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Fifth Fall Fair and Exhibition

Official Opening by Hon. Price Ellison.---Wonderful Fruit and Produce Exhibits.---Poultry Section a Big Feature.---Horse Races Provide Fine Sport.---All the Fun of the Fair at Revelstoke.

Tuesday, October 8th, was the opening day of the big fair, for four days previous the Secretary had been busy completing the final arrangements, receiving and looking after the large number of exhibits from outside points, laying out for the horsemen competing in the races, and the various sideshow artists their quarters at the exhibition grounds.

On Monday evening everything was completed, the last of a record number of entries had been allotted in the new building, everything was in apple pie order; but it was raining, the weary officials looked gloomily at the threatening sky and spoke pessimistically of the prospects for racing on the morrow. But the fates were more than kind. At 11:30 a.m., on the opening day, a glorious sun broke through the clouds, the day developed into a typical specimen of the "Indian Summer" variety. About 1:30 p.m., numerous rigs chartered to convey visitors to the Park commenced doing a rushing business, and by 2 p. m. a considerable crowd of visitors, and residents "gone a fairing" were arriving at the scene of the exhibition. At 3 p.m., Hon. Price Ellison, Provincial Minister of Agricultural, in company with Mayor Sutherland, President A. McRae of the Agricultural Association, Secretary T.E.L. Taylor, and other officials, mounted the grand stand steps, from which elevated position, Mayor Sutherland, in a few well chosen remarks, introduced the Hon. Gentleman to the assemblage, and called upon Hon. Price Ellison to formerly open the Revelstoke and District Agricultural Association Fall Fair and Exhibition for year 1912.

Hon. Price Ellison then took the platform, and speaking in an easy, conversational style, well suited to the simplicity of the occasion, said:

It is a pleasure and a surprise to me to be here today. Your member, the Hon. Thomas Taylor said, "You must go to Revelstoke and see for yourself what we can do." When I came to these beautiful grounds this morning, the sight of your exhibits was quite sufficient to tell me that you are in the front rank of the Agricultural and horticultural industry of the Province. (Cheers). This occasion is a great encouragement alike to the Agricultural Department and to yourselves. I am sorry when you were building, that you had not sufficent confidence in this vast district, extending from Sicamous to the Arrow Lakes, to build an even larger addition to your exhibition building than the new building planned and erected by your Association during the past year, and which even now is almost overcrowded with exhibits of the produce of your soil and climate. I am glad to be informed by your President, that the building is planned with a view to future additions and extensions; those extensions will shortly be needed, your exhibits must increase wonderfully in number and quality, for you have in this district homes for thousands of people upon the land.

FERTILITY OF SOIL.

I notice in my travels through this district, that clover is almost a weed here. Where such is the case, you can live and grow fat, on the business of agriculture. (Cheers).

The quality of your product shows that you have sufficient moisture by the rains, and are not called upon to irrigate, which is a very great advantage indeed.

RAILWAY BELT LANDS

I hope that you will insist upon the Dominion government opening up your valuable lands. It is very important to this town, that the land in this district, which is so eminently suitable for agriculture, should be thrown open, (loud applause) and that it will be covered with a permanent population of prosperous agriculturists. (Cheers.) I think if your land be laid off in blocks, you will have a tremedous asset in the lands of this district.

THE EXHIBITION.

It is very gratifying to see such an exhibition as you have here, which is a credit alike to the exhibitors and the Association. Take for instance the exhibit of Mr. Thos. Abriel which shows what can be done by one man, when engaged in friendly rivalry and in a task which is congenial to every exhibitor, namely, of demonstrating the quality of the produce of our soil. I have never seen better vegetables than you have in this exhibit, and the keeping qualities of your fruits grown on non-irrigated lands at these high altitudes is a factor which will tell in your favor in bringing the very highest prices. In your efforts to extend your agricultutal and horticultural operations by securing the throwing open of the lands in this district, you can depend upon our utmost and cordial support. The people of Revelstoke, the ladies and children, and all those who have brought their exhibits, are showing the possibilities of your district in the varied lines of agricultural and industrial productions represented here today, and they are to be congratulated upon the success which has attended their efforts.

In your endeavors to still further extend your exhibition buildings, which even now are too small for the adequate showing of your products, I hope you will have faith and courage enough to provide for the future, and I will always be willing to meet you half way at least. (Cheers). It is gratifying to me to know that you have spent $18,000 in this work, your grounds and buildings are a permanent asset to the citizens and to your city, and I trust that in the near future you will see your way to again extend your hall, anything I can do to encourage you I shall be very pleased indeed to do. (Loud and prolonged cheers.)

I hope the people of Revelstoke and district will patronise this exhibition you have a splendid exhibition and fine "fair" weather.

I now declare this exhibition open, and trust that you will all have a very successful time indeed. (Loud cheers.)

President A. McRae—Ladies and gentlemen, I have very little to say in addition to the previous speakers. I take this opportunity, on behalf of the Association, of thanking the exhibitors. On behalf of the Revelstoke and District Agricultural Association I present to you sir, the Hon. Price Ellison, this gold mounted cane, as a slight token of the esteem in which you are held by the Agricultural Interests of this district, and as a momento of this pleasant occasion.

The Hon. gentleman briefly and appropriately expressed his thanks, and the strains of the Maple Leaf brought the opening ceremony to a close.

AROUND THE FAIR.

The crowds then dispersed, and in a few minutes, the fun of the fair was in full swing. In the Poultry and Pet Stock building, gathered an eager group of enthusiasts, admiring the showing of prize winning birds, whilst the judges and officials were still engaged in making rounds, marking the score cards for each exhibit, previous to announcing the list of prize and honors won.

In the main Agricultural Hall, where the fruit, produce and art and industrial sections are housed, was to be seen a wonderful collection of horticultural and agricultural productions, awaiting the arrival of Professor Winslow, who will perform the judging on behalf of the Association and the Department. Here is fruit which would make fitting ornament for the "Garden of Eden," specimens of juicy apples which would tempt another Adam, plums and pears that bring water to the corners of ones mouth, and peaches almost as big as footballs. Passing on to the vegetable section, the Irishman is reminded of his native land, when he inspects bushels of prize winning potatoes; there are giant cabbages, stacks of crisp white celery, and every sort and description of field and garden produce, topped by an enormous pumpkin weighing 84 pounds, which looks solid enough to make several comfortable dinners for a family of more than Rooseveltian proportions.

One side of the hall is taken up with an assorted exhibit from Nakusp staged by Mr. T. Abriel, which is a creditable exhibition of itself, and would attract a crowd in any city in the world.

Upstairs is located the industrial section, and the display of art, needlework, and varied home productions preserves, bread, etc., is well worthy of the high standard in other departments.

Throughout the afternoon, a series of horse races are pulled off, and these events will be continued on the other two days of the fair. Commencing at 3:15 the results were:

First race, Four and a half furlongs—1st, Nellie Racine, 2nd, Combury. Four horses started, and it was a very close race, the winner taking the lead three quarters round the course and kept a length ahead to the finish.

Second race, Five Furlongs.—Doride, 1st; Tristie, 2nd. A well contested race. Tristie was the favorite in the betting, and led right to the end, when Doride passed on the inside and won by a short head.

Third Race, Quarter Mile Local:—St. Peter, 1st; Baby Doll, 2nd. An easy race. Three started, after a lot of trouble getting the horses off at the flag. St. Peter took the lead from the start, and won by two lengths, leaving the field to fight for second place.

