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GET OUT AND VOTE

Was Slogan All Over America Today

HEARST WIRES MESSAGE

Excitement in New York---Others Report Disappointing Lack of Interest in Day's Results.

New York, Nov. 6.—A perfect autumn day, bright, cool and bracing, favored the voters of New York state for today's election. The exceptionally favorable conditions after a campaign of almost unprecedented activity seem to assure an unusually large vote in this city. The balloting started with a rush in this city as soon as the polls were opened, and in many sections new records were made during the early hours.

New York, Nov. 6.—As the forenoon wore on the balloting throughout the city continued with unabated strength. This was particularly noticeable in the so-called "silk stocking" neighborhood. In the Thirteenth election district of the Twenty-ninth assembly district, 201 votes of a total registration of 547 had been polled up to 9 o'clock. Reports from 15 election districts, covering Park, Madison, Fifth and Lexington avenues, to the east and south of Central park, showed that about one-third of the total vote had been cast before 9 o'clock.

A general canvass of the Twelfth assembly district, Charles F. Murphy's district, showed that nearly one-half the total registered vote had been cast before 9 o'clock. Charles E. Hughes voted shortly before 8 o'clock in an American barber shop. He walked down from his home in West End avenue and was greeted with a cheer as he approached the polling place. Mr. Hughes voted ballot No. 148. In this district there are abot 600 votes and the vote was reported to be coming in at the rate for the first hour of about 100 ballots an hour.

W. R. Hearst sent the following early today to the state committeemen of the Independence league:

"We will have at least 200,000 plurality in Greater New York. I feel that our chances up the state are very bright, thanks to your efforts and the efforts of our friends."

"There is only one possible danger I fear that is that an attempt may be made to count us out up the state, as they counted us out in the city last year. I urge you to take extraordinary precautions to prevent repeating and particularly miscounting. I thank you for your valuable attention in this campaign and I congratulate you on the victory that I early believed we would achieve."

Paris, Nov. 6.—Never before, except in a presidential contest, has an election in the United States attracted as much attention as the electoral struggle ending today. The French newspapers are filled with accounts of the canvass of the candidates and the issues, and the result of the balloting in New York state is awaited with great interest.

New York, Nov. 6.—2:30 p. m.—Election weather conditions which did not be improved, together with the unusual interest in the contest between C. E. Hughes and William R. Hearst, the leading candidates for governor, brought out an unprecedented large vote today in all sections of the state. Advices from widely-scattered districts told almost without exception of a flood of ballots during the morning hours, and in many places early the full vote had been polled by noon.

New York city was no exception and except in scattered districts the forenoon voting was remarkably heavy.

In Brooklyn, where Patrick McCarren, the Democratic leader, has been making a determined and open fight against William R. Hearst, there were indications that the regular Democrat leaders were holding back early in the day. Whether this was due to "orders" or because in many Brooklyn manufacturing establishments the employees were given the afternoon rather than the morning for voting, is not known. The fine weather which favored the voters seemed to please all the party leaders. The Hughes managers called it a "good Republican weather" and declared that every hour made the prospect of their candidate more bright. The Hearst managers also professed to be fully as well satisfied as the Republicans. They were sure that the farmers' vote would help their cause. It was said this afternoon that both the candidates were claiming victory by approximately 200,000 plurality each.

The main feature of the elections was the extreme vigilance of watchers at the thousands of polling places throughout the state. In many towns and villages hordes of private detectives guarded every ballot box to prevent illegal voting. In New York city more than 200 arrests had been made before noon, but in mostly all cases the prisoners were able to prove their right to vote and were released. Among those arrested were many well known men whose winter homes were found closed when the police sought to verify their registration. All of these were permitted to vote after proving their residence.

London, Nov. 6.—A rumor circulated on the stock exchange here during the afternoon that Charles E. Hughes, the Republican candidate for governor of New York, had been assassinated caused a drop of half a point in some issues, but the report was not believed and the loss was soon recovered.

New York, Nov. 6.—At the headquarters of the Independence league today a statement was issued that reports received from State Committeeman A. G. Meyers indicate that fraud is rampant in Herkimer county. Mr. Meyers has wired Mr. Ihmsen from Little Falls, stating that in the town of Gray alone the registration has been increased from 117 last year to 257 this year. Warrants are now being procured and all persons illegally registered will be promptly arrested. Another statement from the league headquarters said early reports received from Independence league state committeemen in the great up state manufacturing centres says that an enormous vote is being polled, which is believed to be for Hearst.

Every report thus far received gives indications that labor is standing solidly behind Mr. Hearst. In the great manufacturing centres of Buffalo, Rochester, Syracuse, Utica, Albany, Watertown, Ogdensburg and Oswego an enormous labor vote was cast early. Every indication points to this vote being cast almost solidly for Mr. Hearst.

New York, Nov. 6.—5.30 p. m.—Five electoral districts outside of the 520 in Brooklyn give Hearst 189 votes and Hughes 124.

One hundred and one electoral districts in the state of New York out of a total of 3013 give Hughes 15,323 and Hearst 12,838.

From Buffalo city the returns are complete and give Hughes 31,982 and Hearst 32,012. Utica (complete) gives Hughes 6586, Hearst 6626.

Later—168 out of 3013 electoral districts outside of New York city the returns give Hughes 29,922 and Hearst 24,383.

SUCCESSFUL BANK LOOT

Robbers Burglarize Village Treasury and Escape Pursuit by Impressing Relays Into Service.

Ottawa, Ill., Nov. 6.—Two robbers who secnred $7000 from the Farmers' & Miners' bank at Ladd made their escape last night after an exciting chase of over 40 miles, and numerous fights with farmers who attempted to intercept them. After robbing the Ladd bank the robbers drove to Peru, Ind., and at the point of a revolver compelled a liveryman to furnish them with a buggy and fresh horses.

The passed through La Salle and then the pursuit began. The robbers drove through four county townships. The police, armed with rifles, being in close pursuit, the farmers were compelled to furnish the robbers with fresh horses. In Wallace township there was a lively exchange of shots, but the robbers took to the cornfields, secured a new team, and escaped to Sheridan where they abandoned horses and buggy and overcoats and caught a train, presumably for Chicago.

Boycotting the Japanese.

San Francisco, Nov. 6.—Secretary of Commerce and Labor Victor H. Metcalfe, accompanied by Consul Ujiar of Japan yesterday visited the Japanese quarter of the city and the Oriental school in pursuing his investigation into the exclusion of Japanese pupils from schools attended by white children. Later, the secretary went to the Japanese consulate, where he heard the statements and complaints of Japanese restaurnat keepers, who alleged that their business is boycotted.

Manitoba Municipalities.

Portage La Prairie, Nov. 6.—The annual convention of the Manitoba Union of Municipalities began here today, to continue in session until Friday. The mayors, clerks and other officials of the chief cities of the province are in attendance, and all indications point to an interesting and profitable session. Telephones, fire protection in country town, municipal hail insurance, road buildings, municipal auditing and numerous other subjects are to be given attention.

ROUND THE BOUNDARY.

Belcher Property to Be Immediately Developed—News of Mineral Deals.

(Special to The Daily Canadian.)

Grand Forks, Nov. 6.—The owners and officers of the Belcher mine, numbering 35, arrived here on Friday in their special car from the Belcher property, where they made a thorough inspection of the claim. The party is composed principally of Manitoba capitalists, among whom were such well known names as Dr. and Mrs. Clark, A. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McNaughton, Thomas Boland and others. Shortly after their arrival in town the party was escorted through the Granby smelter by General Manager Jas. D. Graves and his staff of assistants. The visitors expressed astonishment at the workings of the big plant. After looking over the smelter the party left for Spokane last evening.

The Belcher property is situated between Republic and Curlew in Washington, near the Kettle Valley Line railway. At present a steel tramway is being built from the mine to the railway and will now be completed in a very short time, when the Belcher will start shipping to the Granby smelter. This property is now regarded as one of the most thoroughly equipped mines in Northern Washington.

