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That Old Dinner Set

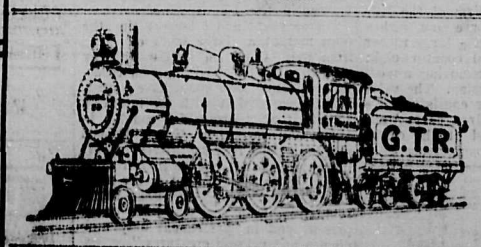
Has done good service. Anyway there are but few pieces of it left. We find the plainer sets sell best and so have just got in fifteen new dinner sets of ninety-seven and one hundred and fifteen pieces, all with neat borders and quiet colors. These sets will run in prices from

$15.00 TO $25.00

We have other sets in patterns and borders:

WHITE AND GOLD DINNER SET, 97 pieces, for $19.00
LIMOGES PATTERN DINNER SET, 97 pieces $18.00
WHITE BURLEIGH DINNER SET, with pale blue border, 115 pieces $30.00

G. T. ROGERS
THE GROCER



Boots, Shoes, Hosiery, Gloves, Mitts
Crockery, Cut Glass
CRANBROOK, - - - B. C.

At Yer Ain Fireside

You want your feet in comfy slippers that will rest your feet and give warmth and comfort. We have just such footwear.

CHILD'S SOFT SOLE KNITTED SLIPPERS 65c
GIRLS' SOFT SOLE KNITTED SLIPPERS 85c
MISSES' SOFT SOLE KNITTED SLIPPERS $1.00
WOMENS' SOFT SOLE KNITTED SLIPPERS $1.25
WOMEN'S FELT SLIPPERS, with leather sole. A good kitchen slipper 50c
WOMEN'S ALL FELT SLIPPERS 85c
WOMEN,S FELT UPPER WITH LEATHER SOLE. No wear out to this slipper $1.50
EEN'S CARPET SLIPPERS $1.25
MEN'S ALL FELT SLIPPERS $1.50

TRUE FRATERNITY EXEMPLIED BY THE ODD FELLOWS

THE ODD FELLOWS OF THE WEST SHOWED THEIR SYMPATHY FOR THE FERNIE SUFFERERS IN A MATERIAL WAY

Before the flames had been extinguished at the Fernie fire a Macedonian cry of distress was sent out by the Odd Fellows of this district asking for relief for the members of the order who had lost everything. In a most noble manner this cry was responded to and thousands of dollars came pouring in from British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba. The small lodges and the large ones gave as they could and each gift was a monument to the generosity of the fraternity. No Odd Fellow who suffered in the Fernie disaster was left uncared for. Himself and his family were given all that they needed to meet the necessities of the occasion and there is still more money in the treasury to give aid to those who are in need. These contributions have been a tribute to Odd Fellowship and have done much to bring about a proper recognition of the work performed by that order. Following is a complete report by Mr. William Harris, secretary of the local lodge, of the funds received and the disposition thereof:

Lodge.	No.	Address.	Amount.
Harmony	6	Ladysmith	$100.00
Pacific	20	Vancouver	100.00
Western Star	10	Vancouver	100.00
Vancouver	8	Vancouver	100.00
Mount Pleasant	19	Vancouver	14.50
Mizpah Rebekah	2	Vancouver	25.00
Royal City	31	New Westminster	100.00
Amity	37	New Westminster	50.00
Buelah Rebekah	5	New Westminster	10.00
Rossland	30	Rossland	100.00
Deborah Rebekah	13	Rossland	50.00
Greenwood Rebekah	18	Greenwood	25.00
Kootenay	16	Nelson	200.00
Snow Shoe	86	Phoenix	40.00
Duncan	17	Duncan	50.00
Phoenix Rebekah	17	Phoenix	25.00
Victoria	1	Victoria	100.00
Columbia	2	Victoria	100.00
Dominion	4	Victoria	25.00
Colfax Rebekah	1	Victoria	25.00
Chean	28	Agassiz	50.00
Revelstoke		Revelstoke	100.00
Excelsior	7	Chilliwack	50.00
Coronation	18	Armstrong	50.00
Union	11	Cumberland	71.00
Island	24	Eburne	25.00
Michel	54	Michel	150.00
Enterprise	43	Trail	50.00
Eureka	50	Enderby	25.00
Queen City Rebekah	16	Nelson	25.00
Silver City	39	Sandon	25.00
Tatnai	9	Kamloops	50.00
Ashcroft	2[illegible]	Ashcroft	50.00
Princeton	53	Princeton	32.00
Laurel Rebekah	9	Ladysmith	50.00
Centennial	20	Nanaimo	50.00
Miriam Rebekah	3	Nanaimo	50.00
Penticton		Penticton	18.00
Cloverdale	15	Cloverdale	35.00
Vernon Valley	18	Vernon	28.00
Grand Lodge		Victoria	500.00
Wildey	44	Moyie	100.00
Maple Leaf	53	Hosmer	51.00
London		London, Eng.	40.00
Edmonton	30	Edmonton, Alta.	50.00
Friendship	7	Edmonton, Alta.	50.00
Calgary		Calgary, Alta.	121.00
Bankhead	15	Bankhead, Alta.	50.00
Waskasoo	16	Red Deer, Alta.	32.50
Beaver	27	Stanley, Alta.	44.00
Strathcona	9	Strathcona, Alta.	43.50
Alex		Alex, Alta.	10.00
Didsbury		Didsbury, Alta.	20.00
Innisfail	6	Innisfail, Alta.	29.40
Golden Link	21	Nanton, Alta.	50.00
Sub Lodges		Winnipeg, Man.	250.00
Grand Lodge		Winnipeg, Man.	250.00
Canmore	38	Canmore, Alta.	38.50
Portland	37	Exshaw, Alta.	25.00
Ponoka	11	Ponoke, Alta.	25.00
Fort	14	Ft. Saskatchewan, Alta.	45.00
Foot Hill	13	Claresholm, Alta.	40.00
Aldrie	34	Aldrie, Alta.	25.80
Mountain View	4	Macleod, Alta.	68.00
Cowley	20	Cowley, Alta.	25.00
Medicine Hat	3	Medicine Hat, Alta.	20.00
Saskatchewan Lodges			479.10
Stettler		Stettler, Alta.	47.50
Pincher Creek	5	Pincher Creek, Alta.	113.00
Cascade	10	Olds, Alta.	17.50
Bowden	31	Bowden, Alta	14.00
Grand Lodges Alberta		Calgary, Alta.	253.60
Verilas	29	Vermillion, Alta.	10.00
Sedgewick	35	Sedgwick, Alta.	27.00
Millet	26	Millet, Alta.	15.00
Wetaskiwin	8	Wetaskiwin, Alta.	51.35
Alberta	1	Calgary, Alta	137.00
			$5488.45

I. O. O. F. FERNIE RELIEF FUND
Expenditures.

August 4th, paid T. W. Bell by F. E. Simpson	$100.00
August 6th, paid Hill & Co.	24.57
August 6th, paid T. W. Bell	35.00
August 7th, paid Mrs. C. Waylett	40.00
August 7th, paid Mrs. T. Bell	30.00
August 7th, paid I. W. Williamson	60.00
August 7th, paid F. Vance	65.00
August 7th, paid Mrs. W. T. Haynes	25.00
August 7th, paid Mrs. J. Carlson	25.00
August 7th, paid Mrs. Elson	15.00
August 7th, paid F. Vance	400.00
August 7th, paid Burns Bros	15.75
August 8th, paid R. Dudley	215.83
August 11th, paid R. Dudley	400.00
August 13th, paid R. Dudley	400.00
August 15th, paid R. Dudley	400.00
August 24th, paid R. Dudley	1000.00
September 4th, paid J. R. Devitt	2.00
September 17th, paid R. Dudley	1000.00
September 29th, paid W. M. Harris	2.75
	$4256.90

SUMMARY.

Receipts as per lists	$5488.45
Disbursements as per lists	$4255.90
Exchange charged by bank	.75
Balance in bank	1231.80
	$5488.45

W. M. Harris, Secretary-Treasurer.

ROYAL COAL IN GREAT DEMAND

MINE OWNERS CANNOT FILL ALL THE ORDERS.

H. N. GALER, PRESIDENT OF LETHBRIDGE COMPANY, PLEASED WITH PROSPECTS.

(From our own correspondent.)

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 26.—H. N. Galer, a prominent mining man, whose home is in Spokane, has been in Victoria for a few days, a guest of A. C. Flumerfelt. Mr. Galer was for many years prominently connected with the Granby smelter and subsequently was actively connected with the opening up and development of the International Coal & Coke company's property at Coleman, Alberta. He is now president of the Royal Collieries, Limited, whose properties are near Lethbridge, Alberta, and still retains the position of vice-president and general manager of the International company.

Interviewed by our special representative regarding the coal situation in the Territories and Washington, Mr. Galer replied that the International mines were working as steadily as could be expected in view of the difficulty in securing an adequate and regular supply of railway cars. The new battery of coke ovens, which were under construction this summer, were completed and are now in full operation, shipping their entire output to the B. C. Copper company, B. C.

"I have just returned from a visit to the Royal Collieries at Lethbridge," he continued. "This is, in the opinion of those heavily interested, one of the most promising domestic coal properties which has ever been opened in the west. We have, roughly, about eight thousand acres of coal rights, and before deciding on the site for our increased equipment, we made explorations of the coal formations by means of diamond drills. These tests were most satisfactory, and satisfied us that we have an enormous body of high grade domestic coal awaiting shipment. We constructed a spur from the C.P.R. line at Lethbridge to the site of our new plant, a distance of about five and a half miles, and the work on this should be completed and the road ready for operation by the middle of October. Work is being pushed on the construction of the plant and further development of the mine, and the result is that we will be in a position to ship 300 tons per day early in November. The present demand for domestic coal will necessitate very considerable extensions of our plant and shipping facilities before next season, but, as everyone knows, a coal mine can only be developed at a certain speed, and it takes time to work up to an output of a thousand tons per day, which it is our plan to reach by next season, although we could easily dispose of that tonnage today and at a handsome profit, if we were developed up to that figure."

"Not nearly so many as one might suppose," he replied. "The coal deposits are widely distributed, but in many cases when new coal fields are opened up and tested the coal is found be be of too inferior a grade to stand shipment or compete with the higher grades of coal successfully, and no field of lignite coal has yet been found in the west which equals the coal found in the Lethbridge field. At present most of the coal consumed in Manitoba is shipped all the way from Pennsylvania, owing to the fact that up to the present there has not been a sufficient tonnage of good fuel developed anywhere in the Territories. We already have a strong demand for Royal coal as far east as Winnipeg to say nothing of the market of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Southern British Columbia, which is being added to each year by an immigration of over two hundred thousand settlers. We cannot, of course, come anywhere near supplying the demand as it exists tdlay—for instance, we have had to postpone acceptance of an order from a large wholesale company in Brandon, who have offered to take regular shipments of 500 tons per day from us—but the present work of the company is being done with the object of getting the mine in a position as fast as possible to take care of this market, and if the day should ever come when we will have a surplus of coal not required for the Canadian market, we can easily enter the markets of Central and Eastern Washington, Idaho and Montana, successfully competing with coals now used there."

DIED.

At Fort Steele, Frederick, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Walsh, of Fort Steele. Little Frederick was one of the Walsh twins and Mr. and Mrs. Walsh have the sympathy of the whole community.

THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S VISIT

His Excellency Earl Grey, Governor General of Canada, spent several hours last Friday in the city and surrounding district. With the governor general were Lord Stanhope, the Hon. H. Benson, A. McDonald and Captain Pickering, of the 17th Lancers, aide-de-camp. The party were joined here by H. Lowther and S. E. Oliver. While here Earl Grey and some members of his party were driven to Fort Steele and the Mission by V. Hyde Baker, in his big steam automobile. The party arrived on the west bound Flyer on Friday morning and left on the delayed west bound regular at about 4 p.m. On the regular was a baggage car in charge of a corporal's guard of the R.N.W.M.P., containing eight saddle horses for the use of the party during their hunting trip. From here the party went to Proctor, where they were to be the guests over Sunday of Mr. S. E. Oliver at Sunny Glen ranch. From there, after visiting Nelson, they were to go to Argenta and up Hamil Creek via the Wells Pass and down Toby Creek to the Windermere country. After making a stay in that part of the country for some days they will return east via Cranbrook. The party were delighted with what they saw ofthe Cranbrook district and his excellency expressed himself as pleasantly surprised at the advances made along the line of fruit growing.

A TERRIBLE WRECK

One hundred and ten lives were lost on account of the wrecking of a cannery steamer, is the news from Wrangell, Alaska. There were 137 persons aboard the Star of Bengal and of these only twenty-seven were saved. The captain of the steamer charges the commanders of the tugboats Kvak and Hattie Gage with cowardice for cutting their tow lines while trying to get the ship to sea.

A special despatch to the Seattle Post Intelligencer from Wrangell says the survivors of the Star of Bengal have arrived there.

Mate Muir says he and Olsen got a boat off and went ashore through the wreckage. They pulled Captain Wagner out of the wreckage. The breeches buoy was rigged to a tree, but the ship was swaying so that the line was alternately loose and tight. One man had matches and a fire was built. This fire saved the lives of the survivors.

The following are given as the names of those among the lost:

Charles Buchanan, Carl Bore, Joseph Griffin, Andrew Hansen, Frank Healey, Norman Hawkins, George Hendrickson, Ben Johnson, Sigurd Nelson, Erik Person, William Perschke, Peter Peterson, John Peterson, Ola Peterson, Elonon Swenson.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF CRANBROOK

NOTICE

Any male or female being a British subject of the full age of twenty-one years, who carries on business in the Municipality and is the holder of a trades license, the annual fee of which is not less than $5.00 or who is a householder, shall be entitled to have his or her name entered on the Voter's List of the Municipality, provided that he or she shall during the month of October, make and cause to be delivered to the clerk of the Municipality, the necessary statutory declaration made and subscribed before a Supreme Court or County Court judge, Stipendiary or Police Magistrate, Commissioner for taking affidavits in the Supreme Court, Justice of the Peace or Notary Public, as set forth in the schedule of the Municipal Clauses Act.

This declaration must be deposited at the office of the Clerk of the Municipality on or before five o'clock (six o'clock local time) of the 31st day of October, 1908. The declaration must be delivered within forty-eight hours after it is made. Persons qualified as license holders or householders who are not property holders, must attend to the registration of their names. Persons who have become registered property owners since the 31st December, 1907, are requested to inform the undersigned at once.

