacher, who, single handed, did everything possible and made such a brilliant success to the entire satisfaction of everybody in Elko.

J. Johnston, the hustling manager of the Pugh & Livingston Lumber company, went to Fernie this week. This company have been shipping their lumber from Baynes Lake and Elko, but we understand, the Great Northern is putting in a siding, which will make a short haul. The company is a popular one and can get all the men at any time they want, which speaks well for Mr. Johnston, who has full charge of the work. Messrs. Pugh & Livingston having big interests in Alberta make their headquarters at Okotoks.

It's been that quiet in Elko since New Year's that when a stranger comes to town the cows come home to hear the news.

Numerous functions have held the attention of the social circle this week little at home's, card parties, five o'clockers, etc.

You can work your whiskers till you are bald in the chin, but you can't find a better place in the Pass to invest a few thousand in than Elko. The bars are supplied with everything from sheepherders delight to pink elephant cocktails.

FRANK

(From The Frank Paper.)

The announcement was made by the Canadian-American company this morning that its mine will close tomorrow temporarily. The reason for the shut down is that the company is taking advantage of an opportunity which the present affords for a cessation of operations which would have to come sooner or later in connection with the alterations and improvements now under way. The opportunity is afforded by the fact that the company's contract with the C. P. R. terminated Tuesday night, releasing the company from that obligation and as the market is just now a little slack it is felt that the present is as good a time as will present itself. The directors will meet here shortly when the future programme will be formulated.

A letter signed by James Douglas, formerly president of the Frank miners' union, recently published in the Nelson News, reveals the fact that there is an interesting fight on in union circles between District President Frank H. Sherman and Douglas. Incidentally, it also reveals an interesting bit of information. The fact is brought out that Sherman is making a fight on Douglas to have him expelled from the union and that at the recent convention of the U. M. W. of A. secured the appointment of a special committee to try Douglas for alleged violation of union laws. In his arraignment of Sherman in the letter referred to, Douglas charges openly that at the time of the wage dispute last March and April, when the men all quit and Sherman claimed they did so against his advice and wishes that Sherman secretly urged them to go out. The fight promises to become decidedly interesting before it is finished.

The C.P.R. has rescinded the order issued over a year ago refusing to permit its cars to be loaded with coal from the mines of the Pass for United States territory. At that time it was stated that cars sent from here to the States with coal, were kept so long by the American roads that it seriously affected the car supply of the C. P. R. and the rule was put into effect to obviate that difficulty. The rescinding of the order is of a great deal of importance to the mines of this district as it enables them to again fill all orders from American territory, whereas during the past year they have only been able to fill such orders as they could get foreign cars for.

The high wind of the first of last week wrecked the coal handling plant of the Galbraith Coal comuany at Lundbreck. Something like 500 or 600 feet of the trestle of the incline on which the coal is hoisted to the railroad, was blown flat. Repairs are under way and the mine will be shipping again in a short time.

WARDNER

(From our own correspondent)

Mr. Hammond, of Fruitville, formerly a resident of Wardner, is spending a few days with friends in town. Mr. Hammond is now agent for the Kootenay Fruit Growers' association, proprietor of a hotel, and a store and also postmaster of Fruitville. Mr. Hammond's many friends here will be pleased to hear of his prosperity in his new home.

Mr. Lund, of Sedgwick, Alberta, father of Mr. P. Lund, of this place, spent a few days in town this week with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan McLeod and daughters Leita and Violet, spent last Thursday with Cranbrook friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Thorpe, who have been visiting in town for the past week, returned to their home in Elko a few days ago.

New Year's Day was very quietly observed in town, the only amusements engaged in being skating and cutter riding.

Miss Hazel Lund left on Sunday afternoon for Nelson, where she will resume her studies at St. Joseph's school.

A very pleasant evening was spent in dancing at the Hotel Wardner on Thursday evening last. Only a few invited guests were present and all enjoyed themselves thoroughly.

The friends of Mr. Downie, photographer, will be very sorry to hear of his accident. While attempting to take a flashlight picture of a dancing party in the mill hall on Friday evening last, by some slight mistake he burned his hand very severely. All possible aid was at once given to relieve his suffering during the night, and Mr. Downie then went to Cranbrook on Saturday morning for medical aid.

Mr. Arthur Heine went to Marysville a few days ago to assist George Willson in the lumber company's work there.

A. Norris, cook at the company's boarding house, entertained a few of his friends at dinner on New Years evening.

Miss Hazel Bohart, student at St. Joseph's school, Nelson, returned on Monday morning to resume her studies, after spending her vacation with her parents here.

New Year's resolutions
Are good while they last,
But you can never quench your thirst
With the water that has passed.

P. Lund left for Calgary on Sunday evening last on a business trip.

Archie Acton is relieving operator at the local depot.

The Christmas tree now "boughs" its wilted head.

Miss Florence Johnson, of Grand Forks, returned on Sunday afternoon to resume her duties as teacher of the Wardner school.

G. Donahoe, postmaster, spent last Monday with Cranbrook friends.

MOYIE

(From the Moyie Leader.)

Now is an opportune time to make peace with the printer by paying your subscription.

Dr. Coffin was up to Marysville during the week. Dr. Mercer attended to his practice during his absence.

J. P. Farrell and E. O. Kamm have been elected delegates from the Moyie Board of Trade to attend the meeting of the Associated Boards, which will convene here on the 22nd. R. Campbell, as president of the board, will also be a delegate. The alternates are Chas. A. MacKay and A. P. Macdonald. The board will hold another meeting next Wednesday evening.

There will be a slight falling off in the amount paid out at the St. Eugene next Friday, January 10th. The amount to be paid out is $37,500. On December 10th $41,000 was disbursed. During the year 1907 there was shipped from the St. Eugene 23,067 tons of concentrates and ore.

