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For sale cheap—Five roomed house with city water &c., East Columbia avenue. Apply P. O. box 545. Price $150. 6t.

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Fresh fat turkeys, geese, ducks and chickens, all kinds of wild game, ducks, prairie chickens, pigeons and rabbits very cheap at P. Burns & Co's market. 2t

The Kootenay Hotel will have the swellest Xmas dinner in town.

All kinds of wild game; ducks prairie chicken, pigeons and rabbits at the B. C. market. 2t.

Our store is full of Christmas bargains and full of people buying them. O'Hearn. 2t.

Best silver polish in the world, 15 and 25 cents. Free samples at Schofield's jewelry. tf

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EASTERN WIRES

Toronto Swell Hotel to Be Further Increased.

STRIKE AMONGST PIANO MEN

Manitoba Legislature to Meet on January 9—Arrival of Equipment for Third S. A. Contingent.

Toronto, Dec. 24.—Nearly 500 men employed in piano factories in Toronto are out on strike. The Nordheimer factory closed down this morning, virtually locking the men out.

The directors of the new Toronto hotel have decided to add two wings to the building, making eight in all. The addition will bring the cost of building up to $1,250,000.

Halifax, Dec. 24.—The steamship Lake Ontario arrived today with the equipment for the third contingent. The imperial government is supplying everything for the new corps.

Winnipeg, Dec. 24.—It is understood tonight that the Manitoba legislature will be called together on January 9th for the dispatch of business.

MINOR MENTION

There will be mid-night mass at the Roman Catholic church tonight.

The mines, as a rule, will close down until after the holidays.

Fire Chief Lillie, of Nelson, has been discharged by the city council.

Archibald Cameron of the Yellowstone mines, is spending Xmas at Silica.

Vaughan & Cook's windows are tastefully dressed for the holiday season.

The WORLD'S advertisers still continue to practically control its columns.

Tomorrow being Xmas day there will be no issue of the Evening World.

Mrs. Harry Daniel has gone to Portland, Ore., to spend the holidays with her parents.

The weekly rehersal of the harmony club will take place this evening in the fire hall library.

At St. George's church tomorrow there will be two services, one at 8:30 and the other at 11 a.m.

The Christmas dinner at the Kootenay tomorrow will be served from 4 o'clock until 9 p.m.

J. H. McDonald, one of the old Le Roi blacksmiths, is over from the Boundary for the holidays.

Father Welch will go to Trail tomorrow, and High Mass will be celebrated at the Smelter City at 10:30 a.m.

Dinner at the Windsor tomorrow will be served from 4 o'clock till 8 p. m. See the menu in another column.

There was a good sized audience at the benefit tendered Charlie Goff last evening in the fire hall library. Goff left today for Spokane.

The Salvation Army will hold a junior demonstration at the barracks tonight and the annual Christmas tree entertainment will also be held this evening.

Rossland Lodge No. 36. Independent Order of Odd Fellows will hold their sixth annual ball in Miners' Union hall tomorrow, (Christmas) night. Graham's full orchestra will be in attendance.

Smith Curtis, M. P. P., left last evening for an extended trip to Eastern Canadian and American cities. Mr. Curtis hopes to return in time for the Liberal convention to be held at Vancouver on January 30th.

There will be a free vocal and instrumental entertainment in Miners' Union hall on Thursday evening next, when a good program of Xmas carols and other appropriate holiday music will be rendered.

The fire department will have an exceedingly pretty electric light decoration for their annual ball in Miners Union hall on New Year's eve. Angus McDonald, the department's electrician, has arranged in crescent form "A Happy New Year" in colored lights, with the initials R. F. D. underneath.

The Rossland Curling club elected the following club skips last night: J. S. C. Fraser, W. McQueen, F. W. Pretty, A. H. MacNeill, H. H. Smith and Thomas Gray. Additional skips to play in club matches were also elected as follows: Dr. Kerr, J. Lawn, T. S. Gilmour, Dr. Campbell, R. W. Grigor and M. W. Wood.

