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BELFAST'S LESSON

Review of Recent Labor Riots

GOVERNMENT TO BLAME

Abuse of Statutory Right of Peaceful Picketing—Police Encouraged To Neglect Duty.

London, Sept. 17.—Now that the Belfast riots are a thing of the past, and the labor troubles that caused them under adjustment, the inside history of the dispute and its original source are both examining. That the British Government is doubly blameable, is the opinion of the Times, which argued that the Trades Dispute Act, passed by Parliament last session, inspired the strikers to the most outrageous interference with the non-union laborers; and that the authorities at Dublin Castle did not insist upon the police doing their work. As the strike went on the constables becoming imbued with the idea that trades unionism was the dominant force in the city, tried to form a union of their own. The net result was the worst demoralization of any British city in years.

Up till early in 1907 Belfast dock laborers had no organization; all were casual laborers. Then the National Union of Dock Laborers, with headquarters in Liverpool, began quietly to establish a branch in Belfast, and so secretly was the work done that a strong local union was formed before the employers knew what was happening. It was not until the middle of April that they had their eyes opened by the demand upon the Belfast Steamship Co. to dismiss three non-union men at work upon a boat in York dock. Thrice repeated, the demand was ignored, and when the men were called out, the owners being amazed at the number of unionists who obeyed the call.

There was at this time no question of wages or hours of employment, although as the contest continued these were raised. The issue was the old one of the right of an employer to hire what men he chose; and the right of employees to make him choose union me. Rowdyism attended the attempt of the shipowners to import non-union men; and at last became rioting of a desperate kind. There was plenty of free labor available, but the number of the dockers was great, their temper was short, and the police showed a disposition to close their eyes to a great deal. After three weeks of turmoil, the strikers' demands were formally made, and rejected. A sympathetic strike on the railroads having cross-channel connections in Belfast was then ordered and the strike area widened.

Here is the opinion of the Times' correspondent on the situation that was thus precipitated:—

"There is little room for doubt that the whole trouble would at this time have been kept in much narrower circles if adequate steps had been taken by the authorities to prevent intimidation and to ensure protection to the workers. But, from the very first, an amount of indulgence and toleration was shown to the trade union pickets which seemed to suggest that they were considered superior to the representatives of law and order. The charter alike of their liberties and of their defense was the Trades Dispute Act, which they almost literally flourished in the face of the police, insisting on their rights under the act' with such vehemence that the police themselves were intimidated, especially as the latter experienced, in turn, a deplorable lack of proper support from Dublin Castle. As the result the trade union badge became a general passport for the wearers, and the pickets made use of it to get through the ranks of the police to the workers they sought to threaten or abuse; just as they made use of the Trades Dispute Act in order to become a privileged class of intimidators; operating under a guise of 'peaceful persuasion,' and that, too, under the very eyes of the police, unable or indisposed to interfere. This actual experience of the working of the Trades Disputes Act showed, indeed, that it might have been much more appropriately described as 'An Act to Facilitate Coercion and Violence by Trade Union Pickets.'"

Is there then such a thing as 'peaceful picketing?" The question is of importance, because it was the right of the men to "peacefully picket" strike premises which, in the opinion of The Times' correspondent, was interpreted in Belfast as the right to stop the non-unionist from working. When the Trades Disputes Act was under discussion in the House of Lords, Lord Lindley declared that there was no such condition as "peaceful picketing." He said that all pickeding, involving, as it does, the watching and besetting of other persons for the purpose of persuasion is of the nature of compulsion or intimidation. Although pickets may abstain from violence, they may succeed in intimidating the free worker.

The short step between "peaceful picketing" and acts of violence was easily taken by the Belfast rioters; and the situation appears to have justified those who strongly opposed the Trades Disputes Bill because of the alarming possibilities it legalized. The first industrial battle fought under the new *rules of warfare has not proved the* wisdom of the Government in the eyes of outsiders, whatever it may have done to strengthen the Ministry in the good-will of the Labor party.

EXPLOSION ON WARSHIP

Fatal Accident in Japanese Navy After Target Practice—Many Were Killed or Injured.

Tokio, Sept. 17.—(Noon.)—Forty of the crew were killed and injured on board the Japanese battleship Kashima by the explosion of a twelve-inch shell within the shield, after target practice near Kure at 4 p. m. on September 9th. The Kashima, under command of Capt. Keizumi, reached Kure at 6 p. m., where the injured were placed in a hospital. The fatalities included a lieutenant, two cadets and one staff officer, the rank and name of whom is not known.

The explosion followed an attempt to *remove* an uneploded shell from the gun. A majority of the bystanders were fearfully mutilated.

The casualties reported as a result of the explosion are as follows: Killed, five officers, names not given, and twenty-two men; severely wounded, two officers and six men. The cause of the explosion is unknown, but is under investigation. It occurred inside the shield of the starboard after ten-inch gun. It was not the shell that exploded but the powder that evidently caught fire from the gas emitted from the breech when opened for the purpose of reloading the gun. The hull of the Kashima is not damaged.

Eskimos Suffering.

Battle Harbor, Labrador, Thursday, Sept. 12.—By mail steamer to St. Johns, Nfld.—Dr. Wilfrid Grenfell, the well known missionary who for the past month has been cruising on the mission yacht Strathcona along the northern Labrador coast, reports much suffering among the Eskimo settlements of that district due to the failure of the fisheries during the season which ended this week. But the visiting fleet of several hundred vessels, most of them from Newfoundland, had poor luck. Among the vessels which visited the coast this summer was a German warship which supplied the Morivan missionaries.

Arctic Explorers Missing.

Berlin, Sept. 17.—A telegram from Advent Bay via Hammerfest states that nothing has been heard from the William Bruce expedition which left the base of supplies almost one month ago with the intention of returning on Aug. 28th. Mr. Bruce, with whom were Capt. Boagsen, *former* companion of the Prince of Monaco, and Capt. Johnson, former companion of Dr. Nansen, took provisions for two weeks only and as no game can be found along the coast, it is feared that the three have perished in attempts to cross Prince Charles Bay. Their sleds have been found near the landing.

Thaw in December.

New York, Sept. 17.—When the criminal branch of the supreme court opens next month, and the case of Harrk K. Thaw, charged with the murder of Stanford White is called, Martin W. Littleton, senior counsel for the defence, will demand immediate trial for the accused Pittsburger. District Attorney Jermoe, it is understood,, will open an immediate hearing of the case, and on the question of the date of trial will come the first skirmish of Thaw's new defender, with the representatives of the state. It is believed that in the end, both sides will agree on a date in December for the trial.

MACHINE VICTORY

All Workers Provided For by Ottawa

OLD ONTARIO BRIGADE

Directors of Organized Corruption Under Ross Are All Now in Dominion Service.

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Oöttawa, Sept. very notable feature of the political don is the gradual transference of the Ontario machine to Ottawa. The first intimationof the alliance between the Laurier Government and the evil element of Ontario was given when W. T. R. Preston marched straight from West Elgin, where the ballot-boxes had been stuffed, to a sinecure in the High Commissioner's office at London. Mr. Preston had been an active machinist, and had figured in most of the questionable elections. Sir Wilfrid Laurier regarded his services with such favor that the best office *on the other side of the Atlantic* was placed at his disposal.

One of Preston's assistants in West Elgin, and elsewhere, was W. H. Hoppins. This politician was so satisfied with the work done in West Elgin that after he left the constituency he telegraphed the cheated candidate, Mr. Macdairmid, as follows:

"Accept congratulations. Will inconvenience myself any time to give you a hand in the harvest.

This gentleman has been appointed by the Federal ministers to the position of harbormaster at Parry Sound. Hoppins had a colleague, D. F. Macdonald by name. Macdonald took part in the West Elgin and other contests, and at the close of the former telegraphed Mr. Macdiarmid a message as impudent as that sent by Hoppins. This politician has been rewarded with the position of Indian agent at Parry Sound. At Michipicoten,, just before the defeat of the Ross government, the ballot-boxes were stuffed under the auspices of the celebrated party taken to the spot in the Minnie M. There 40 votes were received by the deputy returning officer, although there were not 40 regular residents at that place. The deputy returning officer, W. L. Nichols, is now Indian Agent at the Sault. His merits impressed themselves upon the Ottawa gentlemen and an officer he is under them today. His case is not so marked however, as that of J. B. Jackson. This man was charged with the offence of *getting up a party of perjurers* to swear Donald Sutherland out of his seat at South Oxford, and was rebuked by the bench for the wrong he had done. Sir Wilfrid Laurier at once promoted him to the position of commercial agent for Canada at Leeds. Mr. Thomas Hastings, politician and license inspector for Toronto, dismissed for mismanagement, was appointed by Ottawa to the office of Inspector of Public Buildings for Ontario. Mr. G. W. Ross, the head of the entire machine business, was subsequently taken to Ottawa as a Senator, while Mr. A. B. Aylesworth, the gentleman who gave the advice on the attempted Gamey purchase, was chosen as Minister of Justice. To complete the lists of transfers we now have Mr. Geo. Graham, the gentleman who voted in the Legislature for all the roguery and entered the Ross government in a vain attempt to continue the wrongs indefinitely, chosen to sit in the Ottawa Cabinet as the representative of the honor of Ontario.

