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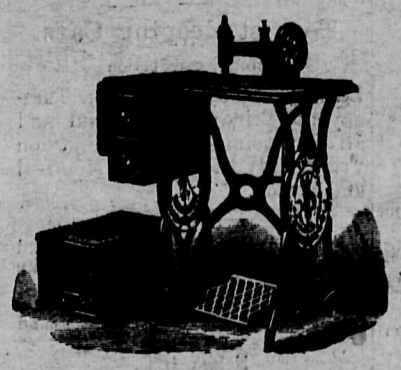

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Killed by Gas.

Halifax, Dec. 17.—William Morgan, 25 years old, was killed this morning at Sydney by a blast of gas from a blast furnace.

A first-class room with stoves at strike prices at the Alhambra.

ASSAYERS WHO PASSED

Men Who Have Got Their Certificates of Fitness --The List.

The last issue of the British Columbia Gazette contains the names of the following assayers who passed the examination recently and to whom acting Minister of Mines Eberts has issued certificates of efficiency. Their names are as follows:

Under section 2, sub-section (1)—
Ayres, D. A., Trail, B. C.
Collinson, H. Victoria, B. C.
Comrie, Geo. H., Vancouver, B. C.
Marshall, Wm. Stone, Duncan, B. C.

Under section 2, sub-section (2)—
Coulthard, R. W. Fernie, B. C.
Galbraith, M. T., Greenwood, B. C.
Gwillim, J. C., Nelson, B. C.
Stevens, F. G. Rossland, B. C.

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THE HALL MINES

Shares Are Climbing Up in England.

PROSPECTS SAID TO BE GOOD

Fire Has Caused Some Trouble but the Work Is Being Pushed on—The Outlook.

Nelson, December 17. — Hall Mines shares are beginning to climb up again on the London market, the latest quotations received in Nelson being 10s 3d, This quotation is within six cents of the highest since the reorganization of the company, and is no doubt due to the cable received in London some two weeks ago respecting the cutting of the ore body in the ninth level.

Had it not been for the disastrous fire which destroyed the boarding house at the mine two weeks ago, it is altogether likely that the stock would have been quoted much higher by this time. At the time of the fire the miners were just breaking into the ore body. They had come on some very good ore, but it was rather bunchy, and the opinion of the management was that they were not quite into the ore body which they had in the two upper levels. The fire, however, crippled the management in its policy of development, and the work has not advanced as rapidly since.

Since the last cable from Captain Gifford was published, the ore has also been struck in the tenth level. It has much the same characteristics as where first struck in the ninth level, and the further development in these two levels will be followed with interest, as it is generally understood that the striking of an ore body in these two levels will demonstrate that the Hall Mines has one of the best mining properties in the province. So far as the work has advanced there has been nothing to disprove this contention, but it will require a little work to demonstrate it to the entire satisfaction of the management.

SCOTCH DANCING — Of all kinds taught on Tuesdays and Thursdays of each week, at the Old Scotch Club house, opposite Hunter Bros., by Alexander McLeman. Office hours from 2 to 5 p.m., each day. Class nights from 8 to 10 p.m. Social dance each Friday evening. tf

HAMILTON'S SUCCESS

Many Captives Made--One of Benson's Guns Retaken.

London, Dec. 17.—Reporting to the war office from Pretoria, under date of yesterday, Lord Kitchener says: "Bruce Hamilton, after a long night march, surprised Viljoen's laager at dawn on December 13th at Witkaens, 264 miles north of Ermelo, killed 16 Boers and captured 76 armed prisoners. Many others were wounded and left at farms. He also recaptured one of Benson's guns, the other being destroyed. Two field coracts are among the prisoners. The recaptured gun is in good order and was used against the retreating enemy."

HOLIDAY PRESENTS.

A Very Fine Stock to Select From at J. W. Spring's.

J. W. Spring has an unusually large stock of goods on hand this year, particularly well suited to the holiday trade. The variety in the store is bewildering. Some of the chief lines that may be specially mentioned are cut glass and fancy china, sterling silver and ebony manicure sets and single pieces. The best of leather goods, umbrellas and walking canes, diamond and pearl rings, broaches and jewelry of every description. A special line of finely decorated clocks is also on view. Mr. Spring has made special arrangements to light up his place of business in the evenings and the store is a perfect blaze of light at night time. Useful and ornamental articles of all sorts specially suitable for holiday gifts are now on view.