The troopers selected yesterday by Majer Edwards-Leckie for service with the Canadian Mounted Infantry in South Africa are John A. Coryell, Henry John Hicks, John Menary, Anson Jones Burnside, George Arthur Robertson, Robert James Cameron, Albert Routh, Samuel Lowes, Elbridge Lockhart and William McPhail Bell. The packers enlisted are John H. Hale, Clement Guest and Cyrus McEwen.

The Methodist Sunday school will give a special Xmas entertainment in the church tomorrow (Xmas) evening. An excellent program will be rendered and Santa Claus will be present to distribute presents to the members of the school. As the membership of the school is over two hundred the entertainment will be most enthusiastic throughout. A generous collection to defray expenses is confidently expected.

Xmas Tree Tonight.

The Sunday School of St Andrew's church will give an Xmas tree entertainment this evening. To defray expenses an entrance fee of 25 cents will be charged for all except the children of the school.

The following is the program:
Organ Voluntary.
Prayer.
Song—Sweet Christmas Bells ..... School
Recitation..... Lizzie Wright
Solo "Glory to God in the highest"... Eleanor Robinson, Eva Archer Mrs. Hay's class.
Recitation..... Dimple Campbell
Song—"Christmas Everywhere."
Violin Solo..-Margaret McCraney
Recitation..... Willie Morgan
Boy's Song—"He Comes."
Recitation..... Bessie Buchanan
Duett—"The Christmas Tree".. Mrs. W. C. Archer, Mr. D. McTavish.
"Arabella's Way."
Song—"Merry Christmas to All" ..... School
Distribution of presents and prizes.

The Cascade.

Steve J. Brailo of Cascade, came into the city last night. He says that ten men are at work on the property. The side track is finished and the shipments to the Granby smelter will commence within the week. Steve brought in some fine specimens from the present workings.

The Post Office.

For the benefit of the public the office will be kept open for several hours beyond the usual time of closing this evening, so that the parcel mail may be distributed to all applicants. Tomorrow the staff will have a holiday in common with other people, and the postoffice will only be open between 10 and 11 o'clock a.m.

The City Band.

The members of the city band will meet tomorow at 8.30 a. m. at the corner of Columbia avenue and Washington street for the purpose of serenading at various points about the city.

The bandsmen are not "playing for the drinks" but will be glad to receive voluntary contributions in legal tender form. The amount collected tomorrow will be applied in purchase of new music and the general improvement of the band.

BRITISH LOSSES

Casualty List in South Africa Growing Longer.

BOERS FIGHTING DESPERATELY

The Fight at Tafel Kop—Damant's Horse Capture the Kopje—Hard Fighting Everywhere.

London, Dec. 23.— Lord Kitchener cables reports of sharp fighting. The engagements occurred, December 18th, 19th and 20th at points widely apart. The casualties, so far at known aggregate about 150 equally divided, but heavy British losses, the totals of which have not been reported, have occured in the Transvaal.

In the eastern part of the Transvaal, Colonel MacKenzie attacked Commandent Smit's force of Boers at Lake Banagaher, on December 20th and killed six and captured 16 of the enemy. Commandant Smit escaped.

A force of Boers, during the night of December 19th attacked the British post at Elandspruit but the burghers were driven off leaving eight men killed, including Commandant Kriese. Field Cornet Mahon, who was wounded, and three other wounded men were also left on the field. The British casualties were seven men killed and six officers and 18 men wounded.

In all the encounters recently reported the Boers charged determinedly and in overwhelming numbers. The British casualties have been very severe.

In the fight at Tafel Kop the Boers dressed as British yeomanry, engaged in a spendid race with the British, in the attempt to be first in gaining the crest of the kopje. The Boers gained the summit first, and fired on the single troop of Damant's horse which took in the race for the kopje. These troopers took advantage of the small amount of cover available, immediately below the Boers and fought until all but four of them were killed or wounded. By that time reinforcements of Damant's horse came up and charged and captured the kopje.

Christmas Goods.

The B. C. Meat Market has an unusually good display of meats and game of all sorts. In the window is a dressed porker with a bear cub on top that delights the juveniles, and on the floor of the shop is some soil of old Ireland, specially brought over for this season.

An Old Rosslander.