Among the mining deals of importance closed here during the past week for desirable cash considerations was the purchase of a half interest in the Emma and the whole of the Alaska, and a half interest in the New York claims, situated up the North Fork, by W. A. Pownder, the former owner being A. S. Atwood, while P. Maginnis has acquired the Victoria property in Gloucester camp from J. C. Henderson, and by the closing of a deal A. E. Smith becomes the owner of a two-thirds interest in the Eureka claim in Glouster camp, the original owner being J. Hill, and lastly, Superintendent A. D. McPhee, of the McKinley mine, has sold the Sunset property in Glouster camp to W. Minnion. It is reported that these properties sold, although in some instances mere prospects, brought prices aggregating $3000.

ALMOST A FATAL TRIP.

Launch Runs Out of Fuel and Drifts Until Picked Up.

Chicago, Nov. 6.—Three fishermen, Louis Wright, William Thornton and a man whose name could not be learned, who left Michigan City on Saturday in an open gasoline launch, are believed to have been drowned. They were on their way to Chicago, giving the boat a test trip. They carried but little food as they expected to make the trip in a short time. When they failed to reach here the life-saving crews at South Chicago, Michigan City and St. Joseph, Mich., were notified. After an unsuccessful search all hope of finding the missing fishermen was abandoned last night. It is now believed that the boat was swamped by heavy seas after the fuel had been exhausted.

Chicago, Nov. 6.—After drifting about Lake Michigan since Saturday noon in a gasoline launch without gasoline, Louis Wright and William Thornton of Michigan City were today picked up by the steamer Glenn and brought here. The men said that their gasoline became exhausted when they were 20 miles out from Michigan city and since that time they have been floating about waiting for some one to pick them up.

Interesting Railway Statistics.

New York, Nov. 6.—There were 217,341 miles of completed railroad in use at the end of 1905, acording to the figures published in Poor's Manual for 1906, of which the advance pages have just been issued. This is a net increase of railroad mileage in 1905 of 4716 miles. The capital stock reported amounts to $6,741,956,085, according to the same authority, and the bonded debt to $7,425,261,901. The total liabilities of the lines aggregate $16,292,880,823, against $15,995,504,651 in 1904.

The cost of the roads and their equipment is figured at $12,143,997,551, against $11,664,191,134 in the previous year. The total traffic revenue was $2,112,197,770, with operating expenses of $1,368,549,574. The passengers numbered 745,446, 641, and they were carried 23,906,420,668 miles.

Progressive Moyie.

A local telephone system will be established in Moyie, says the Leader, as soon as the switchboard arrives from Chicago. It will be a 10-phone system to begin with, but will be increased as the business grows. At the last meeting of the East Kootenay Telephone company in Cranbrook the directors took definite action on the matter. The central office here will be in the Moyie Drug & Stationery store The rates for the Moyie exchange have not yet been decided upon, but they will probably be the same as those charged at Cranbrook—$3 a month for business houses and $2 a month for residences.

RULES UNIVERSITY

Russian Government Vetoes Conclaves

STUDIES ARE SUSPENDED

Students' Mass Meeting Makes Light of Imperial Orders and Will Spy on Faculty.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 6.—The acuteness of the present university crisis continues and threatens to eventually result in the suspension of study. The government has again addressed the faculty of the University of St. Petersburg with an explicit statement in which it sets forth its intention of shutting down the university at once if outsiders persist in their demands and are permitted to tresspass upon the campus, to take part in mass meetings, and to bring about revolutionary conclaves within the precincts of the university.

A big mass meeting was held yesterday and continued till a late hour to protest against the expulsion from St. Petersburg of Jews who do not belong to the university and who desire to attend the lectures, on the ground that they have not the right of residence in the capital. A resolution was adopted making light of the threats to close the university and recommending that the faculty admit into its sittings upon student affairs delegates empowered to report to the student body.

License for this meeting was granted by the prefect of the city only after earnest solicitation by Mr. Dorgman, the rector of the university. The faction of so-called "Academists" is growing. This faction has forsworn revolution and is eager to second the efforts of the faculty to keep the university open in the interests of learning.

SMOTHERED IN GRAIN BINS.

Two Grain Handlers Engulfed in Elevator—One Taken—One Left.

New York, Nov. 6.—Patrick Dolan, boss of the grain handlers in the elevator of the William Baird company, Brooklyn, fell into a pit containing 3000 bushels of grain yesterday. Dolan plunged this way and that way, and with every step he was further engulfed.

He called for help and Pietro Amazio, a fellow workman, went to his assistance. He threw a rope to Dolan, which the latter grasped so desperately that he drew Amazio into the pit.

Other workmen who had been to lunch now heard the outcries, but both men had disappeared when they reached the scene. A rush was made for the chutes through which the grain is unloaded and, unfastening the covers, the men let the wheat run into the street. Soon Amazio's body shot down the chute and Dolan's followed. The latter was dead, having been smothered, but Amazio was still alive and will recover.

Revenge on Coal Company.

Wheeling, W. Va., Nov. 6.—An attempt was made today to wreck the tipple of the Elm Grove coal works, six miles east of here. A stick of dynamite was kindled in the stove and there was a terrific explosion. The scale house was blown to pieces and the underpinning of the tipple was wrecked. The man who kindled the fire fortunately had left before the heat reached the dynamite, and no one was hurt. The company is the only one in this sub-district who has not signed the compromise scale settling th erecent coal strike and on Monday it started shipping coal with non-union men.

Sensation Due Tomorrow.

Paris, Nov. 6.—Sensational developments are anticipated at the hearing of the Castellane divorce suit tomorrow. Convinced that all intention of a reconciliation has been forever lost, it apparently is the intention of the count's attorneys to open a vicious attack on the countess' witnesses. The hearing tomorrow will be private. Helen Gould is here giving support and comfort to her sister during the painful ordeal.

Russia Grateful to Stoessel.

London, Nov. 6.—A despatch from St. Petersburg to Reuters Telegram company today says that Lieutenant General Stoessel, the defender of Port Arthur, is in such financial straits that he has applied to a charitable institution for wounded soldiers for assistance to enable him to employ a servant. Officers of the institution asked the general to produce a medical certificate showing that his health required the services of a servant.

ON PARLIAMENT HILL.

Changes to Be Made in Arrangement of House of Commons.

Ottawa, Nov. 6.—The public works department will call for tenders this week for the extension to the parliament buildings. As already announced, the addition is to extend from the press headquarters at the northwest corner of the building across the lawn to the tower of the speaker's rooms, thus leaving a triangular court in front of room 16, the Liberal headquarters. In time this will be covered with glass, heated, and converted into a palm garden for the use of members. The actual division of the rooms in the new building will not be determined upon until parliament meets, when it is expected that Mr. Hyman will ask the commons to appoint a small committee to recommend how the different floors shall be divided up.

A new office is to be allotted to the leader of the opposition, and one for his private secretary. The present box stall in the corridor which Mr. Blount no woccupies as an office will be removed. New quarters will have to be found for the newspapermen as the smaller of the two rooms now used by the members of the press gallery will be converted into a corridor to give access to the ne wwing.

It is contemplated t oplace th erestaurant of the house of commons on the top floor of the addition. At present it is located in the basement, and in its present condition will be absolutely shut off from light and air when the new wing is completed. The cost of the alterations will run well over $250,000.

ENGINEERS WILL NOT STRIKE.

Brotherhood of Firemen Ready to Replace Them in Case of Trouble.

Cleveland, Ohio., Nov. 6.—The Plain-Dealer today says: "An officer of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen announced in Cleveland yesterday that the members of that organization were ready and willing to fill the places of all the engineers if the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers should declare a strike.

This statement was made by E. B. Harris, chairman of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen's Joint Protective Board of the Lake Shore railroad and leased lines, who had just completed a tour over those roads to ascertain the views of the firemen regarding joining in the general movement against railroad employees to secure higher pay and shorter hours.

Grand Chief Engineer Warren S. Stone, of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers said last evening that he was not surprised to hear that members of the Firemen's Brotherhood had threatened to take the places of engineers in case of trouble, but he said he did not anticipate any friction from that source, as the probability of a strike on any of the railroads by the engineers is remote at this time.

AERO CLUB'S PLANS.

Balloon Races Will Be Held in America Next Year.