T. M. Roberts,
Clerk of the Municipality.
Dated October 1st, 1908. 27-4t

EXPERIMENTAL FARM

An experimental station is a much needed institution in this district and the matter should be brought to the attention of the government. The fact that the climate of East Kootenay is different from that of any district where an experimental station is already established makes it necessary that the experiments be tried so that those engaged in agricultural and horticultural pursuits may have the benefit of knowing what varieties of grain, roots, trees and other products of the soil are best adapted to the climate of East Kootenay. No very large expenditure from the country's exchequer would be needed to carry out the scheme, because a small area of land would suffice and consequently there would not have to be any large amount of labor. The establishment of a station of this kind would meet with the hearty co-operation of all those engaged in rural pursuits in this country and many experiments tried at the station could be supplemented by field trials by the farmers themselves. This matter cannot be taken up too quickly because the sooner an experimental station is established the sooner will the farmers of the country be put in a position of knowing what to grow and how to grow it.

THE EDITORIAL CONVENTION

The annual meeting of the Alberta and Eastern British Columbia Press association was held in Nelson last week. If the expressions of the editors published in the press of that city is any criterion, they certainly had a good time. The next annual meeting will take place in Edmonton, Alta., in August next.

The following officers were elected:

Honorary President—F. J. Deane, Nelson, B. C.

President—Captain T. B. Thomas, Camrose, Alta.

First Vice-President—F. W. Galbraith, Red Deer, Alta.

Second Vice-President—E. Hagel, Lethbridge, Alta.

Third Vice-President—H. Cunningham-Morris, Revelstoke, B. C.

Secretary-Treasurer—D. H. Elton, Raymond, Alta.

Executive Committee—R. C. Edwards, Calgary; A. Wylie, Claresholm, Alta.; F. A. Schooley, Lacombe, Alta.; A. B. Watt, Edmonton, and F. J. Smyth, Moyie, B.C.

CONSERVATIVE MEETING

A. S. GOODEVE AND P. R. MACDONALD WILL SPEAK.

Tomorrow night at the Auditorium the Conservatives of Cranbrook will hold their first public meeting, which will be addressed by A. S. Goodeve, the Conservative candidate for the Kootenays, and P. R. Macdonald, mayor of Rossland, and other local speakers. Arrangements are being made by the local Conservative committee to make this meeting one of the best during the campaign. A general invitation is being extended to the people to attend and listen to a discussion of the political affairs of the country by the Conservative speakers. Seats will be reserved for the ladies, who are especially requested to be present.

REBEKAHS CELEBRATE

Last Friday evening the members of Maple Leaf Rebekah lodge, of this city, gave a most pleasing entertainment in commemoration of the organization of the order. There were a large number of guests present and everyone had a most enjoyable time. Songs and instrumental music helped to brighten the evening and at the close refreshments were served.

FIRE AT NEW MICHEL

On Monday night the new town of Michel was visited by a disastrous fire the reflections of which could be plainly seen from Fernie. The whole business section of the new town, which is not more than a year old, was burned out, including two stores, a blacksmith shop, two meat markets and a barn. The cause of the fire is unknown.

PREDICT SWEEPING LIBERAL VICTORY.

Albert J. S. Copp, of Digby, predicts that Sir Wilfrid Laurier will carry the whole 18 seats in Nova Scotia. He will make gains in New Brunswick and have as large a majority if not larger in the new house. Sir Frederick Borden also predicts a sweeping victory the country over.

A GREAT MEETING

MR. CURTIS AND MR. MACDONALD GIVEN A GREAT RECEPTION.

STANDING ROOM WAS AT A PREMIUM IN THE LARGE AUDITORIUM WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

Without a doubt the great Liberal meeting at the Auditorium last night was one of the largest and most enthusiastic meetings ever held in the city of Cranbrook. At an early hour both ladies and gentlemen appeared at the door and before the time set for the speeches every seat in the house was taken. Four rows of seats had been reserved for the ladies but even these were not sufficient to meet the demands, as the ladies of Cranbrook seemed to have turned out en masse to listen to the speakers of the evening. The Cranbrook band played in its usual good style and pleased everyone who heard it. M. A. Macdonald was selected by the local association as chairman for the evening and a better one could not have been secured. With a few appropriate remarks he placed the large audience at their ease and in anticipation of the pleasant programme that was to follow.

One of the bright features of the evening was the presentation of a bouquet to Mr. Curtis by Miss Mary Small. When the little lady walked forward to the platform carrying the flowers for the candidate the audience broke forth into round after round of applause and Mr. Curtis received the gift with that recognition which a gentleman always pays as a tribute to the beauty of youth and the kindness of heart which prompts such actions.

On the platform were Smith Curtis, J. A. Macdonald, K.C., leader of the opposition for British Columbia, Dr. J. H. King, M.P.P., M. A. Macdonald, chairman, T. M. Roberts, president of the Liberal association, A. L. McDermot, secretary of the Liberal association, Dr. Hugh Watt, of Fort Steele, Frank Angers and F. J. Deane, of Nelson.

Everybody present were loud in their praise of the electrical decoration prepared by Maurice Quain, superintendent of the Electric Light company. When the lights were turned on showing the pictures of the King and Queen and Sir Wilfrid Laurier the large audience broke forth into enthusiastic applause. It was a very pretty setting and the idea originated entirely with Mr. Quain.

After a few remarks by Mr. Macdonald, Dr. King, member for the district, was introduced and naturally was received with great applause. The doctor referred to the great work of the Liberal party during the last twelve years and predicted a great victory for the Laurier administration at this election. Mr. King hit the bullseye when he stated that the development of the west was evidence of the fact that the Laurier administration had been a success. He referred to Cranbrook and Fernie as examples of what the Laurier administration had brought to the west and challenged the opposition to show where prosperity has not reigned in Canada during the last twelve years. Mr. King's remarks were received with great enthusiasm and his popularity in this district was demonstrated by the manner in which he was received.

The next speaker was F. J. Deane, of Nelson. Mr. Dean is recognized as one of the hardest workers in the Liberal party and a man who has done much for the advancement of the Kootenays. His remarks were brief but yet to the point. He said he was glad to be able to support Smith Curtis and was confident that Mr. Curtis would lead the poll at the coming election, that Davidson would be second and Goodeve last. It would be a mistake for this district to send a man to Ottawa, who was opposed to the government. Mr. Deane's remarks were received with enthusiasm, as he is personally a great favorite in Cranbrook and has a host of friends here who are always pleased to see him visit the city.

J. A. Macdonald, K. C., of Rossland, was next introduced and his appearance aroused the great audience to testify to their enthusiasm by prolonged cheers. There is no man in British Columbia who was ever received with greater acclaim than Mr. Macdonald. For the past few years he has been leader of the opposition in the local house, and is recognized as one of the shrewdest politicians in the west today, as well as one of the best lawyers in Canada. He opened by paying a compliment to the ladies present, expressing himself as in favor of the franchise for the women. Speaking of Mr. Goodeve personally Mr. Macdonald paid a tribute to the gentleman, saying that he was a good citizen but at the same time one of the greatest oratorical acrobats shown in British Columbia. Mr. Macdonald took up the mining situation in Rossland and explained to the audience the real situation, showing that Mr. Goodeve at the time of the lockout on the part of the mine owners had authorized the appointment of special police to intimidate the people in that city. In his talks at Cranbrook and Nelson Goodeve had taken advantage of a quibble and failed to come out and honestly express himself as to the real situation. Referring to the settlement of the west Mr. Macdonald said that the immigration policy of the Laurier government was responsible for the prosperity of the west today and that that prosperity was going ahead by leaps and bounds. Referring to the timber question he said that 30,000 square miles had been taken by the Conservatives, for which they had not paid one cent and yet the Liberals were charged with buying 6,100 square miles and every acre of it was sold by competition to the highest bidder. Going further into the question of the present campaign Mr. Macdonald said that the Liberal administration had done more than was ever before done in Canada for the protection of the laboring man and keeping out the Japanese immigration. It was the Liberal party that put the head tax of $500 on the Chinese that had virtually stopped the Chinese immigration to British Columbia. So far as the Japanese immigration was concerned the Liberal party had accomplished by diplomatic acts everything that could be done to protect British Columbia against such an invasion and at the same time naintain the business interests between Canada and the Orient. So far as the Natal act is concerned Mr. Bowser and others know full well that it is not worth the paper it is written on. The Liberal party is the one that has brought Canada to the front as a great nation and through the work of the Laurier administration Canada is recognized today as one of the leading countries of the civilized world.

The chairman next introduced Mr. Smith Curtis and when he rose on the platform the great audience received him with round after round of applause. Mr. Curtis opened his address by thanking the ladies for being present and said it was one of the best as well as the largest audiences he had addressed during the campaign. Owing to the fact that he was the last speaker and that the time was limited, Mr. Curtis was forced to be brief in what he had to say. He spoke of British Columbia and was very emphatic in his statement that this province should be a white province and that if he was elected to represent the Kootenays nothing would be left undone by him to protect the interests of the white laboring man. He explained that the people of Canada were all shareholders in a great corporation and that we were all working for our own interests and that the result of the Laurier administration during the last twelve years was the best evidence in the world that the government was doing the best that was possible for the people of Canada. This was shown by the fact that Canada today was the magic word in the mouths of thousands of people who have been attracted to the north by the prosperity which has prevailed. During the twelve years of the Laurier administration there never has risen a single charge that Sir Wilfrid Laurier had made a dollar dishonestly or that he had consented in any way to a corrupt act. On the contrary Sir Wilfrid Laurier had said that if the members of his party had commited a wrong let the guilty party be punished.

Speaking of the delayed election Mr. Curtis in the most vehement manner declared that he han done all that was in his power to bring about the election in the Kootenays on the same date as the general election and that he had hoped that this might be brought about. He explained, however, that the writs were not received by the returning officer in time to send out the orders throughout the district, and for this reason the election would be held a week later.

Mr. Curtis spoke of the building of the Grand Trunk railway and the projected Hudson's Bay railway, showing that the Laurier government was in favor of progress and was in favor of the west as well as the east. Throughout his entire speech, Mr. Curtis was frank and open as to his stand on the political issues of the day and made many friends by the intelligent and honest manner in which he discussed the matters of interest to the people. When Mr. Curtis returns to Cranbrook, which he will before the campaign closes, he will have more to say to the people and will be listened to with great interest.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Berlin, Ont., Sept. 24.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier this afternoon addressed some ten thousand in Waterloo, most of them Germans, and incidentally introducing Mackenzie King, lately the deputy minister of labor, and now a Liberal candidate.

The premier told his hearers that he intended to take the first opportunity to submit to his colleagues that time had come when there should be a separate department of labor and a minister.

Reviewing the prosperity of the country under Liberal rule, the premier declared that Fielding's carefully framed tariff had given the consumer a substantial measure of relief, without making the country's resources suffer. "I am a free trader," he declared, "but I know we cannot adopt the policy without bringing disaster."

A WISE ORDER-IN-COUNCIL

The Dominion government has passed an order-in-council raising to $50 the money qualifications required by all immigrants entering quired by all immigrants entering Canada from January 1st to February 15th. At present each immigrant must have at least $25 in his possession on landing. The immigration office is doubling the amount for the winter months to check arrivals when work is not plentiful.

IS NOT RESIGNING.

A London special cable says that Lord Strathcona is still resting at Glencoe. Doctors say the accident to his hearing may not have permanent effect and that he may be expected to be as well as ever.

He states that the cable to Canada last week foreshadowing his early retirement has no more foundation than similar earlier statements.

LAURIER'S OFFER IS REFUSED BY C. P. R.

Montreal, Sept. 24.—Vice-President McNichol, of the C. P. R., refused to be drawn into any discussion today regarding the offer made by Premier Laurier in his Berlin speech to mediate between the company and its employes if either side desired it. "We have absolutely nothing to say," said Mr. McNichol.

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CAPITAL PAID UP - -	$4,925,000
REST - - - - - - -	$4.925,000

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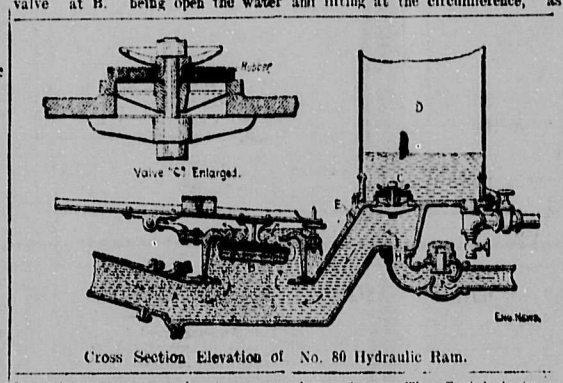
Hydraulic rams are in quite common use, but they are practically all of small size designed to raise but small quantities of water, and that to small heights.

The Rife Hydraulic Engine Co., however, is manufacturing an improved ram which is of sufficient size and capacity to deserve the name of engine. A section of the so-called double-acting or double-supply type, to be described later, is shown below.

Considering it first without regard to the double supply feature, suppose the opening at H. to be closed. The valve at B. being open the water



Cross Section Elevation of No. 80 Hydraulic Ram.

from the source at supply at more or less elevation above the machine flows down the drive pipe A. and escapes through the opening at B. At the moment when the flow through this valve ceases, the inertia of the moving column of water produces the so-called ramming stroke, which opens the valve at C, and compresses the air in the air-chamber, D. until the pressure of the air plus the pressure due to the head of water in the main, is sufficient to overcome the inertia of the moving column of water in the drive pipe. At this instant the column of water in the drive pipe has come to rest, and the air pressure being greater than the static head alone, the direction of the moving column of water is reversed and the valve at C. closed. The water in the drive pipe is then moving backwards, and with the closing of C. a tendency to a vacuum is produced at the base of the drive pipe. This negative pressure causes the valve B. to open again, completing the circle of operations. At the moment of negative pressure the little shifting valve E. admits a small quantity of air, and the following stroke pushes this air into the air chamber, which would otherwise gradually fill with water, the air being gradually taken up by water.

In many machines the mistake is made of making the waste valve B. sufficiently heavy to overcome the static head of water in the drive pipe. In fact most writers on the subject, state that the weight of the waste valve B. must be greater than the pressure of the static head of water on its under side so that it may open when the column of water comes to rest. In the machine which we are describing this would be practically impossible on account of the large area of the opening at B.