Fourth race, Six Furlongs—1st, Lord Rossington; 2nd, Melar.—Four horses started. Lord Rossington was favorite according to the odds, but most of the money was up on Josie S. Melar was considered a long shot at five to two. An exciting race, Josie S. led for a while, but the distance told, and Lord Rossington came home first, with the long shot a close second, and the field two lenghts behind.

The full results of the exhibition, from the official prize list, will be published in our Saturday issue.

Personnel of Ducal Party

Field Marshall His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught, Her Royal Highness the Duchess of Connaught, Her Royal Highness the Princess Patricia.

Miss E. Pelly, lady-in-waiting to Her Royal Highness the Duchess of Connaught; Miss C. Adam, lady-in-waiting to Her Royal Highness the Princess Patricia.

Lieutenant-Colonel H.W. Lowther, C.M.G., M.X.O.D.S.O., military secretary; Capt. T. H. Rivers Bulkely, C.M.G., M.V.O., comptroller and equerry; Major S. Worthington, R.A.M.C., M.V.O., medical officer; Captain W. Long, D.S.O., aide-de-camp; Capt. H. C. Buller, aide-de-camp; Mr. W.R. Baker, C.V.O., representing the C.P.R. and several representatives of the British, American and Canadian press associations.

Real Highland Wedding

A charming Highland wedding was that of Miss Jessie Maclean, daughter of the late Mr. John Maclean of Minneapolis, U.S.A., and of Mrs. Maclean, Temperance hotel, Shieldaig, Lochearron, to Mr. Kenneth McGregor of Revelstoke, Canada.

The marriage was solemnised in true Highland fashion, the bridal party marching to church headed by a piper through the length of the picturesque village of Shieldaig. The pretty young bride was conducted by her uncle, Mr. Duncan Macrae, who gave her away. The nuptial knot was tied by the Rev. Samuel Nicolson, minister of the Established Church, in the presence of about 100 guests. Mr. Donald Macrae, merchant (uncle of the bride), was best man, and Miss Lilly Maclean (sister of the bride), bridesmaid.

The bride looked very sweet in a gown of ivory satin trimmed with pearl embroidery, the yoke and sleeves of fine lace, white satin shoes and long tulle veil draped over a coronet of orange blossom and white heather. Miss Lilly Maclean's frock was a pale blue ninon, with shoes and hat en suite.

After the ceremony a reception, followed by a dinner and dance, was given by Mrs. Maclean, mother of the bride, at the Temperance hotel. An enjoyable evening was spent, dancing being kept up till the morning—Peoples Journal, Dundee.

Opposed to Amalgamation

Halifax, Oct. 3—The Presbyterian synod, by a vote of 124 to 37 voted against the amalgamation of the eastern and western mission funds of the church. Ex-president Forest declared that the result of the amalgamation would be to kill out the life of this synod by taking away its personal contact with the work of the church and that the final effect of the whole movement for centralization of church work in Toronto would be bureaucracy instead of Presbyterianism.

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1912

By the time these lines appear in print, the Revelstoke Fall Fair and Exhibition of 1912, will be a fact accomplished, two of the three days to be spent in celebrating the Agricultural and Industrial progress and prosperity of the district will already have passed away.

Our readers will doubtless have all taken advantage of the opportunity to visit the exhibition, and see for themselves the productions which will furnish incontestable evidence as to the fitness of our soil and climate for the growth and ripening of the highest class of agricultural and horticultural products.

It is indeed fitting that at the same time as this showing of our farming wealth and capabilities is being made we should also have before us the report of Land Commissioner Maber as published in an interview contained elsewhere in this issue. The sightseer who visits the fair, will be able to gain some idea of what the future holds for Revelstoke and this interior when the thousands of acres of most valuable lands, at present tied up in the railway belt, are thrown open to the bonafide settler, as is foreshadowed in Mr. Maber's remarks. The potential wealth of our friends is incalculable, and the release of the railway lands, will bring a fresh wave of prosperity to every portion of our district; the exhibits at the fair are only a tithe of the vast mass of agricultural produce which will be raised annually on our lands, both inside and outside the Railway Belt, during the next ten years.

Will Visit Kootenay

Victoria, B.C., Oct. 3—Premier McBride will be present at the opening of the Okanagan apple show at Vernon on October 23. While in the interior he will make a flying trip thru the Kootenays and the Boundary, visiting Creston, Cranbrook, Fernie, and Columbia Valley points, reaching Golden in time to be present at a banquet in his honor and attending the Provincial Conservative association's convention in Revelstoke on the 24th. He will be accompanied by R. F. Green, M. P.

Timber Records Broken

All records for timber scaled by the government scalers were broken last month when a total of $1,600,000 feet of logs were passed by the government coast scalers. The figures for the interior have not yet been received by the Vancouver timber office, but Timber Inspector George D. McKay estimates them to be another 20,000,000 feet. This is one more indication that the present will be the record year for lumbering in the province.

The fees for government royalties, timber licenses and scaling amounted to $47,563 during September, a large increase over the corresponding month of last year when the fees aggregated $30,000.

British Politics

London, Oct. 5—It is anticipated that there will be much trouble at the opening of the parliament next week.

Mr. Lloyd George's new land policy has caused much discontent. The Ulster campaign and the attitude of the Laborites are making things very uncomfortable for the Liberals.

The correspondent at Dublin of The Times, says that he learns that Lord Macdonnell, the Earl of Dunraven and other influential men are making a gallant effort to save the Irish Home Rule bill on the basis of radical amendments for the clause most objectionable to Irish Unionists. The correspondent adds that he believes William O'Brien, leader of the Independent Nationalists, is interested in the move.

Knightly Honor Conferred

Victoria, Oct. 3—Sir Richard McBride, who was recently created a Knight Commander of the Order of St. Michael and St. George at the time of the distribution of bithday honors, was last night at Government House, just prior to the official dinner, invested by His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught, with the insignia of this distinguished order, the ceremony being of a private nature.

The insignia consists of a star, badge and riband of the order, the seven rays of the star surrounding a figure of St. George destroying the dragon, this encircled by the motto of the order, "Auspicium Melioris Aevi." The badge, which is worn on a ribbon pendant from a crown, is of a similar design, while the riband is of Saxon blue with a thin stripe of scarlet to be worn across the breast.

The ceremony was witnessed by Sir Richard and Lady McBride's children the investiture taking place in the presence of Their Royal Highnesses the Duchess of Connaught and Princess Patricia.

It was by the special wish of His Royal Highness that the children of Sir Richard and Lady McBride were present on this noteworthy occasion in their father's honored career.

Poll Tax to be Cancelled

Vancouver, B.C., Oct. 3—"The legislature will meet in January, and the indications already point to a busy session. As I intimated some time ago," said Premier McBride, en route to New Westminster fair, "amendments to the provincial revenue laws will have a prominent place in the sessional program. The proposed new law will involve the cancellation of the old three dollar poll tax as well as important changes in the way of reductions of personal and real property taxation.

"The government, true to the principle of assisting in the economic and industrial conditions of the province, holds the view that all revenue necessary to carrying on the machinery of government, should be derived from the natural resources of the country without having recourse to direct taxation, In such a young and growing province, the taxation question can not be solved as rapidly as we should like, but we have an ideal in view, and are steadily working to accomplish it.