Driven out of the office by the people of Ontario, when it was outraged, the machine is finding a lodgment in the Federal sphere. It is taken there as a reward for its improper work in this province, and as a means of making such work effective in the Dominion elections. This is a situation with which the people of Ontario will have to deal. When we drove the bad element out of the Provincial Legislature, it was not intended that the frauds and the corruption should be carried to Ottawa to add to the mass of wickedness there. As Sir Wilfrid Laurier has chosen to unload it upon us again, in the higher sphere, Ontario is called upon to fight it again. This the province will do with enthusiasm, for it knows too well what the ascendency of the Graham and Aylesworth idea means.

ANOTHER WRECK.

Leigh Valley Express Jumps Track—No Fatal Injuries.

Easton, Pa., Sept. 17.—A Leigh Valley express train from Buffalo to New York *was wrecked early today near* Pattenburg Tunnel in New Jersey, 13 miles from this city. A number of trainsmen and passengers were injured, but none of the latter fatally.

The train was running at a high speed when the locomotive jumped the track and plunged into the mountainside. The engineer, Herbert Geddley, of this city, was injured internally, and the baggagemaster sustained a fractured arm. The passengers injured were riding in the smoking car. Most of the others were in their berths, and while they were considerably shaken up they were not badly injured. Geddley is the engineer who was running the Black Diamond Express last winter when it left the track on the Delaware River bridge between this city and Phillipsbury, N. J., and narrowly going into the river.

NOT ENOUGH LABORERS

Loss Expected in Manitoba Because Number of Harvesters is Insufficient.

Winnipeg, Sept. 17.—A train of twenty-four cars arrived in the city this morning at 5.15, bearing the second contingent of the third farm laborers' excursion. About 1,440 people made up this party, most of whom, however, are homesteaders, many of the men having their entire families with them.

Much eagerness was shown by these recent arrivals regarding the possibility of crop failure, of which they had heard considerable in the east. Assurance was readily given, however, that there was but little truth in the report, as a constant demand for men was to be heard all along the line.

Two more excursions will be run this season, the first of which is due to arrive here tomorrow. The total number of harvest hands this year will scarcely exceed 15,000, which is 7,000 less than last year.

It is expected that most of the men at present on their way from eastern points, will become permanent residents of Saskatchewan and Alberta. They are not simply coming for the harvest season. They are booked right through to points west of Manitoba, not even requiring to be reticketed at Winnipeg.

Much concern is expressed by immigration officials, who are attempting to provide the farmers with help, that the number of laborers now known to be obtainable will be sadly insufficient to meet the demand. And should the weather brighten immediately great inconvenience will be caused by the scarcity of men.

There is no doubt that Manitoba is short of hands to aid in the harvesting of the grain and with about seventy-five percent. of the crop cut the prospects for securing help is not as bright as it might be. Malicious reports have been spread in the west. But there is another reason for the lack of help.

In previous years Manitoba has practically sent out the number of men needed in the west. As the harvest fields were first here the men would arrive at Winnipeg, be reticketed to points in Manitoba and those not locating in this province would be sent further west. As soon as the wheat was well threshed here the men would move further west to aid the sister provinces and thus the harvest would be satisfactorily gleaned.

This year, as usual, Manitoba asked for 20,000 harvest hands. The railways, however, had made enquiries of Alberta and Saskatchewan and found the number they needed. When Manitoba's number was in it more than doubled the number required last year. This was thought by the railways to be far too many to ask for and they at last induced Manitoba to only ask for 11,000, the actual number needed. They were, however, warned how things would pan out.

When a contract was made in the east of the men required last year and this year it was immediately supposed that the crop was correspondingly reduced as the number of men had been and consequently the men did not come.

Harvesting in the western provinces will be two weeks behind it here and yet the majority of the men have gone there.

Boom in Egypt.

Cairo, Sept. 17.—The cotton crop in Egypt, which exceeds seven million centars (a centar is a little over 99 pounds), shows a large increase over all records of the past decade. It is estimated to be worth $150,000,000.

PEACE IN SIGHT

Moroccan Tribesmen Come to Terms

ARE LIKELY TO AGREE

France and Spain Stipulate Only for Order in Ports and Safety for Europeans.

Paris, Sept. 17.—The French government is greatly encouraged by the improvement in the Moroccan situation and strong hope is entertained that the rebellious tribesmen whom the delegates who conferred with General Drude on Sunday, are now consulting, will agree to the peace terms, which include the punishment of the authors of the Casablanca massacres and the ringleaders of the movement; an agreement that no tribesmen shall enter with arms within a radius of 12 kilometers of the city; the acceptance of the principle of the payment of a war contribution, the *amount of which will be fixed hereafter* by negotiations between the Moroccan government and France and Spain; the surrender of hostages to insure the fulfilment of these conditions.

It is pointed out that the war contribution has no relation to the indemnities to be exacted from the Moors for the loss of life and property which will be a matter for future adjustment. If peace is arranged on the above terms no further landings of troops will be made and pending the result of the negotiation, the orders for the embarkment and forwarding of reinforcements have been rescinded. The delegates of the Moorish tribes are expected to give the final response of the tribesmen Thursday.

Another good feature of the situation is a definite agreement with Mohammed **El Gabbas, the Moroccan war minister,** for the immediate installation of police at Tangier, in accordance with the terms of the Algeciras convention, namely, native police under French-Spanish instructions. The ultimate outcome of the struggle between the rival Sultans of Morocco is a matter with which the French government is not concerned, the mandate of France and Spain being limited to the restoration of order and security at the Moroccan Ports.

FIRE CHIEFS ASSEMBLE.

Convention Programme Part of Fair Attraction List.

The British Columbia Association of Fire Chief and Firemen will meet tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock in the court house, Ward street, for organization and to discuss matters of importance to the firemen of the province. Mayor W. G. Gillett and President Starkey of the board of trade, will formally welcome the delegates, and Chief J. H. Watson will reply. At noon a recess will be taken and the tournament for the championship of the Pacific coast will be held on the Fair grounds, commencing at 2 p. m. The city installed two hydrants and laid a line of six-inch pipe from the Hall street water main, and the novelty of two teams competing at the same time, from hydrants set ten feet apart, will be witnessed for the first time in the annals of hose racing on the Pacific coast. The Ritzville, Wash., team champions of Washington, arrived in Nelson last evening and will endeavor to carry off the beautiful silver cup presented by the Canadian Rubber company, of Montreal, with the cash prize donated by the Fair management. The speed race will take place first, the teams running one hundred yards, hub-and-hub, for a prize of $100 to the first and $50 to second. The championship race will be seventy-five yards to hydrant; lay one hundred feet of hose; turn on water; turn off water; disconnect fifty feet of hose and connect a spare fifty feet of hose, time to be taken when water leaves pipe a second time. Two teams will start and go through with the race at the one time, each team taking its own hydrant. With four teams entered the competition will narrow down to the two swiftest teams and the final test will be both exciting and interesting. Fernie and Moyie teams are expected this evening.

Chief Deasy states that no tournament ever took place in any city in British Columbia where conditions for a most interesting test can excel that to take place on the recreation grounds tomorrow afternoon. He assures the spectators that the firemen's tournament will be a revelation in the sport, and with the champions of Washington competing against the best men in the Kootenays the competition will be one of the greatest features of the Fair. On Wednesday evening the chiefs and delegates will hold a meeting, which will be continued on Thursday morning. The C. P. R. has placed at the disposal of the 20,000 clug a train, which will convey the delegates to Bonnington Falls on Thursday afternoon. The meeting will continue on Thursday night and the following days until the convention is brought to a close.

MINISTER TO OPEN FAIR

Address Will Be Given by Hon. R. G. Tatlow or Hon. J. H. Turner—Final Preparations Made.

The Nelson Fair will be formally opened to morrow at 1 p. m. The opening ceremony will consist of a short address by either the Hon. J. H. Turner, agent-general for British Columbia in London, or Hon. R. G. Tatlow, minister of finance. A telegram received last night by Capt. McMorris from Premier McBride expresses his own regret at being unable to attend, states that Messrs. Turner and Tatlow left Victoria yesterday morning and will arrive in *Nelson tonight and conveys his best* wishes for the success of the Fair.

