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IER'S VISIT

McBride at Work in London

RITISH COLUMBIA

With Authorities at Col-ffice—Dominion Peti- Also Presented.

that Hon. Richard McBride, British Columbia, has been n presenting the case of this r special financial considera- hands of the federal govern- e the Imperial authorities, with extreme gratification ers. It appears to be the gen- that, having accomplished pponents of the present ad- insisted was impossible, obtaining of a hearing by government, a more satis- is of settlement than that those in power at Ottawa ached. This, as has been viously, was the granting of r 10 years. Even if the de- British Columbia, or rather tion which may be submitted resentative of this section of be not accepted confidence is that the officials of the col- will recognize the justice m of this province for more consideration. Should this come of the conferences re- be in progress it is thought understanding satisfactory to concerned will be attained.

r the result of Premier Mc- ssion the concensus of opin- t already he has achieved a He has carried British Col- se for Better Terms, literal- "foot of the Throne." This, d, marks an epoch in Canad- y. Pioneer residents will re- he trip made by Judge Wal- e old country for the purpose ewing the authorities relative ms upon which this province onfederation. On that occasion ed a hearing. But it is ex- hat the circumstances of his ere not at all similar to those esent plea for more adequate consideration. Then this prov- just entered Confederation; he business of Judge Walkem Imperial government might be o be, at least, indirectly identi- the negotiations consequent entering of British Columbia Canadian Confederation.

r McBride left here practic- h no credentials other than ovided by the provincial gov- He went in behalf of the That he has succeeded in ob- official recognition is accepted important point gained by Brit- mbia.

eception of the premier in Lon- accepted, by those who keep in th public affairs, as establishing rtant precedent. It is construed ate that, when the people of a r province or any self-govern- ion of a British colony have a claim, a difficulty which annot have righted through roper channel, it is within power to appeal to the l executive. That is what n done by the members of the ial government through their y Premier McBride, and the re- that the latter has been cordially d and every opportunity given presenting his case before the court in the land.

e can be no doubt whatever that emier was well received. That is d for, not only by the despatch was published in these columns ay, but by the contents of a com- ation received by acting Premier . It was written by Hon. Mr. Mc- about a fortnight ago and states e has been cordially welcomed ndered every possible courtesy by ficials of the colonial office. He ad interviews with Lord Elgin, on Churchill and Sir Francis Hop- on which occasions British Col- s claim for Better Terms has outlined. In addition he has fully sed the situation very fully with ilfrid Laurier, premier of the Do- n of Canada.

mier McBride has been exceeding- ve since his arrival at the world's polis. Having done all within his the result is now awaited with confidence. The misunderstanding between the administration of British Columbia and the Dominion government in regard to financial subsidies has been laid before the Imperial council in detail.

The premier is expected home during the latter part of June.—Victoria Colonist.

GREAT PROFUSION.

American Ambassador and Mrs. Reid Entertain Royalty.

London, May 25.—The third of a series of elaborate entertainments which have marked the London season, was given at Dorchester House last night, when Ambassador and Mrs. Ried entertained at dinner the Duke and Duchess of Connaught, accompanied by Prince Arthur and Princess Patricia of Connaught. Ambassador and Mrs. Reid had a very distinguished company to meet their royal guests. Dorchester House was beautifully decorated, flowers being used in the greatest profusion. Around the marble pillars in the hallways were grouped plants of every variety, while the staircases and reception rooms were tastefully decorated with pink roses and hydrangias. After dinner there was a small dance, and to this there came in many other guests, including Prince and Princess Christian of Denmark and their daughter, Princess Victoria. During the evening supper was served at small tables set out under a large marquee which had been erected over the terraces.

WEEK'S MINING RECORD

New Developments Promised in Boundary District—Quotations on Stock Markets.

The only definite word of mining development during the week has come fro mthe Boundary district, where several important deals have been concluded, and immediate development work assured.

The stock market for the past week was steady, with prices firm. There seemed to be a revival of business both in Spokane and on Eastern exchanges, British Columbia and Alberta stocks being very active on such markets.

The feature of the weeks tradings was the rapid advance and unprecedented demand for International Coal. These shares advanced from 5 to 6 cents during the week, and showed every indication of going still higher before any reaction sets in. No reason can be given for this flurry other than the intention of increasing the par value of the stock to $100 per share, and placing the same on the Montreal and Toronto exchanges, thereby making a much larger market for the stock.

Rambler-Cariboo had another flurry during one day's trading but sagged again with but few trades effected. Consolidated Smelters were uninteresting and almost unchanged. Giant of Rossland is in demand at higher prices owing to the purchase of this property by Spokane parties and its amalgamation with the California. Western Oil Consolidated reacted slightly and was offered more freely and at lower figures than for some weeks. Alberta Coal and Breckenridge-Lund Coal strengthened slightly but did not sell to any great extent.

Following are the approximate quotations for the week ending today:

	Bid.	Asked.
Alberta C. & C. ....$	.30	$ .30
American Boy	...	.01¾
B. C. Copper	8.00	8.25
Breck.-Lund Coal ...	.57	.60
California	...	.06½
Con. Smelters	108.00	135.00
Cariboo-McKinney ...	.02½	.03
Diamond Vale Coal ..	...	.25
Dominon Copper	5.87½	6.00
Denora Mines	.07½	...
Furnace Creek	1.25	1.60
Granby	125.00	160.00
Giant	.02½	.04
International Coal ..	.69	.70
Lt Plata Mines	...	.17
Nicola Coal Mines ..	.05	.06
Rambler Cariboo	.33	.34½
Sullivan	.08	.09
Stewart	1.87½	2.00
Snowstorm	2.96	2.97
White Bear	.05	.06
Western Oil Con.	'1.75	2.00

Extra Force Laid Off.

New York, May 23.—Officials of the New York Central railroad say that the usual spring orders for laying off employees taken on during the heavy winter business have gone into effect on the road, but that there is no intention to reduce the wages of the men retained.

Popular in Japan.

Tokio, May 23.—The resignation of General Luke Wright, the American ambassador to Japan, is widely deplored and the Asahi will tomorrow refer editorially to public feeling in the matter, expressing deep regret at his short tenure in office.

CONDEMN ENTENTE

British Socialists Enter Protest

ENDORSE REVOLUTION

Democratic Congress Welcomed to London—Inflammatory Speeches by Many Delegates.

London, May 25.—The Social Democrats of Great Britain last night welcomed their Russian comrades who have come to London for the purpose of holding a congress free from official interference at the Holborn town hall. The surging crowds inside and outside the building soon resolved themselves into a great demonstration against the Anglo-Russian entente, and nearly all the delegates spoke in opposition to an entente between the two governments, and in favor of an understanding between the two people against the common foe, despotism and repression.

The meeting was a remarkable display of the international solidarity of the Social Democrats. Henry Meyers Hynman, the most prominent of the English Socialists, delievered an address in which he declared that the English Socialists were heart and soul with their Russian comrades and wished them complete victory against their "infernal" enemies.

One of the Russian delegates, M. Mishkovisky, make the speech of the evening. He appealed to the British Socialists to start an agitation against the attempt that Sir Edward Grey, the foreign secretary, is now making to bring about an entente between Russia and Great Britain which would enable British capital to further oppress the people of Russia.

"By the help of your good Socialists," said Mishkovisky, "you will be able to force your government to refuse to Russia the gold with which to crush what is the beginning of the Socialist revolution of the world."

German, Polish, Lettish and Italian delegates spoke in the same strain. The speeches were punctuated by the singing of revolutionary hymns. The actual work of the Russian Social Democratic congress is proceeding slowly and the sessions are likely to last for another week.

WAGES IN BOUNDARY.

Hotel Rates May Force New Increase—Chinese Want More.

Grand Forks, May 24.—The labor difficulties in Southern British Columbia are not confined to the white laborers alone. A well-known Chinese contractor has informed your correspondent that he has been paying his Chinese woodchoppers $2.50 a day and they now have demanded $3 per day. He further added that a couple of years ago there was no trouble to secure any number of Chinese Laborers who would work contentedly, but now great difficulty is experienced in securing their services at any price.

Following the report that the smelter employees were likely to be granted an increase in their wages to $3 per day for eight hours' work comes the report today that the local hotel men are very seriously considering the advisability of raising the price of board some 10 per cent. The hotel men claim that owing to the high prices of provisions this small increase is justifiable. It is not as yet known what action the smelter employees will take if the proposed action of the hotel men materializs but they will undoubtedly take some action to counteract the increase in the prices of board.

Word has reached here this morning from Camp McKinley which confirms the report that several of the high-grade properties of that camp are about to amalgamate and arrangements are being made to start operations again at the Cariboo and other mines, which are expected to be operating their stamps again with renewed activity in the immediate future.

Pass Creek camp is coming prominently to the front this spring; already several important claims are being opened up and within the next month fully half a dozen big copper properties will be working good crews of miners. Pass Creek camp is 15 miles from Grand Forks up the North Fork river.

