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TWO HEADS IN BASKET

Opposition's Work Not In Vain—Senate Throws Out Private Bill—News of Parliament

Ottawa, April 1.—As a mark of their esteem and confidence, the Conservative members of parliament have presented George Taylor, chief opposition whip, with a massive gold watch and chain and locket.

The co-operative stores bill comes up before the senate banking and commerce committee on Friday when it will be opposed by the retail merchants' association.

Customs receipts at this port for the year ending March 31 totalled $11,148,[illegible]440, as compared with $8,401,488.14 for the year ending March 31, 1907, an increase of $2,947,496.26.

Lincoln Stiffens, a well known magazine writer, was the guest of the Canadian Club at dinner last night and delivered a strong address dealing with his investigations of corruption in the civic and political life of the United States. Referring to Canada he said: "You are behind us in the development of even your grafting, for what you have is not so well organized. Don't let it be; study us; see what it was—not who it was—that corrupted us; and then don't give to your ablest and most courageous men the things which will make them corrupt you as our ablest have corrupted us. The root of evil in civic and political life is social privileges granted to a class in the way of public utilities or power to protect vice and law breaking. This granting of concessions to individuals or corporations really makes them enemies of state." He charged the United States congress with ruling the interests of big railways and corporations, but declared that a quiet reform was now spreading throughout the country.

In the senate last night Senator Wood spoke in favor of Senator Casgrain's motion for early construction of the Georgian Bay canal.

Senator Dandurand continued the debate on senate reform. He favored members of the government having the right to speak in both houses of parliament. This system prevailed in every parliamentary assembly in the world except Great Britain. This would give the senate an opportunity to discuss questions at first hand and when they were fresh and wold attract the attention of the public and press to the senate. This system would involve no constitutional change. With this system of selection of senators, and admission of all cabinet ministers to the right of debating in the senate, all grounds of criticism would disappear.

The senate railway committee this morning granted extension of time for construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific branch lines.

The committee threw out the bill for the incorporation of the Ontario Michigan Power company to engage in development of power on Pigeon, Sturgeon and Nipigon rivers, on the ground that the power asked for is within the legislative jurisdiction of the province of Ontario. It was over this bill that Premier Whitney threatened to appeal to the Imperial authorities on the ground, had it passed the senate, that it was invasion of provincial rights.

It is understood that in the house today Laurier will announce the appointment of a royal commission to investigate charges of mal administration made by the civil service commission. The inquiry will be made by an Ontario high court judge. It is understood also that pending investigation two high officials of the marine department have been suspended.

It is reported that George K. Desbarats, superintendent of the Sorel shipyard, and son-in-law of Senator Scott, will succeed Col. Gourdeau as deputy minister of marine, whose resignation was handed in some days ago.

In the house this afternoon the premier announced the appointment of Walter Cassels, judge of the exchequer court, as royal commissioner to investigate charges of dishonesty among officials of the marine department. Sir Wilfrid said that one official of that department is already suspended and there would be others. Laurier added that Deputy Minister of Marine Gourdeau, who had tendered his resignation on two previous occasions, had again renewed his request today. This request is now under consideration.

It is rumored with increasing force around the parliament buildings today that the new insurance act will not become law this session.

NEW BANK FOR WEST.

Extension of Toronto Institution to Winnipeg and Coast.

Toronto, April 1.—The Farmers' Bank of Canada has just concluded an important financial deal with western capitalists by which operations will be largely extended in the west and on the coast. A number of prominent western business men and financiers connected with the Bank of Winnipeg and British Columbia financiers have subscribed for part of the unsubscribed stock of the Farmers' Bank with a view to making the latter one of the big banks of the west. A charter has been secured for the Bank of Winnipeg, but had not been exercised. The taking up of the unsubscribed stock of the Farmers' Bank by those behind the Bank of Winnipeg will bring the subscribed capital of the Farmers' Bank to one million dollars.

It is the intention to have five directors elected from Winnipeg and west. A branch will be opened in Winnipeg within two or three months and branches in all the principal places of the west as soon as business and capital warrant.

Col. Jas. Munro, M. P. P. for South Oxford, will continue as president of the bank and W. R. Travers as general manager. The vice-president will be a prominent business man.

THE MACEDONIAN KNOT.

British Foreign Secretary Pressing Powers to Take Action.

London, April 1.—A parliamentary paper was issued describing the latest phases of the efforts by the British government to deal with the Macedonian problem. It showed that the powers, having unanimously rejected the British proposals of last December for increasing the efficiency of gendarmerie and reducing the strength of the Turkish forces on the ground that the Porte would never consent thereto, Sir Edward Grey on March 2 sent another circular to the powers insisting upon the gravity of the situation if matters were permitted to drift.

He proposed in this circular the appointment of a Turkish governor general, together with other reforms already indicated in these despatches, and expressed the conviction that united pressure of the powers would ensure Turkey's acceptance of the terms, while failur eto act together in this matter would be a virtual admission on the part of the powers that the European concert as an instrument of reform had ceased to exist.

LOCAL MINING MARKET.

Quotations on Spokane Exchange and New York Curb.

	Bid	Asked
Alberta C. & C. ..... $	.15	$ .30
B. C. Copper	4.50	4.87½
Chas. Dickens	.17½	.19½
Can. Con. Smelters..	70.00	80.00
Copper King	.03½	.04⅛
Dominion Copper ...	2.12½	2.37½
Galbraith Coal	.20	.28
Gertie	.04	.04⅜
Granby	92.00	98.00
Hecla	3.00	4.50
International C. & C.	.67	.72
Kendall	1.00	1.10
Missoula Copper	.11	.12½
Nabob	.04	.04⅛
Oom Paul	.06	.07½
Panhandle	.05¾	.06
Rambler Cariboo ...	.26	.27½
Rex	.14¼	.16½
Snowshoe	.10¾	.12
Snowstorm	2.12	2.19
Sullivan	.01⅛	.01½
Sullivan Bonds	..	67.50
Stewart	.67¼	.81¼

Election of Benchers.

Victoria, April 1.—The election of Benchers of the British Columbia Law Society, was held this morning. Among those returned is R. S. Lennie, of Nelson. Most of the old benchers are re-elected.