In this machine the valve B. is made as light as is consistent with the necessary strength; the negative pressure at the end of the stroke is relied upon to open the valve. With the largest size of this machine this valve is eighteen inches in diameter, and with a head of eight feet, which is a common head for use with hydraulic rams, the static pressure on the underside of this valve is eight hundred and eighty-three pounds. it can be seen that the great shock of a valve of this weight would rapidly destroy the valve and its seat.

The waste mechanism of the Rife engine consists of a large port with a flat ample opening and a large rubber valve with a balanced counterweight and spring seating, removing almost entirely the jar of closing. The valve C. in the air chamber consists of a rubber disk with gridiron ports and convex seats, fastened at the center and lifting at the circumference, as shown above. The effort is to transfer the shock from the power of the driving water through the air cushion with the smallest possible amount of friction and jar.

After closing the valve C. the pressure of the air in the air chamber forces the water in the air chamber out into the delivery pipe. With the Rife engine the manufacturers claim to elevate water thirty feet for every foot of fall in the driving head; the machine is built in capacities as high as one hundred and fifty thousand gallons per day, and the efficiency of eighty-two per cent is claimed.

The engine illustrated above weighs two thousand eight hundred pounds the diameter of the drive pipe, eight inches; diameter of waste valve, eighteen inches; weight of waste valve, fifty pounds diameter of delivery pipe, four inches; height of top of air chamber, seven and one-half feet.

It will be seen that the counter weight on the projecting arm of this valve permits the adjustment of this valve to suit varying heads and lengths of drive pipe. By adjusting the counter weight so that the valve is nearly balanced, the valve comes to its seat very quickly after the flow past it begins. The result is that the ram makes a great number of short, quick strokes which are much easier on the machine than slower and heavier strokes. Of course the stroke must be sufficiently powerful to overcome the head in the delivery pipe. The adjustable weight permits this to be effected with the greatest nicety.

For further particulars address or see H. Y. Parker, Cranbrook, B. C., Box 11, phone 171.

ALL OVER THE PROVINCE

The Boston News Bureau says that under the new management of the Dominion Copper company, mining costs, which include freight charges, have been reduced from $1.65 to $1.34, and smelting costs have been reduced from $1.60 to $1.32, and it is anticipated that the company will be able to show substantial profits on 13¾ cent copper.

The salmon pack of British Columbia this year will total 343,608 cases, as against 314,074 last year. There was an increase everywhere except at Rivers Inlet, where there was a falling off of 13,544 cases. The biggest pack was made on the Skeena river. The demand for sockeyes is good and prices are satisfactory. An oversupply of pinks has caused a weak market and low prices for that grade.

Captain Murray Thain, one of Vancouver's pioneers, died last week at an advanced age. Captain Murray came to British Columbia round the horn in a sailing ship.

Grand Forks will ship apples to Australia this year.

A. D. Macfarlane, who has been editor of the Greenwood Times for the past year has resigned for the purpose of studying law.

Fire destroyed the Trout Lake and Big Bend Telegraph office in Revelstoke last week.

James Coffee, the owner of the race horse Lucrece, who was here at the spring race meeting in May, is dying at the Jubilee hospital, Victoria, as a result of a kick on the head received whilst unloading horses from the S. S. Princess Victoria.

The Nelson assizes will open the first week in October.

Terence Congreve, a young Irishman, while a guest of the Union club in Victoria, stole no fewer than five overcoats, the property of members. He got six months.

The Golden Times has resumed publication.

The fruit crop of British Columbia will be worth $1,500,000 this year.

Nelson last week sold $85,000 worth of debentures for the installation of a second unit to the municipal power plant at 96 net five per cent. The by-law has just passed the third reading.

Thomas A. Edison, while in Revelstoke, said he thought that city had a great future. If he had only seen Cranbrook. What?

A pet deer belonging to George Munro, of Creston, has been sold to be put into Stanley park, Vancouver.

Chas. Bunting, of Grand Forks, is the Socialist candidate for Yale-Cariboo at the approaching elections.

It is estimated that by the end of this year Hedley camp will have produced two millions of dollars of gold since its inception.

The following report for the month of August, of the hospital work at Revelstoke has been published by the matron: Hospital days, 408; patients treated, 41; outdoor patients, 33; outdoor visits, 11; operations, 9.

The four-legged chicken, which for some time has been an object of interest in the city hall at Revelstoke, has gone on a tour of the provincial fairs, commencing at Vernon last week.

The steamer Empress of Japan brought in 416 Chinese passengers of which 43 paid the headtax of $500.

An Odd Fellows lodge has been instituted at Salmon Arm.

Colonel W. P. Anderson, chief engineer of the marine department, is going north on the government steamer Quadra, for the purpose of inspecting the proposed aid to navigation about the Queen Charlotte Islands.

A survey line is being run by the C.P.R. through the Pine Pass and also a line to Dunvegan on the Peace river.

Captain John Irving, who has returned from the north, says that shipments from the mines at White Horse will start in about a month, and that the shipments will amount to about 3,000 tons a month.

The Dominion government has purchased the ground adjoining the new post office in Vancouver to the north on which to erect a new customs house.

W. W. Leach, geologist of the department of mines, Ottawa, who spent the past season in the Copper river and Telkwa districts, is in Vancouver and brings news of the discovery and location of numerous coal sections on Morse river in that part of the province. The report of Mr. Leach's work will be issued next spring. Mr. Leach was chief geologist for the Crows Nest Pass Coal company for several years and has a number of friends in Cranbrook.

FOSTER, FOWLER, POPE & CO.

(Toronto Globe.)

Mr. Foster has been nominated in North Toronto, Mr. Fowler in King's and Albert, Mr. Bennett in East Simcoe, Mr. Rufus Pope in Compton and Mr. Lefurgey in Prince, P.E.I. They are nominated, and are out assisting Mr. Borden to bring about the reign of purity and the downfall of graft. Mr. Fowler got his nomination on Saturday last, and on accepting it made a speech defending himself against the charges laid at his door. He declared that all his proceedings in connection with his purchase of land from the Canadian Pacific railway were straightforward business transactions. He explained:

"Some years ago I bought in the open market a large tract of land from the Canadian Pacific Railway company. I bought it in open trade, just as any man could have bought it, and acquired it with the intention to sell it at a profit if I could. Is there any crime in that? Do you say that your representatives in parliament must not engage in fair and honest business? If that is the mandate you propose giving your representatives, then you will have to represent you in parliament only middlemen and rake-off creatures."

In view of this explanation, added interest will be found in the letter written by Mr. Fowler to his colaborer, Mr. Lefurgey, on October 4, 1902:

"Dear Lefurgey:—We have succeeded beyond our wildest hopes. We wired D. M., and he met us at the train, Toronto, and took us to his office, and gave us the route so far as located; of course, under cover of the strictest secrecy, so keep it mum, except to Borden, Bennett and yourself. We expect to have a wealthy Englishman named Lister, and Col. Pellatt, in the combine with us. We have increased the thing to 200,000 acres. On arriving here we interviewed Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, and have every reason to expect most generous treatment as to terms and price. He said we should get the best that was going. We want to arrange a meeting there when the party returns to Montreal. Tell Messrs. Borden and Bennett about the meeting. It will be necessary for at least two of us to go this fall and locate, as it could not be done in the spring, and that is one of the things that must be arranged at the meeting.

Geo. W. Fowler."

The gentleman whom Mr. Fowler and Mr. Pope met at the train was Mr. D. D. Mann, of the Canadian Northern railway. The information he gave was as to the route of that railway through the lands of the Canadian Pacific railway. Having got that information, they next went to Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, who appears to have been most gracious to them. Eventually a purchase was made of 200,000 acres of land along the line of the Canadian Northern, at $3.56 an acre. Messrs. Fowler and Pope do not appear to have put up more than $200 a piece. Messrs. Lefurgey and Bennett, who were in the syndicate, appear to have really put up a considerable sum of money. Mr. Bennett has stated that he put $11,000 into the transaction. Before it was possible to turn the deal over it was necessary to make another payment. In this emergency Messrs. Fowler and Pope were enabled to meet their obligation by a note signed by them and endorsed by Mackenzie and Mann.

Soon after this the speculators encountered Mr. Foster, with the trust fund millions of the Foresters at his back. He was manager of the Union Trust company, controlling the funds of the Foresters. Did he, as manager of the Trust company, deal directly with Messrs. Fowler and Pope? Ah, no; there would have been nothing for the boy in that process. It was necessary to create a toll-gate between these great personages of the world of high finance. A company called the Great West company was literally created, its chief personages being Geo. E. Foster, McGillivray and Wilson.

Messrs. Fowler and Pope sold to this Great West company, or, in other words, to Foster & Co., at an advance on the price paid or promised the Canadian Pacific railway of $1 an acre, so that on a capital of about $400 and a $40,000 note, these two eminent financiers cleared a considerable share of $200,000.

But Messrs. Fowler and Pope did better than that. They reserved the tenderloin of the area bought from the C.P.R., some 8,000 acres, holding it for themselves until prices went away up. In this their associates were not to share. There should be honor among—statesmen.

Mr. Foster's transactions are too complicated and ingenious to be told today. They form a story by themselves. The main purport in narrating Mr. Fowler's connection with them is to get his view as to what is a straight business transaction. In the quotation from his speech given above he asks: "Do you say that your representatives in parliament must not engage in fair and honest business?" He should have explained about buying a property at $170,000 and having the deed prepared as if he had paid $225,000 for it.

He also declared: "I sold my land to the Great West Land company, and I am glad to state that I sold it at a profit, too. That's what I bought it for."

Mr. Fowler is a prominent member of a party which is pursuing with malignity two gentlemen who bought land and timber limits from the government, and the chief proof of the alleged iniquity of these transactions is that they made money out of them.

There is another aspect. Messrs. Fowler, Bennett and Lefurgey are members of parliament. Mr. Pope desires to be. They received favors from the chiefs of two great railway companies which are constantly before parliament in one capacity or another. How could these men act evenly and impartially between the public whom they represent and the railway men to whom they were under obligations for the opportunity to make $200,000? As a matter of fact, at the most succeeding session of parliament Fowler was the most blatant opponent of the Grand Trunk Pacific scheme. He heckled Mr. Hays in the railway committee in a way that was condemned by all decent men who heard it. Was he expressing his gratitude to the rival railways whose kindness had helped him to a share of $200,000 and 8,000 acres of land?

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How soon the children leave us. It seems but a step between childhood and manhood. How soon they take this step and how often the eternal step from life to death. We little realize what the future of our little ones may be. Heaven kindly hides the book of fate. One word today idly spoken, may on the morrow, stand like clouds of fire, staring us in the face. One kind act which might have gladdened the little heart, is left undone. Tomorrow it may come back to our memory and cause many heartaches. If we knew that the little ones who are today annoying us in their childish fashion, would tomorrow lay still in death, how different would be our actions toward them. Let us be more patient, we know not what tomorrow has in store for us.

My young lady reader, if you are looking for your prince, just test his home conduct before you accept him. Don't be guided in your choice by what a young man be in your parlor, find out what he is in his mother's sitting-room. Don't judge him by how he can dance, or turn a compliment, or tip his hat, or carry your small bundle; find out how agile he is to do a service for his old maid aunt, or how he speaks to the women folks when his collars are not laundered to suit him. If he stands the test, catch him quick, for he is a rara-avis. Together you may establish a kingdom second to none but the kingdom of heaven—a happy home! For the home where mutual consideration rules, is bound to be a happy one, although it be the top flat in a tenement, or an adobe hut on the prairies.

The question which seems to concern this country particularly is how to obtain the most luxuries with the least work. Some of the five-hours-a-day fellows have fifteen-hours-a-day wives, which help out a good deal in a family, and sometimes a ten-hour-a-day man finds himself in possession of a no-hour-a-day wife, which assures "dough cakes" for that family. Time was if a man and his wife and children all pegged away at some useful industry, according to the early settlers, they would rise in importance as surely as cream rises on the top of a pan of milk. Nor is the good old plan of industry and economy yet entirely untrustworthy, though growing more so as the years roll by. Large house, fine furniture, elegant dress and equipage with no business or visible means to back it all up are everyday sights. One is often tempted to think there is not much difference between those who work and those who play, but that the balance is in favor of those who play. This is a natural conclusion from a superficial standpoint.

THE OLD MAID

In almost every circle of our kindred there has been some queen of self-sacrifice to whom jeweled hand was offered in marriage, but who staid on the old place because of the sense of filial obligation until the health was gone and the attractiveness of personal presence had vanished. Brutal society may call such a one by a nickname. God calls her daughter, and heaven calls her saint.

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Commencing at a post planted on the north-east corner of Lot 6820, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to place of commencement.

Jas. H. Drewett, Locator.
J. P. Robertson, Agent.
Dated this 5th day of August, 1908. 21-6t

NOTICE.

Take notice that I, William A. Rollins, will apply to the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Cranbrook, at its next meeting held after this date for the transfer from myself to V. Hyde Baker, of the license to sell intoxicating liquors by retail in the premises known as the Wentworth Hotel, situate on Lots 13 and 14, Block 94, in the said City of Cranbrook.

William A. Rollins.
Dated August 29th, 1908. 24-5t

MINERAL ACT
(Form F.)

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS

NOTICE

"JOHN BULL," "LAKE VIEW," "DOMINION" AND "PORCUPINE" MINERAL CLAIMS, SITUATE IN THE FORT STEELE MINING DIVISION OF EAST KOOTENAY DISTRICT.

WHERE LOCATED—THE JOHN BULL AND LAKE VIEW ADJOINING ONE ANOTHER ON ST. MARYS PRAIRIE, THE DOMINION AND PORCUPINE AT THE ST. MARYS MEADOWS, ABOUT THREE MILES ABOVE ST. MARYS LAKE.

Take notice that I, James A. Harvey, Free Miner's Certificate No. 1308, acting as agent for Ike M. Ely, Free Miner's Certificate No. "B17121," intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 27th day of August, A.D. 1908.
24-9t J. A. Harvey.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAND REGISTRY ACT
—and—
IN THE MATTER OF A PLAN OF THE TOWNSITE OF HOSMER, REGISTERED AT NELSON AS 772.

