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POISON IMPORTED

Fruit Industry Threatened by Pests

INSPECTOR IS AROUSED

T. Cunningham Asks Aid of Press In Denouncing Unscrupulous Work Of American Shippers.

Thomas Cunningham, chief provincial fruit inspector, is being kept busy preventing the importation from the United States of diseased plants. Of one particularly bad collection he said last Friday:

"The shipment comes from John Lewis Childs of Floral Park, New York, and was intended for a gentleman in Victoria, but fortunately for him he will never see the goods, for they will be cremated with other condemned stock on Saturday.

"Childs has deluged this province with illustrated catalogues of his stock; very striking and artistic are the lithographic cuts and plates of the goods which Childs professes to propagate and furnish, but it goes without saying that if his nursery park is in the condition that this scale-infected plant would indicate, it is exceedingly unfortunate for the future of this province that he should be permitted to do any business with our people.

"A man that would send out to an innocent purchaser plants conveying such deadly infection should be punished with the utmost severity; but unfortunately we have no control over them.

"The business which he caters for is the more dangerous because it is done mostly with people who suspect no danger. They are not fruit growers as a rule, but ladies who are anxious to posses beautiful and rare plants.

"Nearly all the packages from this concern come through the mail or by express; those passing through post-offices in the interior are liable to slip through unobserved, and reach the purchaser, who may be unconsciously the agent in distributing this and other destructive pests in our new settlements, which are being opened up.

"It is impossible for our officials, no matter how careful they may be, to supervise all such business. There are scales enough on this one plant to infect the entire settlement of Summerland or Penticton.

"All that I can do is to raise a warning voice against the dangerous practice of ordering plants by mail. We may be safe enough in Vancouver where all the Dominion officers are as careful as posible, but there is only one Vancouver in the province; the greatest danger is in the interior, just the region which we are most anxious to protect.

"In view of this object lesson, I strongly advise our people to forego for the sake of the country the small advantage they gain by importing plants through the mails, and by all means cancel all orders that may have been sent, or that they may have contemplated sending to Childs.

"Furthermore, I would ask the press all over the province to give as wide publicity as possible to this incident.

"I have in contemplation a plan which I think will act as a deterrent to all such offenders as Childs, that is the publication of the names of all who violate the provisions of the Horticultural Act, and the regulations thereunder. I think it would be a useful weapon, and that I have the right to use all lawful means to prevent careless and unscrupulous men who would endanger the future of our fruit for temporary gain. It is our business in British Columbia to defend ourselves against all possible danger.

"I know that a more thoroughly earnest and fearless man that Captain Tatlow never trod the soil of British Columbia. In season and out of season his advice and instructions to me are to protect the fruit and agricultural interests of the province at any cost, so that I have no reason to believe that he will not be in accord with me in properly exposing transgressors against the provisions of the Horticultural Act and the regulations thereunder. So here goes with the first instalment.

"We have just concluded the inspection of a shipment of nursery stock from the Srenandoah Nursery company of Shenandoah, Iowa, out of which we condemned no fewer than 103 standard fruit trees and 190 bushes, or 293 in all.

"This stock was shipped to one of our interior nurseries and carried infection sufficient to infect not only the nursery, but every customer who may purchase stock therefrom. The danger is exceedingly great and in exposing the infected nursery I am doing only what is fair to our own people. Fumigation, no matter how carefully done, would have no effect whatever on trees infected as those were; the only remedy is fire.

"British Columbia has taken the highest possible award at Edinburgh, and now we have the glad news that we captured the first prize (gold medal), and 10 other silver and bronze medals, at London last Monday. Surely it is our duty to protect such an industry at any cost."

HORRIBLE DEATH.

Live Chameleons Crawl From Mouth of Expiring Actress.

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 11.—As the result of swallowing live chameleons as an advertisement, Louise Douglas, formerly a comedienne, died here yesterday. An hour before her death two little chameleons crawled from the woman's mouth, and physicians say her body is alive with the little reptiles.

Two years ago Louise Douglas, whose real name was Mrs. Harry F. Lee, swallowed a chameleon and received much advertising therefrom, but soon afterward she began falling off and left the stage. She has been in a hospital in Omaha for over a year.

The Shah's Condition.

London, Dec. 11.—No news ras been received here today tending to confirm the report that the shah of Persia is dead.

Constantinople, Dec. 11.—An official despatch from Teheran, Persia, dated yesterday, says that the German specialist who is attending the shah has pronounced the latter's condition to be hopeless.

LORD'S DAY PRIVILEGES

Substance of Rev. W. Rochester's Two Discourses in Nelson Churches Last Sunday.