New York, Nov. 6.—The first annual meeting of the Aero club of America was held last night at Cortlandt, and Field Bishop was elected to the presidency. Charles Jerome Edwards was elected treasurer, and Augustus A. Post, secretary. It was definitely decided to offer a trohpy to be known as the Lahm cup, in honor of Lieutenant Frank P. Lahm's victory in the international cup race in Europe in September last for the longest balloon trip made in America by members of the recognized American Aero club. Contestants for this trophy must exceed 647 kilometres (about 400 miles). Preparation for the international race in the United States next year was decided upon after the regular meting. D. C. Nuggant of St. Louis presented the advantages of that city for the starting point.

Flywheel Bursts.

Wheeling, W. Va., Nov. 6.—A 30-foot flywheel, weighing 80 tons at the Whitaker Iron works burst today, scattering heavy metal in every direction. A great section of the roof of the mill was blown off, heavy pieces flying 500 feet against neighboring plants and on the hillside. Fortunately the workmen had sufficient warning to make their escape.

Bandmaster Sousa's Birthday.

New York, Nov. 6.—John Phillip Sousa, with the exception of the late Patrick Gilmore the most famous and popular bandmaster America ever had, was fifty years old today. At his offices in this city numerous messages of greeting were received from friends and admirers in many parts of the United States and Canada. Mr. Sousa, due probably to his un-American name, is generally regarded as of foreign birth. Such is not the case, however, as he first saw the light of the day in Washington, D. C., Nov. 6, 1856. He has been a musician since his earliest childhood and was a conductor at the age of 17. For twelve years he was the leader of the famous United States Marine band, which he left in 1892 to form the band which bears his name.

DEVELOP GLASS FIELDS.

Prairie City to Have New Canadian Industry.

Medicine Hat, Alta., Nov. 6.—As a result of the recent visit to Medicine Hat of C. P. R. officials, including Superintendent of Motive Power Hall, Superintendent of Transportation Price and Master Mechanic Woodhouse, very extensive developments of the glass field is promised for next spring.

Special furnaces are to be equipped in the new machine shops for the purpose of giving all possible facilities for experiments.

This week most interesting tests were made with the object of ascertaining if the sand obtainable in this locality is suitable for the manufacture of glass. The appliances now are very crude, but the sand was easily run into glass balls on the gas being applied without even the blow pipe. The test was made by the C. P. R. for the Stoner Land company of Minneapolis.

Electoral Factions.

Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 6.—Mayor Malone today suspended Chief of Police George T. O'Haver for insubordination. Under the city charter the mayor has the right to assign the police to various duties if in his judgment trouble is feared. There has been much bitterness betewen local factions in the campaign for the legislative ticket and Mayor Malone today made reassignments for the police force. Ex-Mayor John Walsh and Chief of Police O'Haver instructed the men to remain where they had been first assigned. The mayor then suspended the chief. Mayor Malone later drove to every polling booth in the city and questioned each patrolman. It is understood that he has suspended about 50 men, who declared they would obey the orders of the deposed chief.

The Daily Crash.

Youngstown, Ohio, Nov. 6.—A passenger train known the the Akron accommodation, on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, collided with a wrecking train near here today and Engineer Herbert Shell of the accommodation was killed but none of the passengers were hurt.

GLEANED AT GREENWOOD

Carmi Mine Is Bonded and Rich Strike Is Encountered on the Mavis—General Mine Notes.

(Special to The Daily Canadian.)

Greenwood, Nov. 6.—Messrs. George H. Williams and Julius Ehrlich of Greenwood have secured the Carmi mine, on the West Fork, under lease and bond. The Carmi is regarded as an excellent property, and is in fine shape for continuous operation. There is a 10-stamp mill on the property and ore enough in sight to keep the same busy. A small force of men will be put on development work and the plant will be steadily employed. Several parties have been after the property and the Greenwood men are being congratulated on their landing it. Mr. Thurston, the owner, has business interests in England calling him thither, otherwise he would doubtless have continued operating it himself. The price and terms have not been made public.

A rich free gold strike has just been made on the Mavis, east of town. The property was recently bonded for $15,000 to Spokane people, who are much elated over their bond. The Mavis' workings are only about 500 feet from those of the Bay. The ledge is supposed to be that of the Bay, as the ore is similar to the rich stuff shipped from the Bay.

Engineers are busy surveying a branch line of the V., V. & E. from Mincaster, on Meyers creek, up the creek to Balster. The V., V. & E. crosses the valley of Meyers creek on a long, high, semi-circular trestle and the spur runs from the hillside on the west. This spur, which will only be a few miles long, will open up the district around Balster. Just east of Balster there is a mountain of low grade ore. The B. C. Copper company and the Dominion Copper company have both been looking into the possibilities of this mountain, known as Copper or Buckhorn mountain, but the question of transporattion, apparently, was an argument against acquiring the property. Mining on the property will to all appearances be stimulated by the building of this spur.

In after years a young man's bump of conceit becomes a dent.

SUNDAY OF QUIET

Washington Deserted by Non-Resident Voters

ONLY ROUTINE WORK

Capitol Offices Empty and Only Supreme Court Sessions Show Exception to Rule.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 6.—Election day has brought on Washington a Sunday of quiet. The situation here is anomalous in that, while there is no locality that possesses and feels so deep an interest in the result of the political contest which has now reached its climax, there is no real outward local manifestation of that interest. This is due to the fact that citizens of the District of Columbia are disfranchised, and are thus rendered incapable of actual participation in the contest.

The departments have been emptying themselves of voters for several days until today in all the big government buildings the forces were reduced to the lowest minimum possible. Desks everywhere were vacant, their occupants having gone home to vote. This applied as well to the higher officials. The example set by the president and by the heads of departments in going away to vote was followed almost uniformally by the clerks of bureaus and subordinates in all the branches of government work. The government service was not allowed to suffer because of this exodus of voters, as the heads of departments prepared for the lack of workers by getting the routine work well in hand and in such condition that a reduced number of employees could handle it.

The capitol buildings were practically deserted. None of the officials positions in that building is subject to civil-service rule and most of them are held as a result of personal political service. As a consequence, the occupants have in many cases been quite as much occupied with political affairs as have their superiors. Of all the government bureaus the largest quota of voters left the government printing office. There are several thousand men in that office and they are about equally divided between Democrats and Republicans.

The United States supreme court constituted one exception to the general prevailing at the capitol. That tribunal went forward to day as usual with its business, but even the members of the court are not totally divorced from the general concern felt over the election results.

Naturally the most interest here is taken in the result of the New York contest. Many eyes are turned also toward Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Colorado and Idaho, in all of which states the contests are regarded as of unusual interest and the results more or less in doubt.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 6.—"Get out and vote" is the command today from the political gentlemen throughout the country. A lack of interest in the election is reported from many sections. This condition necessitates hard work at the polls and the assurances of favorable weather in the greater portions of the country is welcomed by all contending parties.

Decided uncertainty as to the result of the balloting in the features of the closing campaign is the news from nearly every quarter. The uncertainty was manifested in New York, Pennsylvania, Chicago and other sections by a vigorous continuance of the congress until midnight last night.

In Montana the Socialist party make a confident claim that they will increase their vote of 6000 of last year, while both the Republicans and Democrats claim the state. The earthquake at San Francisco is said to have so redistributed the population of the state that the old estimates cannot be relied upon.

Massachusetts kept the fight warm until the last minute and Boston was the midnight battleground between Guild and Moran, the respective candidates of the Republicans and Democrats for governor.

In Indianapolis, Buffalo and several other localities, voting machines are to be used, and as these make an automatic count, early returns are expected. In New York city and Chicago the ballots are ponderous, and with the prospect of many scratches a long delay in arriving at results is predicted.

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"By one word we are sometimes judged to be wise and by one word sometimes judged to be foolish. Let us therefore be careful what we say."—CONFUCIUS.

GOOD INTENTIONS.

Special despatches from Ottawa, published in the Liberal papers, forecast the speech from the throne at the opening of the house early this month and assure us that the Laurier government intends to enact drastic legislation looking to the purification of elections and the smiting of bribery and corruption.

This is good news, or would be but for the disappointing reflection that the election laws now in existence, drastic as they are, suffer violation by the Liberals in almost every constituency. The charges of corruption which were made against the members of the Conservative administration before it was replaced by the present Liberal government have been completely eclipsed and distanced by the humiliating revelations that are being made under the Laurier regime.