Notice is hereby given that an order has this day been made by the Honorable the Chief Justice, Gordon Hunter, for the amendment of the plan of the Townsite of Hosmer, said plan being filed in the Land Registry office at Nelson, B. C., and there numbered 772 and for the filing of amended plan unless objections thereto are filed with the Registrar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia at Victoria, B. C., within six weeks of the first publication of this notice.

The amended plan which shows the proposed amendments and petition may be seen posted in the office of the Government Agent at Cranbrook, B.C.

Dated this 12th day of August, 1908.

W. F. Gurd,
Solicitor for the Elk Valley Development Company, Limited.
First publication 27th of August, 1908. 23-6t

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS
(Form F.)
NOTICE

GRAPHITE MINERAL CLAIM

SITUATE IN THE FORT STEELE MINING DIVISION OF EAST KOOTENAY DISTRICT.

WHERE LOCATED: ON MATTHEW CREEK.

Take notice that I, G. C. Beattie, F.M.C. No. B6314, intend 60 days from date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a crown grant of the above claim.

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

G. C. Beattie.
Dated this 27th day of August, 1908. 23-9t

NOTICE

I hereby give notice that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to establish a public highway from a point on the wagon road near Fish Lakes on Lot No. 676, Group One, East Kootenay District being (0.72) six chains and seventy - two links north, eighty-three degrees east from the S. W. corner of Lot No. 676, Group One, thence (0.24) ninety-four links south, 29 degrees west to the southern boundary of Lot No 676, Group One, thence south twenty - nine degrees, west (0.36) six chains and thirty-six links, composing a portion of Lot No. 812, Group One, to the northern boundary of Lot No. 6036, Group One, at a point about (0.00) six chains from the N. E. corner of Lot No. 6036, Group One.

Dated Aug. 7th, 1908. 24-6t
A. J. Grez.

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

DISTRICT OF SOUTHEAST KOOTENAY

Take notice that I, Charles Klingensmith, of Elko, B. C., occupation, Hotel Keeper, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted on the east boundary of the Crows Nest Southern right-of-way, about 40 chains south of the S.W. corner of Lot 8746, Group One, thence running east to Elk river, thence following Elk River southerly to a point 80 chains south, thence west to the aforesaid boundary of the Crows Nest Southern right-of-way, thence following the said boundary of said right-of-way to the point of commencement and containing 80 acres, more or less.

Chas. Klingensmith, Locator.
July 8th, 1908. 17-9t

CRANBROOK LAND DISTRICT

DISTRICT OF EAST KOOTENAY

Take notice that Catherine McInnes, of Elmsmouth, wife of M. McInnes, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted at the intersection of the eastern boundary of the right-of-way of the Crows Nest Southern Railway, with the northern boundary of Lot 1142, Group One, Kootenay District, thence east along said boundary 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west to the eastern boundary of Lot 4142, Group One, thence south to the south-east corner of Lot 4142, thence west along the southern boundary of said Block 4142 to the eastern boundary of the right-of-way of the Crows Nest Southern Railway, thence south along the said eastern boundary of said right-of-way to the point of commencement and containing 480 acres, more or less.

Catherine McInnes.
Dated June 23rd, 1908. 17-9t

MINERAL ACT
(Form F.)

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS

NOTICE

BLUE BULL FRACTION MINERAL CLAIM, SITUATE IN THE FORT STEELE MINING DIVISION OF EAST KOOTENAY DISTRICT.

WHERE LOCATED—NEAR BULL RIVER ON FENWICK MOUNTAIN

Take notice that I, James A. Harvey, F.M.C. No. 1380, acting as agent for James T. Laidlaw, Free Miner's Certificate No. 6356, intend, sixty days from date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this fifth day of June, A.D., 1908.
19-10t James A. Harvey.

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. Entry by proxy may, however, be made on certain conditions by the father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of an intending homesteader.

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—Coal mining rights may be leased for a period of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 per acre. Not more than 2,560 acres shall be leased to one individual or company. A royalty at the rate of five cents per ton shall be collected on the merchantable coal mined.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior
8-29t

THE CRANBROOK HERALD

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Editor and Manager.

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The Herald is worth $10 a year. It costs only $2. No man in South East Kootenay can afford to be without it, and everyone living outside of the district, who is interested in the progress of this section, should read it. It publishes the news while it is news. It is controlled absolutely by the publishers. No clique, party or individual dictates its policy. It don't try to please the people. It's desire is to publish a newspaper that will be a credit to the community. Send in your subscription and you will be thankful ever afterward.

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If you desire to reach the people of South East Kootenay you must advertise in The Herald.

The Herald has a first-class job plant, and its work is of the best. The Herald don't want charity. It wants a square deal on your job work. If we can't suit you in quality and price, kick, and send your work to some Cheap John house in the east that never spends a cent in Cranbrook.

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CIRCULATION STATEMENT

I, F. E. Simpson, manager of the Cranbrook Herald, do hereby state that the pressman's books show, and that I have every reason to believe that the circulation of the Herald for the past three months has been 18,414 copies, divided as follows:

Issue of June 4	1,175
Issue of June 11	1,169
Issue of June 18	1,180
Issue of June 25	1,176
Total	4,680
Issue of July 2	1,184
Issue of July 9	1,159
Issue of July 16	1,177
Issue of July 23	1,175
Issue of July 30	1,200
Total July	5,895
Issue of August 6	2,900
Issue of August 13	2,500
Issue of August 20	1,200
Issue of August 27	1,194
Total August	6,894
Issue of September 3	1,225
Issue of September 10	1,200
Issue of September 17	1,200
Issue of September 25	2,000
Total September	5,625

Total for three months, 18,414, or an average of 6,138 copies a month.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of September, 1908, at Cranbrook, B. C.

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

OBSERVATIONS
BY THE OLD MAN.

The Herald deprecates that the elections for the Kootenay have been postponed for one week. It would have been far better for the Liberal party if arrangements had been made to have brought off the election at the same time as the general elections. So far as the Herald is concerned it is of the opinion that it is a misfortune to the party, yet the conditions that have prevailed in the electorial arrangements makes it necessary to defer the election. Both Mr. Curtis and Mr. Keen, the latter gentleman being the returning officer, were anxious to have the election take place on the 26th. Since this is impossible the proposition resolves itself in one way only, and that is that if Laurier is to be sustained then the Liberals have the advantage. On the other hand, if Mr. Borden is to be the next premier of Canada then the Conservatives have the advantage. If there is a protest from any Liberal it is a confession of the fact that there is a doubt as to Liberal success in the coming campaign. And the same absolute condition exists so far as the Conservative party is concerned. The Herald would much prefer to see an equal fight between Smith Curtis and Mr. Goodeve, and when it uses the term equal, it means that it would prefer to see no advantage to either party by the deferment of the election in this district. Every word said by a Liberal against a by-election is a confession of weakness and virtually a statement that there is no hope of Laurier being sustained on the part of the Liberal party. And it can be said with the same logic and the same reason that wherever you find a Conservative protesting against this delayed election, there is a Conservative who has no faith in the great cry that has been raised in regard to Borden sweeping the country. What is sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander, and no Liberal and no Conservative has any right to take the stand that it is to his party's disadvantage that a by-election is held in any constituency in Canada. It is well enough to be honest and fair in matters political as well as in other affairs of life.

The Kamloops Standard takes exception to the statement made by the Herald that Mr. McInnes would be elected in Vancouver, and says that any money that the Herald can raise sustaining that proposition wil be promptly covered. The Kamloops Standard is evidently not thoroughly posted as to the political situation in Vancouver. If it were it would never be willing to bet one cent that Mr. McInnes would not be elected.

Mr. Bowser, the attorney general for British Columbia, with his breezy Western style, is making good in his speeches with the Borden party throughout the east. We do not agree with Mr. Bowser in all that he says on the political platform, yet we are still pleased to include that distinguished gentleman among the bright galaxy of British Columbia statesmen who always makes good when they invade the cent belt.

The readers of the Herald are especially requested this week to read the letter that shows up the ignominious Foster-Fowler-Lefurgey combine for the grabbing of western lands by the use of funds trusted to the hands of Mr. Foster. These are the men whom Mr. Borden is supporting as representatives of a purity campaign. As the Herald has often said, no political party has the monopoly on morality or honesty.

We will gather two crops of bananas this year. The climate of this district is all right.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier stands today as the greatest statesman that Canada has ever had. He believes in Canada and he has devoted his whole life for the advancement of the country which he loves.

Duncan Ross will be elected in Yale-Cariboo. Martin Burrell is a good man, but he has no chance of being elected because he is not supporting the Laurier government.

Goodbye Goodeve.

If you notice what appears to be the Northern Lights in the heavens with a slight tinge of red, don't think that it is some unusual astronomical demonstration. On the contrary it will simply be the effects of the meeting between R. B. Bennett and Duncan Marshall at Calgary.

The Lemieux Act is the first piece of legislation on the statute books of Canada that gave the laboring man a fair show with the corporations in the settlement of industrial disputes. The act may not yet be perfect, but the Laurier administration that is responsible for the act, will see that it is so perfected that the laboring man's interests are properly protected.

The Calgary Herald asks what has the Liberal party done for Calgary and Southern Alberta. Where would Calgary and Lethbridge be today were it not for the good work done by Clifford Sifton in the immigration department of the government. Ten years ago Calgary was a hamlet and Lethbridge was a whistling station. Today, owing to the immigration induced by the Liberal government, both towns have become cities, and the whole of Southern Alberta has become a wealthy empire. Men who were virtually paupers ten years ago in that country are wealthy men today, and all due to the fact that the Laurier administration enforced an intelligent and practical immigration policy. That brought thousands of people to the prairies of the west, and millions of capital. What was a waste of prairie in 1896 was changed to a garden of plenty in later years. That is what the Liberal party has done for Calgary and Southern Alberta, and in doing this for that province it has created a market for the timber products of British Columbia. Is it any wonder that the people of the west are enthusiastic over a Laurier victory this year? Is it any wonder that the laboring men who have been given the best opportunity offered in the world today for prosperity, are lined up with the party that represents Laurier and progress? They talk about a tidal wave at the coming election. There will be one, and it will be in favor of progress and prosperity as has been so ably advocated and represented by Mr. Laurier during his administration.

T. Mayne Daly, who is running against Sifton in the Brandon district, represents the kind of progress they had in Canada prior to 1896, when people of this country were going to the United States to make a living. Mr. Sifton represents the kind of progress that has been experienced in Canada since Laurier became premier, the brand of progress that has made Canada a nation and one of the leading countries of the civilized world. That is why Mr. Sifton will be elected. The building up of the west is a great tribute to the intelligence and ability of a man who made a great reputation as minister of the interior of Canada.

Every railroad man in the Kootenays owes a debt of gratitude to the Laurier administration, since that government has increased his opportunities to secure employment by the building of the Grand Trunk Pacific, and looked after the protection of his rights by the Lemieux Act. It is better for every wage earner to stand by his friends in the coming contest.

The Manufacturers' association are spending thousands of dollars to bring about an increase of the tariff. That would mean an increase of 20 to 30 per cent in the cost of living for every laboring man in Canada, but no corresponding increase in their wages. The Manufacturers' Association are backing the Conservative party, because they know that the Liberal party will give no assistance whatever in adding to the burdens of the laboring man of Canada. No man who is working for a wage in Canada should cast a vote that would tend to add to his burdens.

If Mr. Borden would happen to become premier of Canada, then Fowler, Foster, Lefurgey and Pope will become cabinet ministers, and today no bunch of men stands more utterly condemned in the eyes of the people than the above mentioned. What is the use of Mr. Borden talking about purity in politics when he countenances the support of such an aggregation?

The Laurier government will be returned by a good majority, and that is why Smith Curtis should receive a large majority. The Kootenays wants a representative that will be with the government. To accomplish this end it will be necessary for the people to vote for Smith Curtis.

The Vancouver Saturday Sunset, an absolutely independent paper, virtually accepts the Herald's views of the political situation in Vancouver, and shows by the following that Mr. McInnes, the Liberal candidate, has a very good chance for election:

The Cranbrook Herald, independent, in a cynical estimate of the Vancouver situation, says this city always votes in the direction of its material interests. For that reason it presages the election of Mr. McInnes and reasons to that conclusion from the premises that the Dominion government is bound to be returned. This is generally conceded on all hands. If the people of this city become convinced of the return of the government, the Herald thinks Vancouver will return a government candidate because it will reason that a supporter of the government will get more for it than a member of the opposition. We may deplore such a condition of public morality, but there is no use trying to dodge the fact that the Canadian standard is just about on that level. People generally prefer to bask in the sunshine of politically immoral plenitude than shiver in a chilly atmosphere of political virtue. The opinion that the government will be returned is growing, and as that conclusion is reached just in proportion will McInnes' chances increase. We are in a materialistic age and the abstract issue which will turn the mass of the electorate from its material interests must be of greater moment than any which have yet been raised in this campaign. Especially is this the case when such issues as Oriental Exclusion and Better Terms are championed with equal enthusiasm by the candidate of each party.

Scandal pure and simple never won an election.

Kill off a lot of the dogs in this town Mr. Dow and confer a great favor on the average citizen.

The Conservative newspapers and speakers are doing more knocking against Canada during this campaign than ever was done before in the history of the country. It shows to what extremes they will go to get into office.

C.P.R. organs have not much to say on the strike situation.

There are a few walks and crossings that need attention before winter sets in.

Who said Cranbrook was not all right?

Keep boosting. It beats knocking.

The Lethbridge Herald is doing great work for Southern Alberta.

That Halifax platform of Mr. Borden will look like Joseph's coat by the time it is spread all over Canada.

Canada has become known to the world under the Laurier administration as one of the greatest countries on the globe. Do you want this condition changed?

What is the matter with the Cranbrook climate? Answer, nothing.

The banana crop this year was a great success. In fact it is far better than ever before.

You don't hear any kicks from Fernie these days. That town is all right.

Get your houses in good shape for winter so as to escape the danger of fire.

The Spokane fair opens next Monday and it will be worth the while of the people of the Kootenays to attend. There will be some great attractions there this year.

Smith Curtis will be elected. There is no doubt about that.

It is said that there are a few pimps and tin horns gathering into Cranbrook for the winter. A pimp is the lowest specimen of humanity the Lord ever permitted to live, and a tinhorn gambler should be given six months every time he sits down to indulge in a "friendly" game of cards. The police should make the winter too warm for such specimens of humanity in this city.