Moyie lake is now about half covered with a soft, slushy ice. The weather is so mild that there may not be solid ice for several days yet, aside from in the bays. The lake last year froze over on December 27th, and at this time the ice was several inches in thickness.

FERNIE

(From the Fernie Ledger.)

Born—At Waldo, B. C., on Sunday, December 29th, to Mr. and Mrs. C. D. McNab, a son.

R. W. Wood is reported as doing very nicely. We will be pleased to see him around again.

J. Austin, C. P. R. agent at Elko and bride, of Winnipeg, passed through Fernie this week on their way home.

WINDERMERE DISTRICT

(From the Golden Star.)

Mr. William Blackwell and Mrs. Alfred Pedley were married at the Presbyterian church here last week.

Mr. Robert Clute is down for Christmas from the Tilbury and B. C. and reports everything looking very promising at the mine.

Wellington Kinnee is the recipient of the finest Christmas present in the valley. He and Jack Barbim. It is a boy in each case.

Mr. Neilson in crossing the lake last Saturday on his way home from Wilmer had the misfortune to lose a valuable team and outfit. They broke through the ice and team and sleigh immediately went to the bottom. Much sympathy, is felt for Mr. Neilson in his loss. Nothing daunted by Mr. Neilson's unfortunate experience, our worthy provincial constable still travels over the lake daily. He was the first to travel over it this year and every one knows that he is not a quitter at the risk of getting a view of the bottom of the lake. Still his many friends feel somewhat nervous at times for his safety but even that will not deter him.

Mr. Bruce left last Thursday for an extended visit to Toronto, Montreal and other eastern points, accompanied by Mr. Haffner, chief engineer of the land who is going to his home in Winnipeg.

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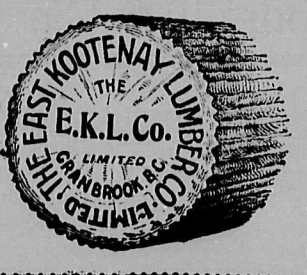

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TWO BANKS WELDED INTO ONE

An agreement has been reached whereby the Northern Bank will take over all the assets and liabilities of the Crown bank on April 1st. The Northern Bank has no branches east of Lake Superior and the Crown Bank has no branches in the west, so that the combination should be to the advantage of the shareholders of both.

Corporation of the City of Cranbrook

Public notice is hereby given to the electors of the Municipality of the City of Cranbrook, that I require the presence of the said electors at the Council Chambers, Baker Street, Cranbrook, B. C., on the 13th day of January, 1908, at 12 o'clock noon (1 o'clock local time) for the purpose of electing persons to represent them in the Municipal Council as Mayor and Aldermen and for the purpose of electing persons to represent them on the Board of Trustees for the Cranbrook City School District.

The mode of nomination of candidates shall be as follows:

The candidates shall be nominated in writing, the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the Municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of the notice and 2 p. m. (3 p. m. local time) of the day of nomination, and in the event of a poll being necessary, such poll will be opened on the 16th day of January, 1908, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon (10 o'clock local time) and 7 o'clock in the afternoon (8 o'clock local time) at the Council Chambers, Baker Street, Cranbrook, B. C., of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

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

"The persons qualified to be nominated for and elected as Mayor shall be such persons as are male British subjects of the full age of twenty-one years, and are not disqualified under any law, and have been for the six months, next preceding the day of nomination the registered owner in the Land Registry Office, of land or real property in the City of the assessed value, on the last Municipal assessment roll, of one thousand dollars or more, over and above any registered judgment or charge, and who are otherwise duly qualified as Municipal voters." 1906, C. 32, S. 14.

The qualification by law to be possessed by the candidates for the office of Alderman are as follows:

"The persons qualified to be nominated for and elected as Alderman of the City shall be such persons as are male British subjects of the full age of twenty-one years and are not disqualified under any law, and to have been for the six months, next preceding the day of nomination the registered owner in the Land Registry office, of land or real property in the City of the assessed value, on the last Municipal assessment roll, of five hundred dollars or more, over and above any registered judgment or charge and who are otherwise qualified as Municipal voters." 1906, C. 32, S. 14.

The qualification by law required to be possessed by the candidates for the office of School Trustee are as follows:

"In every Municipal School District, any person being a householder in the School District, and being a British subject of the full age of twenty-one years, and otherwise qualified by this Act to vote at an election of School Trustees in the School District of the City of Cranbrook, shall be eligible to be elected or to serve as a School Trustee in such Municipal District." 1905, C. 11, S. 32, 1906 C. 39, S. 25.

No person holding the office of teacher within the School District and no Clergyman of any denomination shall be eligible for the office of School Trustee. 1906, C. 35, S. 106.

Given under my hand at Cranbrook, B. C., this first day of January, 1908.

Thos. M. Roberts,
41-2t Returning Officer

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I, Mabel V. Landeck, wife of H. F. Landeck, occupation, Railway Agent, of Gateway, B. C., intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for one special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about 7 miles west of the Kootenay River along the International Boundary, marked Mabel V. Landeck's south-west corner, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, to point of commencement.

Dated December 11th, 1907.
Mabel V. Landeck, Locator
H. F. Landeck, Agent 41-6

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I, Henry F. Landeck, occupation, Railway Agent, of Gateway, B. C., intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands:

No 1. Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of T. L. 6211, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

Dated December 16th, 1907.

No. 2. Commencing at a post planted 80 chains west of the north-west corner af T. L. 6211, thence north 160 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 160 chains, thence east 40 chains to point of commencement.

Dated December 17th, 1907.

No. 3. Commencing at a post planted 40 chains west of the south-west corner of T. L. 13916, thence north 160 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 160 chains, thence east 40 chains to point of commencement.