Not only are elections declared and, in many cases proved, to have been corrupt, but the machinery of the law has been clogged and the punishment of corruptionists has been made impossible. The courts have given erratic decisions and singularly enough the Liberals have in every case been the gainers by the curious constructions that have been placed upon the letter of the law. A recital of all these cases would fill the pages of this paper, but a reference to some of them will show that the judicial appointments have gone to men who seem to have understood that in the event of necessity the cases coming before them for trial were to bbe handled with dexterity.

One case was in West Elgin, another in West Huron, and still another in Brockville were settled in the interest of the Lieral candidates. The case of Gamey is still fresh in the memory of the readers of this paper and the Liberal government through the judiciary acquitted Stratton, though there is no shadow of a doubt that he was implicated in a nauseous deal.

In Prince Albert Hon. J. H. Lamont profited by the decision of the Liberal appointees and the Liberal party gets the proceeds.

In Saskatchewan there are sixteen protests against the election of nearly all the members of the Liberal government, yet a majority of the judges, who are appointees of the Laurier administration, decide that there is no law by which these appeals can be tried, and per force the whole Liberal government stays in power.

In Brandon, the seat of Clifford Sifton has been declared to have been corruptly obtained, evidence to substantiate the claim has been collected, and yet during two years it has been impossible to bring the case to trial, with the result that the Laurier administration has shared the benefits. Still other cases might be cited, but the obvious conclusion is that a more drastic election law will scarcely meet the case so long as the party in power resorts to these expedients to remain in control of the government. The disposition to hug the seat which has been so palpable in the cases of corruptly-elected members of parliament is a poor tribute to the sincerity or honesty of the men who now promise legislation to remedy the conditions.

The prompt resignation of any member of the house of commons on the production of satisfactory evidence that corruption existed would do more to free the country from the degraded individuals who carry on this work than tomes of legal enactment.

Our informants tell us that the proposed measures are to be so severe that even the practised briber will hesitate to incur the penalties that will follow exposure, and that the bribe taker wil be afraid to sell his vote for fear of consequences. We fear that the east has again fallen into the delusion that is so characteristic of it in other respects that the mere making of laws is sufficient to change the moral character of a nation. More drastic election laws will no more make elections honest than the Lord's Day Act will make people be good on Sunday, or than a measure of legal prohibition convert topers into teetotallers. It is one thing to place a law on the statute books of the Dominion, but quite another to enforce it, and so long as the leading members of the party in power like Mr. Fielding, Mr. Sifton and Mr. Hyman fight to the bitter end through technicalities to hold seats that they know were corrupted, we have little faith in the assurances that any real reform is to be attempted by the government. Having passed a law they will complacently say there it is, and as soon as the new machinery is put in motion these very men will have behind them the same judiciary who today avail themselves of every loophole to give judgment in favor of the party appointing them to their positions, and the work of ridding the country of the fraud and treason that is practised by the party heelers will go unabashed.

The second proposal to include a clause in the law compelling every voter to record his ballot we cannot look upon with any degree of complaisance, as there must in the nature of the case be many instances in which voters will have conscientious scruples against voting for the candidate of either party. It happens, unfortunately, that candidates are sometimes nominated for whom the members of his own party cannot conscientiously vote, and to compel the elector to record his ballot willy nilly smacks pretty clearly of autocracy. A candidate may have an established record for crookedness and still by his craft secure the nomination of his party. To compel those who are disgusted with his record to vote for him or else assist in the election of the opposition candidate is to take liberties with the franchise of a free electorate to almost the same extent as to dictate which way they shall vote.

We take no stock in the despatches setting forth the good intentions of the Laurier government in these matters. The promises are too specious, and with the record of so many men holding their seats in the house of commons and the legislative assemblies whose place and power were deliberately bought, any attempt to enact more drastic legislation will be a farce of the worst kind.

ATTACK OF SPLEEN.

The Cranbrook Herald suffered last week from an unusual attack of spleen and gives expression to its splenetic sentiments in a way that does little credit to self-respecting and self-lauding a paper. The facility with which the name of the Deity figures in the vocabulary of the Herald is extremely sugestive that its familiarity with the word is not confined to the pious uses to which it subjects the term in its editorial columns. Here is a sample of the pabulum with which the people of Cranbrook are forced to regale themselves:

"But Mr. McBride, from the very inception of the matter, had been narrow-minded enough to endeavor to work the whole proposition as a political game. He fell down as a statesman, he fell down as a premier, he fell down as a man. Any other individual with the brains that God has given the average man, would have stayed with the proposition and secured for this province all that was possible. Mr. McBride was influenced by one desire only, and that was the mistaken idea of creating political capital for himself and his party. That the plan was conceived in advance is plainly shown by the attitude of all Conservative newspapers in the province, which have taken up the same line of argument on this proposition. In fact, many of the editorials appearing in the various Conservative newspapers are almost word for word alike, showing that a literary bureau must be working overtime. If the Conservative party think that they can appeal to the country upon the bombastic issue raised by Mr. McBride in this matter they surely will meet with keen disappointment, for the people of British Columbia, as a whole, are too intelligent to be misled by any such nonsensical display of petty politics."

We submit that the intelligent readers of the press of British Columbia who have been following the story of Premier McBride's mission to Ottawa and the treatment he received there will be cheered by the thought that the able minds who are directing the policy of the opposition in the province and are acting as organizers of the scattered forces can find nothing more rational to say in criticism of the premier's action than appears above. The abuse which precedes the quotation need not be reprinted here. The unfortunate result of the premier's visit—unfortunate so far as the opposition is concerned—is that there is now no way of keeping the premier's course out of the sphere of politics. If the Laurier administration had done justice to British Columbia there would have been no possibility of the premier or anyone else making political capital out of the affair. As it is the people have seized on the issue and are unanimously approving the premier's action.

If the organs of the opposition think they can stay the stampede of their sensible party followers by heaping abuse and ridicule upon Mr. McBride we can assure them they are mistaken, and there can be no more fitting conclusion to the administration of a well deserved rebuke than the words of the Herald itself when it says, "The people of British Columbia as a whole are too intelligent to be misled by any such nonsensical display of petty politics." From the Herald to the Herald these words are fitly spoken and are like apples of gold in pictures of—mud.

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

Asks the Cranbrook Herald.

"Honestly, now, good people, what do you think about Premier McBride, the opera bouffe statesman, as compared with J. A. Macdonald?"

Reminds us of the sage who said he had often been sorry for what he had said, but never once sorry for what he didn't say. Really, though, we do not think there is any comparison. Only the other day a good Lieral told us that Mr. Macdonald would make a much better premier than leader of the opposition because he isn't quick enough to see a point instantly. That's a good recommendation for the premiership, coming from one of J. A.'s own ardent admirers. What do you think?

The Cranbrook Herald has long coveted the wish to have the nomination of the next candidate for the Conservative party in its own riding. Every few weeks it discusses the relative merits of prospective candidates with a sameness that suggests to an outsider that life in Cranbrook must be very dull indeed. It might be a good idea for some of the Cranbrook Conservatives to give Dad Simpson a hunch that if he can successfully get himself nominated as the Liberal champion he will have achieved something that will keep his mind off other worries for a while.

The Greenwood Ledge has been enlarged to meet the growing requirements of its advertising and reading patronage. It states that when it commenced pubblication in Greenwood there were ominous predictions of its failure, but it has had a deservedly increasing patronage. We do not wonder at this, as the Ledge is one of the brightest and breeziest weekly papers that comes to our exchange table. Like a celebrated make of piano: 'It has a tone that's all its own." Long life and prosperity to you, cotem.

They have a preacher over in Greenwood who explained to his congregation on Sunday evening "How Death Begets Life." Come this way, brother. We would very much like to know that ourselves.

LAND NOTICES.