Amongst those who will leave for South Africa tomorrow night is John Menary, linotype operator who has been on the Rossland Miner staff since 1896. Printers and newspaper men will join in giving John a send off tomorrow afternoon.

Best Christmas Window.

Paulson Bros., the grocers, have a special Christmas window display that is one of the best in the city. There is a representation of the stable at Bethlehem all complete, and the whole window display is well worth seeing.

Conciliation at Nanaimo.

Vancouver, Dec. 14.—Premier Dunsmuir yesterday held a conference with the Extension miners. The meeting broke up in a dispute over the recent question of amalgamation of the unions and Dunsmuir is quoted as having told the miners that they could go to hell.

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. rf

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CHRISTMAS.

"Glory to God in the highest and on earth, peace to men of good will."

To its readers, the EVENING WORLD extends very heartily the season's greetings.

For at least one day in the year we may all forget that any differences exist.

That every one may have a Merry Christmas tomorrow, and that 1902 may prove a happy and prosperous year for us all, is the earnest wish of the publishers of this newspaper. Good luck all round.

There will only one toast drunk tomorrow. "Absent friends"—the world over, above and neath the sod. Unhappy indeed is the man or woman who stands so alone in this transitory life that he or she cannot think of at least one heart that would beat quicker for being remembered on Christmas night.

Acquaintances we all have but —"friends"—well that's different, and here's to them.

SCHWAB'S CONTENTION.

Charles M. Schwab, the president of the United States Steel Corporation, is already on record regarding the probable results of the recent conference in New York between labor and capital, and at Chicago last week Mr. Schwab went into the "trust" question before a meeting at the Banker's Club.

He declares the trust is a dead issue, and that consolidation is quite another matter.

Mr. Schwab, said:

"Before a company of bankers it is, of course, unnecessary to defend the principles of consolidation," said Mr, Schwab, "Men in you business are of necessity too well grounded in industrial science to be affected by the timorous advocates of old-line methods or the silly outcry against consolidation as 'trusts.' No one has a clearer appreciation than myself of the evil that lurked in the 'trust' scheme. I say 'lurked' advisedly, because the trust is a dead business proposition with which we will never again be troubled. It was an experiment, and to that end served its purpose. But it was founded on misconception and prompted along lines of self-destruction.

"Its fundamental principles were the restriction of trade, the increase of prices and the throttling of competition—a trinity that would wreck any proposition, business, political or social. The consolidation as organized today has for its guiding line the very opposite of this. Instead of restricting trade it expands trade by creating new avenues and reducing the price of the commodities which it produces. It is enabled to do this because the chief advantage of consolidation is the reduction in the cost of articles produced."

It will be seen that the president of the big steel consolidation cordially agrees to the principle of labor consolidation and he is not so foolish as to openly advocate the suppression of labor unions.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

His Worship Mayor Lalonde, today handed the WORLD a detailed statement of civic receipts and expenditures for the current year up to the 21st December. The statement is a somewhat lengthy one but the bulk of it will appear in the next issue of the WORLD. We are obliged for the statement and think that citizens generally will be glad to peruse the document.

The effect on the human race produced by life in congested centres of population has led Earl Grey to make the suggestion that there should be a stocktaking of national physique. In a letter to the Times recently on the subject he says:—"Two great facts stand out prominently—(1) That the population reared in the sunless slums of our smoke enveloped cities unless reinforced by marriage with men and women born and reared in God's fresh air, deteriorate quickly to such an extent that the third generation is either sterile, or at best capable or giving birth to an infirm and rickety posterity. (2) That the human reservoirs in the country, on which the towns depend for the maintenance of their stamina and vigor, are daily growing lower. and before long, unless present tendencies are changed, will become absolutely dry."

Watch the names on the parcels the crowd carry—its generally O'Hearn. 2t.

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.

Hot Roast Beef served with every glass of beer at the Alhambra.

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The Rev. C. F. WELLS, of Villa Ridge, Ill., says: "Your trial bottle of Asthmalene received in good condition. I cannot tell you how thankful I feel for the good derived from it. I was a slave, chained with putrid sore throat and Asthma for ten years. I despaired of ever being cured. I saw your advertisement for the cure of this dreadful and tormenting disease, Asthma, and thought you had overspoken yourselves, but resolved to give it a trial. To my astonishment, the trial acted like a charm. Send me a full size bottle."