Off for the Falls.

Boston, May 25.—Following two days and nights of sight-seeing, entertainment and visits to spots of historic and educational interest, Baron General Kuroki, the Japanese military leader bade a farewell to Boston today. The general's last public appearance here was at the Victoria Day dinner of the Victorian Club last night. He retired from the dinner early and returned to his hotel to obtain a good night's rest in preparation for his journey to Niagara Falls. The general and his suite had chairs reserved for them on the train leaving Boston at 12:40 for Niagara Falls by way of Albany over the Boston & Albany division of the New York Central railroad.

NONE TO ENJOY.

Only Heir to Big English Estate is in Insane Hospital.

New York, May 25.—A despatch from Washington says: Arthur Delroy, an English barrister, who recently came to the United States to search for heirs to the famous Degolia estates in England, will soon return to report that his search has been in vain. As a result the bulk of the $6,000,000 Degolia fortune will probably revert to the British crown.

Mr. Delroy's mission to America disclosed that John Cook, a nephew of Mr. Degolia died in the government hospital for the insane here in 1900. His only living relative is his sister, Sarah Cook ,an inmate of the Norfolk, Va., hospital for the insane, who is unable to enjoy any of the vast wealth during her life. A sufficient sum will be turned over to the hospital authorities for her support. John Cook's father came from England to this country many years ago, settled in Petersburg, Pa., and rapidly built up a large jewelry business. He suddenly committed suicide and his daughter Sarah became insane.

John Cook once had charge of the water works in Petersburg, but came to Washington six or seven years ago, and soon gave evidence of a rapidly weakening mind. He was finally arrested for vagrancy and sent to the insane hospital, where he died.

C. N. R. Plans.

Toronto, May 25.—It was stated yesterday that the Canadian Northern Railway company was planning to build an extension of their road in the West as far as Calgary. The main line runs from Winnipeg to Edmonton, and at the present time has no connection with Calgary. The proposal to build to that place has been under consideration for some time. It will not be possible, of course, to undertake the work this year.

A telegram was received yesterday at the central offices here from Mr. D. B. Hanna, the third vice president and acting manager of the road. He has now arrived at Winnipeg on his way back from Edmonton. He intends to return slowly, thoroughly inspecting each division while on the shrdlu shrdl each division of the road while on the way.

EVIDENCE IS DAMAGING

Becker Suspected of Murder of Amelia Staffeldt—Disposed of Blood-Stained Clothing.

New York, May 25.—Further damaging evidence has been found against Henry Becker, the suspect held for the murder of Amelia Staffeldt to Elmhurst, L. I., Wednesday, according to the police today, following the dramatic confession of Becker beside the coffin of the girl victim in which he said that he saw the murder committed and declared that it was done by a man in whose company he was, but whose name he did not know.

The police report that they found in a Chinese laundry at Elmhurst a shirt which Becker had taken there after the murder. The shirt had two large spots on it which looked as though they were blood stains. The shirt was obtained by means of a laundry ticket that was found in Becker's pocket. The discovery of the garment with its suspicious spots is considered significant in view of Becker's statement that he had nothing to do with the murder excepting that he stood by as a witness.

The police argue that the stains are of blood and could not have been made unless Becker stood closer to the victim of the crime than he admits. Another link in the chain of incriminating evidence is a small hankerchief which Becker had in his possession. In one corner there is embroidered the initial "S," the handkerchief that was missed on Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Simonson shortly after the disappearance of Becker and his companion, who had cleansed their hands at her pump. There are several small spots upon the handchief and the dectictives say they are blood stains. They will be analyzed by a chemist. Mrs. Simonson has identified the handkerchief as that of her son. The police have secured a minute description of Becker's companion and have every confidence they will have him in custody within 24 hours.

GROWING BURDEN

Canada's Taxes Doubled Since 1896

SOURCE OF SURPLUSES

Fielding's Financial Fallacies Are Exposed—London Conspiracy Trial Deferred.

Ottawa, May 25.—Trade returns made up to the 10th March and sent out by the department of trade and commerce show that the customs taxes collected during the previous twelve months were $53,006,545. In the previous year the amount was $45,129,089, which shows an increase of nearly eight million dollars in the year. In the last year of Conservative rule it was $19,833,279, and that was about the average of the previous five years. Mr. Foster had collected as high as $24,000,000 in one year during his term of office, but when the taxes reached that amount he straightway reduced the duties and brought down the receipts. The present government has more than doubled the customs taxation in the last eight years, and last session made the tariff a grade higher.

The minister of customs contends that taxation has not been increased, because the percentage of duty on the total imports is not greater than ten years ago. As a matter of fact there has been no reduction even in the percentage, if account is taken of taxation transferred from customs to excise, and of corn formerly re-shipped in bond but now valued as an import. But the real burden of taxation is not the precentage paid on the cost of the goods. It is the actual sum taken out of the people through the custom house. Mr. Fielding does not pretend to collect the revenue without the people paying it. He has found no outside paymasters who were not there before the change of government. As a general rule the customs duty is added to the cost of the goods, and the customer pays not only the tax itself but the merchant's profit on the tax. Where there is competition between home and foreign producers in manufactured goods the price may not be increased by the full amount of the duty. But the condition has not changed in this respect in the past ten years. So if the customs revenue per head has increased by about 100 per cent., as it has, the burden of taxation has doubled.

There is one obvious fallacy in the claim that taxation is not increased when the percentage of duty on the value is the same. That argument takes no account of higher prices. A large part of the gain reported in Canadian imports is not an increase in quantities. Prices are higher and the same quantity imported represents much greater value. The importer may have to pay $150 for the same supplies that he bought ten or twelve years ago for $100. If the duty is 25 per cent. he pays in taxes $37.50 when he formerly paid $25. The minister of customs would say that taxation has not increased. As a matter of fact the consumer is bearing a treble burden, paying not only the extra cost of the goods but the extra taxation on the extra cost and the extra profit on both. A large part of Mr. Fielding's growing revenue is obtained in that way.

When the postponement of the London election conspiracy trial is alleged to be due to the difficulty of getting Mr. Preston's testimony, the real circumstance seems to be that Mr. Preston has kept out of the way in order to postpone further exposures. Mr. Preston has had no public duties which kept him away. He was not wanted in England because he has been removed from the London office. The department has undone much of Mr. Preston's work. It cancelled his North Atlantic contract. It re-appointed Mr. Just, whom he dismissed from the immigration office after Just had written to the department showing how the Arundel printing job was given out at three times the right price. It has shown confidence in Mr. Jury, who accused Mr. Preston of corrupt practices in office and declared that he could not be believed on oath. But instead of bringing Mr. Preston home and ordering him to tell the truth about the ballot switching operations described by the witness Pritchett, the government appointed him at increased salary on the pretended mission to Japan.

Mr. Preston did not go to Japan but to South Africa. He did nothing there so far as can be learned except advertise Rhodesia at the expense of Canada. Some sort of trumped up mission to Australia was next devised, but the whole thing appears to be a scheme to keep Preston away without giving him any responsible duties. Now the "Hug-the-Machine" character is on the way to Hong Kong. The one thing which Mr. Preston could do for the public benefit was to lend his efforts to clear up that Augean stable at home. This is the only thing he has avoided doing, and his name is now used as an excuse to prevent the performance of that wholesome duty by anyone else.

Mutual's New President.

New York, May 25.—George W. Harper, who for nearly 10 years has been treasurer of the Mutual Life Insurance company, has been elected president of that company. He takes the place of George D. Eldridge, resigned. Mr. Harper was also elected a member of the board of directors.

Mr. Chamberlain Improved.

St. Raphael, France, May 25.—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Chamberlain, who have been touring here for some time past, are returning to England in a few days. Mr. Chamberlain is much improved in health, but it is probable that considerable time must elapse before he will be able to re-enter public life.

CONSERVATIVES GAINING

Tide in Britain Already Turning—Exemplary Punishment for Socialist Grafters.

London, May 25.—The week has brought some signs of exasperation from the leaders of the government as fresh causes of embarrassment and weakness appeared. The colonial conference, which began with invitations to a closer union and co-operation, ended with protests. Then came the sharpest popular rebuke ever flung in the face of a British government by an outraged, disgusted public. The Wimbledon majority indicated a complete revulsion of English public sentiment in the past eighteen months. The Radical organs attempt to argue that it is only an impression of British overwhelming opposition to woman suffrage, but this is childish evasion of the larger significance of the vote. It was said more than six months ago in these despatches that Great Britain would turn out the Campbell-Bannerman government if it got a chance. No sane observer any longer doubts this, but this does not tell half the story. A general election would now result in a Unionist landslide almost as great as the Liberal vote in 1906.