"There will be other important legislation which it is premature to outline. It is expected the municipal commission will report and this will enable the house to go on with consolidation work. The sessional work is becoming increasingly heavy owing to the rapid growth of the country. We expect within the next two weeks to make announcements respecting university affairs and the labor and agricultural commissions which the government has promised to appoint.

LARGE SETTLEMENT.

"Reports received by the government indicate that this summer has witnessed a very large settlement on the lands throughout the province. In fact it has assumed proportions that make it noteworthy and an augury of bigger things next year."

Referring to receptions to the Duke of Connaught in all cities visited, the premier said no representative of the crown was ever more enthusiastically received.

A Telephone Tangle

Several days ago a young man repaired to a telephone office and rang up his sweetheart at her residence.

"Is that you Marion?"

"Yes, George dear," she replied.

"Are you alone?"

"Yes darling."

"I wish I was there."

"I wish so too."

"If I was there, do you know what I would do with you darling?"

"No George, I do not. What?"

And then somehow the lines got mixed, and this is what she heard.

"Well, I'd pull her ears back till she opened her mouth, and then I'd slap a lump of mud in it. If that didn't answer I'd give her a jolly good threshing."

And then Marion fainted.

Now they never speak as they pass by, and the farmer who was talking to the Vet about his balky mare, says that anyone who would advise a man to put his arms around the neck of an obsreperous horse and whisper words of love in its ear ought to be hung to the nearest telephone pole.

Honor Roll

Following is the honor roll of Selkirk school for the month of September:

High Third Reader—D. Mackenrot, O. Lundell, (S. Moran Pat Skene), F. Porta, D. Porta.

Low Third Reader—L. Hobson, C. Johnson, A. Cashato, D. Hume, M. Goodwin.

High Second Reader—C. Laughead, w. Frey, J. Smith, D. Rushford, J. Guzzo.

Low Second Reader—L. Beech, J. Patrick, R. Beech, E. Kincaid, E. Davenport.

High First Reader—P. Tivine, E. Frey, E. Carlson, L. Hayward, H. Curveon.

Low First Reader—E. McDonell, G. Donaldson, E. MacArthur, W. Cormier, E. McCleneghan.

Low Second Primer—W. Porter, J. Ringer, E. Robbins, H. Briggs, A. Gallicano.

High Second Primer—J. Carmichael G. Micielli, R. Micielli, R. Goodwin, A. Tevin, C. Kimberley.

High First Primer—L. Pradolini, F. Skene, J. Gosh, R. Frey.

Low Second Primer—R. Rowlett, V. Paleck, C. Limozki, A. Corning.

Low First Primer—T. Caraechio, K. Squarebriggs, D. Nelson, A. Hobson.

British Football

London, Oct. 5—Today's results in football follow:

FIRST DIVISION.

Aston Villa, 10; Sheffield Wednesday, 0.

Bolton Wanderers, 2; Westbromwich albion, 1.

Chelsea, 2; Sunderland, 0.

Liverpool, 0; Everton, 2.

Manchester United, 1; Blackburn Rovers, 1.

Middlesbrough, 1; Tottenham Hotspurs, 1.

Newcastle United, 1; Bsadford City1

Notts County, 0; Derby County, 1

Oldham Athletic, 0; Woolwich Arsenal, 0.

Sheffield United, 1; Manchester City one.

SECOND DIVISION

Barnsley 2; Fulham 1.

Bradford 3, Bury 1.

Bdrnley 2, Bristol City 2.

Clapton Orient 1, Blackpool 0.

Glossop 0, Lincoln City 1.

Hull City 2, Notts Forest 1.

Leicester Fosse 1, Leeds City 1.

Preston North End 1, Birmingham nil.

Stockport County 3, Haddersfield Town, 1.

Wolverhampton Wanderers 3, Grimsby Town 0.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Brentford 0, Queen's Park Rangers2

Bristol Rovers 0, Gillingham 2.

Millwall Athletic 0, Northampton 1.

Watford 2, Stoke 4.

Exter City 1, Southampton 0.

Coventry City 2, Merthyr Town 3.

Portsmouth 1, Reading 2.

Brighton and Hove Albion 1, Crystal Palace 2.

Westham United 3, Plymouth Argyle 1.

Swindon Town 3, Norwich City 0.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE.

Aberdeen 1, Glasgow Rangers 3.

Third Lanark 0, Airdrieonians 0.

Celtic 1, Nreenock Morton 0.

Motherwell 0, Clyde 1.

Kilmarnock 2, Dundee 0.

Falkirk 2, Hearts of Midlothian 0

Patrick Thistle 2, Hamilton Academicals 1.

Hibernians 3, Queen's Park 0.

Raith Rovers 2, Paisley St. Mirren2

RUGBY.

Devon 0, South Africans 8.

Old Whitgiftians 16, London Welsn 8

Leicester 8, Aberavon 0.

Northampton 8, Coventry 5.

Mosely 14, Manchester 13.

Blackheath 16, Old Merchants Taylors 5.

Newport 4, Cardiff 0.

Neath 3, Penarth 0.

United Service 10, Richmond 7.

London Scottish 21, Rosslyn Park 10

COMING EVENTS

Week commencing October 8—Gladstone Sisters and Edna Randall.

October 15, 16, 17—Millers 101 Ranch Pictures, Buffalo Bills Circus, at the Empress theatre.

October 23—Versalitis in "The Camp Fires Gloom." Empress theatre.

October 28—The Missouri Girl at Empress theatre.

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SETTLEMENT OF RAILWAY BELT

Commissioner Maber on the Results of His Investigation--Early Action Based on Report.—Size of Homesteads Not Determined

Commissioner Maber, appointed by the Dominion government to investigate the matter of the Railway Belt Lands, has now completed his investigations in the Revelstoke district, and left on Monday for the south.

Interviewed by a representative of the Mail-Herald prior to his departure, Mr. Maber said as follows:

I am of the opinion after going over the ground that there is land here which should be made available for homestead entry, that is land which has been logged off by the Lumber Companies and some land which does not contain merchantable timber. How much there might be I cannot say at the moment. There are some cases which we will have to send our timber cruisers over in order to ascertain the section lines of the logged-off lands and to decide cases of dispute, in which the licensees and myself differ as to the value of the timber. Before any lands can be withdrawn, it is provided by the Timber Law that the licensees shall be given sixty days formal notice by the Department. It will, therefore, be two or three months, or perhaps a little more, before I can get around to final action, but the whole matter is now in course and we will make progress.

SQUATTERS ON LANDS.

I have taken note of all cases. They are more numerous than I expected. The timber on the land and the value of their improvements have been estimated by gentlemen who accompanied me and who are experts in these lines, so that their quality as claimants is a matter of exact record Some have done very good work and have placed valuable improvements on the land.

RIGHTS OF SQUATTERS.

The squatters have no rights. They are men who have gone on the land without the right to do so. Insofar as the Homestead Law is concerned, they are simply trespassers. A aquatting situation has grown up here because of the scarcity of land and because such logged-off land as there was suitable for settlers seems to have been unduly slow in coming out of timber license, on that account I have some sympathy for the case of the squatters in this valley. From what I have seen of them I think the majority will make good settlers. The department has more or less discretionary power with respect to such claims. It is, however, for the purpose of terminating this system of dealing with our lands that we are making the present investigation and settlement. The claims which the squatters are now asserting are really claims created by trespass. They are not in accord with our Homestead Law or policy. Hereafter such squatting will not be recognised nor permitted. We will draw the line between timber berths and timber lands on the one hand and homestead lands on the other hand. The timber will be removed and suitable lands opened up as promptly as is reasonable. But the department and not the squatters will hereafter be the judge and the authority in these matters. To secure a right to a piece of land the applicant must get an entry from the land office in Revelstoke or Kamloops. He does not get any right or prior claim by applying either verbally or in writing. He only gets the right when the land agent accepts his fee and issues him a certificate of entry. That is the provision of the law.