Rev. Dr. Morris Wechsler,
Rabbi of the Cong. Bnai Israel.
New York, Jan. 3, 1901.

DRS. TAFT BROS', MEDICINE CO.,
Gentlemen: Your Asthmalene is an excellent remedy for Asthma and Hay Fever, and its composition alleviates all troubles which combine with Asthma. Its success is astonishing and wonderful.

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REV. DR. MORRIS WECHSLER.

Avon Springs, N. Y., Feb. 1, 1901.

DR. TAFT BROS. MEDICINE CO.
Gentlemen: I write this testimonial from a sense of duty, having tested the wonderful effect of your Asthmalene, for the cure of Asthma. My wife has been afflicted with spasmodic asthma for the past 12 years. Having exhausted my own skill as well as many others, I chanced to see your sign upon your windows on 130th street, New York, I at once obtained a bottle of Asthmalene. My wife commenced taking it about the first of November. I very soon noticed a radical improvement. After using one bottle her Asthma has disappeared and she is entirely free from all symtoms. I feel that I can consistently recommend the medicine to all who are afflicted with this distressing disease.
Yours respectfully, O. D. PHELPS, M. D.

DR. TAFT BROS. MEDICINE CO. Feb. 5, 1901.
Gentlemen: I was troubled with Asthma for 22 years. I have tried numerous remedies, but they have all failed, I ran across your advertisement and started with a trial bottle. I found relief at once. I have since purchased your full size bottle, and I am ever grateful. I have a family of four children, and for six years was unable to work. I am now in the best of health and am doing business every day. This testimony you can make such use of as you see fit.
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We extend to our Customers and Friends our best wishes for a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

Paulson Bros.

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.

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A Very Merry Christmas

and the best wishes to all who may glance through these columns for a Happy and Prosperous 1902.

Invest a portion of your loose change in some of our novelties and you'll have a merry Christmas.

HOLSTEAD & WRIGHT COLUMBIA AVENUE ROSSLAND, B. C.

The Crescent Dry Goods Co., Limited

Extends the Compliments of the Season to its Many Patrons and the Public in General, wishing one and all a Merry Xmas and a Bright and Prosperous New Year.

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Wishes its many friends and patrons a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

WILL BEAR GOOD FRUIT

John Mitchell Warmly Approves of the New York Conference.

Indianapolis, Dec. 24.—John Mitchell, president of the United Mineworkers of America, who has just returned from the east, where he attended the arbitration meeting called by the National Civic Federation in New York said:

"I regard that meeting as the greatest step toward harmonizing labor and capital that has ever been taken in America. There is no doubt in my mind as to the feasibility of the plan, and I have no doubt that it will bear fruit. When such men as Senator Hanna and Mr. Schwab meet the labor leaders of the country in an effort to bring about means for a compromise it shows a good feeling on the part of capital and labor."

Fresh Xmas turkeys 18 cents per pound at the B. C. market Columbia avenue. 2t.

Furnished rooms with stoves at strike prices at the Alhambra.

A Toronto Strike.

Toronto, Dec. 24.—Five hundred piano makers at a meeting held on Saturday decided to go on strike this morning at 7 o'clock. The men demand a nine hour day and a scale from 22½ cents to 27 cents per hour.

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. rf

Fresh turkey 18 cents per pound at the B. C. market, Columbia avenue. 2t.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

KOOTENAY.

Fred Russler, city.
Mrs. R. Meyerhoff, Kelog, Wash.
J. K. Singer, city.
G. A. Guess, Greenwood.
W. O. Smith, Greenwood.
A. C. Mesker, Midway.
S. H. Lowes, Trail.
C. M. McEwen, Trail.
E. Butler, Trail.

HOFFMAN HOUSE.