An object lesson in the enforcement of the laws for purity in civic administration which has just been given in the English courts may be studied with interest. Nine members of the Socialist board controlling West Ham, one of the poorer districts of Greater London, received examplary sentences at hard labor for the trifling offence of receiving graft from employers, etc. It was freely admitted during the great campaign in March, which resulted in the defeat of the Socialist party which had been ruining London with municipal ownership schemes, that the members of the council were personally honest and that their failure was due to the intrinsic impracticability of their theories. It has been in the lower grades of the public service that the introduction of Socialist control has brought the inevitable sequel of corruption. The Socialists have controlled West Ham for years, and for a long time their representatives on the Board of Guardians have been ruthlessly plundering the public purse. English justice is swift and inexorable when a crime is once discovered and the evidence of guilt is available. So it has been in the present case. The leaders get two years at hard labor, which is an apalling sentence. Hard labor in the English penal system is a terrific form of punishment. It means the limit of human endurance. Criminals prefer 10 years' penal servitude where life is at least endurable. This is so well known that the effect of these exemplary sentences upon English public officials will certainly tend to keep grafting out of public life for many days to come.

Prices of Metals.

New York, May 25.—Silver, 67c.; copper, 23¾c.; lead, $6.

London, May 25.—Silver, 30£d.; lead (Friday), £20, 1s., 3d.

Attell Won.

Los Angeles, May 25.—Abe Attell last night got the decision over Kid Solomon at the end of the 20th round of fighting

NELSON'S VICTORY

Revival of the Old Time Lacrosse

DEFEAT ALBERTA TEAM

Home Players Win by 5 Goals to 1—Visitors Put Up Good Game—Fine Contest.

Nelson won a decisive victory over Medicine Hat today in the best game of senior lacrosse seen here for many years. Lack of team practice was evident on both sides, but there is splendid material

The general verdict of old lacrosse enthusiasts is that if Nelson can keep its present team together for the season it may challenge the best.

The stars of the home team DeBeck, Scotty Williamson, Joe Thompson and McQueen.

The game began punctually at 3:30, with C. D. Blackwood referee. The stand and terrace were filled, many business men havin gsuspended operations for an hour to view the match.

The lineup was as follows:

NELSON	MEDICINE HAT
Goal	
Greyerbiehl	J. Peard
Point	
A. Jeffs	Hatcher
Cover.	
Deacon	W.Peard
Defence Field	
Williamson	Preston
Steel	Ritchie
McQueen	Taylor
Centre	
Thompson	Ripley
Home Field	
R. Bell	J. Halward
Bishop	Neff
Jamison	Winkler
Outside Home	
Burns	J. Halward
Inside Home	
De Beck	Gatenby

Referee—C. D. Blackwood.

Goal umpires—Skeith and McQuarrie.

Nelson rushed from the start, and after a couple of brilliant reliefs by Williamson and Deacon, who fed their home faithfully, DeBeck scored for Nelson, time 4 minutes.

The remained of the quarter was full of incident, with occasional wild passing, and the missing by Nelson of several good chances. Towards the close Nelson's goal was often threatened, but Williamson, Deacon and Jeffs were always there.

The second quarter began with the visitors aggressive. They stormed round Nelson's goal, and after 5 minutes of hot play J. Halward evened the score.

The home team then braced up again and their assault was too steady and vigorous to be long withstood. Archie Bishop scored in 6 minues, and Burns about a minute later. The rest of the quarter saw some pretty play but no more scoring.

The third quarter saw some hard playing, and several long delays for repairs to injured players. Medicine Hat carried the ball down the field many times only to lose it in front of goal. When Nelson relieved it was invariably followed by a vigorous and persistent attack on the visitor's goal. After 10 minutes of hard playing with varied fortunes, Jamison scored again for Nelson, and his good example was follwed a minute later by De Beck. The third quarter ended with the score 5-1 in fafor of Nelson.

The last quarter had just begun when J. Halward had to retire and Steel went off to even the sides. The game became slow for a minute, bnt was soon enlivened by vigorous assault by Nelson which just missed scoring. The game ended with no more goals.

Nelson Boy Injured.

David Nickerson, son of J. H. Nickerson, the jeweler, met with a serious accident at Grand Forks yesterday. The young man is a telegraph operator, and it is part of his duty to deliver orders to the conductors. Yesterday, while in the performance of his duties, he slipped in getting on the train and a wheel passed over his foot. He was picked up at once and carried to the general hospital. The doctor in attendance decided to amputate the foot at the instep. The operation was a painful one but the patient was resting easily this morning. His brother, Drury Nickerson, of the Bank of Montreal, left for Grand Forks this afternoon on the freight train and will remain in Grand Forks for a few days. David Nickerson is well known in Nelson. He was a fine young man and his many friends will sympathize with him in his severe loss.

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THE PREMIER IN LONDON.

The Victoria Colonist has received a despatch from London containing the report of several interviews between Hon. R. M. McBride, premier of British Columbia, and the authorities of the British Colonial Office.

Our local contemporary is moved thereby to some remarks, which are so peculiar that we quote some of them for the sake of analysis:

"The Colonial Office would not dream of attempting to interfere in any way between the Dominion and this province in a matter affecting the financial relations of the two provinces, unless it could be shown that the Dominion had not lived up to the terms of confederation, and this has never been so much as hinted at."

First let us concede as much as possible. The last statement may or may not be true. Prine Edward Island does protest that the bargain she made on entering Confederation has not been faithfully kept. British Columbia, however, has made no such complaint, and possibly that is all our contemporary means.

But, assuming that our first guess at his meaning is correct, our contemporary is still painfully obscure. He says: "—between the Dominion and this province in a matter affecting the financial relations of the two provinces—"

What two provinces? Can he mean Canada and British Columbia? If not, we give it up.

Might we suggest in passing that a little knowledge of the constitutional history of Canada would be useful to the editor of any Canadian newspaper? And also that to any writer on any subject familiarity with that subject will prove of some service.

We do not accuse our contemporary of wilfully trying to misrepresent the facts, but that would be the only possible effect of the article, if it were not precluded by obscurity of thought and language from having any effect at all.

No one except our contemporary has yet suggested that the Colonial Office has any jurisdiction in the matter. The British North America Act, which is the constitution of Canada, was passed by, and can be amended only by, the British parliament.

No one imagines that the British parliament would amend our constitution on its own initiative, or at the request of any one, or any two provinces.

The only question at issue is: "Will the British parliament amend Canada's constitution which fixes the financial relations between the Dominion and each province, at any request which is not unanimous?"

Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick are the charter members of Confederation. The new provinces, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, have been born since Confederation and simply absorbed.

But British Columbia and Prince Edward Island existed before Confederation and were, as far as Canada is concerned, as independent as Newfoundland is now.

These two provinces entered Confederation as a result, in each case, of a special compact.

Prince Edward Island complains that the compact made with her has been violated to her prejudice by the Dominion. That, however, does not specially concern British Columbia.

This province has not complained of any breach of contract by the Dominion. British Columbia made a bad bargain but admits that the bargain has not been directly broken.

Premier McBride has not gone to London to ask the British parliament to amend the British North America Act. That would undoubtedly be a vain mission.

But the parliament of Canada, at the instance of some of the four original partners, especially of Quebec, is petitioning, through Sir Wilfrid Laurier, for an amendment to the financial clauses.

Now, in the cases of Prince Edward Island and British Columbia, there are Confederation contracts. If one party to a contract asks for a change in its terms surely the other party has a right to be heard. That, and that alone, is the explanation of Premier McBride's presence in London and his conferences at the Colonial Office.

The rest of our contemporary's article requires little notice. There is the stale and untruthful suggestion that Premier McBride was responsible for the question's having become a party issue. It does not, however, repeat the silly statement that R. E. Gosnell was taken to Ottawa for the purpose of sending back partisan reports. No one has forgotten that before the premier reached Ottawa on his last mission the Liberal papers of British Columbia had foretold his failure. It was never intended that a Conservative premier of this province should succeed in gaining any concession at Ottawa.

NELSON'S TAXATION.

Some amusement was created in Nelson yesterday by an article in our contemporary on the municipal finances of Edmonton, with its high assessment and low rate of taxation.

There was the inevitable, though perhaps quite unconscious, suggestion of Nelson's distinct disadvantages in the matter.

Assessment and rate of taxation are matters susceptible of easy adjustment.

There are several citizens of Nelson who are quite familiar with the custom in such matters of many of the North West towns including Edmonton. To them we are indebted for the explanation that in Edmonton assessed values are at least as high as market values and that land and improvements are taxed at the same rule.

Presumably everyone in Nelson knows that here the assessed values are generally considerably below market values, and that improvements are not taxed at all. Nelson's comparatively high rate is entirely due to the exemption of improvements, and the low assessment.

The exemption of improvements is an encouragement to owners of property to improve it, amounts almost to a bonus on building. The low assessment does not matter one way or the other. It is immaterial to a property owner whether he pays a 20-mill rate on a $10,000 assessment or a 10-mill rate on $20,000. But the exemption of improvements from taxation is a valuable stimulus to enterprise.