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 lands, Kootenay district: Commencing at a post marked "J. H. Wallace's northwest corner post," said post being on the easterly side of Lower Arrow lake, and at the southwest corner of Porter's pre-emption claim; thence east 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence west 60 chains more or less to the Arrow lake, thence in a north easterly direction 60 chains, more or less to the place of beginning, containing 140 acres, more or less

Dated this 29th day of October, 1906

J. H WALLACE,
By his agent, KENNETH L. BURNET.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands in Kootenay district: Commencing at a post marked J. B. Annable's northeast corner post, said post being on the south side of the Lower Arrow lake, about two miles below Burton City; thence south 30 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence north 32 chains and 20 links, more or less to the lake shore; thence easterly along lake 40 chains, more or less, to the place of beginning, containing 105 acres, more or less.

Dated this 5th day of November, 1906.

J. B. ANNABLE,
per K. L. BURNET, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands in Kootenay district: Commencing at a post marked "A. J. Dill's southwest corner post," said post being on the northwesterly shore of the Lower Arrow lake and 25 links due east on the northeast corner of Lot 2719 Group 1; thence north 60 chains; east 40 chains; south 40 chains, more or less, to the lake shore, thence following said shore in a southwesterly direction 50 chains more or less to the place of bevinning, containing 160 acres, more or less

Dated this 5th day of November, 1906

A. J. DILL,
per K. L. BURNET, Agent.

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands, in West Kootenay: Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot 4395, G. 1., marked F. Fletcher's northwest corner, thence south 80 chains; thence east 10 chains, more or less, to the western boundary of Lot 306, G. 1; thence north 80 chains to Kootenay river; thence west following said river to point of commencement, containing 80 acres more or less.

26th October, 1906.

FRANK FLETCHER

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 the West Kootenay district: Beginning at a post marked "Herbert Warren's N. E. corner," and planted on the w st shore of Whatshan (Cariboo) lake, about one-quarter mile north of the southern end of the lake; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains, more or less, to Whatshan creek; thence following north along the creek and lake shore 80 chains, more or less, to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less

Dated this 8th day of October, 1906.

HERBERT WARREN,
F. L. HAMMOND, Agent.

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 the West Kootenay District: Beginning at a post marked, "Antoinette Hirch's N. E. corner," and planted on the shore of Whatshan (Cariboo) lake at the southeast corner of the said lake; thence west 40 chains; thence west 40 chains, more or less, to the shore of Whatshan creek; thence following the shore line of said creek and lake in a general northerly and easterly direction 80 chains, more or less, to point of commencement; containing 160 acres, more or less

Oct. 13th, 1906.

ANTOINETTE HIRSCH,
By F. L. HAMMOND, Agent.

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to make application to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post placed adjoining the southwest corner post of Leon Watson's Application to Purchase, running 80 chains north; thence 40 chains west; thence 80 chains south; thence 40 chains east, to point of commencement, containing 320 acres more or less.

Dated October 13, 1906.

RUFUS WINTER,
By his agent, ERNEST, W. ROBINSON.

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands in West Kootenay district: Beginning at a post marked "Otto Hirsch's N. W. corner" and planted on the west shore of Watshan (Cariboo) lake, about one-fourth mile west of the narrows of Whatshan lake; thence south 80 chains; thence east 40 chains more or less to the shore of the Narrows; thence following the said shore in a general northerly and westerly direction 120 chains more or less, to the point of commencement, containing 320 acres more or less.

Dated this 8th day of Oct., 1906.

OTTO HIRSCH,
F. L. HAMMOND, Agent.

Notice is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands in West Kootenay district: Beginning at a post marked "S. K. Alden's S. E. corner," and planted on the east shore of Whatshan (Cariboo) lake, about one mile north of the southern end of the lake; thence north 80 chains; thence west 40 chains, more or less, to the shore of Whatshan lake; thence following said shore in a general southerly and easterly direction 100 chains, more or less, to the point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less.

Dated this 8th day of Oct., 1906.

E. K. ALDEN,
F. L. HAMMOND, Agent

Notice is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands in the West Kootenay district: Beginning at a post marked "Bertha Hirsch's N. E. corner," and planted on the east shore of Whatshan (Cariboo) lake, at the narrows of the lake, and about one mile south of Arrow lake trail; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains more or less to the shore of the narrows; thence following the said shore in a general northerly and easterly direction 120 chains more or less to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated this 8th day of Oct., 1906

BERTHA HIRSCH'
F. L. HAMMOND, Agent.

Sixty days after date, I Margrett McQuarrie, intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, B. C., to purchase the following described land, Commencing at a post marked M. McQuarrie, on the bank of Lower Arrow lake, thence 40 chains west; thence 60 chains north; thence 40 chains east; thence 60 chains south to place of commencement, said to contain 160 acres more or less. Covering ground held by G. B. Anderson's pre-emption.

Dated this 14th day of September, 1906.

MARGRETT MCQUARRIE,
W. L. PAYNE, Agent

Sixty days after date I purpose making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post marked "K. F's S. E. corner," and situate about one mile from Silver Tip Point, on Whatshan lake, and near Christie creek, running thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains south, following the lakeshore; thence 80 chains east to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres more, or less.

Dated the 11th day of August, 1906.

K. FAUQUIER,
Per F. G. FAUQUIER, Agent.

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 lands; Commencing at a post planted on the northeast corner of Peter McNaughton's application to purchase, running 80 chains west along the northern boundary of same; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south, along the west boundary of John Elliott's application to purchase, to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated Oct. 13, 1906. THOMAS SMITH,
By his agent, ERNEST W. ROBINSON.

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, at Victoria, B. C., for permission to purchase the following described lands, situated in the West Kootenay district, south of Forty Nine creek, commencing at a post marked "L. H Choquette's N. W. corner," thence 40 chains east, thence 40 chains south, thence 40 chains west, thence 40 chains north to the commencement post, containing 160 acres, more or less.

Nelson, B. C., Oct. 16th, 1905.

L. H. CHOQUETTE,
W. A. JONES, Agent.

Sixty days after date I purpose making application to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post placed at the southwest corner of R. W. Hannington's application to purchase, marked "L. M. S. H's S. E. corner post," running thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains north to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated the 10th day of October, 1906.

L. M. S. HANNINGTON,
per R. SHIELL, Agent.

Sixty days after date I purpose making application to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post placed on the north boundary of lot No. 864 and about two chains east of Whatshan creek, marked "M. S's. S. W. corner," running thence 40 chains east; thence 40 chains north; thence 40 chains west; thence 40 chains south, to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.

Dated the 10th day of October, 1906.

M. SHIELL,
Per R. SHIELL, Agent.

Notice is hereby given that 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, situate in Fire Valley, in the West Kootenay district, adjoining W. A. Calder's pre-emption, starting at a post marked M. McQuarrie's southwest corner, running 80 chains east, thence 40 chains north, thence 80 chains west thence 40 chains south to point of commencement.

Dated this 11th day of September, 1906

MARY MCQUARRIE,
J. E. TAYLOR, Agent.

Sixty days after date I purpose making application to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post placed at the north east corner of B. C. Skinner's application to purchase, marked "H. D's N. W corner post," thence following the east boundary of same 80 chains south; thence running 80 chains east; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains west to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less

Dated the 10th day of October, 1906.

H. DODD,
Per R. SHIELL, Agent.

60 days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, B C, to purchase 640 acres of land situate west of Arrow lake on the west side of Whatchan creek and joining the north boundary of S. J. Annable application to purchase. Commencing at a post marked R. J. E. S. E. corner and running west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south to point of commencement.

September 2nd 1906. R. J. ELLIOT.

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 in the West Kootenay District: Beginning at a post marked "W. S Elvidge's S. W. corner," and planted about one-quarter mile west of the west shore of Whatshan (Cariboo) lake, and about one and one-quarter miles north of the southern end of the lake; thence north 80 chains; thence east 40 chains more or less to the shore of the Whatshan lake; thence following said shore in a general southerly and westerly direction 100 chains more or less to a point on the shore due east of the post of commencement; thence west 20 chains more or less to the point of commencement, containing 320 acres more or less.

Dated this 9th day of Oct., 1906.

W. S. ELVIDGE,
F. L. HAMMOND, Agent.

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Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands, situated on the east side of Arrow lake: Commencing at a post marked A. Macleod's location post, thence south forty chains, following W. Toye's eastern boundary; thence east sixty chains, to east bank of Garibaldi Creek; thence north forty chains; thence east sixty chains to point of commencement, containing 220 acres, more or less.