If between now and the time of opening of lands any squatter goes on land, he will lose his improvements. The land he goes on will be disposed of as if it were not squatted on, and the squatter will be forced to remove. I will not be able to make an other tour of inspection before the lands are opened for the purpose of enquiring further into squatters claims. So far as new squatters' claims are concerned, the matter is ended. The old ones will be dealt with by the department on their merits. The situation with respect to lands in this valley calls for this action, and that will be the policy which will be followed with respect to this valley. Officers of the department will be authorized and instructed to keep the lands clear using such means as are necessary.

As to the squatter who goes on land on which there is actual timber and which is valuable on that account, there are only one or two men of that sort. Their action is not only illegal but is impertinent. There should be no public support of such cases.

HOMESTEADS.

This question is a difficult one. You certainly have a beautiful valley here and one which will be heard from in the future. The small holdings policy which seems to find particular favor in Revelstoke, is a policy which involves a limitation of the ordinary homestead idea. That is to say, its ultimate success depends on the development of the land by a competent class of farmers, whose efforts are directed to specialized forms of agriculture. I cannot say at present that I am prepared to recommend that a homesteader should get less than 160 acres. I intend to make some further special inquiries with respect to it. I would not advise that anyone take for granted what the decision of the department will be in the matter.

Consarvatives Urge Appointment

Nelson, B.C., Oct. 5—Urging upon the federal government the need for the creation of a portfolio of mines, and the appointment of Robert F. Green, M.P., for Kootenay, to the position, the executive of the Nelson Conservative association has passed the following resolution, moved by Thomas McAstocker, and seconded by Harry Bird:

That whereas, the mining industry has become one of the most important in the Dominion, having attained a production of $102,291,686 in the year of 1911.

"And whereas the said industry has shown a steady growth in having risen during the last decade from $63,231,836 to the above named sum.

"And whereas the growth and development of the whole mining industry for the Dominion of Canada can be materially aided by greater attention being paid to the requirements and possibilities of the industry.

"And whereas the control of matters relating to the mining industry are at present under the control of a minister of another department.

"And whereas judging from past experience in British Columbia the industry would be stimulated were the questions relating to the protection and development of the industry in the hands of a special minister at liberty to devote his whole attention thereto,

"Therefore, be it resolved, that in the opinion of this meeting the time has arrived when the economic importance of the mining industry and its safe and proper control demand the creation of a portfolio of minister of mines for the Dominion of Canada.

"Be it further resolved, that in the opinion of this meeting there is no more fitting person to fill the position of minister of mines, should such a portfolio be created than R. F. Green, M.P. for Kootenay, whose former position as minister of mines in the provincial cabinet of British Columbia, and also as minister of works in the same cabanet, as well as his 20 years' residence in this province, and his intimate connection during that time with the mining industry eminently fits him for the position."

Regal Party Stop at Halcyon

Halcyon, B.C., Oct. 6th.—The C.P.R. steamer Bonnington, with the Vice Regal Party on board, made an unexpected and unscheduled stop here this forenoon and the distinguished visitors spent a pleasant hour at this spot. The Duke of Connaught and some of the gentlemen of the suite walked up the steep trail to the springs and sampled the mineral water where it gushes from the rock at a temperature of 124 degrees. The Duchess, Princess Patricia and the rest of the party, amused themselves around the hotel; the black cub bear "Joe" who was in his usual playful mood coming in for a large share of attention. His Bruin-ship was snapshotted innumerable times in all sorts of attitudes. Princess Pat was presented with several bunches of luscious Niagara grapes just ripe, picked from two vines that have been trained upon the log cribbing supporting the tecrace in front of the hotel. After returning from the springs, His Royal Highness inspected the interior of the hotel and the gentlemen's bathroom and showed the keenest interest in everything. The weather was superb a perfect day of Indian summer and the whole party seemed to enjoy this little break in their journey to the full.

The s.s. Rossland made her usual stop while the Bonnington was still at the wharf. The Ducal party on the lawn in front of the hotel espied Hon Martin Burrell on board, and waved a greeting which was responded to with a rousing cheer joined in by the large crowd of passengers assembled on the deck.

The Halcyon Bottling Co presented the Royal Party with two cases of mineral water.

There is a large number of guests here taking the baths at present, and those who care to go hunting, and who have sufficient stamina to cope with Halcyon hills can enjoy good sport. Blue grouse especially being quite plentiful this season.

Among the guests registered at the sanitarium for the past ten days are: Wm. Ogilvie, Mrs. R. Howson, F.W. Terry and wife, F. Robinson, Miss Evelyn Ratcliffe, E. Edwards and daughter, P. Wade, R. Cramshank, O Peterson, F. W. Crick, J.E. Dickson wife and family, all of Revelstoke; W. F. Johnson, W. J. Gerbracht, O. Lilja, E. Wilton, B. Anderson, W. Garland Forster, P. Wright, F. Fletcher, A. B. Tweddle, of Nelson; Sol. Langill, Mrs. H.W. Atkinson, Rossland; D. A. McColl, R. Mee, Thos.W. Edwards of Vancouver; P.A. O'Farrell, New York; P. J. Hennessy, of Dublin, Ireland; E. Hillman, Beaton; J. A. Lange, London, Eng.; A. J. Blaney, Okanagan Landing; J. Evans J. C. Johnson, Salmon Arm; Mrs. J. Tanner, Mrs. J. Tedder, R. Tedder of Seattle, Wash.; Ernest Toogood, of Sandon; S. Duffy, H. Thornber, of Kamloops; J.A. Nicol, wife and child Penticton; Mr. and Mrs. E.A. Chiles, Burton City; F.F. Liebscher and wife, A. M. Cavan, J. D. Cavan, J. Rahal J. A. McInnes, Silverton; G. Pettet, Spokane; J. Croil and wife, Montreal J. Cadden, Roseberry; Ernest Sibebil Germany; Dr. A. Mossman, Nakusp; A.S. Saunders, Rogers Pass, Af Kennedy, Winnipeg.

The Late C. F. Crowe

Grand Forks, B.C., Oct. 4—Charles Francis Crowe, a laborer on a boom at the Cascade sawmill, was drowned in ten feet of water in the Kettle river near where he was working. Deceased was 32 years of age and came from Bobcaygeon, Ont. He leaves a widow and two children.—Nelson News.

It will be remembered that the late C. F. Crowe was formerly a resident of Revelstoke, having worked for the Big Eddy Mill Co.

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Commencing at a post planted 20 chains south of a point in the South boundary of Lot 7872, Group One, Kootenay District, which point is distant 40 chains West from the South East Corner of said Lot 7872, and marked "Adelard S. Blondin's North-East Corner Post"; thence south 40 chains, thence west 20 chains thence north 40 chains, thence east 20 chains to the point of commencement containing 80 acres more or less.

Dated the 23rd September, 1912.

ADELARD S. BLONDIN.
Agent.