Dated December 18th, 1907.

Henry F. Landeck, Locator,
Eathen W. Butts, Agent. 40-6t

NOTICE

In the matter of an application for the issue of a duplicate Certificate of Title of part (5 acres) of Lot 30, Group One, in the District of Kootenay.

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention to issue at the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof a duplicate Certificate of Title of part (5 acres) of Lot 30, Group One, in the District of Kootenay, in the name of Valentine Hyde Baker, which certificate is dated the 24th of March, 1906, and numbered 5116 A.

"H. F. MacLeod,"
District Registrar.

Land Registry Office, Nelson, B.C., November 28th, 1907. 37-4t

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, and to the Assistant Commissioner of Lands & Works for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands, situate on the North Fork of Michel Creek, of South East Kootenay District, B. C.:

No 1. Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of E. H. LeFranz's claim, whose coal license is No. 2311, same being 7the initial post of Bernice Belden's claim and marked "Bernice Belden's south-east corner," thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south to place of beginning, and containing about 640 acres.

Bernice Belden, Locator,
R. G. Belden, Agent.

No 2. Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of Lot 7933, same being the initial post of Ralston Butterfield's claim and marked "Ralston Butterfield's north-east corner," thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east to place of beginning, and containing about 640 acres. The object of this location is to cover the strip lying between the McInnis property and the Crown Coal & Coke Company's property.

Ralston Butterfield, Locator,
R. G. Belden, Agent.

No. 3. Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of Lot 7933, same being the initial post of Allen Hemphill's claim and marked "Allen Hemphill's south-east corner," thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, to place of beginning and containing about 640 acres. The object of this location is to cover the strip lying between the McInnis property and the Crown Coal & Coke Company's property.

Allen Hemphill, Locator,
R. G. Belden, Agent.
Located Nov. 13th, 1907. 37-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that John Glen, of Fort Steele, B. C., Miner, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at the north-east corner of Lot 780, thence east 60 chains, south 27 chains, to Lot 310 west 60 chains, north 27 chains to point of commencement.

John Glen.
Dated November 16th, 1907. 37-9t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that Lewis W. Patmore, of Cranbrook, B. C., occupation, Law Student, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of Timber License No. 10600; thence west 40 chains, more or less, to the east boundary of Lot 4591, thence north 40 chains, more or less, to the south boundary of Timber License No. 9312, thence east 40 chains, more or less, to the west line of Timber License 10600, thence south to the place of beginning.

Lewis W. Patmore.
Dated Nov. 10, 1907. 37-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF SOUTH EAST KOOTENAY

Take notice that Ernest Pollard, of Winnipeg, Man., occupation, Clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the south boundary of John Crahan's land (No. 7995) on the west bank of Elk River, about sixteen miles north of Michel; thence 28 chains south more or less, to north boundary of Lot 8452, thence east to Elk river, thence north following River to the south boundary of Crahan's land, thence west to point of commencement, containing 70 acres, more or less.

Ernest Pollard, Locator,
James R. Edmondson, Agent.
Dated Nov. 5th, 1907. 37-9t*

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF SOUTH EAST KOOTENAY

Take notice that Louise Robertson, of Winnipeg, Man., occupation, Spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of Lot 4144; thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Louise Robertson,
James R. Edmondson, Agent.
Dated Nov. 5th, 1907. 37-9t*

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF SOUTH EAST KOOTENAY

Take notice that Edith Kirby, of Winnipeg, Man., occupation, Spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted one mile south of Lot 2316, at the south west corner of Lot 2242; thence west 20 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

James R. Edmondson, Agent.
Edith Kirby,
Dated Nov. 5th, 1907. 37-9t*

NOTICE

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

Commencing at a post marked Henry F. Landeck's north-east corner, at the north-east corner of Timber Limit 6214, thence north 70 chains, to the north-west corner of Timber Limit 6213, thence west 60 chains, to the south-west corner of Timber Limit 6185, thence south 40 chains to the south-east corner of Timber Limit 6215, thence west 60 chains, thence south 30 chains, thence east 120 chains to point of commencement.

Henry F. Landeck,
E. W. Butts, Agent.
Gateway, B. C., November 30th, 1907. 37-6t

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date, I, Mabel V. Landeck, wife of H. F. Landeck, intend to make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for one special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land:

Commencing at a post about 8 miles west of the Kootenay River, along the International Boundary, marked Mabel V. Landeck's south-west corner, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.

Mabel V. Landeck, Locater.
H. I. Landeck, Agent.
Dated at Gateway, B. C., Nov. 1907. 36-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF EAST KOOTENAY, SOUTHERN DIVISION

Take notice that William Edwin Stevenson, of Cranbrook, B. C., occupation, Millman, intends to apply for permission ty purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted adjacent and attached to and in a southerly direction from the south-east corner post of Lot 7317; thence south 60 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 60 chains, thence east 40 chains to point of commencement, and containing 240 acres, more or less.

William Edwin Stevenson.
Dated October 16th, 1907. 33-9t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that Nazaire Rochon, of Cranbrook, B. C., occupation, a Lumberman, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about one mile north of the International Boundary line, and 1½ miles east of C. P. R. Lot 4591, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to the place of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Nazaire Rochon.
Dated October 28th, 1907. 36-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that Arthur Charles Yeager, of Moyie, B. C., occupation, Timber Cruiser, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Timber License 11356, thence west 60 chains, to L. Clapp's Timber License, thence north 106 chains, thence east 60 chains, thence south 106 chains to place of beginning.