This is one of the advantages offered by Nelson which has so far escaped the notice of the 10,000 Club. We might suggest that the compilation of a few figures on comparative assessment, taxation and exemption, would show results greatly to the advantage of Nelson.

The Daily Canadian's devotion to the interests of the city will not provoke it into a campaign of abuse of every corporation with which citizens have to deal, but it is sufficiently strong to save us from making, or even reprinting eulogies on other cities which suggest invidious comparisons with our own that will not bear analysis.

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Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, to purchase 320 acres of land located on the west side of Arrow lake and lying directly north of Lot 7978: Commencing at a post planted at the N. E. corner of Lot 7978 and marked "B. B. S. E. corner," and running north 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence west 20 chains thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains to point of beginning.

April 23rd, 1907. BERTHA BRADLEY,
J. E. ANNABLE, Agent.

I, the undersigned, intend after 60 days to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post marked T. M. Sharp's S. E. C., located on the west shore of Hoeum lake, about twelve miles from the head of Hoeum lake, thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south along shore of Hoeum lake to point of commencement.

Located May 6th. T. M. SHARP.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 80 acres of land located about 3 miles southeast of Burton: Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of Lot 8081, and marked G. A. Hunter's southeast corner, thence north 40 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 20 chains to place of beginning.

Located April 20th, 1907. G. A. HUNTER,
per A. KEELER, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 7966, and marked "H. E. S. W. corner post," thence following the eastern boundary of said application 80 chains south, thence running 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north to the southern boundary of A. W. Easlington's application to purchase, thence 80 chains west along same to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated 2nd day of May, 1907. (Signed) E. SMITH,
per F. G. FATQUHER, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post planted on the south shore of Kootenay lake, and adjoining C. P. R. block No. 16, and marked "Tom Gordon's north west corner post," thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 20 chains, more or less, to Lake Shore, thence west 40 chains to point of commencement.

Dated this 8th of April, 1907. TOM GORDON.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, B. C., to purchase 40 acres of land: Commencing at a post planted at the City of Nelson's S. E. corner post, on Kootenay river, thence 20 chains south, thence west 20 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence east 20 chains to point of commencement.

Nelson, B. C., April 24, 1907. E. J. CURRAN.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands in Kootenay district: Commencing at a post marked Bruce Walker's N. W. corner post, situated at the northeast corner of P. R. 30 about a mile east of Slocan river, thence south 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 60 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 60 chains to point of commencement, containing 440 acres, more or less.

Located March 26th, 1907. BRUCE WALKER.

I, the undersigned, after 60 days intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following land: Commencing at a post marked S. E. C. of Lot 8288, thence west 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

Located March 27th, 1907. M. S. MCKAYHEY,
N. F. MCKAYHEY, Agent.

I, the undersigned, after 60 days intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post marked S. E. C., situate at the mouth of Cove creek on the west shore of Slocan lake, thence west 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

Located March 27th, 1907. N. F. MCKAYHEY.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 160 acres of land: Commencing at a post planted on the west side of 6-Mile creek on the wagon road about 20 miles from Kootenay lake, and marked Neil McKenzie's southwest corner post, thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 40 chains to place of beginning.

Located this 23rd day of April, 1907.
NEIL MCKENZIE,
R. J. SPROTT, Agent.

Sixty days after date I purpose making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post placed at the southeast corner of F. W. G. Hastings's application to purchase, marked "E. F'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 this 8th day of April, 1907.
F. W. G. HASTINGS,
per F. G. FATQUHER, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of F. W. G. Hastings's application to purchase, marked "E. F'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 this 8th day of April, 1907.
(Signed) E. FRENCH,
per F. G. FATQUHER, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted at the north west corner of 306 6848 G and marked "F. McC's S. E. corner post," 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 this 8th day of May, 1907.
(Signed) PETER MCCULLOCH,
per D. A. MCCULLOCH, Agent.

Sixty days after date I purpose making application to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted on the west shore of Lower Whatshan lake, about a ¼ mile from the outlet of same, and marked "H. W's. S.E. corner post," running thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated the 2nd day of May, 1907.
(Signed) H. WARREN,
per F. G. FATQUHER, 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 planted at the northeast corner of S. C. Skinner's application to purchase marked "H. E's. S. W. corner post" thence following the eastern boundary of said application 80 chains south, thence running 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north to the southern boundary of A. W. Easlington's application to purchase, thence 80 chains west along same to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated 2nd day of May, 1907.
(Signed) E. SMITH,
per F. G. FATQUHER, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted at the north west corner of 306 6848 G and marked "F. McC's S. E. corner post," 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 this 8th day of May, 1907.
(Signed) PETER MCCULLOCH,
per D. A. MCCULLOCH, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted on the west shore of Lower Whatshan lake, about a ¼ mile from the outlet of same, and marked "H. W's. S.E. corner post," running thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated the 2nd day of May, 1907.
(Signed) H. WARREN,
per F. G. FATQUHER, Agent.

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

Signed J. MCKINNON.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, for permission to purchase 160 acres or less situated in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post planted midway on the north boundary of Lot 9611 and adjoining S. W. corner of Lot 8856, thence north 20 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence east 20 chains to point of commencement.

Located March 20th, 1907. T. J. SCANLAN.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the east side of Lemon Creek at the mouth of the first north fork and marked "R. Cooper's southeast corner," running 80 chains west, north 40 chains, east 80 chains, and south 40 chains to place of commencement.

Dated March 20th, 1907. R. COOPER,
J. T. TUPPER, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post marked "L. A. Tupper's southwest corner post" and planted near H. D. Curtis's land, about half mile from Slocan City, running north 40 chains, east 20 chains, south 40 chains, west 20 chains to place of commencement.

Dated March 16th, 1907. L. A. TUPPER,
J. T. TUPPER, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted near the S. W. corner of John Bailey's pre-emption, thence 80 chains south, thence 40 chains west, thence north 80 chains, thence east 40 chains to place of beginning.

RICHARD KEEVE, Locator.
J. J. KELLY, 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, or Victoria for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of lot 206, group 1, thence south 20 chains, thence east 60 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence west 60 chains to point of commencement, containing 120 acres, more or less.

Nelson, March 27th, 1907. ANNIE L. WAIR,
P. WAIR, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post marked W. H's S. W. corner post, thence 20 chains west of the southwest corner of Lot 3611, about one mile west of Slocan river, and running east 40 chains to Lot 386, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains to place of beginning.

March 9th, 1907. MILDA HATCH,
PATT HATCH, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, B. C., to purchase 320 acres of land situate in Fire Valley, West Kootenay, and described as follows: Commencing at the northeast corner of Lot 7831, and running north 80 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 20 chains to place of beginning.

March 4th, 1907. W. W. BRADLEY,
J. E. ANNABLE, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 320 acres of land in Fire Valley, West Kootenay district, and described as follows: Commencing at a post marked J. F's S. E. corner, and running north 80 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 40 chains to place of beginning, and being the west one-half of the S. E. one-quarter and the east one-half of the S. W. one-quarter and the west one-half of the S. E. one-quarter, and the east one-half of the S. W. one-quarter of Section 36, Township 71, G. 1.

March 8th, 1907. JOHN ERVINE.

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Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, for permission to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post planted on the west side of Slocan lake and about two miles north of Evans creek, and marked G. A. G's southeast corner post, thence north following shore of lake 100 chains, thence west 60 chains, thence south 100 chains, thence east 60 chains to point of commencement, 600 acres more or less.

Located April 20, 1907.
GEO. B. GARRETT, Locator.
WM. GARRETT, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, to purchase 160 acres of land in West Kootenay, described as follows: Commencing at a post planted about eight miles up Mosquito creek and joining E. Crow's application to purchase, and marked C. M's S. E. corner, thence north 80 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 20 chains to place of beginning.

Feb. 28th, 1907. C. MARSHALL,
J. E. ANNABLE.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase the following described land located in Fire Valley district of West Kootenay: Commencing at a post planted at the S. E. corner of John Bailey's pre-emption, thence south 80 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 40 chains to place of beginning, containing 320 acres.

Located March 16th, 1907.
D. A. MCPHEE, Locator.
J. J. KELLY, Agent.

Take notice 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: Commencing at the southeast corner of lot 6868, thence west 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence north 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 40 acres, more or less.

Dated April 16th, 1907. P. J. BRADLEY,
W. W. BRADLEY, Agent.

I, the undersigned, after 60 days intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase the following described land: Commencing at the N. E. C. of Lot 7569 C. 1, thence west 40 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 80 acres more or less.

Located March 20th, 1907. W. A. MILLS.

Take notice that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land situated in the West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 222, on the south side of the West Arm of Kootenay lake, thence 80 chains west to southwest corner of lot 226, thence 20 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 20 chains north to place of commencement, containing 160 acres.