1st issue Sept. 25th

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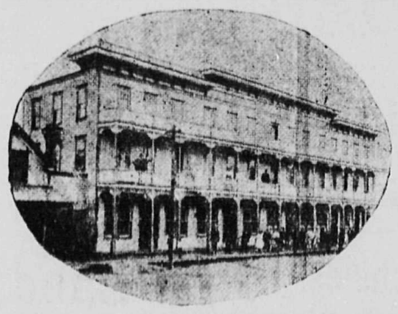

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Take notice that William Henry Wilcox, of Revelstoke, B.C., occupation, Prospector, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the West bank of the Columbia river about 40 chains below Seymour Creek thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains more or less to Columbia river, thence following the Columbia river north to point of commencement, and containing 160 acres, more or less

Dated August 8th, 1912.

WILLIAM HENRY WILCOX, Applicant.
Andrew Kitson, Agent.

1st issue Aug. 31st

NOTICE

Revelstoke Land District.
District of West Kootenay.

Take notice that I, John Albert Lange, of London, England, occupation, Traveller, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted by North East Corner of Lot 11004, on the Upper Arrow Lake, and marked "J.A.L.S.E. Corner," thence north 40 chains along the shore of Arrow Lake, thence west 20 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 80 acres, more or less.

Dated 19th September, 1912.

JOHN ALBERT LANGE,
Per Fredrick W. Terry, Agent.

1st issue Sept. 28th

NOTICE.

Revelstoke Land District.
District of West Kootenay.

Take notice that John R. West, of Revelstoke, B.C., occupation, Saddler intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the West bank of the Columbia river about 40 chains below Seymour Creek thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains more or less to the Columbia river, thence following the bank of the Columbia river south to point of commencement and containing 160 acres, more or less.

Dated August 8th, 1912.

JOHN R. WEST, Applicant.
Andrew Kitson, Agent.

1st issue Aug. 31st.

NOTICE

Revelstoke Land District.
District of West Kootenay.

Take notice that I, Lana A. Blondin, of Halcyon, B. C., occupation Married Woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the South boundary of and 60 chains West from the South East Corner of Lot 7872, Group One, Kootenay District, and marked "Lana A. Blondin's North-West Corner Post"; thence south 20 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 20 chains to said south boundary of said Lot 7872, thence west along said boundary 40 chains more orless to the point of commencement containing 80 acres more or less.

Dated September 23rd, 1912.

LANA A. BLONDIN,
Per A. S. Blondin, Agent.

1st issue Sept. 25.

NOTICE

Revelstoke Land District.
District of West Kootenay.

Take notice that Marshall Derrah, of Revelstoke, B.C., occupation, Logger, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the East bank of the Columbia river about one and a half miles below Rocky Point and about two miles above Peterson's ranch, thence 40 chains north, thence 40 chains west, thence 40 chains more or less south to the Columbia river, thence following the bank of Columbia river to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

Dated August 5th, 1912.

MARSHALL DERRAH, Applicant.
Andrew Kitson, Agent.

1st issue Aug. 31st.

NOTICE

Revelstoke Land District.
District of West Kootenay.

Take notice that I, Ethel Verona Boyd, of Halcyon, B.C., occupation, Married Woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted 60 chains in a westerly direction from the South East Corner of Lot 7872, Group 1, thence 40 chains south, thence 40 chains west to lake shore, thence 40 chains north, thence 40 chains east to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.

Dated September 24th, 1912.

ETHEL VERONA BOYD,
Per Wm. Boyd, Agent.

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This notice was posted on the ground on the 28th day of August, 1912. The application will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Revelstoke, B.C.

Objection may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C.

Canadian Pacific Railway Company, Applicant.
E. W. Bateman, Local Right of Way Agent, Vancouver, B. C.

First issue August 31st.

NOTICE

Revelstoke Land District.
District of West Kootenay.

Take notice that I, William Boyd, of Halcyon, B.C., occupation, Hotel Keeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described land:

Commencing at a post planted at the North West Corner of Lot 100, Group 1; thence north 80 chains following lake shore, thence east 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 40 chains to point of commencement.

Dated September 24th, 1912.

1st issue Sept. 28 Wm. BOYD.

NOTICE

Revelstoke Land District.
District of West Kootenay.

Take notice that I, Jean Batise S. Blondin, of Montreal, Que., occupation Merchant, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at post planted 40 chains south from a point in the South boundary of Lot 7872, Group One, Kootenay District, which is distant from the South East Corner of said Lot 7872 60 chains, and marked "Jean Batise S. Blondin's North-East Corner Post"; thence south 60 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence north 60 chains, thence east 20 chains to the point of commencement, containing 120 acres more or less.

Dated September 23rd, 1912.

JEAN BATISE Blondin, Agent.

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NEWS FROM FAR AND NEAR

Calgary already has 15 candidates in the field for the mayorality, with more entries to come.

The death of Sir Richard Cartwright makes eight vacancies in the Senate which when filled will contain fifty-nine Liberals and twenty-eight Conservatives, leaving a Liberal majority of thirty-one.

Before leaving London for Paris, on his way to Egypt, Lord Kitchener received warning that he might be shot en route. Consequently extraordinary precautions were taken for his safety by the Scotland Yard police authorities.

W. McNair, of Vancouver, reports having located fifty claims on a hem atite deposit at the headwaters of the Chilcotin river. He claims to have 10,000,000 tons of thematice in sight. The outlet of the district in which the locations have been made is Bella Coola.

Suicide Point, Niagara Falls, is no more. Workmen employed by the state conservation commission cut it away. It is estimated that more people ended their lives from this point than possibly any other point along the river, and this is how it got its name. The point jutted out about eight feet over the water, with a sheer drop of 100 feet.

Speaking before the Empire Club in Toronto, Right Hon. Walter Long said that his experiences in the west had shown him that naval defence was no dead question there. Every one from the farmer to the lawyer realized the necessity of British predominence, if only for the selfish wish of protecting the empire's trade route and food supply.

Demonstration of the existence of the platinum group of metals in some of the dyke roads in the vicinity of Nelson will be made shortly by Andrew G. French before the provincial mineralogist or some other person appointed by the metallurgical experts in this district, including one of the staff of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting company.

A large number of settlers and prospectors have been going north on the trail from Lac La Biche to Fort Murray this summer, according to H. Clark, of the forestry department, who has just returned to Ottawa. Fort Murray, which is on the Athabasca river, is over 200 miles northeast of Edmonton, and the Alberta capital is the nearest railway.

Having accomplished the feat of smoking 660 cigarettes in twenty-four hours, Miss Pauline McKenzie, daughter of a wealthy mine owner of Boulder, Col., is in Bellevue Hospital, New York, undergoing treatment in the psycopathic ward. She was taken to the hospital after a policeman found her making an incoherent speech to a crowd of men and boys from the stoop of the Church of Holy Names.

The Western Lands, Ltd., has sold its farm property at North Saanich, 630 acres, for 630,000, or one thousand dollars an acre. The purchasers are a syndicate of English and Scotch investors. The property comprises what were formerly known as the Le Poer Trench and Breed farms, having a mile and a half of water frontage on Cole Bay. It is surmised that the purchasers intend to subdivide and make it a high-class residential area.

Prospects of a coal famine all along the Pacific coast have begun to give shipping interests no little concern, particularly operators of tramp steamer under charter to transport wheat lumber, flour to Europe and the Orient. On account of the coal strike at Comox, Nanaimo and Ladysmith, B.C., there has yet been a heavy drain on the supply at Seattle, Portland, Tacoma and other North Pacific ports, and the situation has taken a serious aspect.