Before that time all exhibits will be in their places and the judging will be completed. The programme of sports will also be under way. The firemen's races will begin on the grounds in front of the grand stand at 2 p. m.

The Nat Reiss Carnival company will also be reaady for operations from the start with a series of shows and performances immediately the most elaborate and the most varied ever seen in Kootenay. Mr. Reiss has a continental reputation to sustain and he has also conceived a great liking for the Queen City, and will do his best on this occasion to deserve and win the good will of the Fair directors and of the public in general.

As to the prospects of the exhibition proper it would be idle to deny that the orchard and garden products have suffered—only in respect of exhibition purposes—from the unusual weather of this summer. While there is good reason to believe that no real damage has been done to the crop, the apples and pears will not be nearly so well colored as they were at Fair time last year. The vegetable crop has also suffered and is not so far advanced as it usually is at this time.

In spite of these handicaps which are beyond the control even of Managing Director Fred Starkey, the display of fruit and vegetables will be such as to win the entire approbation of all competent judges.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

B. O. Bean, C. P. R. Fireman, the Victim of the Mishap.

B. O. Bean, fireman on yard engine 1322, met with what may prove a fatal accident at 3.20 o'clock this afternoon. Bean was engaged in shunting cars in the C. P. R. yard and was leaning out of the cabin of the engine watching the yardman when the engine approached some box cars on the adjacent track. He had not observed the cars and his head struck the one in the rear. The shock was a fearful one, and Bean fell to the ground. The engine was stopped and he was picked up insensible, bleeding from wounds in the side of the head.

Dr. Hall was immediat ely telephoned for and on reaching the depot where the wounded man was lying, he made a hasty examination of the sufferer's wounds. It was found that the jaw was broken, and contusions on the right side of the face indicated other injuries of a more or less serious nature, some of which may prove fatal. Bean was at once taken to the Home hospital, where a further examination was being made as The Daily Canadian goes to press.

Bean has lived in Nelson for the past two years, being engaged all that time in working around the C. P. R. yards. He came here from the other side and is held in high esteem by his fellow-workmen.

SALARIES RAISED

Request of Teachers Is Granted

INCREASE NOW IN FORCE

School Board's Busy Session—Dr. Arthur Will Represent Nelson at Trustees' Convention.

The request of the assistant teachers of Nelson public schools for an immediate increase in salary, on account of the generally increased cost of living, was *granted by the board of school trustees* at their regular monthly meeting this morning, after careful deliberation, without a dissenting voice. The increases will take effect at once, in connection with the salaries for September. The effect will be to place Nelson more nearly on a level with the other cities in the interior. It is a fact that Nelson has for several years been paying less to teachers than Grand Forks, Rossland and Revelstoke.

The board met at 9.30 this morning in Dr. Arthur's office, with W. Irvine in the chair, and Dr. Arthur, A. D. Emory and R. J. Steel present. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Consideration of the finance committee's report, recommending payment of salaries and accounts for September, was deferred at the request of the secretary, who read letters from several members of the staff asking for increases of salary to take effect at once.

The whole question of salaries was then considered. There was no dispute of the fact that increases were fairly due. The only question was whether they should go into effect now or in January. Examination of the board's finances showed that economies effected during the year in other directions left a small balance sufficient to allow for the granting of the request.

Dr. Arthur remarked that while the increases at the beginning of next year would have to be given to the high *school staff and the principal of the* public school, they need not be given at once, but the case of the public school assistants on smaller salaries was different.

It was then resolved unanimously that an increase of $10 per month to each of the nine assistant teachers in the public school be granted, to take effect with payment of the September salaries.

There was also general assent to Dr. Arthur's suggestion that such increases take the place of increases in January to the present beneficiaries, but that the three teachers whose salaries are not now increased receive additions then.

It was resolved that half-holidays for the Fair be granted the afternoons of Thursday and Friday.

The finance committee's report was then adopted.

Dr. E. E. Arthur was elected to represent the board at the provincial trustees' convention which opens in New Westminster, Sept. 30th.

Friday, Oct. 11th, was fixed as the date for the annual school field day, which is about a fortnight earlier than usual. The board then adjourned.

WHOLE NAVY DESERTS.

American Crew of Salvador's Only Ship Returned to San Francisco.

San Francisco, Sept. 17.—The officers, cook and whole crew of the steam schooner President, which sailed from this port two months ago, to become the navy of the Salvadorean government, returned yesterday on the City of Para, having abandoned the President at the wharf in Acajutala, Salvador. As Chief Engineer Geo. R. Lindsay walked from the President along the wharf at Acajutla to the City of Para, backed by Martini Christensen and Harry Benner, C. M. Nelson, the cook and the crew, he defied the gun fighters of President Figueros to touch or interfere with them, waving in sign of his immunity his international certificate as an engineer.

There was trouble aboard the President before she sailed from San Francisco, and when Lindsay delivered over the President at Acajutla, he was ready to throw up his job. With him in this sentiment was the whole crew. Then, Lindsay says, te Salvadoreans tried to get his men drunk, but failed. Lindsay promised to meet the governor at Acajutla but instead, he and his party went on board the City of Para and sailed for home.

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THE GLOBE AND OTHERS.

There have been few more discreditable episodes in Canadian political history than the recent effort of the Toronto Globe, followed by all the other Liberal organs of the Dominion to insinuate that R. L. Borden was concerned in an attempt to corrupt certain Quebec constituencies and that his own campaign in Halifax in 1904 was not clean.

The Globe sneers at Mr. Borden's advocacy of purity in elections and the punishment of corruptionists, and replies were utterly irrelevent innuendo against unnamed persons, presumably Mr. Foster, Mr. Fowler and others. The charges against Messrs. Foster, Fowler and others—charges that have never been substantiated—were that their methods of business in connection with investments in land and timber were those of other Canadian business men. If such be a crime possibly they are guilty. But the connection between such matters and cleanness in politics is not apparent.

But possibly the newspaper organs are not wholly responsible for that feature of the campaign. When Mr. Aylesworth appointed his special Liberal insurance commission he committed his party to a personal attack on Mr. Foster, and the newspapers whose support, as Mr. Mowat would say "is constant, not intermittent," have no choice but to follow the lead.

The organized slander against Mr. Borden in connection with the Halifax election, and the party's campaign fund in Quebec, is on an even lower plane. Immediately after the elections petitions were filed against the return of many of the Nova Scotia Liberal members, including Mr. Fielding, who, after dodging the issue as long as possible, **was forced to resign. The elections in** Halifax were protested among others, and, on behalf of the sitting Liberal members, cross petitions were filed against the defeated Conservative candidates, one of whom was Mr. Borden.

Since that date the trial has been adjourned and postponed many times. Appeals on technical points have been taken to the supreme court of Canada and sent back, once most contemptuously, to the supreme court of Nova Scotia. Every request for postponement has been made by the Liberals. Mr. Borden has done his best to secure the hearing of the case. An appeal by the Liberals is pending now which is almost certain to be delayed until the House is in session. The consequence will be that two men have held their seats through the whole life of parliament, who, there is every reason to believe, were corruptly elected.

But, while they have been fighting desperately for delay and doing all in their power to prevent a hearing of the case, the Liberals have not scrupled to publish broadcast what they assert will be said at the trial by their witnesses.

In connection with the Liberal slanders as to a Tory corruption fund in Quebec, the only evidence is that of Hugh Graham, proprietor of the Montreal Star, who admits that he contributed $21,000 to a fund. Mr. Graham has been away from Montreal while the slanders have been in circulation, but the Star, undoubtedly under his instructions, has given an emphatic rebuke to the misrepresentation of Mr. Graham's statement. The sum of $21,000 was towards a fund for legitimate campaign expenses in 20 constituencies. It is impossible of course to assert that no part of that fund was wrongfully spent. But it is pointed out that H. B. Ames, who was sneered at by Liberals as a Y. M. C. A. candidate, admitted spending $7,000 for legitimate expenses in one division of Montreal city. To say that Mr. Graham's gift of $21,000 to a fund for 20 constituencies is proof of organized corruption is childishly absurd, but the charges that have been based on wilful distortions of his statements are wilfully and maliciously false, and the blame must be borne not only by the hireling writer at Ottawa who first uttered them, but by the reverend editor of the Toronto Globe and the lower satellites throughout the Dominion, who published them, knowing them to be **false.**

SHORT STORIES.