"CONFUSION" TONIGHT

It Will Be a Good Play and Well Staged--Sale of Tickets

The farce comedy "Confusion" will be presented by Rossland Amateurs at the Opera house this evening, under the direction of Mrs. Fitzpatrick, for the benefit of the Catholic church building fund.

Those who are to take part this evening have worked industriously at their parts, and a good play well acted and well staged will be presented.

HELPED OUT THE CITY

A Contribution Received This Morning -- The Game Stopped.

The gambling outfit from the States which came in here last week were up before the police magistrate this morning. Eight of them were fined $10 apiece, and the keeper $50, making a holiday gift of $130 in all to the city's funds.

The police authorities say they knew of the game on Friday last, and knew that it was run wide-open on Saturday, Sunday and yesterday.

The game is now closed and the roulette ball will roll no longer—at least for the present.

If you give us a call, you will again. The Kootenay. tf.

THE RINK TOMORROW

Formal Opening on Friday Evening--Band in Attendance

The Rossland Rink management have decided to open the rink for skaters tomorrow, (Wednesday), evening. The city band will be in attendance.

Season tickets can be obtained now and the formal opening for the season will take place on Friday evening, when the city band will again be in attendance.

LABOR PLATFORM

The Nelson Executive's Initial Announcement.

SIXTEEN CLAUSE DOCUMENT

Minimum Living Wage—Arbitration of Labor Disputes—Public Ownership of all Franchises.

The platform as submitted by the executive of the Nelson Labor organizations yesterday read as follows, although it is open for amendment:

1. Free and compulsory education.
2. Legal working day of eight hours, and six days to a week.
3. Government inspection of all industries.
4. The abolition of the contract system on all public works.
5. A minimum living wage, based on local conditions.
6. Public ownership of all franchises such as railways, telegraphs, waterways, lighting, etc.
7.—Tax reform, by lessening taxation on industry and increasing it on land values.
8. Abolition of the Dominion senate.
9. Exclusion of Chinese.
10. The union label to be placed on all manufactured goods where practicable, and on all government and municipal supplies.
11. Abolition of child labor by children under fourteen years of age, and of female labor in all branches of industrial life, such as mines workshops, factories, etc.
12. Abolition of property qualification for all public offices.
13. Compulsory arbitration of labor disputes.
14. Proportion representation with grouped constituencies and abolition of municipal wards.
15. Direct legislation through the initiative and referendum.
16. Prohibition of prison labor in competition with free labor.

BOUNDARY RAILWAYS

Work on the V. V. & E. Spur--Crossing the C. P. R.

Grand Forks, Dec. 17.—The V. V. & E. railroad yesterday commenced work on the three mile spur from the main line into the proposed station and freight yards on the Van Ness addition of Grand Forks.

A subspur three miles long extending to the Granby smelter will not be built until the necessary authority is obtained from the railway committee which meets at Ottawa December 19. The C. P. R. tracks near Columbia will be crossed by an overhead crossing. The V. V. & E. spurs in this vicinity will be completed before spring.

Tried to Suicide.

Sault Ste Marie, Ont., Dec. 17.—Fred Schultz, awaiting execution for the murder of his paramour, Mrs. Craig, last August, attempted suicide in jail here Friday night by cutting his throat with a piece of corset steel.

All the delicacies of the season can be found at the Kootenay. tf

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WIDE AWAKE.

That bright and newsy journal, the Rossland Miner, which invariably gives much space and attention to purely local matters when it happens to suit its warfare against organized labor but which is otherwise always conveniently dumb, places billiards and the bowling alley on a par with roulette and faro.

The Miner has not a word to say concerning the laxity of the police authorities in permitting a gambling layout to be imported here from the States and to openly commence business, or the unfairness of closing out all the other games around town except in one favored instance.

In his communication to the WORLD yesterday Mr. Brownlee made it quite clear that it was not the question of an open or a closed camp he was attacking, but the absolute unfairness shown in the administration of the criminal or semi-criminal law in Rossland.