Lord Stanhope, a Unionist member of the British House of Lords, interviewed in Toronto, expressed the opinion that the people of British Columbia should be on the alert against Japanese invasion. He did not think that it would occur for a few years, but he pointed out that already Japan was almost master of the Pacific ocean and that they were looking for another place of settlement. He said that British Columbia offered the ideal place for them, as the Rocky Mountains made a natural barrier.

The unseasonable storms and cold experienced during the harvest-gathering time of the past month have worked havoc among England's crops. Farmers say it will be the worst harvest in thirty years. The present period marks a crisis in British harvesting. Every day the difference between sun and rain means a difference of thousands of pounds sterling to three of the most valuable crops in England: Meadow hay, worth $110,000,000; oats worth $90,000,000, and potatoes worth $165,000,000.

In 1894, 1874 masters and seamen and 1197 passengers, making a grand total of 3071, were lost, as compared with 997 masters and seamen and 24 passengers (a total of 1021) in 1911—figures which appear in a British mercantile marine return just issued. The proportion of mariners lost in 1894 was one in 116; last year it had fallen to one in 248. Nearly 250,000 seasmen are returned as serving in British seagoing merchant ships last year. It is noticeable that of last year's total over 23,000 were engaged on steamships, as against only 15,000 on sailing vessels. In 1894 58,537 seamen worked under sail, against 159,257 under steam.

Attacked by Bear

Wilmer, Oct. 3—Left for dead by an infuriated female grizzly bear, who had mauled him almost to unconsciouness, is the nerve racking and thrilling experience that K.C. Chipman, chief of a Dominion geological survey party, while camping on Mineral creek near Wilmer recently. Had it not been for Mr. Chipman's presence of mind there is no doubt but that the bear would have killed him.

Mr. Chipman had gone out from camp alone with his rifle— not to hunt—but to examine the mountain side, behind the camp, which is very steep, as to the best place to scale it for trianulation purposes, on the morrow, Presently he sat down on a log to rest and fell into a deep reverie, from which he was awakened by the advance of a bear, which had charged at him from some bushes without the slightest warning.

CUB BEHIND HIM.

As he struggled in surprise to free himself, he saw a pair of cubs to one side and behind him. Unknowingly he had sat down to rest between a female grizzly and her young. Firing one shot, he rushed down the steep mountain side, the bear following with such determination and force that it rushed clean past him. Instantly Mr. Chipman turned and went back up the hill. As a bear, however, can run faster up hill than down, he was quickly caught by the huge infuriated plantograde, who shook him from side to side as easily as a terrier shakes a rat. Luckily the fierce shaking caused the bear to lose her footing on the steep hill side and both rolled together some distance down before bringing up.

RESORTS TO TRICKERY.

It was now that Mr. Chipman displayed the courage and presence of mind that saved his life, for, on bringing up among some bushes he lay perfectly quiet, feigning death. Satisfied, after sniffing him all over, that he really was so, she ambled away to her cubs. "Livingstone and the lion of South African fame repeated all over again!"

On his men getting to him he was carried into camp and made comfortable, while a couple of men were sent down here for Dr. Opie, as it was found impossible to carry Mr. Chipman out from the head of Mineral creek to the junction with Toby, river and the logging road, because of the wind fallen and snow slide timber which lies criss-crossed six to eight feet deep for several miles down the Creek valley. Dr. Opie got to Mr. Chipman about midday on Saturday, after a gallant fight for miles with burnt and fallen timber, spraining his ankle in the process.

SAVED BY LEGGINGS.

He found that the leather leggings worn by Mr. Chipman had practically saved his right leg below the knee from serious injury, but not so with the left, which is badly torn above the knee from the shaking; the bear's teeth being deeply buried in the knee also, inflaming it considerably. Otherwise, except for some scratches and torn clothes, Mr. Chipman will be all right again probably in a month. This is due to his presence of mind, without which he must certainly have been torn to pieces.

This is a magnificent range (near Wilmer) on both sides of the Columbia river, for grizzly, cinamon and black bear are very little hunted. No trapping of these animals has been allowed in recent years south of the C.P.R. and they have increased enormously, so much so that settlers are afraid to go any distance from their homes.

Is Breaking Record

Ottawa, Oct. 3—It is the confident expectation of the officials of the immigration branch that the number of new arrivals in Canada for the current fiscal year will considerably exceed the 400,000 mark. Figures for the first five months of the fiscal year issued the other day show an increase from 14 to 15 per cent over last year. If this percentage of increase is maintained, and it is fully expected that it will, the 400,000 mark will be passed for the first time.

SPLENDID DEVELOPMENT

Nakusp, B.C., Oct. 3—A remarkable tribute to the development of the Arrow lakes within the past few years is the third annual fruit fair held here today. The exhibits are worthy of a place in any British Columbia display and in number surpass the most sanguine expectations of the most enthusiastic. Every section of the Arrow lakes is represented to a greater or lesser degree and the display is one of which every one interested in Kootenay and Boundary may well fell proud. The display of apples is particularly good and demonstrates anew, although no such demonstration was necessary, the possibilities of the Arrow lakes in this direction.

Combined with this display is that of other fruits and vegetables of various kinds, the excellence of which exhibited in incontrovertible manner the results which may be obtained from attention to this branch of agriculture in the Kootenay. The success of this third annual fair of the Arrow Lakes Agricultural association must without reflection of any sort, be accorded to Thomas Abriel, president and J.H. Vestrup, secretary, both of whom devoted their time and their energies toward making the event a success.

IN NEW BUILDING.

This year's fair was held in the new building just completed by the Arrow Lakes Fruit Fair association, the headquarters of which are at Nakusp.

The new building, 50 by 100 feet in size with provision for addition and balconies and extension, stands as a monument to the enterprise and the energy of the people of Nakusp. It is safe to say that no where in Canada does any place with similar population possess such facilities for the holding of a fruit fair representatine of the district.

The showing at the Nakusp fruit fair this year, is representative of what the district can do in this direction, but is only an indication of what this portion of Kootenay will be producing within the next few years, by when, it is hoped, the people of Kootenay and Boundary will have come to realize the benefits of fairs of this kind and the fact that the success of each, great or small, is a contributary factor to the country's prosperity and advancement. One of the things which must necessarily strike the visitor is the spirit of confidence which has resulted in the erection of the fine building in which this year's exhibits are housed and which, it is accepted, is a forerunner of a bigger and a more suitable building for next year's fair. The present building, it may be explained, has been erected upon an an half acre of land donated for the purpose by Thomas Abriel, but the association has the option of purchase on the adjoining 9½ acres, so that the Arrow Lakes Fruit Fair is assured of excellent accommodation for all time to come.

The formal opening took place at 2 o'clock today, the speech of the occasion being delivered by F.G. Fauquier of Needles. Mr. Fauquier in opening the fair drew a graphic picture of the development of the fruit growing industry of the Arrow lakes within the past few years. At the opening ceremonies, Thomas Abriel, president, was in the chair and briefly explained the objects of the organization of which he was head and asked for cordial support thereof and for suggestions as to how this year's fair will be improved upon for next year. After a speech by Mr. Keller of East Arrow Park, Mr. Hall of Burton City Mr. Tmilson of New Denver and W. Garland Foster of Nelson, Mr. Fauquier delivered the formal speech of opening as outlined above and the fair was in full swing. A ball will be held tonight in the opera house.—Exchange.