Arthur Charles Yeager.
Dated October 23rd, 1907. 35-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF EAST KOOTENAY, SOUTHERE DIVISION

Take notice that The East Kootenay Lumber Company, Limited, of Cranbrook, B. C., occupation, Lumber Manufacturers, intend to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Lot number 6178, Group One, Kootenay district.

The East Kootenay Lumber Company, Limited.
Dated November 15th, 1907. 35-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that Arthur Charles Yeager, of Moyie, B. C., occupation, Timber Cruiser, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 160 chains north of the north-east corner of Timber License 9766, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

Arthur Charles Yeager.
Dated October 22nd, 1907. 35-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that Arthur Charles Yeager, of Moyie, B. C., occupation, Timber Cruiser, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 196 chains north of the north-east corner of Timber License 11356, thence west 60 chains, thence north 106 chains, thence east 60 chains, thence south 106 chains to place of commencement.

Arthur Charles Yeager.
Dated October 23rd, 1907. 35-6t

NOTICE

Estray on premises, at Wardner, B. C., two sorrel horses, branded on jaw, white star on forehead. The same have broken into and done considerable damage to garden. Owner may have the same by paying damages and expenses. Apply to S. J. Harrison, P. O. Box 5, Wardner, B. C. 36-3t*

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that Arthur Charles Yeager, of Moyie, B. C., occupation, Timber Cruiser, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 320 chains north of the north-east corner of Timber License 9766, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

Arthur Charles Yeager.
Dated October 22nd, 1907. 35-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that Arthur Charles Yeager, of Moyie, B. C., occupation, Timber Cruiser, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 75 chains west and 120 chains north of the north-west corner of Timber License 9033, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement.

Arthur Charles Yeager.
Dated October 22nd, 1907. 35-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that Arthur Charles Yeager, of Moyie, B. C., occupation, Timber Cruiser, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 400 chains north of the north-east corner of Timber License No. 9766, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

Arthur Charles Yeager.
Dated October 22nd, 1907. 35-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that Arthur Charles Yeager, of Moyie, B. C., occupation, Timber Cruiser, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 120 chains north of the north-west corner of Timber License 9766, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point ofcommencement.

Arthur Charles Yeager.
Dated October 23rd, 1907. 35-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that Lewis W. Patmore, of Cranbrook, B. C., occupation, Law Student, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north-west corner of Lot 6126, Group 1, Kootenay District, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to place of commencement.

Lewis W. Patmore.
Dated October 22nd, 1907. 35-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that Lewis W. Patmore, of Cranbrook, B. C., occupation, Law Student, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of Lot 6126, Group 1, Kootenay District, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement.

Lewis W. Patmore.
Dated October 22nd, 1907. 35-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF EAST KOOTENAY, SOUTHERN DIVISION

Take notice that Charles A. Taylor, of Cranbrook, occupation, Teamster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of Lot 2044, thence north 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east 20 chains to point of commencement, and containing 40 acres, more or less.

Charles A. Taylor.
Dated October 24, 1907. 35-9t*

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that East Kootenay Lumber Company, Limited, of Cranbrook, B. C., occupation, Lumber Manufacturers, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted about 30 chains south of the N. W. corner of Lot 5808, Group One, Kootenay district, thence west 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence north 20 chains to place of commencement, and containing 40 acres, more or less.

East Kootenay Lumber Company, Limited,
per Archibald Kenneth Leitch, Agent.
Dated at Jaffray, B. C., November 11th, 1907. 34-9t

LAND NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that I, Harry Hamilton McVittie, of Cranbrook, B. C., occupation, General Agent; agent for Victor Albert Rollins, of Cranbrook, B. C., occupation, Hotel Keeper, intend to apply for permission to purchase six hundred and forty acres of land bounded as follows:

Commencing at a post planted on the west boundary of Lot 339, G. 1, East Kootenay, eighty chains south of the northwest corner of said Lot; hence north eighty chains, thence west eighty chains, thence south eighty chains, thence east eighty chains to place of commencement.

Victor Albert Rollins,
Harry Hamilton McVittie, Agent.
Dated October 21, 1907. 31-9t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that Arthur Charles Yeager, of Moyie, B. C., occupation, Timber Cruiser, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 75 chains west of the north-west corner of Timber License 9033, thence north 40 chains, thence east 160 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 160 chains to point of commencement.

Arthur Charles Yeager.
Dated October 22nd, 1907. 35-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that Arthur Charles Yeager, of Moyie, B. C., occupation, Timber Cruiser, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 75 chains west and 40 chains north of the north-west corner of Timber License 9033, thence north 40 chains, thence east 160 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 160 chains to place of commencement.

Arthur Charles Yeager.
Dated October 22nd, 1907. 35-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that Arthur Charles Yeager, of Moyie, B. C., occupation, Timber Cruiser, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 75 chains west and 80 chains north of the north-west corner of Timber License 9033, thence north 40 chains, thence east 160 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 160 chains to point of commencement.

Arthur Charles Yeager.
Dated October 23rd, 1907. 35-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that Arthur Charles Yeager, of Moyie, B. C., occupation, Timber Cruiser, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 80 chains north of the north-west corner of Timber License No. 9766; thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

Arthur Charles Yeager.
Dated October 22nd, 1907. 35-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that Arthur Charles Yeager, of Moyie, B. C., occupation, Timber Cruiser, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 75 chains west and 40 chains north of the north-west corner of Timber License 9033, thence north 40 chains, thence east 160 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 160 chains to point of commencement.

Arthur Charles Yeager.
Dated October 22nd, 1907. 35-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that Arthur Charles Yeager, of Moyie, B. C., occupation, Timber Cruiser, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north-east corner of Timber License 9766, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

Arthur Charles Yeager.
Dated Nov. 2nd, 1907. 35-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that Lewis W. Patmore, of Cranbrook, B. C., occupation, Law Student, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner of Lot 6126, Group 1, Kootenay District, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, hence north 80 chains to place of ommencement.