The Rev. Mr. Rochester, Western secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance, reached town on Saturday evening from the north on his way east from Vancouver, where he had been in attendance upon the annual provincial council, in Vancouver. Mr. Rochester occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church in the morning and the Methodist church in the evening. On both occasions he spoke upon the Lord's Day question. He also addressed the Sunday schools of these two churches in the afternoon.

Speaking in the morning Mr. Rochester drew attention to the message of the prophet Isaiah to Israel, assuring prosperity upon condition of fidelity to the Sabbath. He showed that in the prophet's judgment the Sabbath was a foundation institution, vitally related to the people's general wellbeing; the loss of the Sabbath would mean not only the loss of it but of much else that we hold dear and that is inseparable from personal and social prosperity. The words of the prophet were not so much an ultimatum upon the question as an invitation to all to prove for themselves the virtue of the Sabbath in their own life. Nothing was so much needed today as personal enquiry into the merits of this institution and the awakening of personal appreciation of its value.

That the Lord's Day as an institution did not now receive just consideration from many was owing to various causes, among which were mentioned the preoccupation of men in material pursuits, obscuring or shutting out the value of institutions that minister to our higher nature; the persistence with which many regarded it as a law of the church or of religion rather than of life, a specifically religious rather than a human institution; the reaction against the austerities of other days, forgetful of the fact that perversion is no reason for casting out of what is good; and, finally, the tendency to regard the day in its negative rather than positive aspect, as taking something out of, rather than putting something into us, restraint and obligation being emphasized rather than privilege and freedom.

In the evening Mr. Rochester emphasized the danger of blindly following the example of others of being carried along by the tide of worldly sentiment and practice. Conduct should be based upon personal conviction, intelligently held.

On both occasions Mr. Rochester appealed for a higher degree of regard for the Lord's Day and of effort on its behalf, that may be able to keep it in its integrity as a most beneficial and gracious provision of God for man's happiness and prosperity.

ROUND THE BOUNDARY.

Phenomenal Discovery of High-Grade Ore on the Mavis.

(Special to The Daily Canadian.)

Greenwood, Dec. 11.—The Mavis claim, just east of town, is creating considerable excitement here at present. Just a little over two months ago two young men took a bond on the property and after putting up a cabin on it went to work looking for the ore. Some work had been done on the claim last winter, but the lead could not be located. The present holders did not do over three or four feet of work before they opened a remarkably fine shoot of ore. They have taken out and shipped one car of high grade ore and have another in sight. The ore is very liberally sprinkled with free gold. In shipping the ore they observed that about two or three tons of it which showed little free gold appeared to be a telluride and they had an assay made by Assayer Hook. They were surprised but delighted to get a return of $2901.40, all in gold, per ton from their sample. They have decided to stop stoping ore now and are going to sink on the property. The works on the Mavis are only about 400 feet from those on the Bay, out of which very rich ore has been taken. The Bay was incorporated last autumn and is now being vigorously worked. An electric hoist has been installed thereon.

The B. C. Copper company has had no trouble in reopening their mines and smelter here with the very best type of help. About 20 more men are now on the Mother Lode payroll than there were when the mine closed at time of the strike.

The company has its third furnace now in operation and everything is working very satisfactorily.

Wholesale Vendetta.

New York, Dec. 11.—Calvatore Svelaze, 28 years of age, while sitting in the back room of a saloon in Sorley street early this morning was shot and killed by an unknown assassin, who fired a double charge of heavy bullets through a window. The murder closely resembles one which occurred a week ago only a block away. Both victims are Sicilians, and the police think there is a wholesale vendetta afoot in the neighborhood. John Marcolla, a Sicilian, was arrested as a suspect today.

Panic Ice Break.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 11.—The ice of the Neva broke last night while several hundred working people employed at Therinton's factory in the Nevaste quarter, were returning to their homes across the river. Many of them were precipitated into the water and wild rumors of great loss of life were circulated, but according to the manager of the works, there was no such loss.

Trawler in Trouble.

Christiania, Norway, Dec. 11.—The steam trawler Forsoget has been sunk in a storm. All of her crew, numbering 12 men, were drowned.

The Play.

"Girofle-Girofla," with its graceful measures and smooth-flowing harmony, was admirably presented at the opera house last evening by the Roscians. When the excellence of the performance is taken into consideration it is a matter for regret that the audience was not larger. Nelson is very rarely visited by a company possessing the merit of the Roscians, and it is unfortunate that the patronage is not such as to encourage other meritorious organizations to keep Nelson on their circuit. This city has gained considerable reputation on account of the encouragement bestowed upon musical organizations, but the attendance last night seemed to indicate that there may be some danger of that reputation being sacrificed. However, there are three nights left in which to regain what was lost last night. The plot of "Girofle-Girofla" is familiar to all opera goers and does not require lengthy description. Reference, however, to the musical numbers cannot be made too often. The company presenting it last evening failed at no time to bring out the best that was in the opera. Without indulging in invidious comparsons it may be said that Miss Nola, Miss Crowley, Mr. Walters and Mr. Hoffman were at their best. The wine song was admirably sung by Miss Nola, and in fact both solo and chorus work were beyond criticism. Altogether the performance was one that will long be remembered by those who were fortunate enough to be present. Tonight "Martha" will be presented, and it is to be hoped that the attendance will be at least commensurate with the merits of the Roscian company.