Sir Henry a Little Better.

London, April 1.—The bulletin issued this morning regarding the condition of Premier Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman is as folows: "The prime minister passed a good night and slept well. His general condition is more comfortable."

DUNSMUIR DENIES

Story of Resignation and Selling Out

IS BOUND FOR EUROPE

Lieutenant Governor Denies Several Recent Rumors—Canada From Ocean to Ocean

Montreal, April 1.—Hon. James Dunsmuir, Lieutenant governor of British Columbia, accompanied by Mrs. Dunsmuir, Mrs. R. W. Dunsmuir, Miss Dunsmuir and H. A. Bromley, private secretary, are at the Windsor hotel en route for England by the C. P. R. liner Empress of Ireland, which sails from St. John on Friday.

His Honor expresses the opinion that British Columbia will not make any great headway until the labor situation is very much improved.

When asked if there were any truth in the rumor that he was about to resign the governorship His Honor replied in the negative. He also denied the report that he was about to sell his coal mines to an English or some other syndicate.

Woodstock, Ont., April 1.—Charles Selles and Fred Yokom, of Tilsonburg, have ben sentenced to five years each in Kingston penitentiary for highway robbery.

Toronto, April 1.—T. S. Darling, manager of townsites for the Canadian Northern railway, writes to the head office here that about five thousand American settlers are expected to take up land in the provinces of Saskatchewan and Alberta this year through the efforts of land companies alone.

Hamilton, April 1.—The net profits of the Canadian Westinghouse Co. for last year were $427,053.25, an increase of thirty-two per cent over 1906.

Belleville, April 1.—Smallpox is entirely stamped out of this city and the pest house is closed up.

Woodstock, Ont., April 1.—Peter Brandt, of Corinth was killed by a falling derrick used for drilling for water.

London, April 1.—Edward Coley, an Englishman, 28 years old, was struck by a yard engine and had both legs severed. Slight hope is entertained for his recovery.

Dundas, Ont., April 1.—Sydney Phantom, an Englishman, 24 years of age was drowned in the canal yesterday and Charles McLaughlin, a companion, was rescued only after a hard struggle.

Montreal, April 1.—The Congregational Woman's Board of Missions Quebec branch, last night resolved that members should bring before their executive auxiliaries the question of checking Mormonism in the Canadian Northwest.

Quebec, April 1.—J. U. Gregory, for forty-three years in the service of the Dominion government, has resigned the position of marine agent in this city and will take a well earned rest.

Toronto, April 1.—Seven thousand shareholders whose claims aggregate $464,773.58, against the assets of the defunct York Loan company are denied the right to rank as preferred claimants in liquidation proceedings now in progress, by the judgment delivered today by George Kappelle, official referee. The number of shareholders involved is about 7,316, and they consisted of those whose investments in the company had so matured as to be withdrawn under certain conditions at the time the winding up order was granted. Kappelle finds that this class of shareholders had no priority over other shareholders and accordingly must rank with the general body.

Renfrew, Ont., April 1.—Mrs. Duncan Campbell dropped dead of heart failure at her home here this morning. She was 69 years old and leaves a husband, son and daughter.

Kingston, April 1.—James Stewart of this city, has been appointed by the department of labor to consider and settle the dispute between the Seamen's Union and ship owners in regard to wages. Mr. Stewart is thoroughly posted in marine matters.

Montreal, April 1.—Customs for the month of March totalled $1,147,973.59, as compared with $1,334,026.14 for the same month a year ago, a decrease of $186,907.55.

Edmonton, April 1.—"Is the city running us off into bankruptcy by trying to lay the best pavement and put down the best street car line in Canada or the United States?" was the question that was discussed at some length at the city council in committee meeting Monday evening. W. D. McPhail, manager of the contracting company, was present and addressed the committee briefly. The only point he wished to make was that the city was getting value for the kind of pavement they were laying and the work they were doing. Whether this work was of a too expensive kind or not, was for the city to decide. He did not think they could get the same work done cheaper.

WEST AND COMMISSION

Winnipeg Delegates Present Case for Representation on Enlarged Railway Board.

Winnipeg, April 1.—H. W. Hutchinson and T. R. Deacon, who have been in Ottawa for the past ten days conferring with the minister of railways regarding the appointment of western men to the railway commission, have returned. Mr. Hutchinson was the appointed representative of the Winnipeg board of trade, and Mr. Deacon acted as delegate of the Shippers' and Jobbers' union.

The appointment of one or more western men on the railway commission has been a matter which has been before the attention of western business men for some time. In cases of emergency, such as occurred during the winter of 1907, this necessity was particularly felt, and the final result was the decision of the local board of trade and the Shippers' and Jobbers' union to appoint delegates to meet the government officials and see what could be done in the matter. Mr. Deacon and Mr. Hutchinson laid the matter before the minister of railways, pointing out the needs of the west and the benefits that must result from having on the commission men of the west thoroughly conversant with western conditions. It was particularly pointed out that the western provinces were entitled to this in view of the fact that the number of members of the commission was being increased.. No recommendations of any particular appointments were made, the chief matter of importance having been pointed out to be that some representative or representatives of the west have a place on the board.

Both the representatives had the support of all the members from the western provinces who had also indicated to the minister how the interests of the west could be furthered and better supervised in case of an appointment such as was asked was made. As a result it is probable that when the new members to the commission are being appointed that representation will be given as was pressed for by Mr. Hutchinson and Mr. Deacon. While no definite promise was made as to what steps would be taken, it was admitted that the request was one which should have consideration and one which would occupy the attention of the government when the appointments to the commission were being made.

Labor Leader Retires.

Indianapolis, April 1.—After ten years' leadership of the United Mine Workers of America, John Mitchell on Tuesday will resign from the head of that organization, and will be succeeded by Thomas L. Lewis of Ohio. Mr. Mitchell will devote his time to regaining his health, which has given way under the strain of office, and will undertake no work until his health improves. It it reported that President Roosevelt has offered him a mission to Panama, and that the national civic federation wants to place him at the head of a bureau to investigate and promote the use of trade agreements. The present mining contracts of the coal fields of the country will expire with the presidency of John Mitchell. Central Pennsylvania is the only district which has a new contract under which the miners can continue to work until April 1st. The indications are that in nearly all other fields the mines will close Tuesday night, not to be open for several days, and in some fields for several weeks. There is little likelihood of serious inconveniences to industrial activity, as the demand for coal is slack and considerable is on hand.