April 2nd, 1907. CHARLES ROBINSON,
per LEWIS W. ROBINSON, Agent.

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

Signed J. MCKINNON.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, for permission to purchase 160 acres or less situated in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post planted midway on the north boundary of Lot 9611 and adjoining S. W. corner of Lot 8856, thence north 20 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence east 20 chains to point of commencement.

Located March 20th, 1907. T. J. SCANLAN.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the east side of Lemon Creek at the mouth of the first north fork and marked "R. Cooper's southeast corner," running 80 chains west, north 40 chains, east 80 chains, and south 40 chains to place of commencement.

Dated March 20th, 1907. R. COOPER,
J. T. TUPPER, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post marked "L. A. Tupper's southwest corner post" and planted near H. D. Curtis's land, about half mile from Slocan City, running north 40 chains, east 20 chains, south 40 chains, west 20 chains to place of commencement.

Dated March 16th, 1907. L. A. TUPPER,
J. T. TUPPER, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase the following described land located in Fire Valley district of West Kootenay: Commencing at a post planted at the S. W. corner of John Bailey's pre-emption, thence 80 chains south, thence 40 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 40 chains east to place of beginning.

RICHARD KEEVE, Locator.
J. J. KELLY, 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, or Victoria for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of lot 206, group 1, thence south 20 chains, thence east 60 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence west 60 chains to point of commencement, containing 120 acres, more or less.

Nelson, March 27th, 1907. ANNIE L. WAIR.
P. WAIR, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post marked W. H's S. W. corner post, thence 20 chains west of the southwest corner of Lot 3611, about one mile west of Slocan river, and running east 40 chains to Lot 386, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains to place of beginning.

March 9th, 1907. MILDA HATCH,
PATT HATCH, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, B. C., to purchase 320 acres of land situate in Fire Valley, West Kootenay, and described as follows: Commencing at the northeast corner of Lot 7831, and running north 80 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 20 chains to place of beginning.

March 4th, 1907. W. W. BRADLEY,
J. E. ANNABLE, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 320 acres of land in Fire Valley, West Kootenay, and described as follows: Commencing at a post marked J. F's S. E. corner, and running north 80 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 40 chains to place of beginning, and being the west one-half of the S. E. one-quarter and the east one-half of the S. W. one-quarter and the west one-half of the S. E. one-quarter, and the east one-half of the S. W. one-quarter of Section 36, Township 71, G. 1.

March 8th, 1907. JOHN ERVINE.

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Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, to purchase the following described lands in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post planted at the S.E. corner of Wm. Lemon's purchase L5966 and marked "E. M's N.E. corner," and running north 80 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 40 chains to place of beginning and containing 320 acres.

March 5th, 1907. E. M. SHAW,
J. E. ANNABLE, 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 about 170 acres of land, situate near the Point d'Oreille river, West Kootenay district, and described as follows: Commencing at a post marked G. E. Thompson's N. W. corner post, situated on the south boundary and 20 chains from S. W. post of Lot 7784, thence south about 31 chains, thence east about 25 chains to a point on the west boundary and 20 chains from S. W. post of Lot 7781, thence north 70 chains and thence west 25 chains to the place of beginning.

26th March, 1907. G. E. THOMPSON,
A. G. LANE, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, to purchase 640 acres of land, situated on the west side of Arrow lake, and described as follows: Commencing at a post marked "J. H's N. E. corner and planted at the southwest corner of Lot 7682, Group 1, West Kootenay, and running west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the lake shore, thence north along the lake to place of beginning.

March 6th, 1907. J. HANNAH,
J. E. ANNABLE, Agent.

60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria to purchase 160 acres of land in Fire Valley, West Kootenay district, and described as follows: Commencing at a post marked W. H. Wright's S. E. corner, and running north 80 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 20 chains to place of beginning, and being the west one-half of the N. E. quarter of Section 26, and the west half of the S. E. one-quarter of Section 35 in Township 71 G. 1.

March 20th, 1907. W. H. WRIGHT.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, to purchase the following described lands adjoining the Arrow lakes in West Kootenay: Commencing at a post planted at the S. W. corner of J. H. Porter's pre-emption, and marked S. W's S. W. corner post, thence 20 chains north along lake shore, thence 20 chains east, thence 20 chains south, thence 20 chains west to place of beginning, containing 40 acres, more or less.

April 18, 1907. EVELYN WATSON.

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands, situate in West Kootenay district: Commencing at a post marked J. L. Porter's N. W. corner, thence south 80 chains, following the eastern boundary of H. Selous application to purchase; thence east 40 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 320 acres more or less.

Dated this 12th day of March, 1907. J. L. PORTER.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, to purchase 480 acres of land, in Fire Valley, West Kootenay, and described as follows: Commencing at a post planted at Walter Bull's north-west corner and marked A. S's S. E. corner, and running north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 60 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of beginning, and being part of Sections 34 and 35, in Township 71 and a portion of Sections 1 and 2 in Township 69, Group 1.

March 8th, 1907. A. SPINK,
J. E. ANNABLE, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land in West Kootenay: Commencing at a post planted on the north bank of Kootenay river, about three quarters of a mile from the mouth of Lower Arrow lake, at the southeast corner of Capt. R. Robinson's L. 4948, thence west 20 chains, thence south 20 chains more or less to the north boundary of Fullmore's P. R., thence 20 chains east along said boundary to lake, thence north along lake shore 20 chains, more or less to point of commencement.

May 2nd, 1907. J. D. MCARTHUR,
Agent for Harry Robinson.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, to purchase 80 acres of land in West Kootenay, described as follows: Commencing at a post marked "A. G. N. W. corner," thence south 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 40 chains to place of beginning.

February 26th, 1907. A. G. NELSON.
J. E. ANNABLE, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, to purchase 80 acres of land in West Kootenay, described as follows: Commencing at a post marked "D. B." S.E. corner, and being at the N.W. corner of A. G's application to purchase which is about 2 miles up Mosquito Creek from the mouth and running 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east to place of beginning.

February 26th, 1907. D. B.
J. E. ANNABLE, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, to purchase 80 acres of land located on the west side of Arrow lake and described as follows: Commencing at a post marked F. A's N. E. corner and planted at the north of the southwest corner of Lot 7682, Group 1, West Kootenay, and running south 80 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 20 chains to place of beginning.

March 11th, 1907. F. A.
J. E. ANNABLE, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land in West Kootenay: Commencing at a post about one and a quarter miles up Bayonne Landing, and marked Bella Bella S. E. corner, thence north 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east 20 chains to point of commencement.

March 22nd, 1907. (Signed) BELLA BELLA.
ROBERT ROBINSON, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land in West Kootenay: Commencing at a post planted on the north bank of Kootenay river, about three quarters of a mile from the mouth of Lower Arrow lake, at the southeast corner of Capt. R. Robinson's L. 4948, thence west 20 chains, thence south 20 chains more or less to the north boundary of Fullmore's P. R., thence 20 chains east along said boundary to lake, thence north along lake shore 20 chains, more or less to point of commencement.

March 22nd, 1907. (Signed) BELLA BELLA.
ROBERT ROBINSON, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, to purchase 80 acres of land in West Kootenay, described as follows: Commencing at a post marked "J. D. N. W. corner," thence south 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 40 chains to place of beginning.

February 26th, 1907. J. D.
J. E. ANNABLE, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, to purchase 80 acres of land in West Kootenay, described as follows: Commencing at a post marked "D. B." S.E. corner, and being at the N.W. corner of A. G's application to purchase which is about 2 miles up Mosquito Creek from the mouth and running 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east to place of beginning.

February 26th, 1907. D. B.
J. E. ANNABLE, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, to purchase 80 acres of land located on the west side of Arrow lake and described as follows: Commencing at a post marked F. A's N. E. corner and planted at the north of the southwest corner of Lot 7682, Group 1, West Kootenay, and running south 80 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 20 chains to place of beginning.

March 11th, 1907. F. A.
J. E. ANNABLE, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land in West Kootenay: Commencing at a post about one and a quarter miles up Bayonne Landing, and marked Bella Bella S. E. corner, thence north 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence east 20 chains to point of commencement.

March 22nd, 1907. (Signed) BELLA BELLA.
ROBERT ROBINSON, Agent.

Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land in West Kootenay: Commencing at a post planted on the north bank of Kootenay river, about three quarters of a mile from the mouth and at the southeast corner of Capt. R. Robinson's L. 4948, thence west 20 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 20 chains to point of commencement.

March 22nd, 1907. (Signed) ROBERT ROBINSON.