Dated September 1, 1906. ALEXA MACLEOD.
Per N. DEMERS, Agent.

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 lands, situated on the east side of Arrow lake: Commencing at the northeast corner of A. Anthony s purchase, thence north forty chains, thence west forty chains, thence south forty chains, thence east forty chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

Dated September 1, 1906. JAMES F. MACLEOD,
per N. DEMERS, Agent.

Notice is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands, in West Kootenay District: Commencing at an initial post planted at the southeast corner of McCoy's pre-emption, thence 20 chains west to east boundary of Lot 6199; thence following said boundary south to southeast corner of said lot; thence 10 chains west; thence 50 chains south; thence 30 chains east; thence 20 chains north to southwest corner of Lot 222; thence following west boundary of Lot 222 to initial post.

September 21, 1906. D. D. WOLFF,
per ERNEST W. ROBINSON.

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, situate on the East shore of Lower Lake, about one and one half mile South of Edgewood, B. C. and adjoining J. T. Beattie's application to purchase, and commencing at a post marked Donald Wilson's South West corner, thence running North sixty chains, thence East forty chains, thence South, sixty chains, thence West forty chains to place of commencement, and containing 240 acres more or less.

DONALD WILSON.
M. R. MCQUARRIE, Agent.

Dated this 25th day of September, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that two months after date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land, described as follows: Commencing at a post planted at the southwest of J. C. Morrison's ranch in Fire Valley, West Kootenay district, marked "J. B. Munro's northeast corner post"; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains north to the place of commencement.

Dated 11th day of September, 1906.

J. B. MUNROE,
W. A. CALDER, Agent.

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, situate in West Kootenay district: Beginning at a post marked "Arthur Warren's S. W. corner," and planted on the east shore of Whatshan (Cariboo) lake, about two miles north of the narrows of Whatshan lake, and at the S. E corner of W. Secombe's application to purchase; thence east 40 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence south 80 chains to point of commencement; Containing 320 acres more or less.

Dated this 8th day of Oct. 1906.

ARTHUR WARREN,
F. L. HAMMOND, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, to purchase 160 acres of land, situate and described as follows: Commencing at a post planted on the west side of Arrow lake opposite Cariboo City, at or near the southwest corner of B. Haig purchase, and marked "G. M. A., S. E. corner," and running north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains to H. Annable's purchase, thence south 40 chains more or less to the lake shore, thence along the lake shore to place of beginning.

August 25th, 1906. G. M. ANNABLE.

Notice is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for permission to purchase the following described lands in the West Kootenay district: Beginning at a post marked "James G. Fraser's N.E. corner," and planted on the east shore of Whatshan (Cariboo) lake, about one-half mile north of Christie creek; thence south 40 chains, more or less, to the north boundary of W. Secombe's application to purchase; thence west along the said boundary 40 chains, more or less, to the shore of the lake; thence following the said shore in a general northerly and easterly direction 80 chains, more or less, to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

Oct 13th, 1906. JAMES G. FRASER,
F. L. HAMMOND, Agent.

Notice is hereby given that sixty days after the date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land in the West Kootenay district: Beginning at a post marked "E. R. Keil's N. E. corner," and planted on the shore of Whatshan (Cariboo) lake, at the northwest corner of said lake; thence 80 chains west; thence 40 chains south; thence 40 chains east; thence 40 chains south; thence east 40 chains, more or less to the shore of the said lake; thence northerly along the said lake shore 80 chains, more or less, to the point of commencement, containing 480 acres, more or less.

Dated Oct. 12, 1906. E. R. KEIL,
F. L. HAMMOND, Agent.

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 the West Kootenay district: Beginning at a post marked "William Keil's N. W. corner," and planted about one mile south of the north end of Whatshan (Cariboo) lake, about twenty chains west of the west shore of said lake and on the south boundary of E. R. Keil's application to purchase; thence south 80 chains; thence east 20 chains, more or less, to the said lake shore; thence northerly along the said shore 80 chains, more or less, to the said south boundary of E. R. Keil's application to purchase; thence west 20 chains, more or less to the point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

Dated Oct. 12, 1906. WILLIAM KEIL,
By F. L HAMMOND, Agent.

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands in West Kootenay district, province of British Columbia; Commencing at a post marked "William Tollington's northwest corner post," said post being planted at the southwest corner of the "Queen Mineral Claim," and adjoining the east line of McPhail's pre-emption, thence south twenty (20) chains along said line, thence east forty (40) chains, thence north twenty (20) chains, thence west forty (40) chains more or less, to the place of commencement.

Dated 1st day of August, 1906.

WILLIAM TOLLINGTON,
By his agent J. E. Taylor.

Sixty days after date I purpose making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post marked "D. P's S. W. corner," adjoining the east boundary of D. Pierce's application to purchase, running thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated the 11th day of August, 1906.

I. PIERCE,
per F. G. FAUQUIER,

Notice is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands situate in West Kootenay District, Commencing at a post marked "A. Hirsch's S. E. Corner" planted at the S. W. corner of Lot 373, about 1 mile north of Burton City and about ¾ of a mile west of the Columbia river, thence north 80 chains; thence west 40 chains thence south 80 chains; thence east 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres.

Dated this 14th day of September, 1906.

A. HIRSH,
Per RALPH SLYE, Agent.

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 lands, starting from a post marked W. T's northwest post, thence south 40 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less; adjoins on the east of A. Anthony's application to purchase.

Dated this 28th day of August, 1906.

W. TOYE,
N. DEMERS, Agent.

Notice is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands, 320 acres, starting at a post marked Catherine Toye and planted on the east shore of Lower Arrow lake near Gladstone Creek, thence 40 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 40 chains west to lake shore, thence south along lake shore to point of commencement.

Dated this 13th day of September, 1906.

CATHERINE TOYE,
HARRY GIBSON, Agent.

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 lands situated on the east side of Arrow lake: Commencing at the southwest corner of A. Anthony's purchase, thence south twenty chains, thence east twenty chains, thence north twenty chains, thence west twenty chains to point of commencement, containing 80 acres, more or less.

Dated September 1, 1906 BESSIE M. STOLL,
per N. DEMERS, Agent.

Notice is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands, situate in the West Kootenay district, and adjoining Paul Andre's pre-emption, starting at a post marked A. J. Long, N. E. corner, on the west shore of Lower Arrow lake, thence 20 chains east, thence 40 chains south, thence 20 chains east, thence 40 chains north to point of commencement.

Dated at Nelson, B. C., this 8th day of September, 1906

A. J. LONG,
WM. POLLARD, Agent.

Notice is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands situate in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post planted at Robert Corlett's north east corner post and marked A. M's N. W. Corner thence east 40 chains; thence 40 chains south, more or less to the Kootenay river; thence 40 chains west along the Kootenay river; thence 40 chains north, more or less, to the place of commencement, containing 100 acres more or less.

September 14th 1906.

ANNIE MOORE,
WILLIAM MOORE as Agent.

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date we intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands in the West Kootenay district: Beginning at a post marked G. D. Bell and R. Bell's S. E. corner post, about 2 miles east of the Salmon river and about ½ mile from the Pend d'Oreille river; thence 80 chains north; thence 40 chains west; thence 80 chains south; thence 40 chains east to place of beginning.

Dated the 22nd day of September, 1906.

G. D. BELL
R. BELL,
R. M. REEVES, Agent.

Sixty days after date I purpose making application to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post marked "D. P's S. W. corner," adjoining K. Fauquier's application to purchase, running thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated the 11th day of August, 1906.

D. PIERCE,
Per F. G. FAUQUIER, Agent.

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: Commencing at a post marked "D. P's S. W. corner," and planted on the east shore of Whatshan (Cariboo) lake, about two miles north of the narrows of Whatshan lake; thence north 80 chains; thence west 40 chains, more or less, to the lake shore; thence following the said shore in a general southerly and easterly direction 120 chains, more or less, to the point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated this 8th day of Oct., 1906.

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F. L. HAMMOND, Agent.