Keep looking at the doughnut of prosperity in Canada. The Conservatives want you to see nothing but the hole.

Give every speaker through the campaign a fair hearing. That is the right of the speakers and it is the duty of the audience.

The Hon. Mr. Templeman was given the unanimous nomination of his party at Victoria, and was received with great enthusiasm by the people of that city.

Keep your temper and don't bet more than you can afford to lose, especially if you are betting on Goodeve.

A Chinaman advertising in the Kaslo Kootenaian advises the people of that city to wake up.

It is alleged that Mr. Goodeve is taking P. R. Macdonald with him on his speaking tour so that the latter gentleman won't change his political views before election day.

Let well enough alone this year.

It is up to the young man who casts his first vote this year to stop and consider what party he will affiliate with in political life. Never mind how your father votes or how your grandfather voted. Decide for yourself. If you do you will naturally vote with the Laurier administration.

Laurier and prosperity. Why, certainly.

There have been no two to one bets in favor of Goodeve as yet.

How about that libel suit between the Vancouver Province and the Vancouver World? Is it off?

The Conservatives keep harping upon the wonderful increase in the public expenditures of Canada under Liberal rule, but have nothing to say of the increased revenue and business. That is characteristic. They can see only the hole in the doughnut, not the doughnut itself.

The Gateway International has made its first mistake. It predicts the downfall of the Laurier government. You don't really think so, sister, do you?

There seems to be no doubt that Mr. Bryan is making great headway in the United States. At least we hear more of him than we do of Taft. It would seem that the people of the United States do not take kindly to Mr. Roosevelt nominating his successor.

The story of the wreck of the cannery steamer Star of Bengal, on the coast of Alaska, is one of the saddest tales of the sea that has been told for a long time. The worst part of it is the charges of cowardice made against the captains of the tugs which did not, it seems, go to the assistance of the stranded vessel. This, however, is a point upon which judgment should be suspended until the whole story is told because men who go down to the sea in ships are not, as a rule, open to such a charge.

The first of October finds the Herald with an increased circulation. On the first of September the average monthly circulation was over 5,800 copies. Today it is over 6,000. The reason for this is that the people of Cranbrook and the district demand the news and the Herald gives the news.

Touching the loyalty of French Canadians. The first company that charged the Boers at Pardeberg were Quebec Frenchmen.

SIR WILFRID WOULD FINISH HIS WORK

Not many years now remain to me. The snows of winter have taken the place of spring; but, however I may show the ravages of time, my heart still remains young, and I feel that I have as much strength as ever for the service of my country. In spite of my sixty years, of which so much has been spent in the service of the Dominion, I am sure that some time remains for me yet to oppose those sinister combinations, and especially have I a tooth for the unholy alliance between the Castors and the Conservatives. Our greatest work for the advancement of Canada is the construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific, which means so much for our country's future, and with which I hope my name will be chiefly associated. The more we know about this line the more we see its advantages to Canada. In fact, its advantages are already being felt, as even now it is taking its part in the transportation of the western wheat crop. Within two years we shall see this line running from Moncton to Winnipeg, opening up traffic to new empires of the north, where generations yet to come will be able to settle and make their livelihood. I tell you in all sincerity that I want to carry the coming general election in order to finish this great work, and when it is completed I shall be content to say with the prophet of old: "Lord, now let Thy servant depart in peace."—The Premier at Sorel.

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JAPANESE CONSUL IN TOWN

Count Yada, Imperial Japanese consul at Vancouver, was in the city yesterday. A large number of Japanese residents of the city and district met Count Yada and a meeting was held in the evening at the Edison theatre, where affairs pertaining to the welfare of the Japanese were discussed.

LAURIER IS NOW INVINCIBLE

(Toronto Globe.)

No responsible Canadian will risk his reputation for intelligence by predicting seriously the defeat of the Laurier government. No man who follows closely the current of events will predict any significant decrease in the majority the government had in the last parliament. The more reckless of the Conservative newspapers affect to believe the words they publish about the decline of the prime minister's power and the ascendancy of Mr. Borden and Mr. Geo. E. Foster, but the men who write the words smile cynically at their own bravado. Each new day of the campaign adds to the triumphs of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and he stands invincible against all the slander and calumny of his enemies.

The fact is now being made plain even to the dullest wit in the Conservative party that when Mr. Borden gave rein to the Foster-Fowler-Bennett clique of obstructionists and scandal-mongers he lost prestige as a leader and blundered as a tactician. The Opposition shot its bolt, and now it comes back as a boomerang. The reaction against scandal-talk has set in. Independent opinion, both within and without the ranks of Liberalism, that might have thought favorably of Mr. Borden and his party has been disgusted at the campaign that is being conducted on his behalf, a campaign barren of constructive ideas, and rich only in insinuation and personal abuse. Men of the older generation do not forget the similar campaign of slander made against Alexander Mackenzie, whom now the same traducers of Sir Wilfrid Laurier are ready to glorify. Had moderation and decency been maintained in parliament last session and on the platform during the present campaign there might have been some falling away in the sweeping support given to the government four years ago. But the Foster brigade overshot the mark, and Mr. Borden, by allowing himself to be dragooned into adopting their scandal-tactics, will have to take the consequences. The reaction has set in. Laurier is now invincible.

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THIRD.—LAST AND NOT LEAST—We have just received a very large range of the

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We have just received a nice assortment of ENGAGEMENT RINGS, set in 14 and 18 karat, from $10.00 TO $50.00, with Diamond and Ruby, Diamond and Pearl, Diamond and Sapphire combinations; also the much sought after Solitaire. Our prices on these goods are very reasonable.

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LOCAL NOTES

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

Common chairs, 50c.—C. C. S.

Look for bargains each day at Hill & Co.'s.

R. E. Beattie visited Fernie on Tuesday.

Lester Clapp is building a residence on Baker Hill.

George Laurie, of Creston, was in town on Monday.

E. A. Hill, of Moyie, spent Sunday in Cranbrook.

California Tokay grapes at Fink's Pure Food grocery.

J. McPhail, of Mayook, was in the city on Friday last.

Robert Robson, of Mayook, was in the city on Saturday.

W. F. Gurd visited Calgary on business last Monday.

T. H. Hickey, of Creston, was a Cranbrook visitor on Friday.

R. H. Bohart and wife, of Wardner, were in the city last Monday.

Harry Mathers, of Fort Steele was in the city on business on Wednesday.

George Porteus is now on the staff of the Hotel Cranbrook.

Chas. Parker, the Cherry Creek ranchman, was in the city last Tuesday.

R. M. McClure, "Rocky Mountain Dick," was in the city last Saturday.

Edward Watts, of Wattsburg, was in the city on business last Monday.

J. Hanbury, the Brandon, Man., lumberman, was in the city yesterday.

Special bargains each day at Hill & Co.'s.

Ontario Red Roger and Concord grapes at Fink's Pure Food Grocery.

Judge Wilson returned from Fernie, where he had been holding court yesterday.

R. A. Campbell, one of Moyie's leading merchants, was in the city on Monday.

TO RENT—Furnished room with or without board. Apply Box A., care Herald. 28-1t*

W. R. Ross, K.C., M.P.P., of Fernie, was in the city last Monday on legal business.

Constable H. C. O. Adney, of Wardner, was in the city Monday on official business.

Better try a pound of our regular 40c. confectionery for 20c. Saturday only at The Palm.

A. W. McVittie and C. M. Edwards returned from the Windermere country on Tuesday.

The Conservative campaign committee have established headquarters in the Mighton block.

A large number of Cranbrook people are going to Spokane next week to attend the interstate fair.

James Laidlaw, B.C.L.S., was doing surveying work at McGillvray at the beginning of the week.

A. Sheppard, of the Crows Nest Pass Lumber company, of Wardner, was in the city on Tuesday.

Miss Ida Lowr will give evening classes in shorthand. Apply Herald office. 25-tf

D. B. Dulmage, of the Robinson-McKenzie Lumber company, visited Nelson on business this week.

Born—At Cranbrook, B. C., on Saturday, September 26th, 1908, to Mr. and Mrs. John Leask, a son.

O. Jorgensen left yesterday for Spokane, where he has secured a position with an electrical company.

All kinds of dry dyeing, cleaning and steam cleaning at the East Kootenay Dye Works. Leask block. 27-2t

Dr. Harvie, who used to practice at Moyie, has now established a practice between New Westminster and Vancouver.

George Willard, of Wilmer, who has within the last two years circled the globe, was in Cranbrook on Tuesday.

N. E. Broley, of Fernie, was in the city on Sunday and drove out to Perry Creek to look into the brick-making situation.

Special bargains each day at Hill & Co.'s.

S. F. Morley, Mrs. Morley and their daughter returned from Nelson on Friday where they had been taking in the fruit fair.

Golden Times: Dr. Taylor left Saturday for Cranbrook, where he will spend his holidays. He expects to be away about a month.

Common chairs, 50c.—C. C. S.

F. R. Morris went to Nelson on Saturday to take over the Chinaman who was sentenced to 23 months by Judge Wilson for theft.

J. H. Poff, the well known Vancouver life insurance man, was in the city at the end of last week in the interests of the Sun Life.

W. Henderson, of Fort Steele Junction, spent several days with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Beattie, last week.

Common chairs, 50c.—C. C. S.

R. E. Lormour, general freight agent for the C.P.R., with headquarters at Nelson, was in the city on company business yesterday.

S. S. Taylor, K.C., mayor of Nelson, stopped off at Cranbrook between trains on Friday on his way to Ottawa on legal business.

People who now tell us that our china display is the finest in the west. Come in and see the nice things.—Fink Mercantile Co.

A. Ward and Robert Huggard came in from the Swansea ranch at the end of last week and started on a hunting trip up the St. Mary's.

Special bargains each day at Hill & Co.'s.

Arthur Fenwick, of Fort Steele, was in Cranbrook on Monday. Mr. Fenwick predicts that this will be a good season for deer and other big game.

The Grand Chancellor Commander of the K. of P.'s., H. A. Brown, of Revelstoke, will be in the city next Tuesday visiting the local Pythian lodge.

Common chairs, 50c.—C. C. S.

The northern lights as seen for the last few days were probably the finest seen here for years. It is said that the aurora in the fall precurses a cold winter.

Stewart Bruce, a brother of Mrs. P. DeVere Hunt, is a guest of his sister and his brother-in-law. Mr. Bruce is one of Spokane's well known business men.

Common chairs, 50c.—C. C. S.

Dr. Taylor and Mrs. Taylor, of Golden, who were in Cranbrook for the wedding of Miss Armstrong, Mrs. Taylor's sister, spent a few days in Spokane this week.

The rate for a return fare to Spokane during the fair is $7. Tickets will be on sale from the 4th to the 8th of October and are good for the return till the 12th.

Special bargains each day at Hill & Co.'s.

George Alexander, of Kaslo, and the Hon. Angus Macdonell were guests of V. Hyde Baker on Monday. Mr. Alexander built the smelter at Golden some years ago.

F. F. Hannington, of the staff of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Fernie spent his vacation in Cranbrook and incidently visited his old stamping ground at Fort Steele.

This is the most satisfactory year we have ever had in our fruit department, which goes to show that the people of Cranbrook appreciate quality.—Fink Mercantile Co.

The parties who broke into my shack near the Standard Lumber mill last Saturday are known to me. If they will settle at once there will be no trouble.—E. A. Lesert. 28-1t*

The city council should put a man to work to drive down the nails in the sidewalks. The nails in a great many places are enough to trip anyone up and they should be fixed.

Common chairs, 50c.—C. C. S.

Dr. Taylor, who spent some days with Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong returned to Golden on Tuesday. Mrs. Taylor and daughter will remain some time with Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong.

Miss Dolly Davis is back from her trip to Alberni. Miss Davis says that Mrs. Davis is much improved in health since being on the coast and reports that Alberni is growing rapidly.

Look for bargains each day at Hill & Co.'s.

F. J. Smyth, editor of the Moyie Leader, was among the newspaper men who attended the convention at Nelson last week. Mr. Smyth went to Nelson on his way home from Spokane.

Look for bargains each day at Hill & Co.'s.

J. J. Correy, agent at Curzon, was in the city on Monday. Mr. Correy is an old-timer in Cranbrook and was here during the times of construction and has numberless friends here.

Albert Grez was in town from his ranch at the mouth of the St. Mary's river on Monday. Mr. Grez is going to devote his time this winter to the improvement of his ranch and buildings.

See our line of washing machines, which are giving such satisfaction.—Patmore Bros.

Frank Dickinson is making a great success of the management of the hotel at Lille. Mr. Dickinson is a good fellow and an old-timer on the Crow and gets along well with everybody wherever he is.

Common chairs, 50c.—C. C. S.

George Mead, Mrs. Mead and son, of the Creston hotel, Creston, returned from their vacation in the east on Friday last. Mr. and Mrs. Mead report having had a most delightful time while away.

FOR SALE—Two 15 H. P. Fairbanks-Morse gasoline engines, only run about six months, in first class condition. Apply Box 85, Cranbrook, B.C. 27-5t*

George Wilson and Carter McCorkill, of Farnham, P.Q., have been the guests of W. H. Wilson for the past week. Mr. Wilson is a brother of W.H. Wilson and he and Mr. McCorkill have been taking a trip through the west.

That suit wants pressing. Well take it to the East Kootenay Dye works.—W. C. Veitts, manager, Leask block. 27-2t

C. A. Solly, C.P.R. freight agent, who has been acting agent during I. H. Willson's absence in the east, is taking a short vacation in Spokane, from whence he goes to Macleod for a few weeks before returning to Cranbrook.

WANTED—Servant girl or nurse girl. Apply P. O. Box 15, Cranbrook, B.C. 27-tf

A. Grenier, who left Cranbrook some weeks ago for Vancouver, is duly established in that city as an "Artistic Awning Maker." His address is 121 Water street. In a letter to the Herald Mr. Grenier says he is doing well.

Chris. Turner, one of the lieutenants of the Ross-Saskatoon Lumber company, who was in the city at the end of last week, says that his company will start logging next week and get out between three and four million feet of logs.

Common chairs, 50c.—C. C. S.

The Fink Mercantile company received their invoices this week for their new Christmas importations of Royal Vienna, Royal Bayreuth and Limoges china. The designs this season are more dainty than any they have previously shown.