On this subject there is no room for difference of opinion. The police commissioners must decide upon a policy and consistently follow it. That is all that is asked of them. If they adopt a line which the majority of the citizens strongly resent, they will hear about it very promptly, but whatever is done no favoritism can be shown if the commissioners do their duty.

WHAT IS THE COST.

If Mr. Mackenzie, the new Le Roi manager, is to fulfil his promise that he will reduce the cost of mining and smelting to $7.50 or $7 per ton he must have matters arranged at the mine and at the smelter on a different basis than now exists.

The new manager and Oscar Szontagh at Northport must know very well if they are satisfied or not with the present cost of mining and smelting. If they are, then the union men are wrong in their contention. If they are not, then the Le Roi shareholders are paying through the nose for the luxury of fighting organized labor, a delightful legacy bequeathed to the new management by Bernard Macdonald.

It will be interesting to ascertain if Mr. Mackenzie can make good the assertion claimed for him by Ex-Governor Mackintosh in London two weeks ago, when Mr. Mackintosh stated that the new manager had pledged his reputation to lower the cost of production from Barney's figure of $9.34 per ton to $7.50 per ton or even less.

Under the new management the Le Roi is to make a great showing and one of the chief requisites to this end is the reduction of the cost of production and realization.

Mr. Mackenzie is the only one in authority who really knows the facts, and his opinion at the outset of the New Year will be extremely valuable.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

There will be an opportunity this evening for some really independent member of the city council to ask for a financial statement for publication.

"A decent newspaper will never be coerced, and it will keep track of the shallow enemies who ever attempted to control it through patronage. The press never forgets anything and when it punishes the cause is usually justifiable, and the time always comes—it never fails to come."—Colorado Chronicle.

Neither Mr. Clute nor any of the aldermanic candidates kindly selected for us by the "citizen committee" have so far adopted the command of the morning paper to come out fairely and squarely against all organized labor. Perhaps it would be as well to know where the candidates really are on on all municipal questions. Won't they kindly tell us?

According to the report of R. J. Frecheville, manager for the Le Roi company at Rossland, the Le Roi mine and Northport smelter have netted the company for the year ending June 30th, $585,000. Yet this poverty-stricked corporation cannot pay its wine-soaked and chicken-fed muckers three dollars per day—the union scale—which is paid in every mining camp in British Columbia, except Rossland.—Grand Forks News.

Commenting on the Colonists' attempt to boycot Bodwell by excluding all mention of his candidature from its columns, the Greenwood Times says: "Mr. Lugrin, editor of the Colonist, is too experienced a newspaper man to be guilty of so stupid a blunder. The fiat came from without the sanctum. The act was characteristic of James Dunsmuir. A mau who hopes to defeat a popular candidate by such silly boycotting methods hasn't sense enough to be premier of this province."

It has been supposed by many that the object of the Lord's Day Alliance was to prevent men from working on the Sabbath in order to compel them to attend divine worship. Such a motive is disavowed in the bylaw setting forth the objects of the alliance. The question as to what a man shall do with his time does not enter into their programme, so long as he refrains from engaging in the labor which occupies his time for six days of the week. The grounds upon which this policy is based is first, that every man needs a day of rest, and second, that throughou the civilized world there is a prevailing sentiment amongst, at any rate, a very large percentage of the community that the seventh day is a day upon which they should be allowed absolute freedom to exercise their religious views and worship in peace and quietness.—Fernie Free Press.

On December the 13th the Kaslo Board of Trade unanimously passed the following resolution: "Whereas the province of British Columbia is represented in the parliament of Canada by six members of the House of Commons and three senators; and whereas the population of Kootenay and Yale, shown by the recent census, is about one-third of the population of the whole province and of the nine members of both commons and senate only one is resident in the southern interior of British Columbia where the business interests are diverse from those of every other part of Canada. Be it resolved that this board respectfully submits that in the evenf of a vacancy occurring in the senate representation of British Columbia such vacancy should, as a matter of fair representation by popnlation and interest, be filled by calling to the senate a resident of this mining district, familiar with its requirements."

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

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Suit lengths, of Countess or Bormet's French Peau de Soie Silk, $17.50 to $27.50.

China Silk, 25c, 40c and 50c.