To Teach Forestry

Victoria, Oct. 3—Mr. H.R. MacMillan, provincial chief forester, has just returned from a trip to Alberta, where he spent some days having a look at what the Dominion government is doing in the way of protection from forest fire in that area.

"The Dominion government is doing the thing about right," says Mr. MacMillan. "They have an appropriation of $80,000 for protecting 16,000,000 acres. They are building roads, telephone lines, rangers stations and look-outs, and it is the intention to keep 25 or 30 permanent rangers in the district.

LOW EXPENDITURE

The forest revenue of the Dominion government from the district of which Mr. MacMillan speaks is about $36,000, so that the whole revenue and an additional $50,000 are being spent this year in fire protection. The expenditure, however, will be abundantly justified provided the fire is kept out, because in a comparatively few years the operation of nature will reforest the whole area of government land. If British Columbia were to go into the thing on a similar scale the annual expense of fire protection in the organized parts of the province alone, would be $720,000 It does not as yet, however, reach any such sum. The amount collected this year from timber license holders will be about $400,000, which will be supplemented by another hundred thousand from the general funds of the province. Thanks to the wetness of the season, it is not likely that all of this will be used. The balance will be spent in preparing for next year.

FORESTRY TEACHING STAFF

In the development of the provincial forest policy a new branch is to be added, that of education. The first professor, or whatever he may be properly called, has already been engaged and will soon be here. He is Mr. Roy Campbell, a son of Mr. A. C. Campbell, of the Hansard staff, Ottawa, and a graduate of the Toronto University School of Forestry. His duties will consist largely of going among the people whenever opportunity offers, teaching the value of forests, the safest way of setting out fires and whatever else pertains to forest husbandry. He will also give public lectures in the schools and elsewhere. Mr. Campbell, in fact, will be the advance guard of the forestry teaching staff which will be attached to the new provincial university.

It is becoming evident that when Hon. W. R. Ross gets his forestry branch into full operation, a pretty large amount of money will be required for its maintenance. There are probably a hundred million acres of forest land in the province. If the Dominion government's estimate of half a cent per acre per annum for fire protection be accepted, it means an annual expenditure by British Columbia of half a million dollars for this purpose. On the other hand, it is calculated that the annual provincial revenue from forest lands can without difficulty be raised from its present three million dollars to twelve or fifteen millions.

How $26,000 Will Be Spent

Victoria, Sept. 30—Hon. Price Ellison, in his capacity of minister of agriculture, has reached a decision as to what is to be done with $26,000 which the province is to receive as its share of the Dominion grant foragricultural purposes. The money is to be divided as follows:

Towards the betterment of conditions as affecting women in agriculture and general assistance toward women's institute work, $1000.

Towards offering prizes and generally encouraging the most up-to-date methods in the grading and packing of fruit and toward holding fruit-packing competitions, $1000.

Toward expenses of collecting exhibits, materials, etc., for use in demonstration train which will be run by the department next March, $4000.

Toward undertaking demonstration farm work, the growing of suitable fodder crops, poultry demonstration work, live stock demonstration work and generally towards the education of farmers in proper and up-to-date methods in the different phases of agriculture, $10,000.

Towards the importation of pure-bred stock, $11,000.

This disposition of the money is subject to approval by Hon. Martin Burrell, but it is not expected that any difficulty will arise on that score

Christ Coming

Omaha, Sept. 30—The second coming of Jesus Christ is scheduled for October 1, 1914, and 1000 men and women in different portions of the United States and Canada are busily making preparations for the event. The members of the sect which has for its principal tenet the end of the present world are holding weekly meetings in half the large cities of the country, but so unobstrusive are they that few "outsiders" have been made acquainted with the prediction, that the time of the second coming of Christ is so near at hand.

Railway Freight Rates

Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 3—The hearing of the freight rate case which is of vital importance to western Canada has been set for Monday, October 7. At the last hearing of the case where the late judge Mabee was suddenly stricken with appendicitis, it was decided that a prima facie case had been made out against the railroads, and they were given until October 1 to show cause why their rates in the west should not be placed on a level with those in the east.

It is understood that an elaborate argument has been prepared by the railroads as to why they believe the western rates are not unduly high.

A Match for the Bishop

London, Oct. 2.— An interesting story is being told in the London clubs about Mr. David Lloyd George. The little chancellor was replying at a meeting in Wales to the Bishop of St. Asaph, and was thus introduced by a Welsh deacon:

"Gentlemen, I haff to introduce to you tonight the member for Carnarvon Boroughs. He haas come here to reply to what the Bishop of St. Asaph said the other night about Welsh disestablishment. . . . . In my opinion, gentlemen, that Bishop of St. Asaph iss one of the biggest liars in creashion; but, thank God yes, thank God—we haff a match for him tonight."

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Application for lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal sub-divisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each applicant must be accompanied by a fee of $5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of $10.00 an acre.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to the Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy Minister of the Interior.

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NOTICE

Revelstoke Land District.
District of West Kootenay.

Take notice that I, Michael Grady, of St. Leon, B.C., occupation, hotel keeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands.

Commencing at a post planted at the North West Corner of Lot 1139, thence east 20 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 10 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west to bank of Halfway Creek, thence following bank south to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

Dated August 3rd, 1912.
MICHAEL GRADY.

NOTICE

Revelstoke Land District.
District of West Kootenay.

Take notice that I, Owen Boyer of Greenwood, B.C., occupation, hotel proprietor, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands.

Commencing at a post planted at the North West Corner, being ten chains east of the South West Corner of Timber Limit No. 31233, thence east 40 chains, thence south 40 chains thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains to point of commencement.

Dated 28th June, 1912.
OWEN BOYER.
George Bouchard, Agent.

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Revelstoke Land District.
District of West Kootenay.

Take notice that I, Elizabeth Hannah, of Rossland, B. C., occupation, married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about 80 chains north of the North West Corner of Lot 8402, thence 80 chains south, thence 30 chains east, thence 30 chains north, thence 30 chains west to point of commencement and containing 240 acres, more or less.

Dated April 26th, 1912.
ELIZABETH, HANNAH,
Per John W. Hannah, Agent.
First issue Aug. 14.

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Revelstoke Land District.
District of West Kootenay.

Take notice that I, William Bilfor, of Spokane, Wash., occupation Meatcutter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted about 40 chains east of the Southwest Corner of Lot 7679 and southeast corner of Lot 10856, thence south 40 chains, west 40 chains, north 40 chains and east 40 chains to point of commeacement, and containing 160 acres, more or less.

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THE CITY IN BRIEF

R. W. Lindsay, a merchant of Beaton, is here attending the fair.

J. B. McKenzie has returned from a trip to the coast.

Mrs. R. Howson has been spending a few days this week at Halcyon hot springs.

F. W. Terry and wife have been spending a short vacation at Halcyon hot springs.

Miss F. B. Johnson, sister of J. K. Johnson, left a couple of days ago on a visit to friends at Proctor, B.C.

W. S. Rennie of Cambourne, is a six button holes worked by a girl unweek. 6

F. Ashdown of Golden, and F. Butwell of Fallisher, were attending the Fire Rangers convention on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dickson, and family, were visitors to the Arrow Lakes during the past week, stopping out at Halcyon.

Mrs. Ernest H. S. McLean will receive on Saturday, October 19th, and afterwards on the second Saturday of each month.