Common chairs, 50c.—C. C. S.

Walter VanArsdalen returned this week from a trip to the Boundary country. Mr. VanArsdalen says that everything in a mining way is looking up there. At Wellington camp, between Phoenix and Grand Forks, things are particularly good.

Winter is coming and your furs will want renovating. See the East Kootenay Dye Works. Leask block. 27-2t

Mrs. Wm. Small and family will leave at the latter end of the week for Spokane, where they will join Mr. Small, who has an excellent position with the Northern Pacific railway. Mrs. Small and her family will be missed by a very large circle of friends in Cranbrook.

Special bargains each day at Hill & Co.'s.

We can't help talking about our "SASK-ALTA," the new range. We are now placing these ranges in the best homes in the city. The people of Cranbrook appreciate a good thing and recognize in this range great value for their money. It's a pleasure to show it.—Patmore Bros.

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In offering for sale the new "SASK ALTA" range Patmore Bros. are putting into practice what they believe, that "Nothing is too good for the people of Cranbrook." Take a look at it and be convinced that there is "no better."

Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Green left last Saturday for an extended trip to the east. While away the doctor will visit the celebrated hospital at Rochester, Minnesota, and also the great hospitals of New York, Chicago and Baltimore. Dr. and Mrs. Green expect to be absent about five weeks.

In our common chair bargain this week, we will not sell more than six to any one customer.—C. C. S.

Michael Phillipps, who has been confined to the St. Eugene hospital for some time, as the result of a runaway accident, left for his home at Tobacco Plains last Saturday. Mr. Phillips has made a wonderful recovery and his host of friends throughout eastern British Columbia will be delighted to hear the good news.

Look for bargains each day at Hill & Co.'s.

P. DeVere Hunt, Mrs. Hunt and their daughter, Miss Kathline, returned from their European trip last Friday. Most of the time was spent in Ireland, visiting the relatives of Mr. Hunt. It is a good many years since Mr. Hunt was in his native country and it was Mrs. Hunt's first visit across the herring pond. That they had a good time is unquestionable.

Better try a pound of our regular 40c. confectionery for 20c. Saturday only at The Palm.

George Dorenbecker will start his cigar factory here about the middle of next month. J. A. Goupill will be in charge of the establishment. Mr. Dorenbecker is well known in the Pass towns as the manufacturer of "Crows Nest Special" cigars and is showing his wisdom in establishing a factory at Cranbrook which he evidently recognizes as a great distributing point.

Common chairs, 50c.—C. C. S.

A. M. Pinkham, who is leaving Revelstoke to take up his duties at the law office of Messrs. Harvey, McCarter & Pinkham, at Golden, was the recipient of a handsome gold watch and chain from his confreres, on Monday night. The best wishes of all Revelstoke accompany Mr. Pinkham in his new field of usefulness. Mr. Pinkham is a brother of J. F. M. Pinkham, manager of the Imperial Bank here.

Look for bargains each day at Hill & Co.'s.

F. J. Little, mayor of Creston, was a visitor to Nelson last week and reports that everything points to a great and glorious future for the town of Creston and the surrounding district as well. The auction sale of government lands next month is attracting widespread attention and everything points to the rapid development of the fertile country in the vicinity. As is well known, Mayor Little does all he possibly can to advance the interests of the country in general and Creston in particular.

P. WOODS & CO. HAVE PURCHASED THE DOMINION MEAT CO.

P. Woods & Co. have bought the business of the Dominion Meat company, which they will continue to run. Mr. Wood tells the Herald that in addition to the Cranbrook business he will continue the Marysville shop also. Mr. Wood is an old-timer in the district and a thorough cattle man and when it is said that the business will be entirely under his supervision it means that good goods and reasonable prices will prevail. A. W. Chisholm will be in charge of the store.

NEW FIRM IN TOWN.

The Raworth Bros., Arch. and Arnold, have purchased the business of W. F. Tate, the jeweler, and have taken full possession. These gentlemen are experienced jewelers and opticians and come to Cranbrook with the highest of recommendations from the eastern cities where they have secured their training in the business. The people of Cranbrook will find these gentlemen ready and willing to meet the business demands in their line.

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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

October 4th, 1908.

At 11 a.m. communion will be observed. Strangers or visiting members of other churches are cordially invited to partake.

Regular evening service at 7.30.

On Friday evening, October 2nd, at 8 o'clock a short pre-communion service will be held in the church.

On Tuesday evening, October 6th, at 8 o'clock a congregational social will be given in the Sunday school room under the auspices of the guild. The congregation and their friends are cordially invited and newcomers will be specially welcome. Refreshments, games and a short programme will be provided. An offering to help to renovate the interior of the building is asked for.

A special meeting of the Ladies' Aid will be held in the church on Monday afternoon, October 5th, at 3.30 o'clock.

C. O. Main, Pastor.

HARVEST THANKSGIVING

Last Sunday the Rev. E. B. Ryckman, M.A., D.D., conducted the services in the Methodist church, morning and evening. The Rev. gentleman is the brother of S. W. Ryckman, of this city, and has filled many important pulpits in the east for a number of years, and is now on his way to the coast to attend the mission board meeting of the church.

His discourses were much appreciated on Sunday, the evening service being attended by a very large number of people, seats being found with difficulty for late comers.

The church was tastefully decorated in honor of the harvest festival and church anniversary.

On Tuesday a supper was held in the gymnasium by the Ladies Aid to which over one hundred sat down.

METHODIST CHURCH

Children's service at 11 o'clock, also report of Epworth League work.

Sunday school and Bible class at 3 o'clock.

In the evening the Epworth League will take charge at 7.30. Short address. Bright singing.

Tuesday—Monthly devotional meeting at 8 o'clock.

Wednesday—Prayer service at 8 o'clock. Choir practice at 8.45.

Will members kindly note this change of the day for choir practice.

DIED.

At Fernie, Thursday last, September 26th, Mrs. Harry Saunders. The funeral took place on Saturday under the auspices of the Salvation Army. Captain Tanner and Lieutenant Holland, of Cranbrook, attended the funeral. Mrs. Saunders leaves four daughters, one a boy only three weeks old.

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News of the District

Written by Bright Correspondents and Gleaned from Newspapers

WARDNER

(From our own correspondent)

Mr. A. H. Wheler, representing the Western Canada Flour mills, was doing business in town last week.

Senators die but seldom resign. Secretary Scott, who is nearly a centenarian, is an exception.

Mr. Otto Wisner arrived home from Marysville Tuesday last.

Mr. Carlin, of Fernie, was in town Wednesday last.

The Kaiser is said to have the peace of the world in his hand, but as he is lame in one arm he is liable to drop it at any time.

Mr. Peter Lund, accompanied by his mother, arrived home from Camrose, Alta., Wednesday last.

King Edward is reported to be out of debt at last, a sensation that only a limited number of his loyal subjects have experienced.

Mr. James Kay, of Grand Forks, was visiting old acquaintances in town last week.

Mr. Green was in Cranbrook Thursday of last week.

A natural gas explosion blew up half a block in Brantford the other day, but the Hon. Wm. Patterson was out of the city and can prove an alibi.

Mr. N. A. Hill, representing Chaput Sons & Co., wholesale grocers, of Montreal, was in town last Saturday.

"Don't be a knocker," is a common phrase, but the successful knocker gets the money. Tommy Burns makes more coin in a month than the premier gets in a year.

Mr. Harry Cockshutt was in town Saturday last.

Mr. Martin Thorpe and wife, of Jaffray, were visiting friends in town over Sunday.

Mrs. Wilson and daughter Annie were visitors in town last week.

Mr. Richardson, who has had charge of the Wardner, Fort Steele and Jaffray missions of the Presbyterian church during the summer months, left for Toronto on Saturday last to resume his studies at Knox college. Before leaving Mr. Richardson was presented with a purse of money, accompanied by the good wishes of the people of Wardner.

Mr. John Breckenridge went east on No. 22 Sunday last.

When rural mail delivery is introduced something will have to be done to prevent the hens from using the mail boxes for nests.

Mrs. Geo. E. Henderson, Mrs. R. Zerbel, and Miss Bates were the guests of Mrs. R. H. Bobart, of the Wardner hotel, Saturday last.

Mr. Sharpe left on Monday to pay a visit in Lethbridge, Alta.

The following gentlemen, all interested in the Bull River Electric Light & Power company, were registered at the Wardner hotel last week: A. G. Critchfield, Rosalia; Robert Law, Spokane; W. T. Slinkard, Spokane, R. Zerbel, Hillyard; H. W. Bubb, Rosalia; Geo. E. Henderson, jr., Bull River Falls.

Mr. Erickson was in town Monday.

Mr. Rankin, chief tie inspector for the C.P.R., was in town Monday.

How would it do to make Tommy Burns a conductor on the Crow train? Ask Tom.

Mr. Claud Mortimer and wife leave here shortly for Alaska. Mr. Mortimer has sold his ranch here to Mr. Samuel Rogers.

Mrs. T. Gaffney and little daughter Beulah left last Wednesday to visit friends in Vancouver, Victoria and Seattle.

Mr. Griffin, representing James Turner & Co., was in town Wednesday.

CRESTON

(From the Creston Review.)

A sad accident happened near New Denver last Sunday. Herbert Cue, the secretary of the local improvement society, and Dick Blumenaeur, were out shooting, up a mountain, when a shot from Blumenauer's rifle struck a rock and rebounding entered the side of Mr. Cue, penetrating his liver. He lies in a precarious condition. Blumenauer is also in a demented condition on account of the accident to his chum. Both men are good sports and hunt regularly together. It took Blumenauer 24 hours to pack the injured man down the mountain to town.

Mrs. D. J. Speers and family arrived from Cranbrook yesterday on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Speers.

Rev. E. G. Heaven, who for several months has had charge of the Anglican mission here, has gone to Huron college, London, Ont., to finish his course in theology before ordination.

Messrs. C. and J. Huscroft have just signed a contract with the Y. C. L. company to deliver two million feet of saw logs at the Kootenay river landing near Port Hill this coming winter. They now have a gang of men cutting, and expect to start skidding on Monday next.

Dave Elmer, of Cranbrook, was here on Sunday. He is a booster for Creston. He has been initiated into the Bird Seed club.

MOYIE

(From the Moyie Leader.)

Jack Taylor, manager of the Co-Operative store, spent a few days in Creston this week.

Most of the miners and mill men were laid off at the St. Eugene for several days this week on account of the giving away of a portion of the foundation under the boilers at the compressor. The repairs are almost completed and by tomorrow the full force will again be to work.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Kamm arrived home last Sunday from their visit to Michigan.

H. A. Brown, of Sicamous, grand chancellor of the Knights of Pythias of British Calumbia, has sent word to Moyie that he will pay an official visit to St. Eugene Lodge No. 37, on Monday, October 5th.

There was a very pleasant party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lutner last night in honor of their son Arthur, who is returning to Spokane.

GATEWAY

(From the Gateway International)

Mr. B. A. Bryson, who relieved H. C. Smith as messenger has been on a hunting expedition in the vicinity of Rexford. Mr. Bryson brought in some fine venison.

Mr. D. Hoover, of the U. S. customs service, has been on a tour of Montana. Mr. Hoover visited some of the principal towns and returned to Gateway Monday morning.

Mr. A. Murphy left Tuesday morning for Spokane. He went via Fernie.

A. J. Joule, of His Majesty's customs service, visited Rexford Monday.

We are pleased to announce that Mr. F. W. Mitchell, of Flagstone, who has been suffering from an attack of typhoid, is on the road to recovery.

Mr. F. Lannigan, of the passenger train, leaves soon on a trip to the coast.

Mrs. and Miss McCannon, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Landeck and Miss Landeck left Whitefish, Mont., where they have been visiting Dr. and Mrs. Lees, early last week. They have gone to Spokane, where they intend to stay for some time.

W. Mills, F. Rock, E. D. MacDonald returned from a hunting trip to Gold creek Sunday. They brought in three deer and a number of birds.

Messrs. H. McGuire, G. Bardsley, C. Stephenson and H. Sharpe were visitors to town Saturday. Mr. McGuire reports that his father-in-law, Mr. Phillips, is progressing favorably.

F. Baney, of Eureka, Mont., was in town last week.

A dance will be held in the Gateway hall on Friday next, September 25th. All are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. E. Connant and Mr. Smith went from Rexford to Eureka Sunday.

Last week several officials of the Great Northern went up the line on a tour of inspection, passing through Gateway. In the party were Messrs. E. L. Brown, general superintendent; W. R. Smith, superintendent; S. Bowen, resident engineer; M. P. Fitzpatrick, divisional roadmaster, H. Whitney, assistant roadmaster.

Mrs. Frank Cahy returned Friday from Boston, Mass., where she has been disposing of her property.

Mrs. Burlingham and Mrs. J. A. Spencer came to Gateway Monday from their home on Sophie creek.

An electric car jumped the track at Rexford, Mont., Monday.

Mr. E. Connant, Great Northern operator at Rexford, came to Gateway on a speeder Tuesday evening.

H. Whitney, assistant roadmaster, went through Gateway on his gasoline speeder en route to Fernie.

J. Bruckhouser, of Kalispel, paid a business visit to Rexford and Gateway Tuesday.

J. D. Aye, of the Country Club, Baynes Lake, is convalescent, after a severe attack of typhoid.

THE IGORROTES WILL BE THERE

The attraction par excellence of all the various and novel show features of the Spokane Interstate fair of October 5th to 10th has been engaged by the board of managers in the persons of a colony of Bontoc Igorrotes, the famous "head hunters" of Luzon, Phillippine Islands. These "bronze Apollos" have only been in this country since the spring of 1907, are here with the consent of the United States government, and will live in their native village, built largely out of native materials brought all the way from the upper lands of Luzon.

In the village the men, women and children from the United States most distant possessions with weave their native cloths in which they clothe themselves after the fashion of their kind, will make spears, bolos and head hunting knives in crude native fashion, indulge in the head hunting and spear throwing and generally illustrate the weird customs of these strangest of all the strange peoples native to the Philippines.

There will be the various native huts, devoted to the married couples, the single men, the girls and unmarried women, the chief, and the poor men, and from an ethnological standpoint this exhibition, which is accompanied by the best informed and most accommodating of lecturers, promises to be among the most interesting on the Interstate Fair grounds.