POPE AND FRANCE

Law of Associations in Force To-day

NOW NO STATE RELIGION

Formerly Four Religious Communions Recognized—Hereafter State Pays No Salaries.

Paris, Dec. 11.—The law of association, providing for the separation of church and state in France, formally went into effect today. The climax of the long and bitter warfare between the republic and the Catholic church has thus been reached. Contrary to what might be expected, indications are not lacking that the public disorders that have been provoked by the strife between state and church will now subside in a measurable degree. If such proves not to be the case the onus will be placed upon the church, as the government is unmistakably disposed to leniency in the enforcement of the law.

The attitude of the government will not go to extreme lengths by closing the churches to public worship. If congregations default in the formation of associations religious services will come under the law of 1881 as public meetings. But as services differ in many points from meetings, the prefects have been instructed to adapt the law, where it is necessary, in order to facilitate in every way the carrying on of services, and notably the clause of the law by which previous notice of an intended meeting is exacted. It has been decided that one notice stating the hours of services shall suffice for any period.

The congregations must establish a bureau, or body of men, who will be responsible for the purpose and good order of meetings. Representatives of the government must be present at all meetings, but can only dissolve them if the bureau fails in its duties and disturbances ensue. Priests may receive and dispose of moneys taken in actual collections at such meetings, but all other contributions and incomes will belong to the state. Cures will be merely occupants without legal title in the premises. The churches and other properties will be handed over to associations if they are formed within a year. If then taken by the state they will still retain their previous character until a contrary decision is announced.

The going into effect of the law of assiciations marks an epoch in the history of the French republic. It means, in effect, that no religion is now recognized by the state. Up to January 1 of this year the Roman Catholic church, the Reformed church, the Augsburg Confession and the Jewish Religious community were so recognized. The relations between the state and the Roman Catholic church were determined by the concordat of 1801 and the organic articles of 1802. The relations between the Protestants and the Jews were determined by different laws and decrees of the same period. The ministers of these creeds were paid by the state salaries and were in many respects dependent upon the government. These relations are now completely severed.

According to the law promulgated just one year ago the churches are separated from the state, the adherents of all creeds may form associations for public worship, and the state, the departments and the communes are relieved from payment of calaries.

As transitory measures, ecclesiastics over 60 years of age and over 30 years of service remunerated by the state are entitled to a pension equal to three-fourths of their salary. Proportionate allowances are made for all other ecclesiastics. If the associations comply with the provisions of the law they are to be allowed the use of the churches, dwellings, seminaries and other property. No religious establishment is to be allowed to exist without a special law in each particular case.

The grants paid by the state in the last year of the old regime amounted to 37, 528,061 francs, and those paid by departments and communes to 7,555,042 francs. The pensions and allowances to be paid according to the new are estimated thus: First year, 29,563,871 francs; second year, 26,943,829 francs; third year, 21,529,061 francs; fourth year, 20,018,326 francs, etc.

Paris, Dec. 11.—This is a historical day for France, the struggle which began in 1880 with the banishment of the Jesuits ending today with the legal rupture of the bond which for practically 1000 years had united church and state.

The clergy read the regular offices for the week as usual, without referring to their illegal status tomorrow. Nevertheless, the depression of the Catholics was manifest.

The government continues to present a calm front. Receivers have been appointed everywhere to assume charge of the sequestered property, and three policemen will be stationed tomorrow at the doors of all the churches to report law violations, but as such violations can only be tried in the police courts and as the penalties are only 15 francs fine and 15 days' imprisonment, with the right of appeal, sterner measures are necessary.

CHASING THEIR SHADOWS.

Progress of the Grinders in the Six-day Bicycle Contest.

New York, Dec. 11.—There were no changes during the night in the number of teams contesting or in their position in the bicycle race now in progress at Madison Square Garden. Now and again the thousand or so of spectators who remained all night were entertained by an occasinal spurt, but on the whole the night was uneventful. A few spills occurred but all were able to continue the grind.

Walthour caused most of the excitement in the early hours, especially when he made a desperate attempt to retrieve the lap which he lost when he was compelled to change partners after the accident to Hugh McLean, his original mate. Try as he could, however, the other riders hung to him and after a time he was compelled to desist. He is confident, however, that eventually he will succeed. Walthour is cheered and encouraged by his young wife, who is at the track side. John Bedell, Walthour's partner now, is a strong rider, so that the combination is feared by the other contestants.