C. B. Oschmer, Spokane.
A. P. Morgan, Alberta.
Thos. McManus and wife, Silverton.
Jas. Regan and wife, Phoenix.
W. Abernethy, Phoenix.
F. H. Zirbel, West Robson.
D. A. McDougall, West Robson.
J. M. McMartin, Curlew, Wash.
Uland Byers, Trail.
Jas. Cooper, Jr., Woodstock, Ont.
Archibald Davis, Midway.
Jacob Weber, Erie.

HOTEL WINDSOR.

Thomas Ritchie, Alymer.
J. Fred Ritchie, city.
E. W. Liljegran, Columbia.
W. E. Partens, Butte.
Wm. Winters, Spokane.
T. O. Harvey, Chicago.
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Labor Union Directory.

Officers and Meetings.

NELSON MINERS UNION No. 96, W. F. M. Meets every Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock. John McPhe son, Pres., James Wks e Visiting brothers cor a invited.

GREENWOOD MINERS UNION No. 22, W. F. M., meets every Saturday evening in Union hall. Geo. F. Dougherty, Pres., M. Kane, Sec.

KASLO MINERS UNION — Meets every Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock in Miners Union hall. M. P. McAndrew, Pres., D. McPhail, Sec. P. O. box 75.

ROSSLAND FEDERAL Labor Union No. 19. Meets last Monday evening in each month at 7:30 in Miners' Union hall. T. H. Reed, Pres., J. V. Ingram, Sec.

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, Presidei .

NEW DENVER MIN' RS Union No. 97, W. I . M. Meets every Saturda evening at 7:30 o'clock in Union hall. T. J. L oyd, 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.

STOCK MARKETS

Business Is Booming on the Exchange.

FOURTEEN THOUSAND SHARES

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

Business is booming on the stock exchange and 14,000 shares changed hands this morning.

Winnipeg, War Eagle, White Bear, Centre Star and Rambler-Cariboo were the stocks dealt in.

Rambler-Cariboo is steadily going up, the shares selling at 70c today.

Winnipeg was a little stronger at 4c, and White Bear was in demand at 3c.

On the Toronto market 7500 White Bear sold at 3⅞c.

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

Today's Toronto Quotations.

	Asked	Bid
War Eagle	11	9
Centre Star	51	30
Iron Mask	18	14
Rambler-Cariboo	70	65
Giant	5	3
California	4¼	3
Republic	4	3½
Payne	22	17
Winnipeg	5	3¾

The sales in Toronto today included: Winnipeg, 7,500, 3⅞c; Republic, 1000, 3¾c.

Today's Local Quotations:

	Asked	Bid
Abe Lincoln	8	
American Boy	7	5
Athabasca	$ 4 00	
B. C. Gold Fields	3	
Big Three	2½	
Black Tail	11½	9¾
California	5½	4
Canadian Gold Fields	5½	4
Cariboo (Camp McKinney)	15	13½
Centre Star	31	30
Crows Nest Pass Coal	$80 00	$72 00
Deer Trail No. 2	3	2¼
Dundee		
Evening Star (Assess. paid)	5	
Giant	5	3¼
Golden Crown Mines, Lim	4¼	3½
Homestake (Assess. paid)	3	1
Iron Mask (Assess. paid)	21	14
Iron Colt	1	
I X L	15	
Jumbo	5	
King (Oro Denoro)		
Knob Hill		
Lone Pine	6	5
Monte Christo	3	1
Montreal Gold Fields	3	1
Morning Glory	3	1½
Morrison	3½	2¾
Mountain Lion	28	25
Noble Five		1
North Star (East Kootenay)	30	22
Novelty	1	
Old Ironsides	85	75
Payne	25	17
Peoria Mines	1½	
Princess Maud	3	2
Quilp		25
Rambler-Cariboo	70	69
Republic	5	4
Rossland Bonanza G. M. & S. Co.		
Spitzee Gold Mines	$ 5 00	
St. Elmo Consolidated	2½	1
Sullivan	11	8½
Tamarac (Kenneth) Assess. paid.	5	
Tom Thumb	19	16
Van Anda	3	1½
Virginia	3	1½
War Eagle Consolidated	12	10
Waterloo	1	¼
White Bear	3½	2¾
Winnipeg	5	3¾
Wonderful	4	2

Today's Sales:

Winnipeg, 1000, 1000, 1000, 1000, 1000, 4c; Rambler-Cariboo, 500, 500, 1000. 70c; Centre Star, 2000, 1000, 31c; White Bear, 3000, 3c; War Eagle, 1000, 11½c. Total sales, 14,000, shares.