There is a story told about an ancestor of the hero of Ladysmith which shows that the Cochranes have always liked a dash of political as well as military adventure. When this Dundonald of the old days was Lord Cochrane he was a candidate in Honlton, and took the usual course of refusing to give any bribes. As his opponent gave five pounds a head, Lord Cochrane suffered defeat. The latter, however, sent the bellman round the town, announcing that all those who had voted for Lord Cochrane would receive ten guienas apiece if they called on his agent. In those pre-ballot days, of course it was known how each man voted, and the happy minority marched off to the agent, each getting his ten guineas.

Naturally enough, the minority began to think they had made a mistake, and they resolved to rectify that mistake at the first possible moment. In due course an opportunity came; there was another election. Lord Cochrane stood again, and the voters, remembering his lavish methods, asked him no questions, but returned him with a roaring majority. Then they conveyed a delicate hint to the noble lord, asking him what he proposed to give them for this distinguished service.

"Not one farthing!" roared his lordship.

The unhappy men reminded him that he had paid ten guineas a head to the minority at the previous election.

A complacent grin brightened the face of the member as he gave this explanation: "The former gift was for their disinterested conduct in not taking the bribe of five pounds from the agents of my opponents. For me now to pay them would be a violation of my own previously expressed principles."

Alexander Graham Bell, whose experiments promise to give him as wonderful a success with the flying machine as he had with the telephone, used to teach the deaf and dumb—it was, in fact, his work among the deaf and dumb that led to the telephone's invention—and at a dinner in Washington he told a deaf and dumb story.

"This story illustrates," he began, "the necessity for carrying on aeroplane experiments secretely. Were they carried on publicly, interference would ensue. Ignorance always causes interference.

"Many years ago an aged friend of mine visited a church in Maine one Sunday morning. As soon as the sermon began my friend, who was very deaf, took from his pocket an ear trumpet, in two parts, and proceeded to screw the parts together.

"While he was engaged in this work he noticed that the sexton from his seat near the pulpit, kept frowning and shaking his head at him.

"Finally just as my friend got his trumpet joined and made a motion as if to put it to his ear, the sexton hastened to him and whispered fiercely: "'Ye can't play that here. If ye do I'll put ye out.'"

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have submitted to the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council a proposal under the provisions of the "Rivers and Streams Act," for clearing and removing obstructions from Goat River and Meadow Creek, in the District of West Kootenay, and for making the same fit for rafting and driving thereon logs, timber, lumber, rafts and crafts and for erecting and maintaining booms for holding, sorting and delivering logs and timber brought down said creek and river, and for attaching booms to the shore of said creek and river for said purposes.

The lands to be affected by said work are:—Lots 362, 5187, 4592, and sub lots 1, 6, 11, 13, 14 and 15 of Lot 4592, Group 1, Kootenay District.

The tolls proposed to be charged are such as may be fixed by the Judge of the County Court of West Kootenay.

Dated 31st July, 1907.

THE INTERNATIONAL LUMBER & MERCANTILE CO., LTD.

TIMBER NOTICES.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that R. S. P. Smyth, of Procter, B. C., occupation lumberman, intends to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands:

No. 1. Commencing at a post planted near the northeast cornerpost of Lot No 2543, on Lemon Creek and marked R. S. P. Smyth southwest cornerpost No 1, thence 40 chains north more or less to about midway of the south boundary line of timber licence No. 9266, thence 80 chains east, thence 40 chains south, thence 40 chains east, thence 40 chains south, thence 80 chains west, more or less to the southeast corner of aforesaid Lot No 2543, thence 40 chains north, thence 40 chains west to the point of commencement.

Dated 26th July, 1907. R. S. P. SMYTH, Henry Reichert, Agent.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

No. 3

Take notice that J. R. F. Stewart, of Collingwood, Ont., occupation lumberman, intends to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 55 chains south and 10 chains west of post No. 2, marked J. R. F. Stewart's N. E. corner post, thence south 160 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 160 chains, thence east 40 chains to place of commencement containing 640 acres more or less.

July 24th, 1907. JAMES R. F. STEWART.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay.

Take notice that Henry Reichert of Nelson, B. C., prospector, intends to apply for a special licence to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands:

No 6. Commencing at a post planted near the northeast corner post of Timber Licence No. 9266 and marked Henry Reichert northwest cornerpost No 6, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west to place of commencement.

Dated July 26th, 1907.

No. 7. Commencing at a post planted near the northwest corner post of timber licence No. 9265 and marked Henry Reichert s. west corner post No. 7, thence 160 chains east, thence 40 chains north, thence 160 chains west, thence 40 chains south to point of commencement.

Dated July 26th, 1907.

No. 8. Commencing at a post planted on Monument creek about 70 chains more or less from where Monument creek empties into Lemon creek and marked Henry Reichert northeast cornerpost No. 8. thence 160 chains south, thence 40 chains west, thence 160 chains north, thence 40 chains east to place of commencement.

Dated July 26th, 1907. HENRY REICHERT, Locator.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

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

No. 4 Commencing at a post marked H. & S. N. W. corner, 200 chains east of the N. E. corner of lot No 812, post marked K. S. N. E. corner, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to place of commencement containing 640 acres.

No. 5 Commencing at the N. W. corner of H. & S. timber claim No. 4, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement at location post No. 5, containing 640 acres.

I. G. SCHERMERHORN, Locator. Geo. Huscroft, Agent.

Dated July 8th, 1907.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that Paul August Paulson, of Kitchener, B. C., occupation lumberman, intends to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of surveyed lot 7221-G.1 thence south to the northern boundary of timber licence No. 7018, thence west to the northwest corner of said timber licence, thence south to the northern boundary of lot 812, thence following said boundary, of said lot west to the right-of-way of the British Columbia Southern Railway, thence following said right-of-way in a north-easterly direction to place of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated July 2nd, 1907. PAUL AUGUST PAULSON.

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands, situated in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post marked by name as initial post of the South Fork branch, one hundred feet from the junction of Lost creek with the south fork; thence one-quarter mile to the northwest corner post, thence one mile to the northeast corner post, thence one-quarter mile to the southeast corner post, thence one mile to the place of commencement.

June 27, 1907. Located by WM. CONNOLLY.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that Moore, Kepple & Co., of Garland, Penn., occupation lumbermen, intends to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on Mosquito creek, on the west side of Arrow lake, and about one half mile west of the southwest corner of timber limit No. 4877, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated 15th, July, 1907. MOORE, KEPPLE & CO. JOHN R. CALKINS, Agent.

Take notice that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, for permission to cut and carry away timber from the following described land, in West Kootenay:

No. 1. Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of timber license 8546, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to place of commencement.

Dated May 31, 1907. J. T. BURGESS, Locator. J. W. COLBURN, Agent.

No. 2. Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of application No. 1, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to place of commencement.

Dated May 31, 1907. J. T. BURGESS, Locator, J. W. COLBURN, Agent.

Take notice that John Ross, of Fernie, B. C., hotel-keeper, intends to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands:

1. Commencing at a post planted in the District of West Kootenay, Nelson Mining Division, on the north fork of the south fork of Lost creek, about five miles up creek from where two forks meet and about six miles north of the International Boundary Line and about twenty-eight miles west of Kootenay River, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to bank of said creek, thence down stream to place of commencement.

J. ROSS, Locator,

2. Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of J. Ross's No. 1 location, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains more or less to bank of said creek, thence down stream to place of commencement.

J. ROSS, Locator.

3. Commencing at a post planted at or near the southwest corner of J. Ross's No. 1 location, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, more or less, to said creek, thence up stream to place of beginning.

J. ROSS, Locator.

4. Commencing at a post planted at or near the southwest corner of J Ross's No. 1 location, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, more or less, to bank of said creek, thence up stream to place of commencement.

J. ROSS, Locator.

5. Commencing at a post planted about two miles south of the southwest corner of J. Ross's No. 1 location, on the north fork of the south fork of Lost creek, and about four miles up stream, from where the two forks meet, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, more or less, to bank of said creek, thence down stream to place of commencement.

J. ROSS, Locator.

6. Commencing at a post planted at, or near, the southwest corner of J. Ross's No 5 location, on Lost creek, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence 80 chains east, more or less, to bank of said creek, thence down stream to place of commencement.

Located 25th June, 1907. J. ROSS, Locator.

Time for advertising extended by the Assistant Commissioner.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay.

Take notice that Thos. E. L. Logan, of Bonner's Ferry, occupation painter, intends to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the south side of Boundary creek, about 10 miles west of the Kootenay river, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to the point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated July 6th, 1907. THOMAS E. L. LOGAN.

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Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay.

Take notice that George Alexander, of Kaslo, B. C., intends to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of Section 12, Township 7, Kootenay district, being about one-third of a mile south of the south boundary line of the Indian reserve; thence south about 35 chains to the easterly bank of Kootenay river; thence southeasterly along Kootenay river bank about 60 chains to the south boundary of Section 12, Township 7; thence easterly about 50 chains to the northwest corner of Lot 251; thence north 80 chains along the west boundary of Lot 812; thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated July 4, 1907. GEORGE ALEXANDER.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay.