Every rider remaining in the race appeared to be in good condition today. They are a fast lot and if they let themselves out could reach a record. They are, however, reserving their strength for the trying days at the end of the week. The score at 7 a. m. was 616 miles and 5 laps for all teams excepting Walthour-Bedell, who were one lap behind the others. The record for this hour is 640 miles and 4 laps.

At 10 a. m. the 12 leading teams had covered 670 miles 6 laps. Walthour-Bedell were one lap behind at that hour, the others were 27 miles 6 laps behind the record.

CHARGED WITH WRECKING.

Accident on Southern Railway Leads to Murder Indictment.

Evansville, Ind., Dec. 11.—Great interest is manifested in the trial of William Auberry and Shirley Erwin, alleged train wreckers, which began today in the Pike county circuit court. The men are charged with first degree murder in three counts as the result of the Southern railroad wreck at Mauren, Pike county, on the night of August 15 last.

On the day of the wreck a number of miners boarded a freight train for Oakland City, and trouble developed between them and railroad detectives on the train, in which the miners were worsted. At 3 o'clock the following morning a freight train was wrecked by spiking a switch, and the wreck resulted in the killing of three of the train crew and the destruction of 18 cars. The trainmen's association employed detectives, and a month after the wreck Aubrey and Erwin were arrested and charged with the crime. The authorities claim to have a strong case of circumstantial evidence against the men.

Toronto Cat Show.

Toronto, Dec. 11.—The purring aristocracy of the country met today in Broadway hall in a friendly competition for several thousand dollars in prizes. The event is the fourth annual cat show of the Royal Canadian Cat club. The show has called together a collection of several hundred high-bred felines from many parts of Canada and the United States.

Important Decision Coming.

Washington, D. ., Dec. 11.—The interstate commerce commission is expected to announce its decision tomorrow as to whether or not steamship companies that issue through bills of lading from foreign ports to points beyond the ports at which they land in the United States are under the jurisdiction of the rate regulation act.

WITHOUT DEMONSTRATION.

Two Thousand Workmen Quietly Quit and Walk Out.

Schenectady, Dec. 11.—The 2500 members of the Industrial Workers of the World employed at the General Electric works, who ceased production at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon and sat around idle until quitting time, went back to the works this morning and at 9 o'clock walked out in a body. They made no demonstrations and were at all times quiet and orderly. Most of the men went directly to their homes, while the executive committee and some of the leaders went into secret conference at the headquarters of the Industrial Workers of the World.

The company employs 15,000 hands. The majority of them are affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, which is not concerned in the present trouble. There has been bad feeling the I. W. W. and the A. F. of L. for some time and it is understood that the federation has volunteered to the company to fill the places of the strikers at short notice. There is a large crowd of men at the employment office of the company today looking for work.

Calls in the Students.

Paris, Dec. 11.—After a meeting of the cabinet ministers tolay it was announced that on December 14 Premier Clemenceau will ask parliament to suppress the pension of the clergy, to liquidate the public property of Catholics and to distribute the presbyteries, seminaries and so on. War Minister Piquart has ordered the recruiting officers to require eclesiasitcal students who number 5500, to present their certificates. Those who fail to do so by December 20 will be ordered to join the colors on January 7.

EXPEL M. MONTAGNINI

Secretary of Nunciature Arrested on Order for Deportation and Will Be Sent Across the Frontier.

Paris, Dec. 11.—The Republican press says the temper of the people forms a more hostile attitude toward the vatican. The Replicque Francais declares: "The time has passed when a posse could successfully threaten to release French subjects from their allegiance. Defiance of the law will only expose the priests to being regarded as the subjects of a foreign power, by which they would forfeit their rights as Frenchmen."

Rome, Dec. 11.—Signor Mirabelli, Republican, today in the chamber of deputies introduced a resolution which was adopted congratulating France on its anti-clerical policy, as tending to secularize the state and render the human conscience independent.

Paris, Dec. 11.—Mgr. Montagnini, secretary of the papal nunciature here since the recall of the nuncio, was arrested today upon an order expelling him from France and will be conducted to the frontier tonight. The residence of Mgr. Montagnini was searched by the police.

May Get Liquor Until Midnight.

Boston, Mass, Dec. 11.—Municipal elections are being held in a number of the larger cities of Massachusetts today. In addition to choosing members of the city council the citizens of Boston are voting on the question of granting the additional privilege of selling liquor on week days in hotels from 11 until 12 o'clock midnight. The excise board, if the proposition carries, will have authority to issue these midnight licenses, costing $500 apiece, to 29 first-class hotels. The chamber of commerce and business men generally are supporting the proposition in the belief that its adoption would prove a benefit to the business interests of the city.

Oxford Defeats Cambridge.