BIG MINING SUIT

M. K. Rogers and Estate of Marcus Daly

LARGE SUMS INVOLVED

Claim and Counter Claim are Filed at Vancouver—Interest in Nickle Plate

Vancouver, April 1.—Writs have been issued in Vancouver by the Daly Reduction company and the Yale Mining company against M. K. Rogers, thus instituting litigation which promises to be of considerable interest. The Daly Reduction company owns the famous Nickle Plate mine at Yale, which has already paid about a million in dividends and for which an offer of four million dollars cash has been refused. The Yale Mining company is a development company operating in the same section.

The control of both companies was originally vested in the late Marcus Daly, the well known mining millionaire of Montana, the stock having descended to the Daly estate. The defendant Rogers was for years one of Daly's most trusted lieutenants, who was kept in the field on the lookout for promising mining investments, and in this way travelled over a great portion of both North and South America. It was Mr. Rogers who originally bonded the Nickle Plate on behalf of Marcus Daly. He was the first manager of the mine and is the man who put it on a paying basis. One of the original locators, by the way, was Mr. Wollaston Lakers was P. Wollaston, of Victoria.

Mr. Rogers, it appears, worked on an arrangement with Mr. Daly whereby he received a quarter interest in any properties he found after his principal's outlay had been recouped. In the case of the Nickle Plate the presence of a third party modified this arrangement with the result that Mr. Rogers claims a fifteen per cent. interest in the stock of the company owning the Nickle Plate, and he asserts that this stock is still held by the Daly estate and that he has never been able to get it.

This complication, it is understood, is what led up to the present litigation. It appears that he acquired a number of mineral claims and other properties in the same section on Mr. Daly's behalf, and for the purpose of convenience of handling kept the title in his own name. These properties Mr. Rogers declines to hand over till he receives the stock which he claims is due to him, and the suits which have just been started have been brought by the companies to force Mr. Rogers to hand over the properties stated to be held by him in trust. He will, it is understood, ask for the stock interest to which he claims he is entitled, by way of counterclaim, and as property worth a very large amount of money is involved, prolonged litigation is likely to result.

Mr. Rodgers is exceedingly well known in mining circles both in British Columbia and in the States, and has a great deal of capital at his back. He paid a visit to Victoria not long ago, while there stated that with all his experience of mining he knew of no field so promising as British Columbia, and he has proved his faith by recently acquiring considerable interests in the more northern sections of the province.

NEW ALBERTA LINE.

Surveyors at Work on Road to Join Michel and Calgary.

Calgary, April 1.—A few days ago a despatch of more than ordinary interest was sent out from Cowley. It reads as follows:

"Engineer Wilkinson and a party of two men are working eastward of here towards Macleod north of the Old Man river on a preliminary survey from Michel to Calgary.

"He is after a grade that will enable them to haul sixty loaded cars through the Crow's Nest Pass, whereas the C. P. R. are only able to handle eighteen cars.

"As soon as the spur from Michel up the Elk river is completed, active work will commence on the line to Calgary and Lethbridge. The junction is likely to be at Claresholm."

The Frank paper, which is always well informed upon matters in the south country, has this to say of the despatch:

"A news despatch sent out from Cowley a couple of days ago, states that an engineering party headed by Mr. Wilkinson, has started running a line to the east on the north side of the Old Man river as a preliminary railroad survey from Michel to Calgary, and there is considerable mystery and speculation relative to the identity of Mr. Wilkinson and the road he represents. The statement relative to a line from Michel to Calgary is probably in error, as Mr. Wilkinson is engineer for the Kenaston, Robertson Lynch people, who are the principle owners in the Canada West company at Taber and who own large coal tracts on both sides of the main range. Their proposal is to build a north and south road intersecting the Crow line at about Cowley and connecting with the line to be built up the Elk on the B. C. side from Michel to Calgary via the Kananaskis pass, which would give them a direct line between their two properties on the two sides of the range."

MISCELLANEOUS PARTY.

Populists and Other Irreconcilables in Convention.

St. Louis, April 1.—Representatives of the People's party and other so-called reform bodies in politics are arriving in this city to attend their national convention. Candidates for president and vice-president are to be nominated and a platform will be adopted. The National Provisional Committee, the American Monetary League and the Federated People's Party Clubs are among the reform organizations that united with the People's party in issuing the call for the convention. At the convention headquarters today it was stated that an attendance representative of the entire country is expected.

Under the People's party call the Independence League, William R. Hearst's organization, may participate in the convention and the nomination of a presidential candidate. Efforts are being made, it is said, to consolidate the two into a new organization, inasmuch as their platforms are very similar. It appears from the declaration principles and purposes that there is to be no union or fusion with either of the old parties.

Arrangements have ben made to hold the convention in the Olympic theater. The gathering will be called together tomorrow morning by James H. Ferriss, of Joliet, Ill., chairman of the Populist national committee. It is expected the first day will be taken up wholly with preliminary business and the work of organization, leaving the nominations and the adoption of a platform to come Friday.

PERSONAL.

Miss Barbara Blakemore is the guest of Mrs. W. A. Macdonald.

Miss Lumsden, matron of the Kootenay Lake General Hospital, arrived from Winnipeg last night and entered on the duties of her new position today.

Robt. H. Carley is in the city, having just about completed his season's work. He reports business conditions as improving everywhere throughout the province.

W. E. Zwicky, manager of the Rambler-Cariboo and Krao mines, at McGuigan and Ainsworth respectively, is in town from Kaslo. The Rambler is shipping steadily but only enough to cover costs of operation. Mr. Zwicky could not say when operations would be resumed at the Krao. He returns to Kaslo tonight.

Defaulter Released.

St. Thomas, Ont., April 1.—George Rowley, ex-manager of the defunct Elgintown company of this city, has been released from Kingston penitentiary after serving four years and seven months of his twelve year sentence for embezzling $187,000 of the company's funds. Pardon and release were the result of petitions forwarded from St. Thomas. Rowley is expected to go west where his family resides.

Prices of Metals.