Take notice that Evan McClelland Fraser, of Fernie, B. C., clerk, intends to apply for a special licence over the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about seven miles west of the Kootenay river, and about one mile north of the international boundary line, and about one and a quarter north-easterly from the north east corner of timber licence No. 8057, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Located 12th, of June, 1907.

EVAN MCCLELLAN FRASER.

Dated this 8th of July, 1907.

Take notice that C. C. Clark, of Nelson, B. C., saloon keeper, intends to apply for a special timber licence over the following described land: Commencing at a post planted on Morning Mountain, about one mile west of Smelter creek, and adjoining C. C Clark's location for timber licence No 1, and about one mile south of Nelson, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to place of beginning.

Dated July 16th, 1907. C. C. CLARK, DAVID BOOTH, Agent.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay.

Take notice that I, S. F. Wallace, of Fernie, B. C., hotel-keeper, intend to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands:

1. Commencing at a post planted about four miles west of the Kootenay river and one mile north of the international boundary line, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated July 23rd, 1907.

2. Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of location No. 1, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated July 23rd, 1907.

3. Commencing at a post planted at northwest corner of location No. 3, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated July 23rd, 1907.

4. Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of No. 1 location, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated July 23rd, 1907.

5. Commencing at a post planted about two miles north and ½ mile east of the northwest corner of location No. 1, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated July 23rd, 1907.

6. Commencing at a post planted at northwest corner of location No. 5, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated July 23rd, 1907.

7. Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of location No. 5, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated July 23rd, 1907.

8. Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of location No. 5, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated July 23rd, 1807.

9. Commencing at a post planted about 2 miles west of the northwest corner of location No 5, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement, and containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated July 24th, 1907.

10. Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of location No. 9, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated July 24th, 1907.

11. Commencing at a post planted about 1½ miles west of the northwest corner of location No 9 and about ½ mile south thereof, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated July 24th, 1907.

12. Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of location No. 11, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated July 24th, 1907.

13. Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of location No. 11, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated July 24th, 1907

14. Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of location No. 11, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated July 24th, 1907.

15. Commencing at a post planted about two miles north of northwest corner of location of No. 11, thence south 80 chains, thence east 89 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated July 24th, 1907.

16. Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of location No. 15, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated July 24th, 1907.

17. Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of location No. 15, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated July 24th, 1907.

18. Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of location No 15, thence south 80 chains thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated July 24th 1907. S. F. WALLACE, Locator, JOHN BROWN, Agent.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that Moore, Kepple & Co., of Garland, Penn., occupation lumbermen, intend to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on Mosquito creek, on the west side of Arrow lake, and about one half mile west, of the southwest corner of timber limit No. 4877, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated 15th July, 1907. MOORE, KEPPLE & CO. JOHN R. CALKINS, Agent.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that William Andrew Ross, of Fernie, B. C., hotel-keeper intends to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about six miles west of the Kootenay river, on Corn creek, in the District of West Kootenay and being about six miles north of the international boundary line, and situate at the northeast corner of William Andrew Ross' No. 3 timber claim, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, to the point of commencement.

Located July 23rd, 1907.

Dated the 8th of Aug. 1907.

WILLIAM ANDREW ROSS.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that I, Evan Fraser, of Fernie, B.C., clerk, intend to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands;

1. Commencing at a post planted at the N. E. corner about 1½ miles north of the international boundary line and about 11 miles west of the Kootenay river (about one mile north of the north boundary of T. L. No 8072) thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east to the place of beginning.

Dated July 21st, 1907.

2. Commencing at a post planted at the N. E. corner of location No. 1, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the place of beginning.

Dated July 21st, 1907.

3. Commencing at a post planted at the N. E. corner of location No. 1, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of beginning.

Dated July 21st, 1907.

4. Commencing at the N. E corner of location No. 1, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the place of beginning.

Dated July 21st, 1907.

5. Commencing at a post planted one mile east of the N. E. corner of location No. 3, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the place of beginning.

Dated July 21st, 1907.

6. Commencing at a post planted at the N. E. corner of location No. 5, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the place of beginning.

Dated July 21st, 1907.

7. Commencing at a post planted at the N. E corner of location No. 5, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the place of beginning.

Dated July 21st, 1907

8. Commencing at a post planted at the N. E. corner of location No 5, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the place of beginning.

Dated July 21st, 1907 E. FRASER, Locator. JOHN BROWN, Agent.

LAND NOTICES.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that I, Elizabeth Ferguson, of Nelson, British Columbia, occupation married woman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted 40 chains west of the southeast corner of section 22, Township 69, Kootenay, and marked "E. F.'s N. E. corner," thence west 80 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 40 chains to the place of commencement and containing 320 acres more less

15th July, A. D. 1907. ELIZABETH FERGULON, by W. A. Calder, agent.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay.

Take notice that I, David G. Kurtz, of Nelson, B. C., occupation merchant, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of section 34, township 69, Kootenay, and marked "D. G. K.'s S. W. corner," thence north 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 40 chains to the point of commencement and containing 320 acres more or less.

15th July, 1907. DAVID G KURTZ, W. A. Calder, agent.

Take notice that I, Thomas Harry Wilson, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted at the S. E. corner of lot 7538 and marked N. E. corner, thence south 10 chains, thence west 10 chains, thence south 10 chains, thence west 10 chains, thence south 10 chains, thence west 10 chains, thence south 10 chains, thence west 10 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains to point of commencement and containing 100 acres, more or less.

June 7, 1907. THOMAS HENRY WILSON, WILLIAM ALONZO MILLS, Agent.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that I, John Lang, of Nelson, B. C., occupation miner intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the N. E. of Lot 8092, thence east 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence north 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 40 acres, more or less.

August 2nd, 1907, JOHN LANG.

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date, I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land in West Kootenay district, on west shore of Lower Arrow Lake, adjoining Lot No. 4948, on the south: Beginning at a post marked "Harry McLeod's N.E. corner post and planted on the shore of Lower Arrow Lake, at the southeast corner of Capt Foslund's L4918, thence west 20 chains, thence south 20 chains more or less to the north boundary of R. Fullmore's P. R., thence 20 chains east along the said boundary to lake, thence north along the lake shore 20 chains, more or less to point of commencement.

May 2nd, 1907. J. D. MOORE, Agent for Harry McLeod.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay.

Take notice that George Rufus Carter of Sirdar, occupation, bridgeman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at post planted at the northwest corner of B. Ross' application to purchase, marked S. W., thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 20 chains to A. Curry's pre-emption, thence west 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence west 20 chains to place of commencement containing 120 acres more or less.

Dated July 12, 1907. GEORGE RUFUS CARTER, W. J. SCOTT, Agent.

I, the undersigned, after 60 days intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase the following described land: Commencing at the N. E. C. of Lot 7539 G. I., thence west 40 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 80 acres more or less.

Located March 28th, 1907. W. A. MILLS.

Take notice that I, Arthur Alex. Pitchford, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the N. E. corner of Lot 1474, and marked S. E. corner, thence north 40 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 20 chains to point of commencement, and containing 80 acres, more or less.

June 7, 1907. ARTHUR ALEX. PITCHFORD, WILLIAM ALONZO MILLS, Agent.

Take notice that I, William R. Jarvis, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the S. E corner of Lot 1474, and marked northeast corner, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains to point of commencement, and containing 160 acres more or less.

June 7, 1907. WILLIAM REGINALD JARVIS, WILLIAM ALONZO MILLS, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, B. C., to purchase the following described land, situated in the West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post planted on the west side of Kootenay lake, near Rhinoceros point, and marked J. McKinnon's S. E. corner post, thence west 80 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 80 chains more or less to lake shore, thence along lake shore to point of commencement.

Dated April 4, 1907. Signed J. MCKINNON.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay.

Take notice that Edward Fraser, of Billings, Montana, U. S. A., occupation wool buyer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted on the west shore of Upper Whatshan (Cariboo) lake, and at the southeast corner of Lot 8139, thence west 20 chains, thence south 60 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, more or less, to the west shore of Upper Whatshan (Cariboo) lake; thence northerly and westerly along the said shore 80 chains, more or less, to point of commencement, and containing 320 acres, more or less.

May 29th, 1907. EDWARD FRASER.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post marked A. C. B's northwest corner post, running 40 chains easterly along the boundary of Timber licence No. 3609, thence southerly 50 chains, thence westerly 40 chains, thence northerly 50 chains along the C. P. R. track to the place of commencement, containing two hundred acres, more or less.