London, Dec. 11.—Oxford, in the annual Rugby football match at the Queens club, today defeated Cambridge by 12 to 3.

Earth Tremors.

Plymouth, Dec. 11.—Two slight earthquakes were felt last night in Pemigewasset valley.

When a man makes a fool of himself he uses cheap material.

A bank roll may be a roll of honor—and then again it may not.

NEW FRUIT LANDS

Valley of Fosthall Creek Next Excitement

BIG AS WELL AS RICH

Nearly Level Tract About Five Miles Square, with Every Advantage of Soil and Climate.

Even the covering of Kootenay with a pall of snow has not affected the eagerness with which intending settlers as well as investors and speculators are seeking for new lands. Winter is the holiday season of the Canadian farmer and there are few who have not heard of the wealth of Kootenay fruit lands.

Even as late as two years ago, when the fruit growing capabilities om small strips of bottom land were admitted perforce by the most sceptical, few even of the staunchest champions of the new industry had any idea of the extent of the orchard land available. Since that time the shores of the outlet and Kootenay river, of Kootenay lake, of Slocan lake and river have all or nearly all been acquired for agricultural purposes, and the latest comers have had to explore the shores of the Arrow lakes and of the streams that feed them.

The fame of Fire Valley, of Burton ity and Deer Park and the richness of the soil at those places are well known.

The next land excitement will be farther north. The valley of Fosthall creek is likely to prove the best and biggest find of all. Fosthall creek empties into the Upper Arrow lake about 12 miles north of Nakusp, on the west side. The land of the valley slopes gently from the lake shore for about half a mile, attaining in that distance an elevation of not more than 100 feet above the lake. From there it is almost level for more than five miles to the southwest, and for a width of more than four miles. A wagon road runs through the valley for four miles and a half, and a trail, built by Nels Deméris, goes to the head of Mosquito lake.

Fosthall creek valley was one of the routes examined for the proposed railway to connect Vernon with the Kootenay system.

An old settler of the valley, who does not wish for any personal advertising, described to a Canadian representative the new district which is causing a flutter among Kootenay land speculators. He said:

"Most of the land that has been taken up was staked only last spring. Before that there were few settlements.

"Everything will grow in the valley It has rich soil and a splendid climate, and is not as high above sea level as Nelson. Where fruit trees have been planted—and some of them are six or seven years old—they have done splendidly.

"For fruit growing on a large scale irrigation may be found necesary. It it is there is water everywhere and most conveniently situated for the purpose.

"How does it compare with Fire Valley? I think Fosthall creek is away ahead of it for the growing of everything but vegetables."

Many attempts have been made to secure options on big sections of the land, but as a rule the fortunate locators refuse to part with their holdings. Fosthall creek valley will certainly be heard from next summer.

Mining Records.

One transfer, three locations and one certificate of assessment work were recorded in the Nelson mining office today.

H. B. Campbell transferred to Donald McLeod for $2500 a half interest in the Spokane, on Wolf creek.

Harry Rippen located the Tunnel Site on Bear creek, a mile and a half northwest from Beasley Siding, on December 7.

C. C. French located the Leader Site, in the same locality, on December 6.

John Danielson located the Gilden hord, on Bear creek, on December 16.

A certificate of work was issued to John Danielson on the Sno-Sid.

A one-sided affair is all right if it happens to be a bright side.

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SPEAKING A PAPER

The national policy of a country is always a matter of serious moment. When a change occurs in national affairs it is the duty, primarily, of newspapers, in the first place, to acquaint the people with the facts. The Daily Canadian, for its part, has been, is, and, we hope, will be, a newspaper in the strictest sense of the word. It has not been, and it will not be, a political organ. It has not been, and it will not be, a political organ. It has not been, and it will not be, a political organ

NEW CASH STORE

BARGAINS TODAY AND WEDNESDAY

BLACK SATEEN WAISTS—regular $2.50 and $2.00. While they last for $1.00

FLANNELETTE BLOUSES—Good values at $1.50 and $1.25. Choice at ..... 75c and $1.00

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SILK by the yard; different kinds at HALF the regular prices. Our regular 75c Taffeta at 50c a yard.

LADIES' TRIMMED HATS at less than cost ..... Choice, $1.50

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LAND NOTICES.

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 at the southwest corner of J. Shiell's application to purchase, marked "R. S'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 13th day of October, 1906.

R. SHIELL,
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 a post placed about 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 south boundary of T. L. 6983, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated the 13th day of October, 1906.

M. E. GRENFELL,
per J. SHIELL, 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 west of the junction of Barnes and Whatshan 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 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west to point of commencement; containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated 13th day of October, 1906.

W. N. POOLE,
Per J. SHIELL, 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 lands: Commencing at a post placed at the southeast corner of M. E. Grenfell's application to purchase, marked "V. D's, S. W. Corner," running thence 80 chains north; to T. L. 6983; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west, to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated the 13th day of October, 1906.