24-inch Colored Satins, 50c.

Dress Goods.

Priestly Black Dress Goods are the best made. We carry a complete line of the newest weaves, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.15, $1.25 and $1.50.

For the Babies.

Infants' Knit Jackets, 35c, 50c, 75c and $1.
Infants' Knit Bootees, 20c, 25c, 35c
Infants' Bibs, 20c, 25c, 35c, 50c.
Infants' Mittens 20c, 25c, 35c.
Infants' Shetland and Silk Veils, 10c, 15c, 25c and 35c.
Infants' Leggins, Overalls, etc.

Table Linens.

What is more suitable gift than some nice Table Linen, Napkins or Towels? Our range is varied, our prices the lowest. For the holidays we will give 1-4 off on all Table Linens, etc.

Slipper Soles.

Misses' size, 8 to 2, 25c.
Ladies' 30c and 35c.
Men's, 40c.
5-fold and 8-fold Berlin Wools, 6½c per ounce.

Blankets, Spreads, &c.

Fine White Blankets, $3, $4 and $5
Colored Blankets, $1.50, $2, $2.50, $3.50 and up;
French Marseilles Quils, extra large sizes, $2, $2.25, $3, $3.50.

Eiderdown Comforters.

Reversible Satin and Sateen Eiderdown Comforters, $7.50, $8.50 and $10.50.

Men's Furnishings Goods.

Men's Silk Suspenders at $1, $1.50, and $2.
Men's Mufflers, 75c, $1, $1.50.
Men's Smoking Jackets, $7 to $10
Men's Kid and Mocha Gloves, $1.25 to $1.75.
Men's Silk Handkerchiefs, 50c, 65c 75c and 85c.
Men's Four-in-Hand Ties, 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c.
Men's Umbrellas, 2.50 to $7.50.
Men's Fedora Hats, $2.50 to $5.
John B. Stetson Hats $5.
Fancy Cashmere Sox, 35c 50c, 75c.
Trunks, Valises, Suits Cases, etc.

MINES IN SLOCAN

Ore Shipments Resumed--Arlington the Leading Shipper.

Slocan City, B. C., Dec. 16.—A carload shipment of ore is to be sent to the Nelson smelter by the Exchange, the Bondholder and the Hampton. The first two properties have been working under lease. Ore from all three mines is high grade and will net the shippers good returns over the expenses.

Shipments have again been resumed from the division. Though not much snow is in evidence, yet the sharp, cold weather of late has hardened the roads and given the wagons a chance to get up and down from the mines. Eighty tons is the sum total for the week, of which 20 was from the Enterprise. The latter's new mill has not yet got down to running shape and some adjustments of the machinery have to be made. But in the mine the ore reserves are constantly increasing and it is in shape to make a big shipping record. The Arlington to date has shipped 5027 tons. It is by long odds the largest exporter in the entire Slocan. At the mine there is a large amount of ore to come down which has been accumulating since the early part of November. The recent strike on the east vein of the Arlington materially increases the shipping capacity of the mine. For the year to date the exports amount to 5969 tons, a gain of 115 per cent. over the high record of 1900.

SETTLED OUT OF COURT.

Claims to Have Been Wrongfully Dismissed From the Snowshoe Mine.

The action for damages for wrongful dismissal started by Phil ip W. W. King, chief clerk of the Snowshoe mine, in Phoenix camp, against the British Columbia (Rossland and Slocan) syndicate, has been settled out of court. Mr, King had brought proceedings to recover six months' salary and damages for wrongful dismissal amounting to $8,000.

Mr. King has accepted $600 in cash and his expenses back to England, if he so desires, and each party to pay his own costs.

Furnished rooms with stoves at strike prices at the Alhambra.

THE STRIKE SETTLER

Toronto Telegram on Mr. King and His Efforts Out Here.

The Department of Labor and its Deputy-Minister, Mr. King, never settled a strike which would not have been settled just as quickly and advantageously without its interference.

It will be remembered that Hon. William Mulock despatched his deputy minister to Rossland. There was a great flourish of trumpets and Mr. King was to settle the miners' strike or perish in the attempt.