Located this 9th day of May, 1907. A. C. BUSH, Locator.

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land, situate in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post planted at the west boundary of Lot 362 G1, and about 10 chains south of the south boundary of the right-of-way of the B. C. Southern railway, and marked P. A. P's southeast corner, thence west 100 chains, thence north to the south boundary of the right-of-way of B. C. Southern railway, thence following said boundary of said right-of-way in an easterly direction to the west boundary of Lot 362 G1, thence south to place of commencement, containing 100 acres, more or less.

Dated this 14th day of June, 1907. PAUL AUGUST PAULSON.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that Paul August Paulson, of Kitchener, B. C., occupation lumberman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the south boundary of the right-of-way of the British Columbia Southern Railway and about 35 chains westerly from mile post 52 on said railway, thence south 20 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east 60 chains, thence north to the south boundary of the right-of-way of the British Columbia Southern Railway, thence westerly along the said right-of-way to place of commencement.

Dated this 2nd day of August, 1907. PAUL AUGUST PAULSON.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that George Sturm, of Billings, Montana, U. S. A., occupation, merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted on the west shore of Upper Whatshan (Cariboo) lake, and at the northwest corner of Lot 8139, thence west 20 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence north 40 chains to point of commencement, and containing 80 acres more or less.

May 29th, 1907. GEORGE STURM.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay.

Take notice that Walter McNeil, of Billings, Montana, U. S. A., occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted on the west shore of Upper Whatshan (Cariboo) lake, and at the northwest corner of Lot 8139, thence west 20 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 160 acres, more or less.

May 29th, 1907. WALTER MCNEIL.

Sixty days after date I Arthur Allen Burton, rancher, of Burton City, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, B. C., to purchase the following described lands situate east of Burton. Commencing at a post marked "A. A. B. southwest corner" and planted at the N. W. corner of lot 8042 G. 1, and running north 60 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 60 chains, thence west 40 chains to place of commencement.

August 1st, 1907. ARTHUR A. BURTON.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that Hugo Costens, of Altona, Manitoba, farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted about seven miles from the mouth of Mosquitto creek, and at northeast corner of this application and marked "H. C. N. E. corner," and running south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Dated 30th day of August, 1907. HUGO COSTENS. ARTHUR A. BURTON, Agent.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that Frank F. Sieman, of Altona, Manitoba, broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of land applied for, about five miles from the mouth of Mosquitto creek marked F F. S. S. E. corner," and running thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Dated 30th day of August, 1907. FRANK F. SIEMAN, ARTHUR A. BURTON, Agent.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that Cornelius Bergman, of Altona, Man., occupation farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted at Frank F. Seaman's S. E. corner, at a post marked "C. B. N. E. corner," and running west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, east 80 chains, north 80 chains to place of beginning, containing 640 acres of land, more or less.

Dated 23rd August, 1907. CORNELIUS BERGMAN, ARTHUR A. BURTON, Agent.

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TIMBER NOTICES.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that Patrick Sheran, of *Nelson*, B. C., occupation prospector, intends to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the N.W corner post of lot 6892, being Patrick Sheran's N. E. corner post running *south 80 chains*, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

Dated August 31st, 1907. PATRICK SHERAN,
ERICK STRAND, *Agent.*

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Timber Claim No. 1. Take notice that Peter Lund, of Mariner, B.C., occupation lumberman, intends to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the north-easterly post of lot 812 and 100 chains south of timber licence No. 7018, thence south 160 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 160 chains, thence west 40 chains to the point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated July 30th, 1907. PETER LUND.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Timber Claim No. 2. Take notice that Peter Lund, of Mariner, B.C., occupation lumberman, intends to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted *on an east boundary of lot* 812, 100 chains south of timber licence 7018 and 40 chains east of location post claim No. 1. thence north 160 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated July 30th, 1907. PETER LUND.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Timber Claim No 3. Take notice that Peter Lund, of Mariner, B. C., occupation lumberman, intends to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on an east boundary of lot 812, 80 chains south of my location post claim No. 2, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated August 1st, 1907. PETER LUND

Take notice that Ira F. Taylor, clerk, of Arrowhead, B. C. intends to apply for a special licence to cut timber from the following described lands:

No. 1. *Commencing at a post planted 70 chains* distance in a easterly direction from Cariboo Fraction marked "Ira F. Taylor's, W. Parkins' S. W. corner," bounded on the south by T. L No. 7666, on the west by T. L. No. 7672, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 *chains*, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

No. 2. Commencing at a post planted 80 chains distance in and in a easterly direction from Cariboo Fraction marked "W. Parkins', Ira F. Taylor's S. W. corner post," bounded on the west by T. L. 7667, south by Ira F. Taylor's and W. Parkins' T. L. 1, thence north 40 chains, thence east 160 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 160 chains to point of commencement.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I, John F. Swedberg, miner, of Nelson, B.C., intend to apply to the Hon. the *Chief Commissioner* of Lands and Works for a special licence to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands situated on Summit creek, in the West Kootenay District:

No. 1.—*Commencing at a post marked* J. P. S's timber limit, northeast corner post, located on the north fork of Summit creek about two miles from Main creek, thence running south 80 chains, thence running west 40 chains, thence running south 40 chains, thence west 40 *chains*, thence running south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains to place of commencement.

Located August 17th, 1907.

JOHN P. SWEDBERG, Locator.
per his agent PRICE MCDONALD

No. 2.—Commencing at a post marked J P. S's timber limit, northwest corner post, located on the north fork of Summit creek, about two miles from Main creek, thence running south 80 chains, thence running east 80 chains, thence running south 80 chains, thence running west 80 chains to place of commencement.

Located on the 29th day of August, 1907.

JOHN P. SWEDBERG, Locator.
per his agent PRICE MCDONALD.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that J. R. F. Stewart, of Collingwood, Ont., occupation lumberman, intends to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on a small stream about one mile south of Columbia River near the head waters of Granite Creek, marked J. R. F. Stewart's N. E. Angle Post, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 60 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 45 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 65 chains, thence west 20 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated 23rd, 1907. JAMES R. F. STEWART.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that J. R. F. Stewart, of Collingwood, Ont., occupation lumberman, intends to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the south side of a small creek due west of the Mountain Meadow mine, about 30 chains east of Granite Creek marked J. R. F. Stewart's N. E. angle post, thence east 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 35 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 75 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 20 chains to place of commencement containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated July 24th, 1907. JAMES R. F. STEWART.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that I, Alexander Gillespie, of Nelson, B. C., clerk, intend to apply for a special timber licence over the *following described* lands:

No. 1. Commencing at a post planted at the confluence of the north fork of Corn creek with the Main creek, thence north 40 chains, thence west 160 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 160 chains to the place of beginning, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Located August 17th, 1907.

No. 2. Commencing at a post planted on the bank of the north fork of Corn creek about four miles from its confluence with the Main creek, thence running south 80 chains, thence running east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of beginning, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Located August 17th, 1907.

No. 3. Commencing at a post planted on the bank of the north fork of Corn creek about four miles from its confluence with the Main creek, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Located August 17th, 1907.

No. 4. Commencing at a post planted on the bank of the north fork of Corn creek about five miles from its confluence with the Main creek, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Located August 17th, 1907.

No. 5. Commencing at a post planted on the bank of the north fork of Corn creek about six miles from its confluence with the Main creek, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Located August 16th, 1907.

No. 6. Commencing at a post planted on the bank of the north fork of Corn creek about six miles from its confluence with the Main creek, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the place of beginning, containing 640 acres, more or less

Located August 16th, 1907.

No. 7. Commencing at a post planted on the bank of the north fork of Corn creek about six miles from its confluence with the Main creek, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the place of beginning, containing 640 acres, more or less

Located August 16th, 1907.

H. N. EDGECOMBE, Locator.
A. HACKETT, Agent.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that I, Harold N. Edgecombe, of Fernie, B. C., clerk, intend to apply for a special timber licence over the following described lands:

1. Commencing at a post planted at the confluence of the north fork of Corn creek about two miles from its confluence with the Main creek thence south 40 chains, thence west 160 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 160 chains to the place of beginning, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Located August 17th, 1907.

2. Commencing at a post planted on the bank of the north fork of Corn creek about two miles from its confluence with the Main creek, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the place of beginning, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Located August 17th, 1907.

3. Commencing at a post planted on the bank of the north fork of Corn creek about four miles from its confluence with the Main creek, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the place of beginning, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Located August 17th, 1907.

4. Commencing at a post planted on the bank of the north fork of Corn creek about four miles from its confluence with the Main creek, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less

Located August 17th, 1907.