New York, April 1.—Silver, 55¼c.
London, April 1.—Silver, 25½d.; lead, £14, 2s., 6.

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Granby	$100.00	$90.00
Dominion Copper....	2.25	2.00
B. C. Copper.....	4.87½	4.50

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Visitor to Prairie Capital Found Few Who Know Anything Of Kootenay's Wealth

In view of the meeting which is to be held tonight to reorganize and establish the Nelson Publicity Bureau, the experience of a Nelson man in Winnipeg may be instructive as to the value and the necessity for such work.

E. K. Beeston returned last night from Winnipeg which he has just visited for the first time in five years. He says Winnipeg has grown more in the last seven years than in the preceding 21 years during which he resided there.

But what struck Mr. Beeston most as a citizen of Nelson was that among the representative business men of Winnipeg the name of the Kootenay metropolis is only a name. They know it as a point on the map but know nothing about the attractions of the city or the wealth of the district. Okanagan is far better known.

If that be still true after the heroic efforts that have been made to advertise "Glorious Kootenay," the amount that remains to be done will require the united efforts of all Nelson's workers.

The latest suggestion in connection with the bureau is that it be made a department of the board of trade, financed separately, if necessary, but with the authority and weight of the board behind it. The suggestion will be offered at the meeting this evening.

Perverse Witness.

Kingston, April 1.—Minerva Topping proved to be a contumacious witness in court today. Last February four men were arrested for outraging her and her evidence in the police court sent them up for trial. Today she declined to testify, said she had seen no one to arrange matters with her, she would hang first, or spend a hundred years in jail rather than testify. "I am through talking," she said.

Not Sold to Alberta.

Montreal, April 1.—C. F. Sise, president of the Bell Telephone company, denies that his company has sold its plant and rights to the government of Alberta. Mr. Sise said that Minister of Public Works Cushing must have been misunderstood in his statement that the Bell company's plant and vested rights had passed into the hands of the provincial government. "It is quite true," said Mr. Sise, "that Mr. Cushing has been negotiating with the company for the plant, but the matter has not gone beyond that."

Bismarck's Sister Dead.

Berlin, April 1.—Frau Malveins Von Arnim, the only sister of Prince Bismarck, died here yesterday at the age of eighty-one years.

Calgary Builders Unite.

Calgary, April 1.—Calgary lumbermen, supplymen, contractors and architects yesterday held a meeting in the city hall to discuss the matter of changes which they desire in the lien act and to form a definite programme. No definite action was taken further than the appointment of a committee to report on suggested amendments.

True Bill.

Toronto, April 1.—The grand jury has returned a true bill against Dr. Edgar M. Cook, on the charge of having performed an illegal operation.

Fell From Building.

Montreal, April 1.—George Gray, 50 years old, fell from the Eastern Townships bank building, under construction at the corner of Stagnes street and Victoria square, this afternoon, and was almost instantly killed. Gray came here from London, England, abut six month ago.

Canada's Evil Example.

St. Petersburg, April 1.—Following the lead of the legislators of Paris and Washington, fifty members of the Russian Duma today introduced a bill for the increase of their salaries by the extension, through the recess, of their present compensation of $5 a day. They complain that the sum that they now receive is wholly inadequate to the St. Petersburg scale of living.

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CLINGING TO OFFICE.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier is reported to have told a Montreal delegation that there need be no hurry about the legislation they asked for as the present parliament has still 18 months to live.

The statement may have no significance at all. Every one knows that the life of parliament may extend for five full years from the date of the receipt at Ottawa of the official returns from the last election. As in 1904 the deferred elections in Kootenay and Yale-Cariboo were held in December it is likely that the full period will not elapse until early in January, 1910.

But it is extremely unlikely that the government will take the risk of postponing a decision to the last moment. Guessing at the date of elections is unprofitable, but discussions of reasons for deferring them may not be.

Since Confederation only two parliaments have lived beyond the period of four years, and only one has lasted to the full statutory limit. Sir John Macdonald held that when new issues had arisen that were not before the people at the preceding elections an appeal for a renewal of confidence was eminently proper as a means for an expression of the opinion of the electorate on such issues.

It may at once be conceded that there is at present no issue requiring such an appeal, at least there would not be if Liberal profession and practice were anywhere nearly related.

The reason why the electorate should be consulted at a very early date is of another kind even more cogent. Since the general election of 1904 the changes in the cabinet amount to a transformation. In less than three and a half years three ministers have retired under a cloud and two more have to go. In the case of a party which has abandoned all the principles it once contended for, the personnel is everything. Where there is no constitutional issue involved the decision of the electorate must be taken on the character and administrative capacity of the leaders. The present cabinet is not the one to which the people of Canada gave a renewal of confidence in November, 1904.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier is well aware of this. He knows that the disgrace of his ministers one by one, the revelations of dishonesty in different departments, in spite of desperate and outrageous efforts to prevent inquiry, and the recent refusal to dispense with the opportunity for favoritism in purchasing, have shaken public confidence in his leadership.

The premier administers no department and frames no policy. He could take a year's vacation and the work of every department would go on as it does now. It is a long time since there has been any occasion for a cabinet council except for the purpose of considering appointments. The only way in which the premier influences the administration is in his choice of colleagues. The country has a right to look to him to place clean and capable men at the head of its affairs, and to judge him by the wisdom or unwisdom of his choice.

He must realize that his present cabinet does not command public confidence, and that sweeping changes must be made before he can hope for a favorable judgment from the country. His discredited ministers must go. Some worn out relics of the McKenzie epoch must be replaced by live men, and the average of ability in the cabinet must be raised at least a hundred per cent. To do this would require time even if he had abundant satisfactory material. If the premier's suggested delay in giving the country the opportunity it expects is for the purpose of trying to cleanse and strengthen the cabinet and the departments, he is entitled to it. But unless some sign of such intention becomes apparent very soon, the inevitable conclusion will be that he is bowing himself to the Machine and allowing his followers to draw their indemnity, and as one of them frankly expressed it, "to enjoy the patronage of the government," to the last gasp."

NOTICE.

Take notice that thirty days after date, I. Harry Rhymell, intend to apply to the License Commissioners of Ymir district for a license to open an hotel in Kitchener, B. C.