Well, Mr. King is back in Ottawa. The miners' strike is still visible at Rossland. The alleged department of labor has managed to thrust its deputy-minister into the limelight of publicity in the last hours of strikes which were gravitating towards settlement without external help. The trouble at Rossland is a real strike, while the department of labor and its chief conciliator can only take part in the farce comedy episodes of industial trouble.—Toronto Telgram.

Holiday Excursion Rates.

All Canadian Pacific Railway agents in local territory will issue return tickets at fare and one-third for the round trip on Dec. 23, 24, 25, 30, Jan. 1st, good to return until Jan. 3rd.

WANTED—Two young men to take board in a private family, centrally located. Address box 96 or call over Harper & McArthur's store. tf

If you would keep warm get a room at the Alhambra.

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THE PALM

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STRIKE NOT SETTLED.

Whereas agents of the mining companies have circulated the report that the strike existing at this place is settled and work is to be resumed at the mines, we wish to state that this report is false and there is no probability of a settlement of the strike for some time to come. We advise all men looking for employment to keep away from Rossland, or Northport or vicinity.

Executive Board,

Rossland Miners' Union No. 38, W. F. M.

Labor Union Directory.

Officers and Meetings.

WESTERN FEDERATION OF MINERS—Edward Boyce president, Denver, Colorado; James Wilkes, vice-president, Nelson, British Columbia; Wm. C. Haywood, secretary-treasurer, Denver, Col.; Executive Board, John C. Williams, Grass Valley, Cal.; Phillip Bowden, Butte, Mont,; Thos. B. Sullivan, Leadville, Col.; John Kelly, Burke, Idaho; Chas. H. Moyer, Lead City, S. Dakota; James A. Baker, Slocan City, B. C.

DISTRICT UNION No. 6, W. F. M.-- Jas. Wilkes, Pres. Nelson; Rupert Bulmer, vice-president, Rossland; Alfred Parr, secretary-treasurer, Ymir.

MINERS' UNION No. 36, Western Federation of miners—meets every Wednesday evening at 7.30, p. m. in Miners' Union Hall., Frank Woodside, Secretary Rupert Bulmer, President.

NEW DENVER MINERS Union No. 97, W. F. M. Meets every Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock in Union hall. T. J. Lloyd, Pres., H. J. Byrnes, Sec.

PHOENIX MINERS UNion No. 8, W. F. M. Meets every Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock in Miners' hall. Henry Heidman, Pres., Jno. Riordan, Sec.

YMIR MINERS UNION No. 85, W. F. M., meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in Miners' Union hall. W. B. McIsaac, Pres., Alfred Parr, Sec.

SLOCAN CITY MINERS Union No. 62, W, F. M. Meets every Wednesday evening at 7:30 in Miners' Union hall. James Nixon, Pres., D. B. O'Neail, Sec

NELSON MINERS UN No. 96, W. F. M. M every Saturday evenin 7:30 o'clock. John McI son, Pres., James W ke Visiting brothers cord invited.

GREENWOOD MINERS U No. 22, W. F. M., meets Saturday evening in Unio Geo. F. Dougherty, Pres Kane, Sec.

KASLO MINERS UN — Meets every Sat evening at 7:30 o'clo Miners Union hall. I McAndrew, Pres., D. Phail, Sec. P. O. box

TRADES AND LA COUNCIL—Meets ever ond and fourth Tuesd each month at 7.30 P. —Miners' Union Hall. dent, W.L.McDonald. dress all communicati Secretary-Treasurer, box 784.

ROSSLAND FEDE Labor Union No. 19. last Monday eveni each month at 7:30 in ers' Union hall. T. H. Pres., J. V. Ingram, S

TYPOGRAPHICAL ION No. 335,—Meets last Sunday of each at the Miners' Unio J. Barkdoll, Sec.; Poole, Presid

CARPENTERS & ERS UNION—meets Friday of each week 30 p. m. in Miners' Hall. John McLaren W. R. Baker, Sec.

PAINTERS' UNION 123, painters and dec of America, meets in Hall, on second and Tuesday of each mo C. Arthur, Pres.; Murphy, Sec.

JOURNEYMEN TA Union of America. first Monday in each in Miners' Union h Graham president, Fairclough secreta box 314.