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TIMBER NOTICES.

hereby given that 30 days after date I apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special cut and carry away timber from the described lands in West Kootenay dis-

No. 1.—Commencing at a post planted th bank of Blueberry creek, about up the creek from railway track, chains east, thence 80 chains south, chains west, thence 40 chains north, chains west, thence 40 chains north to mmencement.
, 1906

No. 2.—Commencing at a post planted thwest corner of Location No 1, thence west, thence 80 chains north, thence st, thence 40 chains south, thence 80 t, thence 40 chains south to point of ment.
, 1906.

No. 3.—Commencing at a post planted west of Northeast corner of Location e 40 chains south, thence 120 chains e 80 chains north, thence 40 chains e 40 chains south, thence 80 chains int of commencement.
, 1906.

ERNEST W. ROBINSON.

hereby given that 30 days after date I apply to the Honorable the Chief Comof Lands and Works, Victoria, for a ense to cut and carry away timber llowing described land in the district otenay:
ing at a post about seven miles from f Summit creek, in a westerly direcd G. M. Benny's northeast corner s 80 chains west, thence 40 chains nce 40 chains west, thence 40 chains nce 80 chains east, thence 40 chains nce 40 chains east, thence 40 chains oint of commencement.
May 7th, 1907.

G. M. BENNY, Locator,
ANGUS CURRIE, Agent.

hereby given that 30 days after date i apply to the Honorable the Chief Com of Lands and Works for a special cut and carry away timber from the described lands situated on the west ig Sheep Creek Valley: Commencing e and a half miles north of the interboundary line and about one and a west of the Nelson and Fort Sheppard ompany's land grant in the district of tenay:
Commencing at a post planted two t of Big Sheep creek, known as the corner post, joining J. R. Cranston's laim No. 1, claiming 80 chains north, chains east, thence 80 chains south, chains west to point of commencement.
March 21st, 1907.
Commencing at a post planted at the t corner of location No. 1, known as the t corner post of location No. 2, claiming south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 orth, thence 80 chains west to point of ement.
March 21st, 1907.
Commencing at a post placed half a of location No. 2, known as the southr, claiming 80 chains north, thence 80 est, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 st to point of commencement.

J. P. SWEDBERG, Locator.
K. T. ENGELSKIEN, Agent.

is hereby given that 30 days after date to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissionnds and Works for a special license to arry away timber from the following d lands situated on the west side of Big ek Valley, commencing about 4½ miles the international boundary line, and e mile west of Big Sheep creek in the of West Kootenay:
Commencing at a post planted about west of Big Sheep creek, known as the corner post, claiming 80 chains south, chains west, thence 80 chains north, chains east to point of commencement.
Commencing at a post planted at the *t corner of location No. 1, known as the* t corner post, claiming 80 chains north, chains east, thence 80 chains south, chains west to point of commencement.
Commencing at a post planted at the *st corner of location No. 2, known as the* st corner post, claiming 80 chains north, 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, 80 chains east to point of commencement.
d April 15th, 1907.

J. P. SWEDBERG, Locator,
K. T. ENGELSKIEN, Agent.

(Timber Limit No. 2)

is hereby given that 60 days after date I to apply to the Honorable the Chief Comer of Lands and Works for a special to cut and carry away timber from the ng described land, situated on Kooskanax n West Kootenay district:
mencing at a post planted at the northrner of Timber Limit No 10247, and markD. Lea's southwest corner post, thence 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence 0 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of mencement.
ed March 28, 1907. H. D. LEA, Locator.

(Timber Notice No. 3)

mencing at a post planted at the southeast of No 2 limit, and at the northwest corner er license No. 10246, thence north 160 thence east 40 chains to west line of license No 10245, *following line of No.* d 10244, 160 chains, thence following line er license No. 10246 40 chains to point of ncement.
ted March 28, 1907. H. D. LEA, Locator.

(Timber Notice No. 4.)

ce is hereby given that 60 days after date I to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner ds and Works for a special license to cut rry away timber from the following de d lands, situated on Kooskanax creek in tenay district, *and about five miles* pper Arrow lake:
mencing at a post planted on the north creek and about half a mile from creek, arked H. D. Lea's southeast corner post, north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to of commencement.
ted March 31, 1907. H. D. LEA, Locator.

(Timber Notice No. 5.)

mencing at a post marked H. D. Lea's *west corner post*, thence north 80 chains, ing the east line of No. 4 location, thence chains, thence south 80 chains, thence chains to point of commencement.
ted March 31, 1907. H. D. LEA, Locator.

(Timber Limit No. 6.)

ce is hereby given that sixty days after I intend to apply to the Honorable the Commissioner of Lands and Works for a l license to cut and carry away timber the following described land, situated about iles *from* the Upper Arrow lake on Kooskreek, in West Kootenay district:
mencing at a post planted and marked H. s northwest corner post, thence east 80 s, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 s, thence north 80 chains *to point of com*ement.
ated March 31, 1907. H. D. LEA, Locator.

(Timber Limit No. 7)

mencing at a post planted and marked H. s northeast corner post, thence south 80 *following* the west line of No. 6 limit, ce west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, ce east 80 chains to point of commencement.
ated March 31, 1907. H. D. LEA, Locator.

ice is hereby given that 30 days from date and to apply to the Hon Chief Commissioner nds and Works for a special license to cut rry away timber from the following de d lands in West Kootenay district:

Commencing at a post *planted on the north* bank of 10 Mile creek, about one mile and a half from Slocan lake, marked E Strand's northwest corner post, thence east 160 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 160 chains, thence north 40 chains to point of commencement.
Dated this 21st day of March, 1907.

E. STRAND, Locator.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, at Victoria, *for a* special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands in Yale district:

No. 1.—Commencing at a post planted about 10 chains east of main Kettle river and about one mile more or less north of C. P. R. Block No. 3637, and marked Boundary Lumber Co's S. E. corner post No. 1, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east to the point of commencement.
Dated March 22nd, 1907.

No. 2.—Commencing at a post planted about 10 chains east of main Kettle river about 80 chains north of Boundary Lumber Co's Location No. 1, and marked Boundary Lumber Co's S. E. corner post No. 2, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east to the point of commencement.
Dated 22nd March, 1907.

No. 3.—Commencing at a post planted about 30 chains east of main Kettle river and about 80 chains north of Boundary Lumber Co's location post No 2, and marked Boundary Lumber Co's S. E. corner post No. 3, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east to the point of commencement.
Dated March 22nd, 1907.

No. 4.—Commencing at a post planted about 10 chains east of the main Kettle river and about 80 chains north of Boundary Lumber Co's location post No. 3, and marked Boundary Lumber Co's S. E. corner post No 4, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east to the point of commencement.
Dated March 22nd, 1907.

No 5.—Commencing at a post planted about 15 chains east of main Kettle river and about two miles north, more or less, of Boundary Lumber Co's Location No. 4, and marked Boundary Lumber Co's S E. corner post No. 5, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east to the point of commencement.
Dated March 23rd, 1907.

No. 6.—Commencing at a post planted about 25 chains east of main Kettle river on C. P. R. line block No. 2714, and about 80 chains north of Boundary Lumber Co's location post No. 5, and marked Boundary Lumber Co's S. E. corner post No. 6, thence 80 chains north, following C. P. R. line block No 2714, thence 80 chains west, thence *80 chains south, thence 80 chains east to the* point of commencement.
Dated March 23rd, 1907.

No. 7.—Commencing at a post planted about 15 chains west of the main Kettle river on C P.R. *line block Nos 2714, and about 80 chains north of* Boundary Lumber Co's location post No. 6, and marked Boundary Lumber Co's S. E. corner post No. 7, thence 160 chains north, following C. P. R. line block No. 2714, thence 40 chains west, thence 160 chains south, thence 40 chains east to the point of commencement.
Dated March 23rd, 1907.

No. 8.—Commencing at a post planted about 20 chains west from river bank and about 3 miles south, more or less, of the last east branch of the east fork of the main Kettle river or about 13 miles north, more or less, of C. P. R. Block No. 2714, on east fork of Kettle river, marked Boundary Lumber Co's N. W. corner post No 8, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 *chains west, thence 80 chains north to the point* of commencement.
Dated March 25th, 1907.

No. 9.—Commencing at a post planted about 20 chains west from river bank, on the east fork *of Kettle river, and about 80 chains south of* Boundary Lumber Co's location post No. 8, and marked Boundary Lumber Co's N. W. corner post No. 9, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north to the point of commencement.
Dated March 25th, 1907.

No. 10.—Commencing at a post planted about 20 chains west from river bank on the east fork of Kettle river, and about 80 chains south of Boundary Lumber Co's location post No. 9, and marked Boundary Lumber Co's N. W. corner post No. 10, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north to the point of commencement.
Dated March 25th, 1907.

No. 11.—Commencing at a post planted about 15 chains west from river bank on the east fork of Kettle river, and about 80 chains south of Boundary Lumber Co's location post No. 10, and marked Boundary Lumber Co's N. W. corner post *No. 11, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains* south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north to the point of commencement.
Dated March 25th, 1907.