Lewis W. Patmore.
Dated October 30th, 1907. 35-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF SOUTHERN DIVISION, EAST KOOTENAY

Take notice that I, Lyman J. Taylor, of Cranbrook, B. C., occupation, Teamster, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted at he north-east corner of Lot 7327, thence south 40 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 20 chains to point of commencement, and containing 80 acres, more or less.

Lyman J. Taylor.
Dated Nov. 20, 1906. 38-9t

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN HOMESTEAD REGULATIONS.

Any available Dominion Lands within the Railway Belt in British Columbia, may be homesteaded by any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section of 160 acres, more or less.

Entry must be made personally at the local land office for the district in which the land is situate.

The homesteader is required to perform the conditions connected therewith under one of the following plans:

(1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year for three years.

(2) If the father (or mother, if the father is deceased), of the homesteader resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother.

(3) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of his homestead, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon the said land.

Six months' notice in writing should be given to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa of intention to apply for patent.

Coal lands may be purchased at $10 per acre for soft coal and $20 for anthracite. Not more than 320 acres can be acquired by one individual or company. Royalty at the rate of ten cents per ton of 2,000 pounds shall be collected on the grown output.

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

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that Ross-Saskatoon Lumber Company, Limited, of Waldo, B. C., occupation, Lumbermen, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following escribed lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the south-west corner of Lot No. 6175, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of beginning, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Ross - Saskatoon Lumber Company, Limited.
Dated November 13th, 1907.
Time for publication of above notice in local paper extended to December 19th, 1907.

J. F. Armstrong,
Assistant Commissioner of Lands and Works for the Southern Division of East Kootenay. 39-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that Ross-Saskatoon Lumber Company, Limited, of Waldo, B. C., occupation, Lumbermen, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about 100 chains west and 40 chains south of the south-west corner of Lot No. 6171, or 20 chains west of the north-west corner of License No. 8603, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the east boundary of the C. P. R. Lot 4591, about 160 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 160 chains to place of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Ross - Saskatoon Lumber Company, Limited.
Dated November 13th, 1907.
Time for publication of above notice in local paper extended to December 19th, 1907.

J. F. Armstrong,
Assistant Commissioner of Lands and Works for the Southern Division of East Kootenay. 39-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that Ross-Saskatoon Lumber Company, Limited, of Waldo, B. C., occupation, Lumbermen, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted 60 chains west of the south-west corner of License Lot No. 8603, thence south 40 chains, thence west to the east boundary of the C. P. R. Lot 4591, about 160 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 160 chains to place of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Ross - Saskatoon Lumber Company, Limited.
Dated November 13th, 1907.
Time for publication of above notice in local paper extended to December 19th, 1907.

J. F. Armstrong,
Assistant Commissioner of Lands and Works for the Southern Division of East Kootenay. 39-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that Ross-Saskatoon Lumber Company, Limited, of Waldo, B. C., occupation, Lumbermen, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about 45 chains west and 120 chains south of the south-west corner of Lot No. 6174, or at the south-east corner of License Lot No. 8055, thence south 80 chains, thence west 0 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Ross - Saskatoon Lumber Company, Limited.
Dated November 13th, 1907.
Time for publication of above notice in local paper extended to ecember 19th, 1907.

J. F. Armstrong,
Assistant Commissioner of Lands and Works for the Southern Division of East Kootenay. 39-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that Ross-Saskatoon Lumber Company, Limited, of Waldo, B. C., occupation, Lumbermen, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about 30 chains south of the north-west corner of License Lot No. 8601, thence west about 110 chains to the east boundary of C. P. R. Lot 4591, thence south 50 chains, thence east 110 chains, thence north 50 chains to place of beginning, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Ross - Saskatoon Lumber Company, Limited.
Dated November 13th, 1907.
Time for publication of above notice in local paper extended to December 19th, 1907.

J. F. Armstrong,
Assistant Commissioner of Lands and Works for the Southern Division of East Kootenay. 39-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that Ross-Saskatoon Lumber Company, Limited, of Waldo, B. C., occupation, Lumbermen, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about 30 chains south of the N. W. corner of Lot 5808, Group One, Kootenay District; thence west 20 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence north 20 chains to place of commencement, and containing 40 acres, more or less.

East Kootenay Lumber Company, Limited.
Dated December 13th, 1907. 39-9t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF SOUTHERN DIVISION, EAST KOOTENAY

Take notice that George Geary, of Fort Steele, B. C., occupation, Livery Stable Owner, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the north-east corner of J. Sullivan's pre-emption, thence south 80 hains, thence east 20 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence north 77 chains, thence west 17 chains, thence north 3 chains, thence west 23 chains to place of commencement.

George Geary.
Dated December 6th, 1907. 38-6t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY

Take notice that East Kootenay Lumber Company, Limited, of Cranbrook, B. C., occupation, Lumber anufacturers, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following escribed land:

Commencing at a post planted about 30 chains south of the N. W. orner of Lot 5808, Group One, Kooenay District; thence west 20 chains; thence south 20 chains; ence east 20 chains; thence north 20 chains to place of commencement, nd containing 40 acres, more or less.

ast Kootenay Lumber Company, Limited.
Dated December 13th, 1907. 39-9t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF SOUTH-EAST KOOTENAY

Take notice that Mayook Lumber Company, Limited, of Mayook, B. B., occupation, Lumber Manufacturers, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted at the south-east corner of Lot No. 331, Group 1, Kootenay District, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains to the point of commencement, and containing 160 acres, more or less.