STOCK MARKETS

Prices Remained About the Same Today.

FIFTY-FIVE HUNDRED SHARES

The Latest Quotations and Sales Locally and on the Toronto Market.

Rambler-Cariboo was slightly higher again today, but the balance of the list shows but little change from yesterday.

Centre Star is quoted at 32c asked. Iron Mask at 20c, and War Eagle at 12c.

Centre Star sold locally at 32c, some 1500 shares going at that figure.

A block of Big Three stock was sold on the Toronto market this morning for 1⅛c.

Appended will be found today's quotations and sales here and in Toronto.

Today's Toronto Quotations.

	Asked	Bid
War Eagle	11	10
Centre Star	32	29
Iron Mask	18	13
Rambler-Cariboo	76	63
Giant	5	3
California	5	3
Republic	4¼	3¾
Payne	18	16
Winnipeg	5	2½

Toronto sales today included: Republic, 5000, 4c; Big Three, 2000, 1⅛c; Deer Trail, 250, 2½c.

Today's Local Quotations:

	Asked	Bid
Abe Lincoln	8	
American Boy	9	7
Athabasca	$4 00	
B. C. Gold Fields	3	
Big Three	2⅛	
Black Tail	11½	9¾
California	5⅛	4
Canadian Gold Fields	5⅛	4½
Cariboo (Camp McKinney)	16	14
Centre Star	32	30
Crows Nest Pass Coal	$80 00	$72 00
Deer Trail No. 2	3	2½
Dundee		
Evening Star (Assess. paid)	5	
Giant	5	3¾
Golden Crown Mines, Lim	4	2½
Homestake (Assess. paid)	3	1
Iron Mask (Assess. paid)	20	13
Iro. Colt	1	
I X L	15	
Jumbo	5	
King (Oro Denoro)		
Knob Hill		
Lone Pine	6⅛	5⅛
Monte Christo	3	1
Montreal Gold Fields	3	1
Morning Glory	3	1⅛
Morrison	3	2
Mountain Lion	30	25
Noble Five		1
North Star (East Kootenay)	30	22
Novelty	1	
Old Ironsides	85	75
Payne	19	15⅛
Peoria Mines	1⅛	
Princess Maud	3	2
Quilp		25
Rambler-Cariboo	66	62
Republic		4
Rossland Bonanza G. M. & S. Co.		
Spitzee Gold Mines	$5 00	
St. Elmo Consolidated	2⅛	1
Sullivan	11	8½
Tamarac (Kenneth) Assess. paid	5	2
Tom Thumb	17	15
Van Anda	3	1½
Virginia	3	2
War Eagle Consolidated	12	11
Waterloo	1	¼
White Bear	3	1½
Winnipeg	6	
Wonderful	4	2

Today's Sales:

Centre Star, 1000, 500, 32c; Cariboo, Camp McKinney, 2000, 1000, 15c; Black Tail, 1000, 10½c. Total sales, 5500 shares.

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22 Col. Ave. **Geo. H. Green Prop,**

MINOR MENTION

This day week will be Christmas eve.

The Rossland Skating Rink will be opened on Friday next.

Chief Justice McColl returned to the Coast on Saturday evening.

The regular weekly meeting of the city council will be held this evening.

Frank Alberta, has been made a flag station on the Crow's Nest section.

Charles Coffyn has returned from installing the compressor and hoist at the Iron Horse in the Slocan.

Al Houston, of the WORLD staff was out yesterday and to day, for the first time since his recent severe illness.

Robinson Lumber company's boat on Arrowhead-Thompson's Landing will in future make one trip daily only, leaving Arrowhead 10 a.m., returning arrive at Arrowhead 2 p.m.

Tuesday and Thursday, December 24th and 26th, the day before and after Christmas, and Jannary 2nd, the day after New Year's day, will be observed as public holidays at the public offices of the provincial government.

His Lordship Bishop Dontenwill, of New Westminster, arrived in town at noon today. The bishop paid a visit to the Sisters' hospital this afternoon, and he will be present at the performance of "Confusion" at the Opera house this evening, when he will make a short address.

Trail in bad Condition.