No. 12.—Commencing at a post planted about 12 chains *west from river bank on the east fork of* Kettle river, and about 80 chains south of Boundary Lumber Co's location post No. 11, and marked Boundary Lumber Co's N. W. corner post No. 12, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 north to the point of commencement.
Dated March 25th, 1907.

No. 13.—Commencing at a post planted about 12 chains west from river bank on the east fork of Kettle river, and about 80 chains south of Boundary Lumber Co's location post No. 12, and marked Boundary Lumber Co's N W. corner post No. 13, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north to the point of commencement.
Dated March 25th, 1907.

No. 14.—Commencing at a post planted about 10 chains west from river bank on the east fork of Kettle river, and about 80 chains south of Boundary Lumber Co's location post No. 13, and marked *Boundary Lumber Co's N W. corner post* No. 14, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north to the point of commencement.
Dated March 25th, 1907.

No. 15.—Commencing *at a post planted about* 10 chains west from river bank on the east fork of Kettle river, and about 80 chains south of Boundary Lumber Co's post No 14, and marked Boundary Lumber Co's N. W. corner post No. 15, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north to point of commencement.
Dated March 25th, 1907.

No 16.—Commencing at a post planted about *8 chains west from river bank on the east fork of* Kettle river, and about 80 chains south of Boundary Lumber Co's location post No. 15, and marked Boundary Lumber Co's N. W. corner post No 16, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north to the point of commencement.
Dated March 25th, 1907.

No. 17.—Commencing at a post planted about 5 chains west from river bank on the east fork of Kettle river, and about 80 chains south of Boundary *Lumber Co's location post No. 16, and* marked Boundary Lumber Co's N. W. corner post No. 17, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north to the point of commencement.
Dated March 25th, 1907.

No. 18.—Commencing at a post planted about 5 chains west of the river bank on the east fork of Kettle River and about 80 chains south of Boundary Lumber Co's location post No. 17 and marked Boundary Lumber Co's N.W. corner post No. 18, thence *80 chains east*, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains north to the point of commencement.
Dated March 25th, 1907.

J. GENELLE,
Agent for Boundary Lumber Co.

MORE DANGER OF WAR

Prof. Delbrueck Thinks Disarmament Would be Provocation Rather Than Detriment.

Berlin, May 24.—Professor Delbrueck, the successor of Ranke and Treitschke in the chair of history in the University of Berlin, contributes a remarkable article to the *Preussische Jahrbuecher*, entitled, "Disarmament and Germany and England."

Professor Delbrueck says that there can be no doubt that the British proposals, as to the arrest of armaments, at the Hague conference, will fail, even though it results in Germany being regarded as the holder of barbaric and retrograde ideas. He believes that the first result *of the discussion would be an* increase of tension between the two powers, rather than a rapprochement, an increase of the danger of war rather than its diminution. The cardinal mistake of those who advocate the arrest of armaments, he says, is that they believe their ideas, if realized, will strengthen the cause of peace. The very opposite will be the case.

He draws the conclusion that there can be no greater safeguard of peace than the "greatness and intensity" of existing armaments. He does not believe that the cost of armaments presses with greater weight on modern Germany than it did 30 or 40 years ago.

Turning to the differences between Germany and England, he rejects with scorn the assertion that England's al*leged hostility* is due to envy at the success of Germany in trade. The British people, he says, are too great and too noble to be actuated by such paltry motives. The secret of their mistrust and hostility is solely and alone in the increase of the German fleet, and this for the simple reason that the existence of the British Empire depends on the predominant position of the British fleet.

Professor Delbrueck asks the question whether Germany, in order to appease England shall cease to build ironclads, or whether there is not some other means which, if adopted, would quiet British susceptibilities. He comes to the conclusion that Germany cannot cease to build ships, but he thinks that British nervousness might vanish if the British nation finally decided to adopt conscription, and so increase their land forces that they could view with equanimity *the maritime growth of their rivals.*

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Land Registry Act.

Take notice that an application has been made to register Hugh Ross Linklater as the owner in Fee simple, under a Tax Sale Deed from Robert *A. Renwick, Deputy Assessor of the Nelson As*sessment district, to Hugh Ross Linklater, bearing date the 7th day of August, A. D. 1905, of all and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Town of Salmo, in the Province of British Columbia, more particularly known and described as Lot 18, Block "D", Town of Salmo, (Map 622), being a sub-division of Lot 206a, Group 1, Kootenay district.

You and each of you are required to contest the claim of the tax purchaser within fourteen days from the date of the service of this notice upon you, and in default of a caveat or certificate of lis pendens being filed within such period, you will be forever estopped and debarred from setting up any claim to or in respect of the said land, and I shall register *Hugh Ross Linklater* as owner thereof.

Dated at land registry office, Nelson, Province of British Columbia, this 21st day of February, A. D. 1907.

H. F. MACLEOD,
District Registrar.

To Murdock A. Henderson.

YMIR LICENCE DISTRICT.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Licence Commissioners, to be held after the expiration of thirty days, I intend to apply for a transfer of my hotel licence for the Creston hotel, at Creston, to George Mead.

15th May, 1907. S. J. MILLER.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I will apply at the next meeting of the License Commissioners, for the City of Nelson, to have the liquor license of the Silver King Hotel transferred from myself to Robert Dalziel, of the City of Nelson.

Dated this 7th day of May, 1907.

E. M. McCANDLISH.

Notice to Delinquent Co-Owner.

To Charles G. Simpson, or any other person to whom he may have transferred his interest in the "May Blossom" mineral claim, situated on Brown Mountain, two and a half miles southwest of Ymir, in the Nelson Mining Division, of West Kootenay District, and recorded in the Recorder's office, for the Nelson Division.

You and each of you are hereby notified that I have expended two hundred and five dollars (205.00) in labour and improvements upon the above mineral claim in order to hold the same under the provisions of the Mineral Act, and if within ninety days from the date of this notice you fail or refuse to contribute your portion of the expenditure, (which is one hundred and twenty fifty dollars ($102.50) for the two years ending 8th May, 1907,) together with all costs of advertising, your interest in the said claim will become the property of the undersigned under Sec. 4 of an Act entitled: "An Act to Amend the Mineral Act, 1900."

Dated at Ymir, B. C., 16th May, 1907.

JOHN F HARBOTTLE

LAST FESTAL SUNDAY

Church's Annual Record Ends With Trinity Sunday—Services for Tomorrow.

To morrow will be Trinity Sunday the *feast celebrating the Triune Godhead, of* Father, Son and Holy Ghost. It marks the end of the church's annual record of the cardinal doctrines based on the events of the life of Christ: Advent, the preparation for His coming, Christmas His birth, Epiphany, His manifestation to the Gentiles, Lent, His suffering and death, Easter, His resurrection, His Ascension, Whit-Sunday, the descent of *the Holy Ghost, and Trinity Sunday the* recognition of the Divine Trinity. The remainder of the church year is undivided and the Sundays merely enumerated as after Trinity are devoted to general spiritual teaching.

The doctrine of the Trinity is one of the most complex and difficult of all the Christian doctrines, or indeed of all problems of religion and philosophy.

St. Patrick's *explanation of it to his* Irish flock by the simile of the three leaved Shamrock is perhaps the best that can be offered.

Readers of Kipling will remember the alleged translation of a Hindu fragment:

"The Three in One and One in Three?
Not so
To my own gods I go
It may be they will give more ease
Than your cold Christ, and Tangled Trinities."

There is nothing in any other system of belief, ancient or modern, that corresponds in any way to the doctrine of the Trinity. It is sometimes said that the gods of Greece were originally worshipped as representatives of different functions or attributes of one Power. But the origin of the gods of the ancients, or *rather of belief in them, is* remote and confused. It is probably nearer truth to say that out of their many gods the Greek philosophers were slowly evolving the conception of one God with many functions. But the national decadence that followed the successive conquest of Roman and Macedonian turned Greek philosophy into mere mysticism and darkness. But certainly the nearest non-Christian analogy to belief in a Holy Spirit was Socrates' faith in his "divine prompter."

But none of the other religions of Asia—and Asia has been the birthplace of every religion and pseudo-religion, even of the cults of theosophy and Christian Science—contain any suggestion of the special spiritual presence on earth of God, as is contained in the Christian doctrine of the Third Person of the Trinity.

The following services are announced for tomorrow *in the churches of Nel*son:

Church of England—St. Saviour's, corner Ward and Silica street. Trinity Sunday; holy communion, 8 a. m.; morning prayer and litany 11 a.m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.; evenson, 7:30 p. m.; Rev. F. H. Graham, rector.

Roman Catholic—Church of Mary Immaculate, corner of Ward and Mill streets: Low mass, 8 a. m.; high mass, 10:30 a. m.; evening service, 7:30 p. m Rev. Father Althoff, priest.

Presbyterian church—St. Paul's, corner of Victoria and Kootenay streets: Morning service, 11 a. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.; evening service, 7:30 p. m. Rev. J. T. Ferguson, minister.