Dated this 25th day of March, 1908.

HARRY RHYMELL.

ONTARIO'S SCHOOLS.

Whitney Government Plans High School for Each District.

Toronto, April 1.—Three measures have been introduced by Hon. Dr. Pyne, the minister of education. They are entitled bills "to amend the department of education act," and "respecting separate schools, fifth book classes and continuation schools." They embody an extension of the government's policy in respect to the public schools. The amendments provide for the reorganization of continuation classes, in accordance with the policy endorsed at a conference between trustees and inspectors during the 1907 meeting of the Ontario Educational association. In future there will be continuation schools and fifth classes, a distinction being drawn between two grades of what were hitherto termed indiscriminately continuation classes. The continuation schools (a name applied in England, Germany and elsewhere to work of similar character) will impart instruction in advance of and inclusive of that prescribed for the fifth class of the public school and may employ one, two or three teachers. The continuation schools will be to all intents and purposes, rural high schools, and, under the new classification, already number over 100. The object of the government is to develop these schools so that before long there will be one in everp township in the province. The other so-called continuation classes, exceeding 300 in number, have really been doing fifth class work. These will now be termed fifth classes, and financial inducements to extend and improve their courses will, it is hoped, cause them to multiply rapidly. The design is to secure to the rural parts and to the small urban centres better facilities for secondary education. With the object of supplying teachers, having the special qualification in elementary agriculture and horticulture, and in workshop training, needed in rural schools and in small industrial centres, courses will be provided at the Ontario Agricultural College, supplementary to the Normal school training. Each course will be one of three months, and the travelling expenses and board of the candidates will be paid.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

"Red Point," "Vernamo," "Greenwood Fractional," "Greenwood and Jack Pot Fractional" Mineral Claims, situate in the Nelson Mining Division of West Kootenay District.

Where located:—On Eagle Creek above the Poorman Mine.

Take notice that I, John McLatchie, of the City of Nelson, acting as agent for Jons. P. Swedberg, Free Miner's Certificate No B7475 and Oscar Johnson Free Miner's Certificate No B628 intend sixty days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for Certificates o 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 issuance of such Certificates of Improvements.

Dated this 27th day of September, A. D., 1907.

JOHN McLATCHIE.

Certificate of Improvements.

NOTICE.

"April Fool" No. 2 Mineral Claim, situate in the Nelson Mining Division of West Kootenay District.

Where located: Between Eagle and Sandy creeks, and about one half mile from the Poorman Mill.

Take notice that I, F C. Green, acting as agent for J. P. Swedberg, Free Miner's Certificate No. B7475, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

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

Dated this 28th day of January, A. D., 1907.

F. C. GREEN,
Nelson, B. C.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER OF LIQUOR LICENSE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made by the undersigned at the next sitting of the Board of License Commissioners for the City of Nelson, to be held thirty days after the date hereof, for a transfer of the liquor license standing in the name of the Estate of George Harrison (deceased) for the premises known as the Lakeview Hotel in the City of Nelson, situate on Lots 13, 14 and 15, in Block 67, Subdivision of Lot 95, Group 1, Kootenay district, to Napoleon Mallette of the said city.

Dated this 17th day of March, A.D. 1908.

JAMES H. HARRISON,
Administrator of the estate and effects of George Harrison (deceased.)

Cancellation of Reserve.

Notice is hereby given that the reserve over certain lands in South-East Kootenay, notice of which apyeared in the British Columbia Gazette of the 14th of August, 1890 and bore date of August 12th, 1890, is hereby cancelled. The above mentioned lands will be open for location under the Land Act on March 30, 1908.

ROBT A. RENWICK.

Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., December 16th, 1907.

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LAND NOTICES.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that Harry Bird, of Nelson, occupation real estate agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot 373, thence running north 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, more or less, to the northerly boundary of Lot 373, thence following north boundary Lot 373 to point of commencement, containing 40 acres, more or less.

Dated February 15th, 1908. HARRY BIRD, F. C. GREEN, Agent

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that Fred. J. Sammons, agent for Fred. J. Tanner, of Nelson, occupation watchmaker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 2½ miles east of Wilson creek, thence 40 chains in an easterly direction, thence 20 chains south, thence 40 chains in a westerly direction, thence 20 chains north to the point of commencement, containing 80 acres, more or less

Dated Nov. 20th, 1907. FREDRICK JOHN TANNER, F. J. SAMMONS, Agent.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that Fred J. Sammons, agent for A. A. Ballard, of Proctor, occupation rancher, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 1½ miles east of Wilson creek, thence southwest 20 chains, thence northwest 20 chains, thence northeast 20 chains, thence southeast 20 chains to the the point of commencement containing 40 acres, more or less.

Dated Nov. 20th, 1907. ARCHIBALD ANDERSON BALLARD, Agent F. J. SAMMONS.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that W. A. Hudson, timber cruiser, of Spokane, Spokane county, Washington, one of the United States of America, intends to apply for a special timber license over the following described lands: Commencing at a post marked No. 1 planted on the north bank of Corn creek, at the junction of the North fork of Corn creek with the main stream, about five miles in a westerly direction from confluence of said Corn creek with the Kootenay river; thence north 40 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 160 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Said land adjoins timber limit No. 7 on the west and timber limit No. 8 on the south, as located by me.

Located November 7, 1907. WILLIAM A. HUDSON, Locator.

Witnessed by Patrick C. Shine

Declared and signed before the within named W. A. Hudson on the 29th day of November, A. D. 1907, before me at Spokane, Spokane County, Washington, one of the United States of America. PATRICK C. SHINE.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that Isabella Pierce, of Strassburg, occupation married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the intersection of the north boundary of Lot 8185 and the east boundary of Lot No. 8185, thence east 56 chains, more or less, to the northeast corner of Timber Limit No. 7671, thence north 80 chains, thence west 20 chains, more or less, to the east side of Whatshan lake, thence following same in a southerly and westerly direction 100 chains, more or less to the intersection with Lot 8185, thence 35 chains, more or less, following easterly boundary of Lot 8185 to point of commencement.