Vancouver, Dec. 17.—The steamer Cottage City arrived on Sunday from Skagway, having a rough and foggy trip on the way down. Several Dawson passengers report the trail in very bad condition. The mail sleigh broke through the ice on Lake Lebarge last Monday and several sacks of letters were lost.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

KOOTENAY.

H. G. McDonald. Nelson.
W. C. Hiteschue, city.
R. R. McKibbon, city.
H. S. Wood, Spokane.
W. E. Parsons, Butte.
T. G. Stevens, city.
John Brevsohan, Spokane.
J. P. Harvey, Spokane.
W. F. Smith, Spokane.
E. C. Hollingsworth, city.

HOTEL WINDSOR.

Paul. P. Whitham, Olympia.
C. F. Whitham, Olympia.
J. Hanna, Green Mountain.
J. C. Murray, Green Mountain.
Miss Strand, city.
L. E. Tino and wife, Spokane.
John Rea, city.
Henry Roy, city.

HOFFMAN HOUSE

A. D. Christie, Salt Lake.
James Quigley, Northport.
Dave Sagneon, Velvet.
W. C. Hiteschue, city.
Vivian De Liste, Trail.
Mrs. Jas. Cole, Camp McKinney.
Miss Morgan, Camp McKinney.

To the Electors of Ward Three.

I have decided to offer myself for re-election as alderman for Ward Three. Your vote and influence is respectfully solicited.

ANGUS J. McDONALD.

Rossland, Dec. 17th, 1901.

Dissolution Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned as plumbers in Rossland, under the firm name and style, Reilly & Busch, has this day been by mutual consent dissolved, All accounts will be collected and all accounts paid by H. F. Busch.

Dated at Rossland, British Columbia, this 16th December, 1901.

DAVID REILLY,
H. F. BUSCH.

Witness: F. M. Bowman.

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To the Electors of Ward Three.

City of Rossland.

At the request of several of the ratepayers of Ward Three, I have decided to offer myself for election as alderman for Ward Three.

Your vote and influence are respectfully requested.

THOMAS EMBLETON.

To the Electors of Ward Two.

At the request of a number of the electors of Ward Two, I have consented to offer myself as a candidate for alderman at the ensuing civic elections, and hereby respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

Yours truly,
JAMES HAMPTON.

Rossland, Dec. 16th, 1901.

To the Electors of Ward Two.

At the request of a number of the electors of Ward Two, I have consented to offer myself as a candidate for alderman at the ensuing civic elections, and I hereby respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

Yours truly,
JOHN J. WOODS.

Rossland, Dec. 16th, 1901.

Removed

Thos. Embleton,

Staple and Fancy GROCERIES.....

Owing to the increase in our business we were compelled to find more room. In the future we will be found on Spokane street, opposite the International hotel. We also wish to take this opportunity of thanking our many customers for their liberal patronage and solicit their future trade as well as that of many new ones. Phone orders promptly filled. Phone 296. Goods delivered free to any part of the city.

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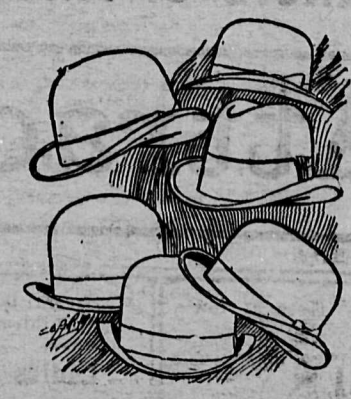

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PROCTER JOINER, K. of R. and S.

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Thos. Fitzmaurice, W. P.
H. Daniel, W. Secretary.

I.O.O.F. Meets in Odd Fellows Hall on Queen Street, between First and Second avenues. Regular meetings each Monday night. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend and register within 30 days.
W.S. Murphy, Sec, M. B Bridgford, N. G

Dr. Bowes has removed his office to his residence on the corner of Le Roi avenue and Queen street, next to Rossland club.

Independent Market

Buy your lard at the Independent Meat Market; 12½c a pound by the bulk or pail.

DRESSMAKING SCHOOL

MRS. LANGLOIS has just opened a Dressmaking School. Lessons on cutting, fitting and finishing. We cut, fit and prepare your material. While learning you can make your own dresses or take orders from others. Also evenings from 7 to 9 o'clock.

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