5. Commencing at a post planted on the bank of the north fork of Corn creek about 6 miles from its confluence with the Main creek, thence north 40 chains, thence east 160 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 160 chains to the place of beginning, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated August 16th, 1907.

6. Commencing at a post planted on the bank of the north fork of Corn creek about six miles from its confluence with the Main creek, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the place of beginning, containing 640 acres, more or less

Located August 16th, 1907.

7. Commencing at a post planted on the bank of the north fork of Corn creek about six miles from its confluence with the Main creek, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the place of beginning, containing 640 acres, more or less

Located August 16th, 1907.

H. N. EDGECOMBE, Locator.
A. HACKETT, Agent.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that we, Archibald Bremner and George Young, both of the city of Nelson, in the Province of British Columbia, lumbermen, intend to apply for special timber licenses over the *following described* lands:

1 Commencing at a post planted about 250 yards westerly from the junction of the north and main forks of Summit creek, a creek flowing into Kootenay river south of the southern end of Kootenay lake in the district of West Kootenay, which junction is about 18 or 20 miles from the mouth of such creek, thence south 40 chains, thence east 160 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 160 chains to the point of commencement and containing 640 acres *more or less.*

ARCHIBALD BREMNER.

Dated this 5th day of August, 1907.

2. Commencing at a post planted about 250 yards *westerly from* the main and north forks of Summit creek, a creek flowing into Kootenay river south of the southern end of Kootenay lake in the district of West Kootenay, thence south 80 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains to the point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

GEORGE YOUNG.

Dated this 5th day of August, 1907.

3 Commencing at a post planted about 200 feet north from the bank of the main Summit creek, and about 2 miles westerly from the junction of the north fork and the main fork of such creek, a creek flowing into Kootenay river south of the southern end of Kootenay lake in the district of West Kootenay, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less

ARCHIBALD BREMNER.

Dated this 5th day of August, 1907.

4 Commencing at a post planted about 2 miles up an unnamed creek flowing into Summit creek from the south at about 22 miles from the mouth of Summit creek which latter is a creek flowing into Kootenay river south of the southern end of Kootenay lake in the district of West Kootenay, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

GEORGE YOUNG.

Dated this 5th day of August, 1907.

5 Commencing at a post planted two miles up an unnamed creek flowing into Summit creek from the south at about 22 miles from the mouth of Summit creek, which latter is a creek flowing into Kootenay river south of the southern end of Kootenay lake in the district of West Kootenay, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

ARCHIBALD BREMNER.

Dated this 5th day of August, 1907.

6 Commencing at a post planted about one and a half miles up the north fork of Summit creek, a creek flowing into Kootenay river south of the southern end of Kootenay lake in the district of West Kootenay, thence east 80 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains to the point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

GEORGE YOUNG.

Dated this 6th day of August, 1907.

7. Commencing at a post planted about one mile and a half up the north fork of Summit creek, a creek flowing into Kootenay river south of the southern end of Kootenay lake, in the district of West Kootenay, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated this 6th day of August, 1907.

ARCHIBALD BREMNER.

8. Commencing at a post planted about a quarter of a mile westerly from the north fork of Summit creek, and about two miles and a half up such north fork from its junction with the main Summit creek, a creek flowing into Kootenay river, south of the southern end of Kootenay lake in the district of West Kootenay, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less

ARCHIBALD BREMNER.

Dated this 6th day of August, 1907.

9. Commencing at a post planted about a quarter of a mile westerly from the north fork of Summit creek and about three miles up such north fork from its junction with the main Summit creek, a creek flowing into Kootenay river, south of the southern end of Kootenay lake in the district of West Kootenay, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to the point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated this 6th day of August, 1907.

ARCHIBALD BREMNER.

10. Commencing at a post planted about a quarter of a mile westerly from the north fork of Summit creek and about three miles up such north fork from its junction with the main Summit creek, a creek flowing into Kootenay river, south of the southern end of Kootenay lake, in the district of West Kootenay, thence west 40 chains, thence south 160 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 160 chains to the point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated this 20th day of August, 1907.

ARCHIBALD BREMNER.

11 Commencing at a post planted about half a mile easterly from the south fork of Summit creek and about one mile south of the main Summit creek, a creek flowing into Kootenay river south of the southern end of Kootenay lake in the district of West Kootenay, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to the point of commencement and containing 640 acres more or less.

ARCHIBALD BREMNER.

Dated this 21st day of August, 1907.

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Petition to Liberate Man Who Has Spent 33 Years in Prison for Crimes Due to Aberration.

Boston, Mass., Sept. 17.—After thirty-three years spent in solitary confinement in a cell at the Charlestown State prison, Jesse Pomeroy, the most famous prisoner in the state, may yet have cause for hoping that his case will receive more lenient attention.

In many respects Pomeroy's history presents one of the greatest tragedies of American prisons. He entered his cell as a boy of fourteen years. He is now rapidly becoming aged, owing to his seclusion. Year after year he has himself addressed petitions to the governor asking for release. Owing to intense public feeling against the youthful atrocities, a long succession of executive administrations have considered his petitions somewhat as a perennial joke.

His aged mother has for years joined him in trying to effect his release. Pomeroy has stated that he would go to some isolated section of Maine and would there engage in poultry raising. Such liberation undoubtedly would *never be permitted* by this state. More than a year ago, however the New York Herald, after a careful search for facts of *Pomeroy's long incarceration*, pointed out that his boyish crimes were such that cases like it today would be *treated in institutions for the criminal* insane.

Pomeroy's crimes were due to *perversion and partly to his youth.* Since then Pomeroy has become a highly educated man. Although he might still be a public menace, those who have studied his case believe that the purpose of the society might still be served if his confinement could be made more lenient. To this end the American Society for the Promotion of Criminal Anthropology has addressed a petition to the governor asking for a mitigation of that part of Pomeroy's sentence which relates to solitary confinement.

For the first time in many years Pomeroy has this week been taking exercise in the open air. Owing to the reticence of prison officials regarding Pomeroy it cannot be stated whether the authorities have suddenly granted him this privilege or whether he himself has suddenly availed himself of the opportunity.

For under the legal definition of "solitary confinement" there are privileges which Pomeroy does not enjoy, many of them from his own fault. His thirty-three years' of isolation have made him sullen and resentful and a source of much anxiety to his keepers. The attidue of other prisoners toward him also makes it difficult to extend to him any freedom in the prison, which might be given were he not so well known.

Pomeroy believes that powers over which he had no control moved him to his crimes when he was a boy, and he cannot see the ethics or the justice of a society that punishes him now. But he looks to no future except death and spends his time studying languages and history.

Pomeroy is a survival. The judges who tried him, the attorney general and the district attorney who prosecuted him and the governor who spared his life have all been dead for many years. He was only thirteen years old when he was first taken into custody, charged with torturing boys of from four to six years. He was sent to a reform school in Massachusetts, but after two years was released. That was in 1874. Very soon after he killed a five-year-old girl and buried her body in the cellar of his father's store. On the following April 22nd he killed a five-year-old boy.

At the trial for this crime the defence was insanity. It was contended that Pomeroy's brain was abnormal, that he had no power of inhibition, and no moral sense. Nevertheless he was convicted and sentence to be hanged. Chiefly because of his youth the sentence was commuted by Governor Rice to life imprisonment.

During his confinement Pomery has made several attempts to escape. In one of them, in 1887, he used illuminating gas to cause an explosion, but he succeeded only in wrecking his cell and in nearly killing himself. Of late years he is said to have become resigned to his fate. The long years of reading and study in his prison, where he has the use of eight thousand volumes, have *developed his intellect until*, according to those who have watched him, he is a different being from the unnatural boy of more than a quarter of a century ago.

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I hereby give notice on Friday, the Eleventh day of October, A. D. 1907, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, at the Court House, Nelson, B. C., I shall offer for sale by public auction the lands *hereinafter set out of the persons* in said list hereinafter set out, for the delinquent taxes unpaid by said persons as on the thirty-first day of December, 1906, and for interest, costs and expenses, including cost of advertising said sale, if the total amount due is not sooner paid.