V 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 V. Dodd's application to purchase, marked "C. L. H's N. E. corner," running thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east to the point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated the 12th day of October, 1906.

C. L. HANNINGTON,
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 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 south 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 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 situated in the West Kootenay district: Beginning at a post marked "Herbert Warren's N. E. corner" and planted on the west 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.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, to purchase 180 acres of land, located on the west side of Arrow lake, adjoining Lot 5318 and described as follows: Commencing at a post planted on the west boundary of Lot 5318, about 20 chains north of the S. W. corner of said lot, thence west 30 chains, thence south 60 chains, thence east 30 chains to the western boundary of pre-emption No. 378, thence north 60 chains to place of beginning.

Located Oct. 25, 1906.

M. E. WALLEY,
R J. ELLIOTT, 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 about one mile east of Whatshan creek and about three miles south of Whatshan lake, running 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains east, to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Dated October 13, 1906.

PETER McNAUGHTON,
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 about 100 yards west of the Whatshan lake trail and about two miles south of Whatshan lake, marked "E. C. S's N. E. corner post," running thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains east, to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated the 10th day of October, 1906.

B. C. SKINNER,
Per R. 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 "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.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 240 acres of land: Commencing at a post marked "N. T B's southeast corner post" said post being at the northeast corner of Geo. Hudson's pre-emption claim, about two miles southeast of Burton City, thence west 40 chains, south 20 chains, west 40 chains, north 40 chains, east 80 chains, south 20 chains to place of commencement, containing 240 acres.

Located 8th day of Nov. 1906. NETTIE T. BEER.

NELSON ASSESSMENT DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given that a court of Revision and Appeal, under the provisions of the "Assessment Act," 1903," and Amending Acts, and the "Public Schools Act" will be held in the court house, in the City of Nelson, on Thursday, December 27th, 1906, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the Nelson Assessment district, and the Hume School District, Ymir School District, Salmo School District, and Creston School District, contained therein.

ROBERT SCOTT LENNIE,
Judge of Court of Revision and Appeal.

Dated at Nelson, B. C., this 4th day of December, 1906.

MUNICIPALITY OF THE CITY OF SANDON.

COURT OF REVISION. VOTERS' LIST.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Court of Revision to correct and revise the Voters' List for the year 1907, for the said City of Sandon, as prepared by the Clerk to the Council, will meet in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Sandon, B. C., on Friday, December 21st, 1906 at 8 o'clock, p. m.

Dated at Sandon, B. C., December 10th, 1906

C. E. LYONS, C. M. C.

CITY OF KASLO

NOTICE OF COURT OF REVISION

TAKE NOTICE that a Court of Revision of the Voters' List of the City of Kaslo will sit on the 21st day of December, 1906, at eleven o'clock, a. m., (local time), and continue from day to day, if requisite, at the Council Chambers of the City of Kaslo, B. C.

Dated this 10th day of December, 1906.

WILLIAM E. HODDER,
Clerk of the Municipality.

CITY OF CRANBROOK

NOTICE OF COURT OF REVISION

TAKE NOTICE that a Court of Revision of the Voters' List of the City of Cranbrook will sit on the 21st day of December, 1906, at 11 o'clock (local time), and continue from day to day, if requisite, at the Council Chambers, Cranbrook, B. C.

Dated this 6th day of December, 1906.

THOMAS M. ROBERTS,
Clerk of the Municipality.

TIMBER NOTICES.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special licence to cut and carry away timber from the following described tracts of land, situated on the Pend O'Rielle river in the district of West Kootenay:

No. 1—Commencing at a post placed on the east side of Fish creek, on the south bank of the Pend O'Rielle river, marked Fred Aide Jr's northeast corner; thence 160 chains south, thence 40 chains west, thence 160 chains north, thence 40 chains east to place of commencement.

Located Nov. 26, 1906.

FRED ADIE, JR.

No. 2—Commencing at a post planted on the east side of Fish creek, on the south bank of the Pend O'Rielle river, marked Fred Adie Jr's northwest corner post; thence 160 chains south, thence 40 chains east, thence 160 chains north, thence 40 chains west to place of commencement.

Located Nov. 26, 1906.

FRED ADIE, JR.

No. 3—Commencing at a post placed on the south bank of the Pend O'Rielle, opposite Twelve Mile creek, marked Fred Adie Jr's N. E. corner post; thence 160 chains south, thence 40 chains west, thence 160 chains north, thence 40 chains east to place of commencement

Located Nov. 26, 1906.

FRED ADIE, JR.

No. 4—Commencing at a post placed on the south bank of the Pend O'Rielle, opposite Twelve Mile creek, marked Fred Adie Jr's N. W. corner post; thence 40 chains south, thence 160 chains east, thence 40 chains north, thence 160 chains west to place of commencement.