A WONDERFUL RECORD

Do the business men of Canada quite appreciate the wonderful record of the Canadian post office under Liberal administration? Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, the postmaster-general, put the facts in most concise form at the great Niagara Falls meeting. The last year of Conservative administration produced a deficit of $700,998. There has been no deficit since 1903, and last year the surplus was $1,190,000. How has this been secured? By so reducing the rates of postage as to popularize the service in every branch. Here are the rates of postage on various classes of mail matter under Conservative and Liberal rule.

Letters to Great Britain and the empire generally—Conservatives, 5 cents; Liberal, 2 cents.

Letters to Canadian points—Conservative, 3 cents; Liberal, 2 cents.

Letters to United States—Conservative, 3 cents; Liberal, 2 cents.

Drop letters for city delivery—Conservative, 2 cents; Liberal, 1 cent

Papers sent to Great Britain by the public—Conservative, 8 cents per lb.; Liberal, 4 cents.

Papers sent to Great Britain by publishers—Conservative, 8 cents per lb.; Liberal, one-quarter of 1 cent per lb.

Behind all this comes the introduction of free rural mail delivery. That is the wonderful story of the Canadian post office under Liberal rule. Does it look as if graft had any place there?

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4. Because Mr. Borden is not sufficiently gifted to assume the great responsibilities of succeeding Laurier and of accomplishing all the great works conceived and executed for the benefit of the masses by the present government; and also because some of Borden's principal followers, who might be called upon to join his ministry, lack the confidence of a large section of the good old Conservative party.

HINTS ON FARMING

WARNING RE ALASKA WHEAT

Mr. Angus McKay, superintendent of the experimental farm at Indian Head, has written the Manitoba Free Press as follows regarding the Alaska wheat story:

"Sir—I notice in nearly all papers reports of a wonderful wheat being raised in the United States and no doubt being prepared to take in confiding farmers in due time. Those of your readers who have lived the half century will remember a huge swindle operated on Ontario farmers with a wheat called the "El Dorado," which was to revolutionize the whole world. In the County of Ontario such a well known farmer as the Hon. John Dryden was one of the unfortunates (with scores of others, among them, myself) who invested in that grain, only to find it a fake of the first-class.

"The El Dorado wheat was an exact counterpart of this new variety, and was for a year or two dangled before our eyes through newspapers, then agents went through the country and sold at big prices, stipulating that the entire crop from the seed was to be taken by the agents at a great advance in price over all other grain but when the grain was grown no agents or buyers could be found, and the notes given by the farmers having passed into the hands of third parties, were collected in courts of law. My opinion is, another big wheat swindle is being prepared, and I trust the settlers of the three western provinces will not be suckers, like those of Ontario were in the seventies. The El Dorado wheat was of no use for flour, and could not be sold except for feed. It gave no better yield than the ordinary wheat of that period."

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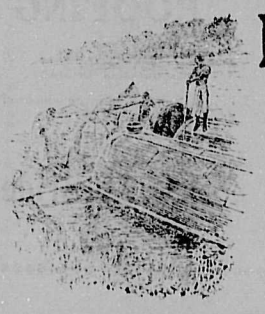

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OLD COUNTRY NEWS

INTERESTING ITEMS

A most miraculous escape from a fearful railway accident occurred on the Midland railway near Nottingham recently. The driver of a densely-crowded market train to Mansfield, who had resumed duty for the first time after illness, was seized with paralysis, and the train dashed through the Redford station at a high rate of speed against all the signals, and was switched down a branch colliery line just as the express from Bradford to London flew by. The fireman brought the engine to a standstill, and the driver was found lying speechless on the footplate. Robert Goodman, the engine driver, has given an account of his sensations on realizing that he was running past danger-signals, and was powerless to act on the knowledge. Goodman said that a short time ago he had influenza, but had been at work a week or two until the day before the accident, when he felt too ill to go on duty. He recovered next day and resumed his duties, but approaching Radford something seemed to suddenly go wrong with his head. He saw signals were against him, but felt very ill and strange and helpless. As the train passed the station he recovered a little, and realizing what was happening managed to apply the brakes and reverse the engine. Meantime, the automatic system at the junction had switched the train off on the branch line. Otherwise the train would have met the Bradford to London express at the junction, and a terrible disaster would have resulted. The train stopped a quarter of a mile beyond Radford, and officials who hurried after it found Goodman had lost the power of speech. Two days afterwards he said he felt almost well again. His doctor said Goodman's attack was the result of the after effects of influenza.

A notable restoration and replacement scheme has been carried out in connection with Hexham Abbey, Northumberland, which possesses the only complete and unaltered Saxon crypt in the country, and the original church of which was built by St. Wilfrid, about the year 674. The old Saxon church suffered severely from the invasions of the Danes, and its successor, dating from the thirteenth century, was harried and burned by the Scots a hundred years later. The nave was destroyed on that occasion. A few years ago Canon Sidney Savage, on being transferred from the vicariate of Jesmond, Newcastle, to the rectorship of Hexham, initiated a restoration movement. Through this the sum of £30,000 was procured in subscriptions, with the result that the nave, designed by Mr. Temple Moore in the late decorated style, and harmonizing admirably with the older portion of the fabric, has been rebuilt. Other interesting renovations have been effected, and these with the nave were consecrated by the Bishop of Newcastle recently and dedicated. The festival services lasted throughout the day, and were attended by a large number of Colonial and home bishops, who were present at the Pan-Anglican congress, the leading corporations of the North of England, Masonic and other bodies.

Across the ancient portals of Clifford's Inn, the last of the old inns of Chancery, which dozes in undisturbed seclusion at the rear of busy Fleet street, now appears an auctioneer's board bearing the legend: "To be sold freehold or building lease—99 years. Area about 38,000 square feet." The fate of this old inn, which is full of historical interest, is, indeed, hanging in the balance. Mr. W. Willett, of Sloane square, the owner, purchased it some time ago from the few remaining trustees of the old-time Society of Clifford's Inn. The price which Mr. Willett paid for the inn was £100,000. The first authentic record of the inn goes back to 1310, in which year it was granted to a certain Baron Clifforn by Edward II.

Whilst conducting the members of the Staffordshire Field club through the churchyard at Mucklestone the Rev. E. H. Hinchliffe told the following remarkable story of a grave. It was supposed to contain the remains of a madman buried early in the nineteenth century. Recently the ground was opened and it was noticed that the soil fell upon the coffin below with a hollow sound. The digger, thinking this unusual, reported the matter. The coffin was opened, and it was then discovered to contain not a corpse, but stones and sawdust. Whether the body was taken from the grave, or whether the clergyman read the burial service over an empty coffin, will probably never be known.

An interesting movement has been initiated for the establishment of a Celtic club in London. It is intended that the proposed club should become the rallying center for the various branches of the Celtic race from Wales, Scotland, Ireland, Isle of Man, Cornwall and Brittany. It is thought that people in London, who belong to any of these divisions of the Celtic family would respond by a large membership to the project for a club, which would enable them to meet together in a social way and help to advance objects of common interest. The club would afford opportunities for discussion on literary and artistic subjects, as well as other matters which would be congenial to Celts.

A large number of wasps invaded the shop of a manufacturing confectioner at Whitehorse Road, Croydon, Surrey, and made an attempt to swarm. On being disturbed by the proprietor they spread all over the place and became so troublesome that the shopkeeper had to give up possession and close the door. At night, when the wasps had settled down the shop was carefully entered and fumigated by the expelled occupant. In the morning the wasps were swept up by the shovelful.

Rabbits have become so numerous in Devon as to constitute a plague and the full extent of the damage they have done during the summer is becoming apparent as fields are stripped of corn by the harvesting machines. In some cases twenty pounds' worth of damage has been done in a single field. Strenuous efforts are being made by the farmers and their men to exterminate the pests during the present harvest, and thousands of rabbits are being killed daily. The rabbits do not come into the open until nearly all the corn is cut, and then as each rabbit is viewed there are loud "Holloas" from the harvesters, quickly followed by the reports of guns.

The death, at the age of ninety-four, is announced, at Miller Bridge, Ambleside, of Mrs. Jessie Clay, the widow of Rev. John Clay, vicar of Stapenhill, Derbyshire, for forty years. Mrs. Clay remembered to the last the friends of her youth, among whom were Wordsworth, Coleridge and Tennyson. On January 1, 1835, Wordsworth wrote these lines in her album:

"Small service is true service while it lasts;
Of friends, however humble, scorn not one.
The daisy, by the shade it casts,
Protects the lingering dewdrop from the sun."

The Carisbrooke, I.O.W., church bellringers, who went on strike for five weeks, because of a complaint from the vicar as to their conduct in not attending the church services, have resumed duty after a meeting with the vicar, when an amicable settlement of the differences was arrived at. Freshwater (Isle of Wight) church is, however, still without bellringers. They have not been to the church since Whit Sunday. The bellringers have been ordered to give up the keys of the belfry because they would not comply with newly-framed rules, which include voluntary service.

It is intended to revise Milton's tragedy "Samson Agonistes" next December in London, in connection with the poet's tercentenary celebration. This play was acted for the first time in 1900, when it was produced for the Elizabethan Stage Society, and was given in the lecture theatre of the Victoria and Albert museum. The performance was under the direction of Mr. William Poel, who will be responsible again for the stage management. Representations of the tragedy will also be given in Oxford, Cambridge, Liverpool and Manchester.

The Whitstable, Kent, authorities have decided to stop street preaching, and one Sunday recently a Baptist preacher and a Salvation Army officer were charged with causing obstruction by their meetings. It was contended that the Baptists had held their street meetings there for 150 years and the Salvationists for 23 years. Each of the accused was fined a farthing, and ordered to pay costs. In default of payment the Salvationist was sentenced to one day's imprisonment.

A drinking fountain, nineteen feet high, is being erected at Rayleig, Essex, to perpetuate the memory of Thomas Causton, John Ardeley, Robert Drakes, and William Tyms, four men of Essex, who suffered martyrdom for the protestant cause in the sixteenth century. The monument bears the inscription: "Erected 1908 by the Protestants of Rayleigh and district. 'The noble army of martyrs praise Thee.'"

The unusual sight of scaffold poles in leaf is to be seen at Hadleigh Round on a house in course of erection. Nearly every one of the scaffold poles have taken root and are sprouting. The explanation is believed to be that they were new poles which still retained sap, and which struck root during the rains in the early part of July.

After a lapse of twenty-one years, the Scottish Hight Court of Justiciary held an assize at Inveraray recently. For more than three centuries justiciary courts were held in this ancient and historic feudal town under the shadow of the great Argyll stronghold, the first court house having been erected in 1554. The records contain accounts of many curious and notable trials, the most famous, perhaps, being that of James Stewart (James of the Glens), for alleged complicity in the murder of Colin Campbell, of Glenure. It was this murder, as to the real perpetrator of which there has always been, and still is, doubt, that Alan Breck was accused by the Campbells of having committed. The whole circumstances, including those in connection with the judicial murder of James of the Glens, have been made use of by R. L. S. in "Kidnapped" and "Catriona," and are familiar to his readers. To a large extent both books were inspired or suggested by an old account of James Stewart's trial which fell into the hands of Stevenson. The building in which the famous Appin murder trial took place is now occupied as the offices of the Chamberlain of Argyll, a new court house with relative offices having been erected in 1840. Owing to the small number of cases of any importance which fell to be tried at Inveraray and the occurrence of several maiden assizes, it was decided twenty-one years ago to discontinue the holding of justiciary courts there. This year, however, the Lords of Justiciary decided to again include it in the western circuit. The old pageant was revived, the presiding judge, Lord Johnston, holding a levee in the morning and then proceeding in state to the court house. The judge had an escort of halberdiers and the local company of the 8th Battalion of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders furnished a guard of honor. The procession included the Lord Lieutenant (the Duke of Argyll) the Provost, magistrates, and town council of Inveraray, the local bar, the sheriff of the county, and the sheriff substitutes.

A few days ago four young ladies set off from Portree, Skye, to climb the famous Storr Rock, seven miles distant. The day was fine, but during the afternoon great banks of mist commenced to drop down on the tops of the hills, rendering progress difficult and dangerous. The ladies had not arrived at their lodgings when darkness set in and their friends became alarmed, but it was only about 11 p.m. that a rescue party was got together. They proceeded very cautiously, and after searching the hills for four or five miles from Portree a faint shouting was heard, which, on being followed up, turned out to be the missing party. The young ladies were found near a fresh water lake in a most exhausted condition. Restoratives were applied, and the journey to Portree was accomplished with difficulty early next morning. Two of the ladies suffered afterwards from nervous shock.

A postman in Edinburgh has accomplished the extraordinary feat of swallowing stones and iron. He was undergoing imprisonment and it is reported had recourse to a strange method to do away with himself, first by swallowed a portion of a blanket and next twenty-four iron pins, each about two inches long, a considerable number of stones and pieces of iron, and last but not least he smashed his water jug and swallowed the pieces. He was disbelieved when he told the prison officials, but in the infirmary the materials were located in him by means of the X-ray, and by a mechanical process the ejection was obtained from him of a number of iron pins, stones, and broken bits of the handle of the water-jug, and other things, including a flat piece of iron, an inch and a half square. Notwithstanding having swallowed these various things his condition seems normal.

The excitement caused in the post offices of Glasgow and Edinburgh in June last over the disappearance of £150 in sovereigns and half-sovereigns belonging to the Royal Bank of Scotland which had gone astray in the parcel post will readily be recalled, also the solution of the mystery when the gold turned up in a box of caps consigned per parcel post by a Glasgow hatter to a young Musselburgh butcher. A letter has been received by the butcher in question from the secretary of the general post office, London, conveying the thanks of the postmaster general for his honesty and promptitude in restoring the gold to the postal officials through the police, and enclosing a reward of £7 10s.

The 'Timmer" fair, one of the oldest established in the north, was held in Castle street, Aberdeen, recently. The weather was fair, though dull, and throughout the day the market was very largely patronized, the attendance being particularly large in the afternoon, when all the public schools were closed. In some parts of the market there were quantities of the goods from which the fair derived its name—wooden brose caups, spoons, bread rollers, "spurtles," potato mashers, fir faggots, etc.—but the great majority of the numerous stalls were devoted to the sale of fruits and toys. There was a plentiful supply of fruit, but prices were well maintained, as the demand was brisk.