Dated 7th October, 1907. ISABELLA PIERCE, F. G. FAUQUIER, gent.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that Alexander J. McCool, of Fernie, B. C., occupation clerk, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted on the southern boundary of B. C. Southern Railway right-of-way, about one and a half miles westerly from the northwest corner of lot 3983, group 1, Kootenay, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to southern boundary of said right-of-way, thence west 80 chains along said southern boundary to point of commencement, and containing 600 acres, more or less.

Dated November 9th, 1907 ALEXANDER J. McCOOL.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that F. P. Burden, acting as agent for J. H. Burden, of Pokiok, N. B., occupation mechanic, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the easterly shore of Arrow lake and about 10 chains north of the N. E. corner of lot 8163, thence east 20 chains, thence north 40 chains, more or less, to the lake shore, thence southwesterly along the lake shore to the point of commencement, and containing 80 acres, more or less.

Dated November 18th, 1907. JAMES H. BURDEN, F. P. BURDEN, Agent.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that John James Cameron, of Fernie, British Columbia, occupation contractor, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted on the southern boundary of the B. C. Southern right-of-way about 40 chains westerly from the N. W. corner of lot 3983, group 1, Kootenay, thence south 60 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 60 chains to the southern boundary of the said right-of-way, thence westerly along said southern boundary of right-of-way to the point commencement, and containing 240 acres, more or less.

Dated November 9th, 1907. JOHN JAMES CAMERON.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that John Shiell, of Needles, B. C., occupation rancher, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of Lot 7898, thence west 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 80 chains to the point of commencement, and containing 320 acres, more or less.

Dated 18th October, 1907. JAMES SHIELL, F. G. FAUQUIER, Agent.

Nelson Land District District of West Kootenay

Take notice that Angus McGill, of the City of Nelson, occupation fireman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the N. W. corner L. C. Morrison's ranch, in Fir alley, thence north forty (40) chains, thence east forty (40) chains, thence south forty (40) chains, thence west forty (40) chains to point of commencement, and containing one hundred and sixty (160) acres, more or less.

Dated September 2nd, 1907. ANGUS McGILL.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that Hugo Carstens, of Winnipeg, Man. occupation publisher, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted on the west boundary of L. 4272, G. 1, (about 5 miles from Arrow Lake, on Mosquito Creek) and 21 chains 75 links south of the N. W. C. of said lot, running thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

CHARLES MARSHALL, Agent for Hugo Carstens.

Dated 23 December 1907.

Nelson Land District District of West Kootenay.

Take notice that Levi George Payne, of Needles, B. C., occupation rancher, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 15 chains west of Whatshan creek and 33.914 chains south of the southwest corner of Lot No. 8548 running thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 12.155 chains, thence east 22.588 chains, thence south 67.845 chains, thence 57.419 chains east to point of commencement, containing 481 acres, now surveyed as lot 8185.

Dated 8th January, 1908. LEVI GEORGE PAYNE.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay.

Take notice that Tina Bergman, of Altona, Man., occupation wife of C. Bergman, farmer, Altona, Man., intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted at the N. E. C. of Hugo Carstens' application to purchase and running thence west 80 chains thence north 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 8 chains 25 links, thence east 40 chains, thence south 71 chains 75 links to point of commencement, containing 607 acres more or less.

CHARLES MARSHALL, Agent for Tina Bergman.

Dated 23 December 1907.

West Kootenay Land District. District of Goat River.

Take notice that I, George A. Hunt, of Kitchener, occupation timberman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted about 40 chains, west of Thompson marked N. W. corner, thence south 10.32 chains thence east 44.67 chains, thence north 31.45 chains, thence west along B. C. Southern Railway to place of commencement, containing 98.18 acres

Dated January 8th, 1908. GEORGE H. HUNT

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that I, Frederick Adie, of Waneta, B. C., occupation merchant, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted about 10 chains west of the N. E. corner of lot 8622, thence north 20 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

Dated January 21st, 1908. FREDERICK ADIE.

LAND ACT.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that Marion Isabella Crease, of the City of Nelson, in the Province of British Columbia, occupation spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted at the high water mark of the Salmon river distant about 12 miles in a southerly direction from Salmo, B. C., thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, more or less, to the high water mark of the Salmon river, thence west 40 chains, more or less, along said high water mark to the point of commencement, and containing 160 acres, more or less.

Located on the 1st day of February, 1908.
Dated 10th February, 1908.

MARION ISABELLA CREASE, EDWARD MANLY PETERS, Agent.

LAND ACT.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that James William Gallagher, of the City of Nelson, in the Province of British Columbia, occupation merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted at the high water mark of the Salmon river distant about 12 miles in a southerly direction from Salmo, B. C., thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, more or less, to the high water mark of the Salmon river, thence east 40 chains, more or less, along the said high water mark to the place of beginning, containing 160 acres, more or less.

Located on the 1st day of February, 1908.
Dated 14th February, 1908.

JAMES WILLIAM GALLAGHER, EDWARD MANLEY PETERS, Agent.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootena

Take notice that I John Arthur Scott, of Mono Centre, Ont., occupation farmer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land at the mouth of Summit creek:

Commencing at a post planted at the south east corner of lot 8782 marked N. E., thence south 40 chains, thence west 20 chains thence north 40 chains, thence east 20 chains to place of commencement containing 80 acres.

JOHN ARTHUR SCOTT, W. J. SCOTT, Agent.

Dated Feb. 18th, 1908.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that I Christie Scott, of Mono Center, Ont., occupation married woman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land near Summit creek:

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of lot 8780 marked S. W., thence north 20 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence west 20 chains to place of commencement containing 40 acres.

CHRISTIE SCOTT, W. J. SCOTT, Agent.

Dated Feb 18, 1908.

Nelson Land District. District of West Kootenay

Take notice that I, David Johnstone, of Chilliwack, B. C., occupation rancher, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted 20 chains west from A. Morrison's southwest corner thence north 80 chains, thence west 40 chains; thence south 40 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 20 chains to the point of commencement and containing 240 acres, more or less.

(Sgd.) DAVID JOHNSTONE.

March 9, 1908.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Chicken Case.

A chicken-at-large case was dismissed in the police court this morning. The alleged owner of the offending hen could not be positively identified.

Metals and Stocks.