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LAND NOTICES.

ys after date I purpose making application to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post at the southwest corner of J. Shiell's application to purchase, marked "R. S's S. E. corner," thence 80 chains north, thence 80 west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.
The 13th day of October, 1906.
R. SHIELL,
per J. SHIELL, Agent.

ys after date I purpose making application to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post at the northeast corner of R. Shiell's application to purchase, marked "M. E. G's S. E. corner," running thence 80 chains north to the boundary of T. L. 6983, thence 80 chains west 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less
The 13th day of October, 1906.
M. E. GRENFELL,
per J. SHIELL, Agent.

ys after date I purpose making application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post west of the junction of Barnes and creeks, and east of R. J. Elliott's application to purchase, marked "W. N. P's. S. W. corner," running thence 80 chains north; thence east; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west to point of commencement; containing 640 acres more or less.
8th day of October, 1906.
W. N. POOLE,
Per J. SHIELL, Agent.

ys after date I purpose making application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post at the southeast corner of M. E. Grenfell's application to purchase, marked "V. D's. corner," running thence 80 chains north; west; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west, to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or
The 13th day of October, 1906.
V. DODD
Per J. Shiell, Agent.

is hereby given that 60 days after date I make application to the Honorable the Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described Commencing at a post on the north of Lot 864 and about 2 chains east of creek, running 40 chains east; thence north; thence 40 chains west; thence 40 chains south, to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
October 13, 1906.
LEON WATSON,
By his agent, ERNEST W. ROBINSON.

days after date I purpose making application to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post about 100 yards west of the Whatshan and about two miles south of Whatshan marked "R. C. S's N. E. corner post," thence 80 chains south; thence 80 west; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains, to point of commencement; containing more or less.
The 10th day of October, 1906.
B. C. SKINNER,
Per R. SHIELL, Agent.

days after date I intend to apply to the the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Victoria, to purchase 180 acres of land, on the west side of Arrow lake, adjoining and described as follows: Commencing planted on the west boundary of Lot 20 chains north of the S. W. corner of thence west 30 chains, thence south 60 thence east 30 chains to the western of pre-emption No. 378, thence north to place of beginning.
Oct. 25, 1906.
M. E. WALLEY,
R. J. ELLIOTT, Agent.

is hereby given that 60 days after date I make application to the Honorable the Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described Commencing at a post placed about one of Whatshan creek and about three mile of Whatshan lake, running 80 chains thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains thence 80 chains east, to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
October 13, 1906.
PETER MCNAUGHTON,
By his agent, ERNEST W. ROBINSON

is hereby given that 60 days after date I to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, to purchase 160 acres of land, situate about one mile Burton City on the east side of Arrow described as follows: Commencing at a planted at the northeast corner of Lot 6550, north 20 chains, thence west 40 chains, south 20 chains, thence east 40 chains to beginning
24th, 1906
J. R. HUNTER.

days after date I purpose making application to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at the east corner of V. Dodd's application to purchase, marked "C. L. H's N. E. corner," running thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west 80 chains north, thence 80 chains to the point of commencement, containing acres more or less.
the 12th day of October, 1906.
C. L. HANNINGTON,
per J. SHIELL, Agent

days after date I purpose making application to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at the northwest corner of "E. S. E. corner," running thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains thence 80 chains east to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.
the 12th day of October, 1906
K. ROBERTSON,
per J. SHIELL, Agent.

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 lands situated in the West Kootenay district: Beginning at a post marked "Alexander Fraser's N. W. corner," and planted on the east shore of the narrows of Whatshan (Cariboo) lake, at the S. E. corner of Bernhard Hirsch's application to purchase; thence east 40 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 40 chains, more or less, to the shore of the narrows; thence following the said shore in a northerly direction 80 chains, more or less to the point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less.
Oct. 13th, 1906.
ALEXANDER FRASER,
by F. L. HAMMOND, Agent.

Sixty days after date I purpose making application to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at the northeast corner of C. L. Hannington's application to purchase, marked "E. A. C's S. E. corner," running thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.
Dated the 12th day of October, 1906.
E. A. CREASE,
per J. SHIELL Agent.

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 in West Kootenay District: Beginning at a post marked, "Bernhard Hirsch's S. E. corner," and planted on the east shore of the narrows of Whatshan (Cariboo) lake; thence north 80 chains; thence west 40 chains more or less, to the shore of Whatshan lake; thence following said shore in a general southerly and easterly direction 120 chains more or less, to point of commencement: containing 320 acres, more or less.
Dated this 8th day of Oct. 1906.
BERNHARD HIRSCH,
F. L. HAMMOND, Agent

Sixty days after date I purpose making application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post placed about half a mile west of Barnes creek, and about one mile north of the mouth of the same, marked "J. S's. S. W. corner," running thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south to the north boundary of W. N. Poole's application to purchase; thence 80 chains west to point of commencement; containing 640 acres more or less.
Dated the 13th day of October, 1906.
J. SHIELL.

Sixty days after date I purpose making application to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post placed about half a mile west of the lower end of Whatshan lake, marked "D. D's. N. W. corner," running thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains west to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less
Dated the 12th day of October, 1906.
D. DODD,
Per J. SHIELL, Agent.

Sixty days after date I purpose making application to the Hon Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at the northwest corner of E. A. Crease's application to purchase, marked "W. G. G's. S. W. corner," running thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.
Dated the 12th day of October, 1906.
W. G. GILLETT,
Per J. SHIELL, Agent.

Sixty days after date I purpose making application to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at the northwest corner of D. Dodd's application to purchase, marked "M. F's S. W. corner," running thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains, more or less, to the west shore of Whatshan lake, following same 80 chains south; thence 80 chains, more or less, east to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.
Dated the 12th day of October, 1906.
M. FAUQUIER,
per J. SHIELL, Agent.

Notice is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post placed about one mile north of Albert Elliott's application to purchase, running 80 chains east along the northern boundary of same; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains south, to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.
Dated Oct. 13, 1906. JOHN ELLIOTT,
By his agent, ERNEST W. ROBINSON.

Sixty days after date I purpose making application to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post placed at the northwest corner of H. Dodd's application to purchase, marked "R. W. H's S. W. corner post," running thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less
Dated this 10th day of October 1906.
R. W. HANNINGTON,
per R. SHIELL, Agent.

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to make application to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the northeast corner of Peter McNaughton's application to purchase, following the east boundary of same 80 chains south; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains west to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.
Doted Oct. 13, 1906. ALBERT ELLIOTT,
By his agent ERNEST W. ROBINSON.

Notice is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands in the West Kootenay district: Beginning at a post marked "J. S. Simineo's S. W. corner," and planted about one-half mile east of the shore of Whatshan (Cariboo) lake and about 2 miles north of the narrows of the said lake, and at the S. E. corner of Arthur Warren's application to purchase; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to the northeast corner of Arthur Warren's application to purchase; thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.
Oct. 13th, 1906. J. S. SIMINEO,
F. L. HAMMOND, Agent.

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 the West Kootenay district: Beginning at a post marked "O. U. MacMicking's N. W. corner," and planted on the west shore of Whatshan (Cariboo) lake, about three miles north of the Upper Narrows of the said lake and opposite the island in the said lake; thence south 80 chains; thence east 40 chains, more or less, to the lake shore; thence following the said shore in a northerly and westerly direction 120 chains, more or less, to point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less.
Oct. 13. 1906. O. U. MACMICKING,
By F. L. HAMMOND, Agent.

TIMBER NOTICES.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special licence to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands: Commencing at a post marked "T. J. Scanlan's southeast corner," planted about five miles up Groman creek, which empties about one mile west of Nelson; thence west 40 chains, thence north 160 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 160 chains to point of commencement.
Dated Oct. 30, 1906. T. J. SCANLAN,
W. J. MCKIMM, Agent.

Thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a Special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land: Commencing at a post marked "George M. Gunn's southeast corner," planted about three miles up Groman creek, which empties about one mile west of Nelson; thence west 40 chains; thence north 160 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 160 chains to point of commencement.
Dated Oct 30, 1906. GEORGE M. GUNN,
W. J. MCKIMM, Agent.

Take notice that 30 days after date we intend making application to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away Timber from the following described lands situated on Glacier creek, West Kootenay.