The anniversary of Scott's birth was celebrated at Melrose recently, when, on the invitation of the directors of the Waverly Hydropathic, a numerous company attended an "at home" in the gardens. An oration on Scott was delivered by the Rev. R. Armstrong, late of St. John's Vale, Keswick. In the course of his speech, Mr. Armstrong described what Scott had done for Scotland in lifting it out of its obscurity. Before his day the outside world regarded Scotland as a land covered with dreary mountains, and invested with mists and gloom, but with the publication of the "Lay of the Last Minstrel," a new era of thought and feeling dawned.

Whilst opening an old disused well in the southern moorlands of Inverness recently, the upper millstone of a quern was discovered. It is rather a primitive specimen, and was probably concealed where found at the time of some anticipated search by the now defunct Preventive force. There are no dwellings in the district where it was found, but there are traces of shielings and crofts. The stone or rock of which it it composed is of the Grampian formation, and the relic of a past civilization may be 1,000 years old, or even more.

While a Wishaw, Lanarkshire, child, aged fifteen months, was playing with a penny watch some days ago he put it in his mouth, and the toy, which was about the size of a half crown, stuck in his throat. An attempt to take out the watch resulted in the child swallowing it. He was successfully treated in Glasgow Western infirmary, where the toy was removed within an hour and a half of the accident taking place.

WHAT THE ADVANCE MAN SAYS

Conspicuous for sagacious management and for the success of their company, presenting "The Holy City" Willis & Cosgrove have with this season's production excelled in theatrical endeavor. In this great Biblical drama, which will be presented at the Auditorium October 17th, there is combined such wealth of acting, allegory, music and spectacle, as has rarely if ever been seen. The possibilities for dramatic effect with which the thrilling narrative of John, the Baptist abounds, have been utilized with great skill and apparently unlimited cost. The acting company is noted for its integral brilliancy; the scenes present history in radiant splendor; the stage paraphernalia, all of which is carried by the company, being of impressive beauty. The integrity of its management first called public attention to the play; its matchless performances are carrying those endorsements which honesty of purpose and skillful design command. The presentation of "The Holy City" here will be eagerly anticipated, inasmuch as the well known and intensely artistic Miss Mabel Mohr will be seen as "Salome," the beautiful daughter of Herodias. Mr. Harold Nelson has been engaged to head the company as Marius, a Roman soldier, supported by Frederick Clarke.

B. C. RETURNING OFFICERS

Ottawa, Sept. 22.—The following have been appointed returning officers for British Columbia constituencies for the approaching Dominion elections.

Vancouver—Thomas H. MacKay.

Comox-Atlin—James Lipscombe, of Nanaimo.

Kootenay—John Keen, of Kaslo.

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George Hannant, Applicant
Dated Sept. 1, 1908. 24-9t

NOTICE OF MEETING

Notice is hereby given that it is the intention of the "Cranbrook Lodge, Number 34, Independent Order of Odd Fellows," to apply to the Lieutenant Governor-in-Council, pursuant to the Benevolent Societies Act, for authority to change the name of the said lodge as herein before stated, and to adopt the name of "Key City Lodge, Number 42, Independent Order of Odd Fellows."

And take further notice that a meeting of the said lodge of Odd Fellows will be held on the th day of October, 1908, to determine the action to be taken.

Dated this 5th day of September, 1908.

W. N. Harris,
25-4t Secretary.

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I, Percy Thomas Haywood, of Cranbrook, Wood Merchant, intend to apply to the Commissioner of Lands and Works of B. C. for permission to purchase the following described lands:

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WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. W. F. Gurd, City. 28-tf

Sid Liddicoatt and Charles McEachern were over from Spokane this week.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. G. W. Patmore, Baker Hill. 28-1t

Charles McNabb, manager of the Baker Lumber company, is in the city today.

The Conservative committee rooms have been established in the Mighton block. W. A. Rollins is in charge of the rooms.

A. K. Leitch returned last week from a tour of the east. While away Mr. Leitch visited Chicago, Toronto, Montreal, Ottawa and Oak Lake, Man.

Mrs. W. D. Hill returned from the coast at the beginning of the week and will go back with the children and remain there for a indefinite period owing to the ill-health of Mr. Hill.

The first annual meeting of the shareholders of the Cranbrook Trading company, Limited, was held last Monday in the office of J. A. Harvey. The following officers were elected: J. F. Bridges, president; F. H. Dezall, vice-president, A. D. Bridges, secretary-treasurer; C. E. Morfitt, manager.

WINTER TRAIN SCHEDULE

A double daily service between Vancouver and eastern points during the winter months is planned by the C. P. R., and will probably go into effect on Sunday, October 11th. Says the Vancouver News-Advertiser. At present a double daily service is maintained during the summer months only, but owing to the increased travel of the past year the officials of the company have decided to have the double daily train service in operation throughout the winter.

The present service will be discontinued on Saturday, October 10th, and the following day the winter time card will go into effect, according to present plans. Although the traffic department has not yet announced the new winter time table, it is understood that trains will depart from here at 9 a.m. and 3.15 p.m., No. 2 train leaving in the morning and No. 96 in the afternoon. Train No. 97 will probably arrive here at 1 o'clock p.m. In the event of the latter train being a fixture on the new card it will enable passengers arriving from the interior and eastern points to make immediate connections with a steamer for Victoria and Seattle, the C. P. R. steamer Princess Victoria leaving here every night at 10 o'clock for Victoria and Seattle.

CAUGHT IN ENGLAND

It will be remembered that some few years ago two Syrian priests were through this part of the country collecting contributions for churches and schools in their country. The following from The Standard of Empire, London, may throw some light on the subject:

"Two Syrians, named Emmanuel and Nwiya, natives of Kurdistan, described as priest and deacon, were sentenced to two months' imprisonment at Stafford for collecting charitable contributions by false pretences. They obtained money from local clergymen by producing letters purporting to be written by the Archbishop of Kurdistan, and stating they were collecting funds for churches and schools in that diocese. The Rev. F. W. Heazell, secretary to the Archbishop of Canterbury's Syrian mission, said the men were Christians and in holy orders. Previous to coming to England they had toured Canada and Ireland. Their mission was a bogus one."

TATE SELLS OUT

W. F. Tate has sold out his jewelry business to Raworth Brothers. The Herald is sorry to see Mr. Tate leave town for many reasons, the principal one of which is that Cranbrook never had a better citizen. Mr. Tate was the pioneer watchmaker of this city, coming almost as soon as the steel of the Crows Nest branch reached here, and has been in business here ever since. Always a hard worker, of late he has worked too hard, and his physicians tell him that a rest of from three to six months is an absolute necessity for him. In consequence of this he decided to sell out and the transfer was made last Thursday. Raworth Brothers are thoroughly up in their business which they learned in the best houses in their line in England and they come to Cranbrook with the highest possible recommendations.

CONSERVATIVE MEETINGS

A. S. Goodeve, Conservative candidate for the Kootenays, spoke last Monday at Creston, on Tuesday at Moyie and yesterday at Fernie. Tonight he speaks at Michel and tomorrow here. Besides Mr. Goodeve, P. R. Macdonald, mayor of Rossland and local speakers will address the meeting. On Saturday night a meeting will be held at Hosmer.

DIED.

At the St. Eugene hospital, last Friday, September 25th, M. M. Pennycoich, of typhoid fever. Mr. Pennycoich was for some time chief of the Fernie police. He was taken ill about three weeks ago and his illness terminated fatally. The body is in charge of W. R. Beatty, the undertaker, who is awaiting instructions from the east as to its disposition.

THE PICTURES.

At the Edison this week the pictures have been particularly good. Don Juan, a really beautiful interpretation of Byron's poem, filled the house on Monday and Tuesday. Tonight and Saturday Sappho will be the feature film. The illustrated songs are, as usual, thoroughly up to the mark and well rendered by Mrs. Devett.

THANKSGIVING DAY

Ottawa, Sept. 24.—November 9th has been definitely settled as the date for Thanksgiving day this year.

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THE MINING, MILLING, AGRICULTURAL AND FINANCIAL CENTER OF EAST KOOTENAY

LOCATION

Cranbrook is situated between the main range of the Rocky Mountains and the Purcell range on a plateau, known as St. Joseph's prairie. Its location is distinctly picturesque, the views to be obtained in all directions having no superiors in the province of British Columbia.

CLIMATE

Cranbrook altitude is 2,987 feet above sea level. The climate is an ideal one. The snowfall is, as a rule, light. Spring opens early. The summers are pleasant, the temperature always declining at nightfall. The Cranbrook district is noted for its bracing atmosphere and almost perpetual sunshine.

FRUIT

As a fruit country the Cranbrook district is unsurpassed. Although, at the present time, but few orchards are of bearing age, still those few have shown what can be done along the lines of fruit cultivation. The Cranbrook district has a larger area of undeveloped fruit land than any other district in British Columbia. Fruit lands may still be purchased at a reasonable purchase price, which same cannot be said of any other district in the province.

MARKET GARDENING

Market gardening is also gone into on a quite extensive scale and the quality of the vegetables raised is second to none on the continent.

MINERAL

The surrounding district is famous the world over for its large bodies of silver-lead ore. The St. Eugene mine at Moyie is said to be the largest silver-lead mine on the North American continent. The Sullivan group and the North Star mine at Kimberley contain large deposits of the same ore. Gold placers are being worked at a good profit on Wild Horse and Perry Creeks, while many excellent copper prospects exist in various parts of the district. Large bodies of iron ore have also been discovered within a very few miles of the city.

TIMBER

Cranbrook is the metropolis of the timber industry of South Eastern British Columbia. Throughout the district there are vast quantities of pine, fir and tamarac assuring an unlimited supply for many years to come. There are between twenty-five and thirty saw mills in the district, some of them within a mile of the city limits.

RAILWAYS

Cranbrook is the principal divisional point of the Crows Nest Pass branch of the Canadian Pacific railway. Here are located the office of the divisional superintendent, round houses and machine shops. A branch line runs eighteen miles north to Marysville and Kimberley.

INDUSTRIES

Many industries are established in or near the city. Two up-to-date sash and door factories are located just outside the city limits, an iron foundary, a brewery, a soda water factory and two printing establishments are doing business in the city, whilst at Marysville, fifteen miles distant is the smelter of the Sullivan Group Mining company. Excellent brick and fire clay abounds in several nearby localities and no doubt brick yards will be established in the near future.

WATER, LIGHT AND TELEPHONES

Excellent water at a pressure of one hundred pounds to the square inch is furnished by the Cranbrook Water Supply company, and electric light and telephone service of the best kind is to be had at reasonable rates from the Cranbrook Electric Light company and the East Kootenay telephone lines. The whole district is connected with Cranbrook by long distance phones.

CHURCHES

There are five churches in Cranbrook: The Roman Catholic, the Church of England, the Presbyterian, the Methodist and the Baptist. The Salvation Army also have a post in the city.

SCHOOLS

The educational facilities are as perfect as the board of school trustees can make them. None but well experienced teachers are engaged on the staff. Although the school buildings are large they will have to be increased in size in the near future, owing to the number of children attending.

SOCIETIES

A large number of fraternal societies have lodges in Cranbrook. The Masons, Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias, Orangemen, Eagles, Owls and all the railway orders are represented.

A CITY OF HOMES

The advantages of Cranbrook as a residential city is acknowledged by all those whose business takes them into East Kootenay. With a population of slightly over 3,000 the school attendance is far above the average for a population of this size

PORT OF ENTRY

Cranbrook has a gold commissioner's office and is a port of entry for the Dominion customs.

INFORMATION

Anyone wishing information regarding business opportunities, cost of land, etc., apply to A. L. McDermot, Secretary Board of Trade, Cranbrook, B. C.

WILL GREEN RUN.

(Prince Rupert Empire.)

With infrequent regularity the rumor is circulated that Robert Francis Green, of Kaslo, but now of Victoria, will run as a Conservative candidate in Comox-Atlin district against William Sloan, of Nanaimo, Liberal. Why should the people of Comox-Atlin go outside of the district for men to represent them in parliament at Ottawa? Is Robert Francis Green a man of so great a reputation for ability as to be a national character? If so, in what way has his ability shown itself? Robert Francis Green, like hundreds of others who have gained office as members of parliaments, is a man of very ordinary ability; a man who is wholly without initiative. Were he a man of national reputation, the people of Comox-Atlin might take him up merely to spur her own men to take more interest in national affairs; but Robert Francis Green will not represent the people of Comox-Atlin district at Ottawa.

PREDICTS VICTORY OF SIR WILFRID LAURIER.

Discussing the prospects of a general election in Canada, the Morning Post, of London, Eng., says the opinion prevails that Sir Wilfrid Laurier will carry the country with a reduced majority. The paper points out that R. L. Borden has not the magnetic personality, nor has he the platform powers of his great opponent.

EYE OPENER IS O. K.

Toronto, Sept. 25.—Copies of the Eye Opener, published at Calgary, have been sent to Staff Inspector Stephen, of the morality department, by Dr. Chown, the temperance and moral reform secretary of the Methodist church, who asks if certain marked portions of the publications are not sufficient to warrant the officers in suppressing its sale in the city? Inspector Stephen has read the papers, and has come to the conclusion that everything is so "veiled" that he doesn't think he will be able to take any action in the matter. The Eye Opener has met a ready sale in Toronto, being handled in large numbers by newsboys. Bundles of them are shipped in by express to a local agent, who arranges for their distribution.

BUYS ANOTHER RAILWAY

Montreal, Sept. 24.—The departure of Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the C. P. R., presumably for Minneapolis, yesterday, and word from the west that active operations are going on in connection with the deal will give small room for doubt that the C. P. R. will control the future destiny of the Chicago Great Western railway.

Sir Thomas Shaughnessy denied on Monday that there was any truth in the story but it now appears the deal is made in the name of the Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie railway controlled by the C.P.R., who own 51 per cent of the stock. Sir Thomas thus got out of committing himself to the announcement until ready to give out the same.

The Chicago Great Western or "Maple Leaf system" is at present in the hands of the receivers for better protection of the property, pending the formulation of a plan for financing its requirements for retiring the five per cent gold notes maturing between 1908 and 1912 and for providing improvement.

It is semi-officially announced that Horace G. Burt, ex-president of the Union Pacific railroad will succeed A. B. Stickney as president, with Sir Thomas Shaughnessy and two other Canadian Pacific directors on the board of directors. It has long been known that Sir Thomas desired to obtain Chicago connections and the present deal seems to meet his desire.