Silver declined one point and lead two points today. B. C. Copper weakened materially. The only advance recorded is one point in the asked price of Dominion Copper.

Left the Fire Department.

A. S. Willis, one of the firemen in the city department, has resigned and will leave for the coast on Thursday via Spokane. It is the intention of Mr. Willis to engage in business in Vancouver.

Fire Losses.

The fire losses for March total $165 in the three fires responded to by the local fire department. It it the intention of the Salvation Army to remove the structure on Victoria street in which the fire occurred on the 21 of March.

School Attendance.

The statistics of school attendance for March are: high school, enrolled 39, attendance 34.56, percentage 88.6; public school, enrolled 423, attendance 383.10, percentage 90.5; total of city schools, enrolled 462, attendance 417.66, percentage 90.4. Hume school, enrolled 94, attendance 84.95, percentage 90.3. The highest average for the month was made by Miss Wade's division of the public school. The total public school enrollment of the city and suburbs was 55.6. If the attendance at the schools of the Sisters of St. Joseph be added, the total school population will probably be found to be little, if any, below 700.

The Heathen Chinee.

Chan Weun Ming, a Chinese boy aged sixteen has been expelled from attendance at the Victoria public schools of that city for indecent conduct while attending Rock Bay school. The action of the school board was prompted by complaints from a parent to the effect that his six-year-old daughter had returned from the school with highly indecent drawings in her scribbler made by Chan. Much feeling is expressed in Victoria city and the matter will probably be brought up at a meeting of the Asiatic Exclusion League. The school board is considering the question of establishing a separate school building for Asiatics.

Left for Creston.

Frank Teetzel left this morning for Creston. It is understood that Mr. Teetzel is to be appointed a commissioner to look into and report upon the situation created by the squatters at Crestion. A number of these have squatted upon public lands near Creston, on the line of the Crow's Nest Pass railway, and have made improvements thereon. Some of them have started fruit growing, for which that section is peculiarly suited. Now the squatters are anxious for a better title to their lands, and Mr. Teetzel will inquire into the circumstances surrounding each case and report to the government. Following his report a final settlement of the matter will be made.

Want a Match.

A letter has been received from the Victoria West Lacrosse Association requesting a game in Nelson during the month of July. The communication reads as follows: "Our lacrosse boys are anxious to make a trip through the upper country about the 1st July next and I was requested to write to you to see what the prospects would be for such a tour. The idea was to play games at Kamloops, Revelstoke, Rossland and Nelson, and possibly one or two other places if teams could be found willing to cross sticks with our players. We have a nice bunch of boys and they are in the game for the love of it. We should be glad of your advice and assistance in planning a tour, if you think a few games would be acceptable to the upper country players."

JAMES DUNSMUIR, Lieutenant Governor.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Edward the Seventh, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain, and Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To all to whom these presents shall come,—Greeting.

A PROCLAMATION.

W. J. BOWSER, Attorney General.

Whereas by Section 6 of the "Game Protection Act, 1898," as re-enacted by Section 19 of the "Game Protection Act, Amendment Act, 1905," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, by Proclamation to be published in two successive issues of the British Columbia Gazette, to declare a close season for geese in any part of the Province for any period of time, and

Whereas our said Lieutenant-Governor, by and with the advice of his Executive Council, has been pleased to direct, by an Order in Council in that behalf, a close season for geese within the County of Kootenay, until and including the 31st day of August, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

Now Know Ye therefore, that in pursuance thereof, we do hereby proclaim a close season for geese within the County of Kootenay, until and including the 31st day of August, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

In testimony whereof, we have caused these our letters to be made patent and the Great Seal of the Province to be hereunto affixed.

Witness, His Honor James Dunsmuir, Lieutenant Governor of our said Province of British Columbia, in our City of Victoria, in our said Province, this 19th day of February, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eight, and in the eighth year of our reign.

By command,
HENRY ESSON YOUNG,
Provincial Secretary

NOTICE.

Take notice that Alfred Edward Watts, of Wattsburg, British Columbia, lumberman, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described land, situate near Procter on the south shore of the west arm of Kootenay Lake, more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at the northwest corner of Lot 4 of Lot 309, Group 1, West Kootenay District, thence 1680 feet (25.45 chains) westerly along the south shore line of the west arm of Kootenay Lake and being the north boundary of Lot 4 of Lot 309 to the northwest corner of Lot 4 of Lot 309, thence 2280 feet (34.55 chains) along the south shore line of the west arm of Kootenay Lake and being the north boundary of Lot 16 of Lot 306, Group 1, West Kootenay District; thence north 132 feet (2 chains); thence easterly 3960 feet (60.00 chains) and parallel with the south shore line of the west arm of Kootenay Lake; thence south 132 feet (2 chains) to point of commencement, and containing 120 acres, more or less.

Dated this 12th day of February, A. D., 1908.

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ALL LINES AGREE.

Reciprocal Arrangements for Return Atlantic Passage.

Montreal, April 1.—All the Canadian steamship lines have decided to enter an agreement between the American and Canadian steamship lines running to Europe for interchange of return tickets. Under the new arrangements, a passenger can buy his ticket to Europe from Montreal, Halifax, or St. John, and arrange to return on any boat of any other Canadian or American line he pleases. But to counteract this privilege there will be no more reduced rates for round trips, the return journey costing just as much as the single-way trip.

This change was discussed at the recent meeting of the Atlantic lines in Liverpool, at which the rate war was ended, but as the Canadian and other lines did not go into it, it was not put into effect. A couple of days ago the Dominion and Leyland lines agreed to join the arrangement, and this afternoon the C. P. R. line did the same, while the Allans immediately followed suit, making the circle complete.

Under this arrangement, the only advantage of buying a return ticket is the certainty of getting a berth at the time required by the passenger, with the additional privilege of having the choice of practically every passenger boat plying on the Atlantic ferries.

NOTICE.

To George W. Beale, formerly of Robson, B. C., and Nelson, B. C.

I hereby give you notice that unless you give a good and valid objection thereto in writing I shall at the expiration of 14 days from the date hereof proceed to the registration of the title of The Columbia and Kootenay Railway and Navigation Company in fee simple in respect to that piece of land known as Lot 3 in Block 3, Robson Townsite, Group One, Kootenay District, according to plan thereof, filed as Number 626, notwithstanding the non-production of the Certificate of Title thereof.