PERSON ASSESSED, ACRES.	Description of Property.	Taxes Under Assessment Act	Taxes Under School Act	Interest	Cost and Expenses	Total
J. T. Wilson, 13.85	Lots 2, 3, and 8, B 98, G.1	6 30		30	2 00	8 60
	9					
A. R. Wilson, 294	Lot 914	29 40		1 30	2 00	32 70
Robert Wood, 70	In lot 3266	3 00		15	2 00	5 15
John Kay, 80	Lot 5076	6 00		30	2 00	8 30
C. H. Duncan, 320	Lot 5372	9 00		40	2 00	11 40
P. Grischell, 61.21	Bk. 15, lot 812	24 00	90	1 15	2 00	28 05
E. Mallandaine, 120	Bk. 27,28, and 29, lot 812	24 00	90	1 15	2 00	28 05
M. McCarthy, 7	Bk. 5, lot 891	4 35	1 10	25	2 00	7 70
Mrs. H. W. Hendren, 35	Bk. 14, lot 891	3 90	1 00	20	2 00	7 10
R. Helm, 40	Bk. 20, lot 891	9 60		50	2 00	12 10
L. E. Schuler, 4.29	In S ec. 6, Tp. 7 A	39		01	2 00	2 40
John Reith, 6.37	In Sec. 2 and 3, Tp. 15, Lot 1237	50		05	2 00	2 55
N. Gagnon, 99.20	In Sec. 3, 4, 9, and 10, Tp. 14, Lot 1237	2 95	2 60	25	2 00	7 80
Mrs. L. C. McDonald 35.40	In Sec. 1, Tp. 15, Lot 1237	1 05		05	2 00	3 10
Lucky Boy Mining and Milling Co., Ltd., 93.05	In Sec. 23, 24, 26, Tp. 37, Lot 1238	8 36		39	2 00	10 75
Theodore Johnson, 99.91	In Sec. 19, 20, 29, 30, Lot 1241	3 60		15	2 00	5 75
Ryan & Donelly	In Sec. 36, Tp. 36, Lot 1238	5 00	50	25	2 00	7 75
Broken Hill M. & D. Co., Ltd., 29.89	In Sec. 25, Tp. 17, Lot 1242	5 96		29	2 00	8 25
Pilot Ymir Co., Ltd., 42.33	In Sec. 1, Tp 39, and Sec. 6, Tp. 40, all in Lot 1	3 29		16	2 00	5 45
H. L. Lindsay, 148. 20	In Lot 1241	3 00		15	2 00	5 15
R. L. Baron, 153	do	6 60		30	2 00	8 90
McKelvey & Randall, 775.53	In Lot 4598	35 10		1 60	2 00	38 70
Ah Wing, 1.09	In Sec. 7, Tp. 17 Lot 1242	1 20	80	10	2 00	4 10

Dated at Nelson, B. C., this 9th day of September, 1907.

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Collector, Nelson Assessment District.

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NOTICE

In the matter of an application for the *issue of* a duplicate of the Certificate of Title for lot 22, and the west half of lot 21, block 61, in the Town of Nelson.

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention to issue at the expiration of one month after the first publication hereof a duplicate of the certificate of title for the above lands, in the name of Lydia Shields, which certificate is dated the 31st day of December, 1900, and numbered 3991 K.

"H. F. MACLEOD,"
District Registrar.

Certificate of Improvements

NOTICE

"Montreal" and "Quebec" Mineral Claims situate in the Nelson Mining Division, of West Kootenay District.

Where *located*:—West branch of north fork of Salmon river, on Craig Mountain, about nine miles from Erie, B. C.

Take notice that I, Alfred Ernest Gallupe, Free Miner's Certificate No. B649, intend, sixty days *from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining* Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining Crown Grants of the above claims.

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

Dated this 12th day of September, 1907.

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—AND—

In the matter of an application for the issue of a duplicate of the Certificate of Title for Lots 2301, 2302, and 2303, Group 1, Kootenay District.

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention to issue at the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof a duplicate Certificate of Title to the above described lands, in the name of James Roderick Robertson, which Certificate is dated the 9th day of August, 1898, and is numbered 1105-k.

Land Registry Office, Nelson, B.C., 31st of August, 1907.

H. F. MACLEOD,
District Registrar.

NOTICE

In the matter of an application for the issue of duplicates of the Certificates of Title to lots 11, 12 and 13, group 1, West Kootenay District, also known as the "Kootenay Chief," "Comfort" and "Luiu" mineral claims respectively.

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention to issue at the expiration of one month after the first publication hereof a duplicate of Certificate of Title No. 6901a of an undivided 81-100ths in each of the above lots, issued on the 17th day of May, A. D. 1886 in the name of John C. Ainsworth, and also a duplicate of Certificate of Title No. 6900a of an undivided 19-100ths in each of the above lots, issued on the 17th day of May, A. D 1886, in the name of George J. Ainsworth.

Land Registry Office, Nelson, B. C., August 6th 1907.

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New Sign for Tremont.

A big electric sign was placed on the Tremont hotel this afternoon.

End of Season.

The C. P. R. hotel at Banff and the chalets at Lake Louise and Lake Emerald will close for the season on September 30th.

Refreshment Booth.

The ladies of the Women's Hospital Aid will serve refreshments in the exhibition building during the three days of the Fair. They will serve substantial and tasty luncheons and afternoon tea.

20,000 Club.

The 20,000 Club booth at the Fair will be on the north side of the main building at the east end. Secretary Ebbutt will be in charge, and the booth will be well equipped with views and pamphlets.

Card of Thanks.

W. R. Thompson desires to convey his gratitude to the members of Nelson Aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles, and to many other friends for sympathy shown him in the loss of his late friend and partner, C. C. Clark.

"Country Kids Company."

The Calgary Albertan, Aug. 17th, says of the "Country Kids company," which will appear in Sherman's opera house on Wednesday evening, "The Lyric was crowded last night to witness the screaming farce which delighted the audience beyond all bounds. The cast was a very capable one and their impersonation of the various characters left nothing to be desired."

Buckley Valley.

Alf. Bunker, formerly of this city, has just returned from a lengthy visit to Buckley Valley. As a matter of fact Mr. Bunker has been a resident of Buckley, having purchased a tract of land from the government, on which he will engage in farming as soon as the railroad is built into that territory. He speaks well of the farming possibilities of that part of the province, but he believes it will never amount to anything from a fruit growing point of view. Last winter the thermometer ran down to 50 degrees below zero, which, of course, is too cold to grow large fruits. The smaller fruits, however, grow in profusion. He says he never saw raspberries, gooseberries, currants and small fruits grow as large as they do in Buckley Valley.

Lease Expired.

A gold brick worth $3,300 was at the Royal Bank of Canada's Nelson branch yesterday. It represented a month's output of the Kootenay Bell mine in Sheep Creek Valley, which has been operated since last spring by F. H. Nettleton under lease from the Bell brothers of Salmo, who are themselves lessees from Messrs. Bennett, Drummond and Billings, the owners. The brick does not represent the whole output of the mine but only what could be treated at a mill with a capacity of 12 tons a day and not operating for anything like full time. The brick represents a little more than 200 tons of ore, which is therefore worth between $16 and $17 a ton. Mr. Nettleton had a bond as well as a lease, but as he was very late in completing arrangements for operating he is not in a position to take up his bond. He left for the south this morning. Other negotiations are now in progress for the Kootenay Bell, but no definite agreement has been concluded.

PERSONAL.

James Cronin arrived in the city last night.

Noble Binns, of Trail, was a guest at the Hume.

Ven. Archdeacon Beer arrived from Kaslo last night.

J. Bresnahan, mining adviser to Patsey Clark, of Spokane, is at the Hume.

Horace G. Nichols, manager of the Ymir mines, and Mrs. Nichols, are in the city.

Mrs. Mighton who has spent several months in Nelson visiting her son, B. B. Mighton, leaves tomorrow morning for her home in Toronto.

F. W. Guernsey, ore buyer for the Trail smelter, is in the city today. He says the coke situation is somewhat relieved at present.

His Lordship the bishop of New Westminster and Kootenay, returned this morning from Rossland where he held confirmation service last night in St. George's church.

Mrs. R. S. Lennie leaves for New Westminster tonight in response to a telegram from Mr. Lennie whose mother has suffered a stroke of paralysis, and is still dangerously ill.

Askawa-Dingwall.

New Haven, Sept. 17.—It has just become known here that Prof. Kanachi Askawa, of the department of Japanese civilization at Yale, and Miss Miriam C. Dingwall, of New Haven, eloped and were married last Thursday in Washington, where the event was recorded at the Japanese legation. This proceeding was taken in order to legalize the marriage in Japan. Professor Askawa took a course in Yale and in 1902 received the degree of Phd. On receipt of this degree he was appointed to the professorship at Dartmouth. He is thirty years old and Miss Dingwall two years his junior.

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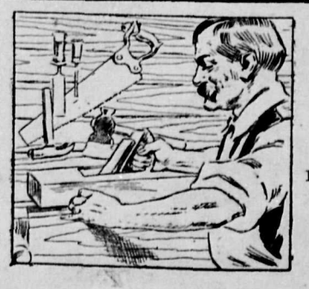

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