Mayook Lumber Company, Limited.
Dated December 7th, 1907. 39-9t

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I, Henry F. Landeck, occupation, Railway Agent, of Gateway, B. C., intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands

No. 1. Commencing at a post planted at the north-west corner of Timber Limit 6211, thence north 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 120 chains, thence east 40 chains to point of commencement.

No. 2. Commencing at a post planted about 40 chains north of the north-east corner of Timber Limit 6211, thence east 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains to point of commencement.

No. 3. Commencing at a post planted at the north-west corner of Timber Limit 6207, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, to point of commencement.

Henry F. Landeck, Locator,
Eathen W. Butts, Agent.
Dated at Gateway, B. C., December 7th, 1907. 38-6t

THE FINK MERCANTILE CO. LTD
CRANBROOK B.C.
MAIL ORDER HOUSE

Big Pre-inventory Sale

WE will take stock on Feb. 15th, and do not wish to show one item of winter stock at that time. We believe the prices shown below will have the desired effect. Winter Clothing will be required for three months yet, so if your wardrobe needs replenishing in any line do not delay making your purchases, because such an opportunity for saving money does not occur every day. Every item included in this sale bears our absolute guarantee of quality and satisfaction.

Men's Clothing

There is positively no better clothing on the market than Campbell's or Johnston's. We have no old stock. All of our patterns are bright and new. The stringency in the money market has placed almost every business throughout the country in a bad position, and we find ourselves no exception to the rule, so have decided to include this High-grade clothing in the sale.

These Prices Should Have the Desired Effect

Men's Suits, reg. price	$30.00,	Sale price	$24.00	Men's Overcoats "	28.00,	"	22.00
" "	24.00,	"	18.00	" "	24.00,	"	18.00
" "	22.00,	"	16.00	" "	20.00,	"	15.00
" "	18.00,	"	13.00	" "	15.00,	"	11.00
" "	10.00,	"	7.00	" "	10.00,	"	7.00

Carss' Mackinaws

Four Pocket	$7.50	Coat for	$6.25
"	7.00	"	5.75
"	6.00	"	5.00
"	5.50	"	4.50
Two Pocket	5.50	"	4.25
"	5.00	"	3.80
Long	4.00	"	3.00
Long Tweed	3.50	"	2.75

Sweaters and Cardigans

Sweater Coats, regular $4.00, For	$2.75
Cardigan Jacket, regular $3.50, for	2.00
Cardigan Jacket, regular $2.50, for	1.75
Sweaters, button collars, regular $3.00, for	2.00
Sweaters, long collars, regular $3.00, for	2.00
Sweaters, long, regular $1.50, for	1.00

BATH ROBES, JACKETS AND FANCY VESTS

Regular	$22.00	Robe for	$16.00
"	13.00	"	9.00
"	12.50	"	8.00
"	10.50	"	7.00
"	9.00	Jacket	6.50
"	8.00	"	5.25
"	5.50	Vest	3.50
"	5.00	"	3.25
"	4.50	"	2.50

Trunks, Grips, Suit Cases and Telescopes

We buy only in car lots, and are giving you the benefit.

Regular	$ 8.50	Trunk for	$ 7.00
"	12.50	"	10.50
"	14.50	"	12.00
"	16.00	"	13.00
"	18.00	"	15.00
"	20.00	"	16.50
"	22.00	"	18.00
"	24.00	"	20.00
"	7.00	Suit Case for	5.50
"	8.00	"	6.50
"	8.50	"	6.75
"	9.50	"	7.50
"	10.00	"	8.00
"	10.50	"	8.50
"	12.50	"	10.00
"	3.50	Grips for	2.75
"	4.50	"	3.50
"	5.00	"	4.00
"	5.50	"	4.50
"	7.25	"	6.00
"	8.00	"	6.50
"	9.50	"	7.75
"	13.50	"	10.50

Lumbermen's Rubbers

$4.00	STUB PROOF RUBBERS	for	$3.00
$3.25	"	"	$2.50
$2.50	"	"	$1.75
$5.00	GOLD SEAL	"	$4.00
$4.50	"	"	$3.25

Lined Gloves and Mitts

Horse Hide Mitts, reg.	$1.75	for	$1.25
" "	1.50	"	$1.00
" "	1.25	"	85c
" "	1.00	"	65c
" "	75c	"	50c
" Gloves	2.00	"	$1.50
" "	1.50	"	$1.00
Buck Gloves, lined	1.75	"	$1.25

LUMBERMEN'S SOX AND MITTS

$1.50 German Sox	for	$1.15
1.25 "	"	90c
50c Wool Mitts	for	35c
65c " Gloves	for	45c
50c " "	"	35c

Women's Shoes

We have a few Odd Lines in "Invictus," "Empress" and "Dolly Varden," which we wish to close out. These prices should do it.

Regular	$5.00	SHOES for	$3.75
"	4.00	"	3.00
"	4.50 and $4.25	Shoes for	3.25
"	3.75, $3.50 and $3.25	"	2.50
"	2.75	Shoes for	1.75
"	3.00	Slipper for	2.00

Men's Shirts

Regular $1.50 to $2.00
SALE PRICE, $1.00

Boys' Clothing

To move the last of this line we are cutting to much less than cost.