Dated at Nelson, B.C., this 31st day of March, 1908.

H. F. MACLEOD, District Registrar.

NOTICE.

Take notice that we will at the next meeting of the License Commissioners apply for a transfer of the liquor license for the No Place Inn on Josephine street, Nelson, from Pollard and Wade to H. H. Moore.

Dated at Nelson, this 9th day of March 1908.

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In the matter of an application for the issue of a duplicate of the Certificate of Title to Lots 4 and 6, Block 6, Nelson City, subdivision of part of Lot 182, Group One, District of Kootenay (Map 486).

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 to the above mentioned lots in the name of Pattie Rhodes which Certificate is dated the 16th day of May, 1899, and numbered 1897-k.

Land Registry Office, Nelson, B.C., January 24th, 1908. H. F. MACLEOD, District Registrar.

NOTICE

In the matter of an application for a duplicate Certificate of Title of an undivided one-quarter interest in Lot 87, Group One, Kootenay District, known as "Let Her Go Gallagher" Mineral Claim

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention after the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof, to issue a duplicate Certificate of title on the above described one-quarter interest in the name of John F. Stevens, which Certificate of Title is dated the 6th April, 1900, and numbered 3038K.

Land Registry Office, Nelson, B. C., March 3, 1908.

H. F. MACLEOD, District Registrar.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Great West Railway Company will apply to the Parliament of Canada, at the present session thereof, for an act amending the said Company's Acts of Incorporation by striking out the names of those persons who, by Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter 167 of the Statutes of 1903, are created incorporators and provisional directors of the Company and inserting in lieu thereof the names of certain other individuals as such incorporators and provisional directors; changing the head office of the Company from Nelson, B. C., to Port Arthur, Ontario, and extending the respective times for the commencement and completion of the various lines of railway which the Company is empowered to construct.

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First Primrose.

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S. O. E.

The regular meeting of Nelson Queen Lodge, S. O. E., will be held in the K. of P. hall tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

Building at Harrop.

W. Campion has the contract for the building of a new house at Harrop on the ranch of Messrs. Blakelock and Jessop.

Gift to Library.

The management of the public library acknowledges the gift from the Young People's Union of the Missionary Review for 1908.

Recovering.

The man Wood, who was badly injured at the Patrick mill near Slocan Junction, a few weeks ago, is convalescent. He has spent the two weeks in the hospital.

Nelson's Gain.

A Nelsonite who returned from Winnipeg last night says that in a conversation he had with some of the hospital authorities there he was told that in securing the services of Miss Lumsden the directors of the Kootenay Lake General Hospital have taken away the best of Winnipeg's hospital nursing staff.

Hotel Improvements.

Many of the city hotels are making improvements in anticipation of spring travel. The new electric sign at the Grand Central has been installed by J. H. Ringrose and company through whom it was ordered. The Royal hotel office and bar are being kalsomined and repapered, and the Tremont is getting a new coat of paint.

Painful Accident.

Jake Anderson, employed at the Nelson Iron Works, met with a painful accident yesterday while working at the zinc works. Mr. Anderson was moving a piece of machinery, when it toppled smashing the forefinger of the left hand. He immediately visited Dr. Hartin who found it necessary to amputate the injured finger at the first joint.

Publicity Bureau.

The adjourned meeting of the Publicity association will be held in the court house tonight at 8 o'clock. All doubt as to the maintenance of the bureau has already been removed. Up to noon today the amount of monthly payments guaranteed was over $150. No doubt is entertained by the committee of their ability to raise that amount to at least $200.

Changes at Strathcona.

Extensive improvements are planned for the Strathcona hotel and have been begun today, the contract having been let to John Burns. The annex will be moved round to adjoin the main building. The kitchen will be remodelled and enlarged. The present bar will be converted into a new office, the bar being moved into what is now the billiard room. The change will make the Strathcona more compact and more comfortable and also more economical in respect of heating.

Woman Suffrage.

The first evnt of its kind—in public—will take place in Nelson tonight under the auspices of the Churchman's Club. The qualification and title of women to electoral franchise on the same terms as men will be maintained by Misses McVicar and Wade of the Nelson public school staff, and denied by Misses Bate and McLennan of the Hume school staff. A general discussion will follow. There will also be a musical programme. "Mere Man's" only participation in the evening's entertainment will be as chairman, members of the bench of judges and audience. The debate will begin at 8 o'clock. All who are interested are invited to attend.

Moving to Calgary.

R. H. Zavitz, district manager for the Allis-Chalmers-Bullock company, who is in town for a few days, states that the Nelso agency of the company is to be transferred to Calgary. The three agencies now in Western Canada are at Winnipeg, Nelson and Vancouver, and it is thought that Calgary will be found more central for the intervening country than Nelson. Southern Alberta, Kootenay, Boundary and Similkameen will then be covered by a travelling representative. It is no longer necessary for the company to have a warehouse in Nelson as it is now out of the drill business. Mr. Zavitz says the decision to remove does not imply any distrust of the future of Nelson and Kootenay, but merely that the distance is too great between Nelson and Winnipeg, and Calgary's situation is more convenient for the company's purpose. Mr. Zavitz leaves for Milwaukee Friday night.

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In the matter of the estate and effects of George Harrison (deceased.)

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said George Harrison, deceased, who died at Nelson, British Columbia, on the 27th day of December, 1907, are required on or before the 20th day of April next to send by post, prepaid, or deliver to the undersigned, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them:

And further take notice that after such last mentioned date the administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and that the said administrator will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by him at the time of such distribution.

Dated at Nelson, B. C., this 17th day of March, A. D. 1908.

LENNIE & WRAGGE,
Solicitors for the Administrator,
James H. Harrison.

NOTICE.

In the matter of an application for the issue of a duplicate Certificate of Title for lots 4, 6, 9, 11, 19, 25, and 32, of lot 891, Group One, in the District of Kootenay (Map 608).

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 mentioned lots in the name of Richard Helme, which Certificate of Title is dated the 24th day of November, 1906, and numbered 6310A.

Land Registry Office, Nelson, B. C., January 17th, 1908.

"H. F. MacLeod,"
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