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To the Electors of Ward One.

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

Yours respectfully,
ED. KING.

Diamonds—a few diamond rings at bargains. Schofield's jewelry. tf

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Yours respectfully,
PETER JOHN McKICHAN.

Do not fail to go to the Kootenay Hotel for your Xmas dinner.

Have you seen O'Hearn's big tie window. 2t.

Kootenay Hotel

Christmas Menu.

Olympia Oysters, Raw.

SOUP.
Cream of Tomato and Consumme au Riz.

California Olives, Dill Pickles,
Celery en Branche.

FISH
Fried Lake Superior Trout, Sauce Tar Tar
Potatoes Percilade

BOILED
Boiled Capon, a la Pouelette

ENTREES
Shrimp Patte
Goose Liver, Fois Gras, Champagne Sauce
Saute of Mallard Duck, a la Marangue
Pineapple Fritters, Wine Sauce

ROASTS
Prime Ribs of Beef, au jus
Young Turkey, Cranberry Sauce
Sucking Pig, Apple Sauce
Hothouse Lettuce and Dressing

VEGETABLES
Steamed and Mashed Potatoes
Garden Peas, Baked Sweet Potatoes

PUDDING
English Plum, Brandy Sauce

PIES
Hot Mince and Lemon Cream

DESSERT
Scotch Trifle, Orange Jelly
Fruit Cake, Nuts, Raisins,
Mixed Fruits
Roquefort and Canadian Cheese
Cafe Noir

Windsor Hotel

CHRISTMAS MENU

Blue Point Oysters on Half Shell.

SOUP.
Mulligatawney, Consomme

FISH
Boiled Salmon, Tartar Sauce.

SALADS
Lettuce, Queen Olives,
Shrimp Salad, a Miue.

BOILED
English Leg of Mutton, Caper Sauce,
Ham, Champagne Sauce.

ROASTS
Sirloin Beef, Yorkshire Pudding,
Turkey, Cranberry Sauce,
Goose, Apple Sauce.

ENTREES
Broiled Spring Chicken, with Puttpois
Fillet of Duck, Wine Sauce.
Fry Sweet Breads a la Supreme
Rabbit Patties, Family Sauce
Vanilla Fritters, Cider Sauce

RELISHES
Chow Chow, Mixed Pickles, Olives,
Chutney Anchovy Sauce, Walnuts,
Le Perins Sauce, Blue Label Catsup

VEGETABLES
Boiled and Mashed Potatoes
Baked Brown Sweet Potatoes
Sugar Corn

DESSERT
English Trifle Pudding, Cream Custard Sauce
Christmas Plum Pudding, Hot and Brandy Sauce
Hot Mince Pie, Deep Apple Pie
Jam Tart, Wine Jelly
Strawberry Ice Cream

FRUITS
Apples, Oranges, Bananas, Figs
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By Order.
H. Daniel, Secy. 3t.

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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 the above ward.

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 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.

To the Electors of Ward One.

At the request of many of the electors I will be a candidate for re-election for the coming year as alderman in Ward One.

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SOUP
Green Turtle, Quanlet
Clear Consomme, Printiniere

FISH
Barbuqued Salmon, Wine Sauce
Pommes Parisienne.

Lobster Mayonaise, Shrimp Salad

BOILED
Young Capon, Matree d' Hotel.

Sherbet Creme d' Menthe

ENTREES
Salmi Teal Duck, Olivet
Queen Fritters, Lemon Sauce

ROAST
Stuffed and Boned Turkey, Bellevue
Claret Wine Punch
Prime Beef, au jus
Domestic Goose, Apple Sauce

VEGETABLES
Steamed and Mashed Potatoes
Sugar Beans, Sweet Corn
Fried Parsnips

Mince Pie, Green Apple Pie
English Plum Pudding, Hard or Brandy Sauce
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