Located Nov. 26, 1906.

FRED ADIE, JR.

No. 5.—Commencing at a post placed on the south bank of the Pend O'Rielle river, about opposite Fifteen Mile creek, marked Fred Adie Jr's N. E. corner post; thence 40 chains west, thence 160 chains south, thence 40 chains east, thence 160 chains north to place of commencement.

Located Nov. 26, 1906.

FRED ADIE, JR.

No. 6—Commencing at a post placed on the south bank of the Pend O'Rielle river, about opposite Fifteen Mile creek, marked Fred Adie Jr's N. W. corner post; thence 160 chains south, thence 40 chains east, thence 160 chains north, thence 40 chains west to place of commencement.

Located Nov. 26, 1906.

FRED ADIE, JR.

No. 7—Commencing at a post placed on the south bank of the Pend O'Rielle river, about a quarter of a mile west of Russian creek, marked Fred Adie Jr's N. E. corner post; thence 40 chains west, thence 160 chains south, thence 40 chains east, thence 160 chains north thence 40 chains west to place of commencement.

Located Nov. 27, 1906.

FRED ADIE, JR.

No. 8—Commencing at a post on the south bank of the Pend O'Rielle river, about a quarter of a mile west of Russian creek, marked Fred Adie Jr's N. W. corner post; thence 160 chains south, thence 40 chains east, thence 160 chains north thence 40 chains west to place of commencement.

Located Nov. 27, 1906.

FRED ADIE, JR.

No. 9—Commencing at a post placed on the south bank of the Pend O'Rielle river, about a quarter of a mile east of Russian creek, marked Fred Adie Jr's northwest corner post; thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north to place of commencement.

Located Nov. 27, 1906.

FRED ADIE, JR.

No. 10—Commencing at a post placed on the north bank of the Pend O'Rielle river, about a quarter of a mile from the mouth of Salmon river, marked Fred Adie Jr's S. W. corner post; thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south to place of commencement.

Located Nov. 27, 1906.

FRED ADIE Jr.

Notice that thirty days after date I 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 land, situated on the right bank of Kokanee creek, about five miles from the lake, commencing at a post marked "Bruce White, S. E. corner." Thence north 80 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 60 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 60 chains, thence east 40 chains to point of commencement

Dated Nov. 19th, 1906. BRUCE WHITE, Locator.

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.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 240 acres of land: Commencing at a post marked "N. T B's southeast corner post" said post being at the northeast corner of Geo. Hudson's pre-emption claim, about two miles southeast of Burton City, thence west 40 chains, south 20 chains, west 40 chains, north 40 chains, east 80 chains, south 20 chains to place of commencement, containing 240 acres.

Located 8th day of Nov. 1906. NETTIE T. BEER.

PLANT WILL RUN BY 21ST

Mayor Gillett So Assured City Council —Long Meeting Devoted to Many Matters of Interest.

The assurance of Mayor Gillett that the power plant would be in operation by December 21 was the most important feature of a council meeting that lasted two and a half hours.

Other matters discussed were the monthly payroll, a foreshore lease, two bylaws, the fire chief's monthly report, the pending appeal of the famous injunction case, the proposed amendments to the municipal clauses act.

The council convened at 8 o'clock, with Mayor Gillett in the chair, and Aldermen Hume, Irving, Annable, Rose, Selous and Kirkpatrick present. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

J. G. Billings addressed the council, by permission, on the subject of the Yale-Columbia Lumber Co.'s request for a lease of the foreshore, and permission to fill in.

Alderman Hume, chairman of the board of works, explained that the land in question could at present be of no value to anyone else. It lies between the C. P. R. right of way and the land now in use by the company, about two and a half acres.

On motion of Alderman Kirkpatrick and Alderman Irving the lease asked for was granted, to expire December 31, 1910, at a rental of $12 per year.

The finance committee reported recommending a construction payroll of $469.65, which was passed.

W. Ebbs then addressed the council on the subject of the transfer of land acquired by the city for pesthouse purposes, only part of which is required. The mayor was instructed to have a plan of the land in question prepared for the next meeting.

Chief Deasy reported two fires for November, with a loss of $10, and the usual inspections and drills. He reported that there were no horses in Nelson available for fire use. A request from the Firemen's Relief association was referred to the fire, water and light committee.

A letter from J. A. Forin called attention to the dangerous condition of Baker street created by the excavation of a bear pit.

The complaint was referred to the mayor with power to act.

A request from A. Allen for a fortnight's leave was granted, from December 22, Mr. Allan to provide a substitute.

P. Burns & Co. asked for definite assurance of electric power from December 21, or for permission to make other arrangements.