Methodist church—Corner Silica and Josephine streets: Morning service, 11 a. m.; evening service, 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m. Rev. R. N Powell, pastor.

Baptist church—Stanley street, near Mill: Morning service, 11 a. m.; evening service, 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m. Rev. E. H. Shanks, pastor.

Salvation Army—Barracks on Victoria street, west of Josephine: Special services for tomorrow. Knee drill, 9 a. m.; holiness meeting, 11 a. m.; a praise meeting at 3 p. m.; salvation meeting at 8 p. m.

SCOTCH TWEEDS MAY RETURN.

One English Journal Sees Signs of a Return of the Vogue.

The tweed mills of Scotland were placed hors de combat when the Yorkshire worsted mills learned to weave the finest tweed patterns into their smooth-finished woollen worsteds.

This was followed by a general demand for worsteds, but the English fashion journals say they see signs of the return of the Scotch tweed regime for winter wear.

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Board of Licence Commissioners for the Ymir district for a transfer of the licence held by me for the Fort Sheppard hotel to F. Adie.

(Signed) A. M. SHIELDS.

Waneta, B. C., May 1st, 1907.

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Examination for Assayers for Licence to Practice in British Columbia.

An Examination for Assayers will be held in Victoria on the 27th May and following days.

Entrance for any examination must be made in writing to the Secretary of the Board of Examiners, at least ten days before the date set for beginning of examination, and must be accompanied by the prescribed fee ($15)

Any additional information desired may be obtained from *Herbert Carmichael, secretary*, board of examiners, Victoria.

RICHARD McBRIDE,
Minister of Mines.

Department of Mines,
Victoria, B. C., 15th April, 1907.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Wattsburg Lumber company has applied to His Honor the Lieutenant Governor in council, under the provisions of the "Rivers and Streams Act," for the right to improve Rykerts creek, in the district of West Kootenay, British Columbia, by removing the obstructions therefrom and straightening the banks thereof, and to construct dams, booms, slides and chutes, and make such other improvements as may be necessary for the driving and *rafting of logs* and the fluming of timber thereon The lands to be affected are government lands and Lots 251 and 252, Group 1, Kootenay district, and the tolls that are proposed to be charged, if any, are such as may be fixed by a judge of the county court of West Kootenay.

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

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Tenders Wanted for the Purchase of a Mineral Claim.

Tenders addressed to the undersigned, at his office in the Court House, in the City of Nelson, will be received up till the hour of five o'clock, *in the afternoon*, of Friday, May 31st, 1907, for the purchase of the "Silver Champion Mineral Claim," Lot 3438, Group 1, Kootenay District, which was declared to be forfeited to the Crown at the tax sale held in the City of Nelson, on the 6th day of November, 1905, for delinquent taxes up till June 30th, 1905, and costs.

The upset price upon the said mineral claim, which includes the amount of delinquent taxes and costs at the time of forfeiture, with interest, taxes which have since accrued, costs of advertising and fee for Crown Grant ($25.00,) is $81.28, which is the least amount that will be considered as a tender.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque for the full amount of the tender, payable to the order of the Deputy Commissioner of Land and Works, at *Victoria*, B. C., at par.

Dated at Nelson, B. C., this 30th day of April, 1907.

HARRY WRIGHT,
Government Agent, Nelson, B. C

Tenders Wanted for the Purchase of a Mineral Claim.

Tenders addressed to the undersigned, at his office in the Court House, in the City of Nelson, will be received up till the hour of five o'clock in the afternoon, of Friday, May 31st, 1907, for the purchase of the "Bryan Mineral Claim," Lot 1699, Group 1, Kootenay District, which was declared to be forfeited to the Crown at the tax sale held in the City of Nelson, on the 6th day of November, 1905, for delinquent taxes up till June 30th, 1905, and costs

The upset price upon the said mineral claim, which includes the amount of delinquent taxes and costs at the time of forfeiture, with interest, taxes which have since accrued, cost of advertising, and fee for Crown Grant ($25.00,) is $93.31, which is the least amount that will be considered as a tender

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque for the full amount of the tender, payable to the order of the Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works, at Victoria, B. C., at par.

Dated at Nelson, B. C., this 30th day of April, 1907.

HARRY WRIGHT,
Government Agent, Nelson, B. C

NOTICE

In the matter of an application for the issue of a duplicate of the Certificate of Title of Lots 3 and 4, Block 23, Lot 9, Block 39 and Lot 12, Block 50, Nelson City (Maps 206 and 256 A)

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention to issue a duplicate of the Certificate of Title for the above lots at the expiration of one month after the first publication hereof in the name of Frans Jacoby and Emil Pohli, which Certificate of Title is dated the 4th day of January, 1907, and numbered 4267 A.

H. F. MACLEOD,
District Registrar.

Land Registry Office, Nelson, B.C
4th, April, 1907.

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NOTICE.

In the matter of an application for the issue of a duplicate of the Certificate of Title for an undivided ½ of lot 4833, group 1, in the district of Kootenay (except part 12.9 acres thereof.)

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 lands, in the name of Malcolm McCormick, which Certificate is dated the 19th September, 1901, and numbered 754A.

Land Registry Office, Nelson, B.C., April 22rd, 1907.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL

St. Saviour's Choir.

The weekly choir practice will be held in the church tonight at the usual hour. A full attendance is requested.

Board of Trade Meeting.

The Nelson Board of Trade will meet next Monday evening at 8:30, when the trouble over the Slocan postal service will be discussed.

New Baptist Missions.

Mr. Dimmock, of New Westminster, arrived last evening to take charge of the Baptist Missions at Castlegar, Robson and Westley.

Choir Concert.

The Methodist Choir will be assisted in their concert, on Wednesday night next, May 29th, by Mrs. Briggs, Mrs. Shanks, Mrs. Hannington and Mrs. Geo. Brown.

Back to Kootenay.

Thomos Gallon, Sen., who has spent the last year in England, returned to Nelson Thursday night, and will remain in Kootenay where he has many mining interests.

Goddard-Husby

On Friday, May 24th, 1907 in St. Saviour's Church, by the Rev. F. H. Graham, rector, Henry Archer Goddard, of Grand Forks, B. C., was married to Miss Margrethe Husby, of Nelson.

B. C. Whiskey.

J. B. H. Rickaby, representing the British Columbia Distillery at Sapperton, is in the city. The liquor turned out by the B. C. Distillery is said to be equal to the best on the market. The brand now being sold by Mr. Rickaby is three years old.

Maccabees' Picnic.

The Ladies of the Maccabees will picnic Tuesday afternoon at Mrs. Ross' grounds on the north shore in honor of the visit of Mrs. Schermerhorn of Cranbrook. All members are requested to meet at Lindsey's boat house at 1 p. m. with their baskets.

Miraculus Escape.

A party of skilled mariners, including John Bennett and J. W. Bannister, with several lady friends, went out for a launch ride yesterday afternoon which nearly had a fatal termination. Those who were in the boat are reticent as to what really happened. Mr. Bennett, one of the party, on being interviewed, with great unction denied that he was in the boat at all, and expressed the opinion that matters of this kind did not concern the general public. He further expressed the opinion that the papers would do better to publish matters that had to do with the elevation of mankind and advancing the interests of the country than chronicling every little bit of gossip they could gather in. No objection being taken to this self-evident proposition. Mr. Bennett said he had been in the launch, but refused to give the names of the other occupants. Neither would he tell just how the launch party came so near meeting with a fatal ending. From another source it was learned that the little craft was allowed to drift below the danger line, and was not noticed until it became unmanageable. Fortunately it was caught in an eddy, and with the aid of a paddle one of the occupants was enabled to reach shore. Mr. Bennett went down to Grohman creek today and will try to get the launch back to the city. The occupants of the boat were very much frightened.

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VICTORIA DAY.

Holiday Observed in Kaslo and Nelson —Sports and Fireworks.

Victoria Day was observed as a holiday by Kaslo yesterday. About 500 people from Nelson and vicinity took the steamer Kootenay for the lake side town.

Nelson lacrosse and baseball players, trap-shooters and others contributed greatly to the success of the celebration. The city council was represented by Mayor Grant.

The senior lacrosse match between Nelson and Medicine Hat resulted in a draw, 4-4. It was a splendid contest in spite of evident lack, on both sides, of team practice. The rough nature of the game was a contributory cause to some bruises.

Nelson and Kaslo junior baseball teams also played a drawn game.

The celebration was a success and quite up to the high standard set by Kaslo for herself in former years.

In Nelson, which was minus at least 1,000 of its inhabitants for the day, Charles A Waterman organized his usual tournament of footraces on Baker street in the afternoon.

Firecrackers and torpedoes were also in evidence, especially in the evening. A favorite trick of the youngsters was the laying of torpedoes along the tramway track to be exploded by the car.

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