The China and Glassware Department Receives a Deep Cut

China, Pepper and Salt Shakers, regular price 12½c.,	now		5c
China Jewel Trays, regular price	15c.,	now	5c
" Spoon Holders "	20c.,	"	5c
" Cream Pitchers "	20c.,	"	10c
" Shaving Mugs "	25c.,	"	10c
" Teapot Stands "	25c.,	"	10c
" Jewel Trays "	20c.,	"	10c
" Mugs "	25c.,	"	10c
" Spoon Holders "	25c.,	"	10c
" Bread and Butter Plates	25c.,	"	10c
" Cake Plates, regular price	25c.,	"	15c
" Cream Pitchers "	25c.,	"	15c
" Sugar Shakers "	25c.,	"	15c
" Fern Pots "	25c.,	"	15c

Japanese Vases, regular price	20c.,	now	10c
Japanese Bread and Butter Plates, regular price	25c and 35c,	now	15c
China "Coaching Days" Plates, regular price	40c.,	now	25c
China Biscuit Jars, regular price	45c.,	now	25c
" Celery Dishes, "	45c.,	"	25c
" Shaving Mugs, "	35c.,	"	25c
Japanese Cake Plates "	75c.,	"	25c
" Cups and Saucers,	40c.,	"	25c
Japanese Bread and Butter Plates, regular price	35c,	now	25c

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LOCAL NOTES

PICKED UP ABOUT THE CITY BY ASKING QUESTIONS OF MANY PEOPLE.

D. McFarland, of Kimberley, was in Cranbrook on Tuesday.

Albert Mutz, the Schlitz of East Kootenay, is in town today.

N. E. Broley and wife, of Fernie, were in Cranbrook yesterday.

J. A. Harvey returned from Spokane on this afternoon's train.

Mrs. W. T. Haynes, of Fernie, was visiting friends in Cranbrook this week.

The Cranbrook-Fernie Farmers' institute has over seventy members already.

Dr. F. W. and Mrs. Green returned from their trip to the coast on Wednesday.

The Misses Erickson leave on Sunday for Vancouver to resume their studies.

M. V. Fraser and wife, of Kimberley, visited Cranbrook for several days this week.

A. F. Krapfel, manager of the North Star mill at Elko, was in Cranbrook this week.

There is an entire change of programme at the Edison theatre each Monday and Thursday.

T. C. Rein and B. U. Keir, of Souris, Manitoba, are registered at Cranbrook hotel today.

R. H. McCoy, of Bonners Ferry, Idaho, who is largely interested in timber limits on the Little Moyie, was in town on Tuesday.

Between fifty and sixty men arrived yesterday from Spokane and proceeded to Marysville today to work in the Sullivan smelter at that place.

A. Price, general superintendent of the C. P. R. at Calgary, arrived in Cranbrook this evening to confer with Superintendent Erickson, of this place.

Mrs. R. M. Willson, mother of I. H. Willson, C. P. R. agent at this point, leaves for Vancouver on Sunday to visit her son, G. D. Willson, who is ill in the hospital there.

Conductor P. P. Dingman and Mrs. Dingman, of Calgary, are Cranbrook visitors. Mrs. Dingman is here for the purpose of installing the officers of the local Rebekah lodge here.

The many friends of W. S. Ryckman will be pleased to learn that he is graduafly improving. Mr. Ryckman is at present in Texas, where he went some time ago for the benefit of his health.

No less than eight citizens of the Cranbrook district made their debut during the last ten days, including twin boys which arrived to make joyous the life of our friend "Joe" Walsh, of Fort Steele.

"Men's Own" meeting next Sunday afternoon at 3.30. Subject: "Oriental Immigration." Papers will be read, followed by a debate. All men are cordially invited to this meeting at the gymnasium.

The C. P. R. Quadrille club held their regular dance in the Edison theatre last evening. As usual it was well attended and everyone present had a good time. The McHenry orchestra furnished the music.

William McKenzie, of the Robinson-McKenzie Lumber company, is in Calgary employing men and purchasing machinery to enable his company to carry out the large contract which it has been awarded by the Grand Trunk Pacific railway.

The Robinson-McKenzie Lumber have received a new dynamo for the electric light plant at their mill. It will be installed in a few days. The dynamo was destroyed by the fire that burned part of the mill about two years and a half ago.

The following left for Nelson today to attend the lumbermen's meeting: Mr. and Mrs. A. Leitch, George Leitch, A. K. Leitch, E. Patterson and wife, James Ryan, V. Hyde Baker, D. R. Yates, C. M. Edwards, C. D. McNabb, P. Lund and A. E. Watts.

The rector of Christ church desires to thank those who helped to make the children's treat so great a success as it proved. Both tables and tree were well supplied with those things that children delight in. Monday evening, January 6th, will be remembered by the little ones.

When you start housekeeping get a Kootenay range. You will be better pleased each day of use. It's built to please. Sold by Patmore Bros. Good goods only.

Mrs. Jabez Harris will receive with Mrs. Garnet L. Patmore on the afternoon and evening of Thursday, January 16th.

David Elmer arrived in Cranbrook yesterday with his wife and family. Mr. Elmer has given up the idea of going to the coast and will locate permanently in Cranbrook. "Dave" has always been a booster for this district and now as a resident of the commercial center he will be more enthusiastic than ever.

J. G. Cummings and wife left this week for Southern California to spend the balance of the winter.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. King leave for Victoria on Sunday, where Dr. King will take up his parliamentary duties. Mrs. King will remain in Victoria during the session.

A. B. Fenwick was in town yesterday to attend the meeting of the Agricultural association. Mr. Fenwick is an enthusiastic agriculturist and a pioneer of the district, and has done much to demonstrate to the world the marvelous agricultural resources of the district, and the fact that he is taking an interest in the institute is a good thing for that organization.

J. C. Drewery, of Moyie, Rossland, Cowley and Montreal, is spending today in Cranbrook. Mr. Drewery has been for the last few months upon his ranch at Cowley, and has cultivated a magnificent bunch of whiskers. He reports the weather on the prairie is all that can be desired. Mr. Drewery will proceed to Moyie and Rossland to look after his mining interests at those places. While in the city he met many of his old friends at the Cranbrook hotel.