J. C. Johnson of Salmon Arm, passed through Revelstoke a couple of days ago on his way to the Arrow lakes region.

Trout fishing will end on October 15th in the interior of British Columbia, the season being governed by the Dominion act.

R. Cramshank, O. Peterson and F. W. Crick were among the many Revelstoke citizens to enjoy an outing at Halcyon hot springs the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Boyd of Montreal, passed through Revelstoke yesterday on their way to the coast. Mr. Boyd is a capitalist and spoke well of the Revelstoke district from a tourist and railway standpoint. He regards the scenery visible from any part of the city quite equal to that seen in famous Switzerland.

The Revelstoke Orchestra dance in Selkirk Hall, advertised to take place on Wednesday of this week, has been postponed on account of the smoker to out of town guests to the fair on the same night, which is being held under the auspices of Progress Club, but will take place on the following night, (Thursday) in Selkirk Hall.

Through the efforts of R. F. Green, M. P., the wharf at Revelstoke will be commenced at once. The dimensions and exact location of the wharf will be stated later on through the columns of this paper. It is also stated that another wharf will be built by the Dominion government at Comaplix at once.

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W. Sutherland of Notch Hill, is paying Revelstoke a visit this week.

J. A. Lewis, of Wigwam, was attending the Fire Rangers convention last Tuesday.

Thomas Loftos, of Notch Hill, arrived in town on Monday last to attend school here.

Miss Mamie Fleming is this week paying a visit to her friends Mrs. W. Loftos, at Notch Hill.

Sam Irwin, proprietor of the Lakeview hotel, Arrowhead, is taking in the fair here this week.

Robt. Baird of Nakusp, also Mr. E. V. Xipoint, of the same place are Revelstoke visitors this week.

Miss Crump, stenographer in the Adams River Lumber Co.'s office at Chase, is paying a visit to Revelstoke

Robert Armstrong of Arrowhead, was in the city on Tuesday last attending the Fire Rangers convention.

Ralph Simpson, the shingle man of Arrowhead, is among the many outsiders to take in the fair this week.

A convention of the Dominion Fire Rangers for the Kootenay, was held at Revelstoke on Tuesday of this week. Some fifteen fire wardens were in attendance. The particulars of this convention will appear in Saturday's issue.

All lumbering records for the west were broken at Sicamous last week. Joe Seagram, Hiram Walker, and John Dewar, were the record breakers Given the opportunity, these boys can break any old record.—Ex.

Miss Roberta White won three prizes at the Salmon Arm fair. They were a first prize in writing for boys and girls under sixteen, a first prize for six button holes worked by a girl under sixteen, and a second prize in a girl's foot race.

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On Last Lap of Journey

Fernie, B. C., Oct. 7—Thomas W. Wilby, the transcontinental autoist, who is making the trip from the Atlantic to the Pacific, under the auspices of the Canadian Highway Association, left here yesterday well satisfied with the progress he has made so far through British Columbia, the last lap of his journey and the province inwhich he expects to encounter more than usually tough experiences.

Wilby's auto, although showing traces of the rough work which it has had to undergo during the past month, is in good shape and the pathfinder stated that he was sure that the car would last him through to the coast. The driver himself is in good health and is confident that his trip will prove that it is neither dangerous nor supremely difficult to make the journey from coast to coast thru' Canada by automobile.

AT THE OPERA HOUSE

Allen Players Present the Best Selection of Plays ever Offered to Revelstoke Theatre Patrons.

Those old favorites, the Allen Players, are revisiting Revelstoke, and presenting a series of comedy and dramatic offerings at the opera house.

Monday evening the series opened with that popular play "That Girl From Texas," a real comedy which made a decided hit before a packed house. Tuesday, the company staged "Alias Jimmy Valentine," scoring another success, and on Wednesday night presented "A Contented Woman." Miss Verna Felton is making her first appearance in the Interior this season, on this tour, after gaining laurels in the Victoria and other coast city playhouses, and the welcome she received on the opening night is proof that she retains her position in the hearts of local critics as the greatest star ever gracing the footlights of a Revelstoke theatre.

Instead of taking their regular summer vacation, the Allen Players put in the entire summer at the Victoria theatre, Victoria, B. C., and are therefore in a position to offer to their many friends in Revelstoke the best selection of plays they have ever offered.

Tonight, Wednesday, the play will be "A Contented Woman," from the pen of Chas. Hoyt, undoubtedly the best comedy producer of recent years. The subject is woman suffrage, and one can readily see the opportunity it offers for a very funny play.

Mrs. Allen will be seen in probably the best character she has ever played. Suffice it to say that wherever the play has been presented it has received most flattering press comments.

On Thursday the bill will be "Nell Gwynne of Old Drury" of which the Spokesman of Victoria says in part. "For one week only Victoria has been reveling in romance "Nell Gwynne of Old Drury" has come to Victoria, reincarnated in the radiant personality of Verna Felton. In its mounting, as in its general presentration, the Allen Players have scored a veritable "tour de force..' Mr. Allen has spared neither money nor trouble to mount the famous historical romance with a lavishness and attention to detail as spectacular and artistic as it is scrupuously in keeping with the picturesque period of the Restoration The genius of Miss Verna Felton completes a production as historically correct as it is histrionically commendable. The Allen Players are to be congratulated on a production that for the rest of the week should draw audiences as large as Nell Gwynne's historic hat, from under which Miss Felton emerges like a butterfly, from under a mushroom in the third act. This brilliant young actress has never done anything better than her Nell Gwynne.

On Friday evening the production will be Margaret Anglins great success "The Great Divide." A play that is a little different a little better and a little more entertaining than most modern plays.

On Saturday afternoon the company will repeat last season's big cess "The Third Degree." The performance will be given with the same attention to detail as the evening performances.

It has always been Mr. Allen's policy to "always leave them laughing when you say good-bye." Therefore the closing bill will be the laughiest comedy of the season. "Whose Baby are You?"

Seats are on sale at Macdonald's drug store for the entire engagement. The seats for the matinee can be secured in advance also reserved without extra charge.

Overseer Voliva Coming

Vancouver, Oct. 5—Wilbur Glen Voliva, successor to John Alexander Dowie, founder of Zion City, the centre of the Christian Catholic Apostolic Church, will arrive in Vancouver tonight at 10:15 o'clock over the C.P.R. Mr. Voliva and party of twenty-one have travelled westward in a private car.

Mr. Volva will addess meetings at the Empress theatre on Sunday. The first of these meetings will be held at 2:45 p.m. Mr. Voliva is accompanied by eight singers, two elders and others, making in all twenty-one. His title in the church is overseer.

Empress Theatre

The Gladstone Sisters and Edna Randall opened their return engagement to an enthusiastic and appreciative audience last evening. These clever and versatile people are returning with an entirely new repertoire and the general verdict seemed to be that they were even better than

EDNA RANDALL

than on their previous visit. The little Gladstone Sisters in Irish character costume sang appropriate songs very pleasingly and then danced some old country Irish dances, very gracefully. With a quick change of wardrobe they then went through an acrobatic routine of stunts that was very clever indeed. They have a style all their own and the ease with which they work is very refreshing.

Miss Randall, in beautiful costumes sang some of the latest popular numbers and gave a humorous recitation that gained her a great deal of applause. Her enunciation is perfect, which makes her work unusually enjoyable. An announcement was made that the program would be entirely changed every night of both the moving pictures and the work of the Gladstone Sisters and Miss Randall.

October 21.— Paul Gilmore in "The Havoc..' Empress theatre.

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