The mayor remarked that the was convinced that the plant would be in operation by Dec. 21. He was told just before coming to the meeting by telephone from the city engineer that only connecting work remains, the hydraulic machinery being all in place and concreted.

There was a question whether the new machinery would be running smoothly enough by that date to carry a full load; but, if necessary ,the tramway service could be interrupted for a few days.

Another engineer of the Allis-Chalmers-Bullock company is en route to assist H. C. Bullis in completing the electric installation.

The matter was left to the mayor and the city solicitor.

The communication from the League of Municipalities, laid on the table at the last meeting, was then taken up.

Alderman Annable—This league proposes to draft a new Municipal Clauses Act?

The mayor—Yes; and suggestions are asked from all councils, whether they belong to the union or not.

Alderman Kirkpatrick—Do we belong to the union?

The mayor—Yes.

Alderman Annable—Who has authority to order a strike?

The whole matter was left to the mayor.

Alderman Selous then moved the first reading by title of Bylaw 173, amending the Fire bylaw. It was also read a second time by title. Bylaw 174, Fire Prevention bylaw, was also read twice by title.

Bylaw 173, amending Bylaw 74, was then taken up in commtitee. It provides for the removal, at the owner's expense, of dangerous buildings. Bylaw 174 forbids false alarms and obstruction of firemen, gives right of way to the fire brigade, forbids leaving or depositing inflammable material, or placing ashes in wooden receptacles nor within 10 feet of a building, unless contained in noncombustible receptacles, forbids use of unprotected lights in buildings containing inflammable material, unobstructed aisles in and exits from all places of assembly, with a minimum of three feet for central aisles and two feet for side aisles, and forbids bonfires.

The two bylaws were then reported and received their third readings. The final notices were given by Alderman Selous.

At Alderman Hume's request permission was given for the laying of a pipe under the lake to the north shore and the use of city water.

City cheques were ordered to be paid December 24.

The council then adjourned to December 24.

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NOTICE

"Hatton" mineral claim, situated in the Nelson Mining Division of West Kootenay district.

Where located:—On Toad mountain.

Take Notice that I, John McLatchie acting as agent for George A. Campbell, Free Miner's Certificate No. 57077, 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 17th day of November, 1906.

JOHN McLATCHIE.

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 26th October, 1906. BRUCE WHITE

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YMIR LICENSE DISTRICT.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of License Commissioners, to be held in the Chief Constable's office, Nelson, on the 15th December, 1906, I intend to apply for a transfer of my license for the Grove Hotel, Fairview, Nelson, to C F. Walmsley.

Dated 15th Nov., 1906. J W CROW,
per WM. GOSNELL, Attorney.

YMIR LICENSE DISTRICT.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of License Commissioners, to be held in Chief Constable's office, at Nelson, on 15th December, 1906, I intend to apply for a transfer of my hotel license for the Palace hotel, at Ymir, to Archibald & Davis

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LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL

The public school staff is At Home to a few select friends this afternoon.

W. S. Pearcy will spend the Christmas holidays with old friends in Toronto.

A meeting of the member sof No. 2 Company, R. M. R., is called for tomorrow night at 8:30 in the armoury.

J. A. Parry leaves tomorrow morning for the old country. He will sail from New York on the Baltic, December 19.

The municipal voters' list for 1901 will be shorter than for several years past, owing to a very light registration of householders.

There will be a special practice of St. Saviour's choir, in preparation for the Christmas services, in the parish hall this evening at 8 o'clock.

F. McL. Forin will leave in a few days for the East, where he will spend the winter. Mr. Forin will come West in the spring and locate at Prince Rupert.

W. J. Toye and wife will leave for the East tomorrow morning. Mr. Toye will spend Christmas in Montreal and Mrs. Toye will visit relatives in Minnesota.

The new grate has not yet arrived for the public school furnace, but temporary repairs have been found sufficient for mild weather requirements and all classes have been in session this week.

The members of Kootenay lodge No. 16, I. O. O. F., were At Home to their friends last night. About 60 couples were present and enjoyed cards, music, refreshments and dancing until the morning.

The Canadian Pacific Railway company announce the usual fare and one-third Christmas and New Year return rates from and to all local points on Western lines. Tickets will be placed on sale December 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 28, 29, 30, 31 and January 1, good returning until January 3.

Two companion pictures entitled "Starkey at Bat" are on exhibition in the window of the secretary of the Agricultural society. They depict an exciting incident of the cricket match between Nelson and Portland in Victoria last August. They are executed by a local artist in a manner worthy of the subject.

The meeting of the executive committee of the 20,000 club will be held this evening at 8:30 in the secretary's office instead of the board of trade rooms. On the occasion of the last several meetings the board rooms have been neither heated nor ventilated. The advertising committee, it is understood, will present a report of progress with the preparations for enlarging the folders. The entertainment committee has nothing new to report.

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