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Where each man plays his role.
The Optimist sees the Doughnut,
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We are optimistic. We believe in the future of our city. We are selling the goods and doing the class of work that will bring us trade in the future. Our work talks, and is continually making friends for us. When the people of Cranbrook and vicinity need anything in the way of steam, hot water and furnace heating, blower work and plumbing, they naturally look to Patmore Bros., as they realize that we are satisfied only when they are.

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THE FARMERS GET TOGETHER

A SUCSESSFUL INSTITUTE IS ORGANIZED

The organization meeting of the Cranbrook-Fernie Farmers' Institute was held in the council chamber last evening. There was a very good attendance, not only of farmers and ranchers from all over the district, but also of townspeople, who are interested in the development of the agricultural resources of the district. Thomas S. Gill, the chairman, explained the objects of the institute in a few words and the secretary pro tem., G. H. Ashwoth, read the minutes of such informal meetings as had been held.

The election of officers then took place with the following results:

President—Thos. S. Gill.

Vice-President—Wm. Hamilton.

Secretary-Treasurer—G. H. Ashworth.

Directors—W. F. Doran, A. B. Fenwick, W. B. Bush, W. P. McDonald and G. P. Tisdale.

Delegate to Central Institute—Wm. Hamilton.

Auditors—J. F. Armstrong and Edward Elwell.

Interesting talks on the commercial aspect of potato culture were given by Wm. Hamilton, A. B. Fenwick and T. S. Gill, and a resolution was passed appointing a committee consisting of Wm. Hamilton, W. F. Doran and John Hutchison to test the various varieties of potatoes grown in the district as to their keeping and cooking qualities, so as to arrive at a conclusion as to which varieties are best to grow. Talks were given on strawberry and small fruit culture by W. F. Doran and A. B. Fenwick, and E. Elwell and T. S. Gill spoke on bees and their relation to fruit growing. The matter of the fall fruit fair was discussed and it was decided that the directors of the institute confer with the management of the Cranbrook Park, Ltd., in regard to this matter. The question of Chinese market gardning was discussed and brought out many theories as to how to get rid of them. A suggestion was made to the effect that it would be well for the directors of the institute to confer with the officers of the various labor organizations and to ask their aid in endeavoring to keep the Cranbrook market for white farmers and gardeners. The matter of a farmer's bureau for the sale of produce was also discussed. The formation of the East Kootenay Stock association was taken up and its objects explained by A. B. Fenwick. They may be summed up as follows:

To obtain from the government efficient protection for stock that is loose on the range, by forming new laws where new laws are wanted, and to enforce laws already existing for the protection of stock.

To make representations to the government, that a mounted policeman is wanted to act in the interests of the farmers and stockmen of the East Kootenay valley. To make a combined effort to get all railroads to fence their lines and otherwise conform to the laws.

The meeting adjourned and then the directors held their first meeting and it was decided to the next meeting on February 29th, or thereabouts due notice of which will be given. At this meeting the report of the potato committee will be received and a paper on potato culture will be read by A. B. Fenwick.

LOOKING FOR MEN IN CALGARY

Calgary Herald: Here is a chance for some of the men who are looking for work to get jobs. William McKenzie, of the Cranbrook Lumber company, is in the city and wishes to engage 40 or 50 men to take back with him. These men will be given work in the camps with the company have in different parts of the Crows Nest and the wages he is offering is $30 per month and board.

The mills which the company control are running to the full capacity of their present staff and when they are able to get more men the output will be increased. When they get all their gangs filled up there will be about 150 men at work.

In addition to the lumber which the company is turning out they have a tie contract for the G. T. P. for all the ties they can give them.

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DEATH OF D. McLEAN'S FATHER

Duncan McLean, of the city police force, received word this week of the death of his father, Hector Mayne McLean, at Ottawa. The Herald voices the sentiments of the many friends of Mr. McLean in extending sympathy to him in his loss. The Ottawa Evening Journal prints the following obituary notice:

"In the death which occurred late yesterday morning of Mr. Hector Mayne McLean, of 108 Strathcona avenue, the city and district loses one of its most highly respected citizens, a man of great business ability and sterling worth. Intimately connected as he was for many years with the lumber business on the Ottawa, he became widely known through his interests in and dealings with the lumber companies. He was also the senior member of the firm of McLean & McAllister. About twenty years ago he sold out his lumbering interests, going to Quyon, Que., where he bought out large flour mills, remaining there for a number of years, entering largely into the life of the place. Selling out to the Dowd Milling company he moved to Eardley and later to Ottawa, retiring from all active business pursuits. Mr. McLean had, despite his large business interests found time to devote to municipal and federal politics, and in one way or another rendered real service to the localities in which he at different times made his home. He had filled the several offices of mayor of Eardley and warden of Ottawa county for over fifteen years, and for twelve years was mayor of Quyon. He contested the county of Pontiac in 1891 but unsuccessfully, with three candidates in the field, for the House of Commons. Born sixty-nine years ago, a son of Captain D. C. McLean, now deceased, he had been a resident of the Ottawa valley practically all his life. Married twice a widow, two sons and three daughters survive to mourn him. They are W. B. McLean, Brockville, Ont.; Duncan McLean, Cranbrook, B. C.; Mrs. MacFarlane, of California and the Misses Katherine S. McLean and Clara M. McLean, of Ottawa. Four brothers: Messrs. Archie, of Ottawa; Henry, of Eardley; Laughlin and Alexander, and one sister Mrs. C. Stewart in the United States also remain. Interment will be made in Eardley cemetery.

INSPECTOR SUPERANNUATED

After twenty years service Inspector Gill of the inland revenue department has been superannuated. He was succeeded on New Year's day by J. E. Maher, of Vancouver. Inspector Gill has frequently visited this city in his capacity of inspector, and is favorably known here.

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