Commencing at a post No. 1. placed about 12½ miles from Duncan river, running thence north 160 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence south 160 chains; thence east 40 chains to point of commencement.

No 2.—Commencing at a post placed about 14½ miles from Duncan river, running thence no th 160 chains; thence west 40 chai s; thence south 160 chains; thence east 40 chains to point of commencement

No 3.—Commencing at a post placed near the second fork of Glacier creek, running thence east 40 chains; thence north 160 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence south 160 chains to point of commencement.
Dated this 25th day of August, 1906.
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D. TUOMEY, Agent.

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Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works at Victoria, B. C., for permission to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in West Kootenay distr ct:

No. 1.—Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot 812, West Kootenay, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to the place of commencement.

No 2.—Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot 812, West Kootenay, thence south 40 chains, thence east 120 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 120 chains to the point of commencement.

No. 3.—Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of No. 1, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to the place of commencement.

No. 4.—Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of No. 3, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to the place of commencement.

No. 5.—Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of No. 4, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to the place of commencement.

No. 6.—Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of No. 5, hence west 120 chains, thence north to the British Columbia & Southern Railway, thence east 120 chains, thence south to place of commencement.

No. 7.—Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of No. 4, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to the place of commencement.

No. 8.—Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of No. 4, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to the place of commencement.

No. 9.—Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of No. 7, thence east 80 chains, thence north eighty chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south eighty chains to the place of commencement.

No. 10.—Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of No 8, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to the place of commencement.

No 11.—Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of No. 3, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the place of commencement

No. 12.—Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of No. 11, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the place of commencement.

No. 13.—Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of No. 12, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the place of commencement.

No. 14—Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of No. 13, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the place of commencement.

No. 15.—Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of No. 13, thence nor h 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the place of commencement.

No. 16.—Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of No. 10, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to the place of commencement
October 19th, 1906. PETER LUND.

Certificate of Improvements

NOTICE

"Spyglass" and "Globe" mineral claims, situate in Trout Lake Mining Division.

Located on Poplar creek.

Tade Notice that I, Bruce White, acting as agent for the Spyglass Mining Co., Free Miners' Certificate No B 9426, intend, 60 days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claims.

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

Dated 2 th October, 1906. BRUCE WHITE.

Certificate of Improvements

NOTICE

"Eclipse No. 2," "Vevey," "Happy Medium," "International" and "A ta Fractional" mineral claims, situated in the Slocan City Mining Division of West Kootenay district.

Where located:—North of Twelve Mile creek, about two miles up.

Take notice that I, H. R. Jorand, of Slocan, B. C., Free Miner's ertificate No. 878300, as agent for L. A. Cole, Free Miner's Certificate No. 84634, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to app y to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of said mineral claims.

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

Dated this 20th day of September, 1906.
H. R. JORAND.

NELSON CURLING CLUB.

Held Annual Meeting and Elected Officers Last Night.

The annual general meeting of this club was held in the board of trade rooms last night at 8 o'clock.

In the absence of President J. A. Turner the chair was taken by W. W. Beer, vice-president. Among those present were His Honor Judge Forin, W. W. Beer, F. Starkey, George Hunter, W. Richardson, W. S. Pearcy, W. A. Thurman, J. H. Wallace, J. G. Bunyan, J. O'Shea, H. W. Falconer, W. H. Jones, James Johnstone, W. A. Macdonald, A. Carrie, H. G. Goodeve, L. B. deVeber, R. W. Drew, J. H. Vanstone and S. M. Brydges.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed. A statement of accounts showing a small balance on hand $3.22 was submitted by the secretary-Treasurer and accepted without audit. The membership fee was fixed at $8.50. The following officers were then elected: President, A. T. Walley; Hon. President, W. W. Beer; for vice-president, there were several nominations and a ballot being taken L. B. deVeber was elected. The retiring secretary-treasurer, G. A. Hunter, was re-elected. Committee of four J. O'Shea, W. Thurman, W. H. Jones, J. Drew. Umpires, A. Carrie, J. H. Wallace, W. Richardson. Ice committee, Judge Forin, A. Carrie, C. D. Blackwood. Membership committee, F. Starkey, W. A. Thurman. Delegates to K. C. A., J. H. Fox, F. Starkey; substitutes, Judge Forin, H. McIntyre. These delegates were instructed to support Rossland as the locality for the bonspiel and to contribute 50 cents per member, 35 cents for the bonspiel and 15 cents to the general funds of the K. C. A. The executive committee was authorized to buy two or more pairs of stones as they may think fit. The committee will be glad to hear of a good ice maker for the coming season.

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, as hotel keepers in the town of Ehelt, British Columbia, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.
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LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL

Mrs. Elsdon of Front street, gave birth to a daughter this morning.

Benjamin E. Drew succeeds George Summer as constable at Camborne.

Dr. Hall has sold his brick block on Baker street to A. H. Malmstrom for $7000 cash.

Work on the Hume school is progressing favorably and everything is now ready for the roof.

A copy of the "Jungle," by Upton Sinclair, has been presented to the library by the Socialist party, local No. 4.

For some reason or other unknown to The Canadian, no quotations of the prices of metals have been received today.

Five men are working on the placer claims recently located on Cottonwood creek and their prospects are said to be encouraging.

M. S. Davys returned yesterday from Silverton. He has nothing particular to report. Things, however, are looking brisker in that locality.

Joseph Jackson, of Victoria street, had some clothes stolen off a line this morning about 4 a. m. The thief is requested to return them.

C. J. South of Vancouver, secretary of the Children's Aid society, leaves tomorrow for Grand Forks. Thence he goes to Rossland and will be in Nelson again on Friday night.

Charles Coleman, who was liberated from the provincial gaol yesterday, was arrested today by Chief Jarvis on a charge of vagrancy. A charge of theft will also be preferred against him tomorrow.

There will be a meeting of the license commissioners tomorrow at 11 a. m., in the office of the chief of police to consider the application for the transfer of the license of the hotel at Slocan Junction from J. H. Smith to Mallette and Johnson.

The real estate men of Nelson have lately received an unusual numbe r of enquiries about the fruit lands of the district. This is an indication of the increasing and far-spreading interest taken in this direction.

The contract for the new government buildings has not yet reached Mayor Gillett. As soon as it arrives work will be commenced. The first thing to be done will be the excavations for the foundations at the locality to which the old building will be removed.

The following new books have been received at the public lirary: A Motor Car Divorce; Lady Baltimore; The Fair Maid of Greystones; Life of Matthew Arnold; The Portreeve; Pain Decides; Nancy's Country Christmas; The Challoners; Fenwick's Career; If Youth But Knew.

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Word has reached Nelson of the death of Wm. K. Leighton, at Savonas. Deceased was well known throughout British Columbia and was an uncle of Mrs. R. A. Renwick of this city.

Fred Elliott, barrister, of Trout Lake, is in the city today. Mr. Elliott reports renewed activity in mining throughout the Trout Lake district. There is now a deal on for mining property on the Great Northern mountain which, if carried through, will mean much to the British Columbia mining industry.

The Nelson Freighting & Transfer company has imported a carload of 18 fine young horses of from 1400 to 1500 pounds, from Southern Alberta. Geo. Kurtz speaks of the very satisfactory service carried out in this shipment by the C. P. R. The horses left Macleod on Saturday at 4:30 a. m., and were delivered here at 8 p. m. on Sunday, being brought from the landing on the passenger boat, instead of being kept waiting for the barge.

The tramway returns for the week ending November 4 again show a gratifying increase over the corresponding period of last year. The figures are: Passengers, 1906, 2251; 1905, 1213; increase, 1038; amount, 1906, $114.80; 1905, $67.25; increase, $47.55. The aggregate for the year also shows an increase, the figures being: Passengers, 1906, 110,710; 1905, 88,656; increase, 22,054; amount, 1906, $5978.95; 1905, $4819.65; increase, $1159.30.

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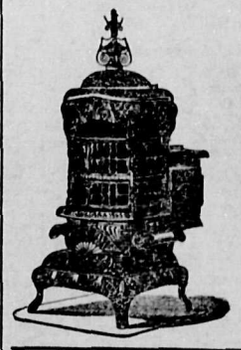

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