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MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

Mayor Lindmark Selected by 121 Majority—Record Polling—The Council Personnel Changes.

Another civic contest has been fought and won, a contest which, from the experiences of the past few weeks, promised to be a hard and bitter fight. The result has kept quite a few of the supporters of the defeated candidates guessing how it happened, as both parties were working hard to secure their own ends. The votes cast this year for mayor exceeded that of last year by 1, while Mr. Lindmark, selected mayor for a second term, received 339 votes this year, as compared with 263 votes last year and having a majority of 121, as compared to 5 in 1908.

The electors turned out admirably to the polls to voice their opinion although the polling was free from all disturbance or demonstration. The election has created the keenest interest throughout the city and it is evident by the big majority of Mayor Lindmark that the people of Revelstoke have placed confidence in his policy of administration.

Polling on Thursday closed at 7 p.m., and it was some time before the returns could be made known owing to the fact of there being a large number of candidates in the field. As the results were made known the crowd which had collected outside the city hall gave vent to loud cheering.

The results of the election are as follows:

MAYOR.	
C. F. Lindmark.....	339
J. McLeod.....	218
Spoiled ballots.....	23

Total ballots cast.....	580
Majority for Lindmark.....	121

ALDERMEN—WARD 1.	
G. Kimberley.....	113
A. Pradolini.....	97
H. McKinnon.....	86
Spoiled.....	13

Total ballots cast.....	229
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WARD 2.	
C. R. Macdonald.....	118
R. H. Sawyer.....	100
A. E. Kincaid.....	89
Spoiled ballots.....	10

Total ballots cast.....	205
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WARD 3.	
F. B. Wells.....	100
J. A. Stone.....	81
W. W. Lefaux.....	37
H. E. R. Smyth.....	36
J. Reighley.....	9
Spoiled ballots.....	5

Total ballots cast.....	151
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SCHOOL TRUSTEES.	
H. Manning.....	222
R. Howson.....	151
E. Edwards.....	150
J. P. Forde.....	148
A. Hobson.....	141
F. W. Laing.....	128
C. C. Brown.....	122
A. J. Howe.....	116
Spoiled ballots.....	53

Total ballots cast.....	599
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C. J. Aman, returning officer, announced the following elected for the 1909 City Council and School Board: Mayor—C. F. Lindmark.

Aldermen, Ward I—G. Kimberley, A. Pradolini; Ward II—C. R. Macdonald, R. H. Sawyer; Ward III—F. B. Wells, J. A. Stone.

School Trustees—H. Manning, R. Howson, Ed. Edwards.

Comparing the totals with those of last year there is very little difference between them, there being an increase in the number of ballots cast of 1 for mayor, 25 less for Ward I; an increase of 3 for Ward 2; and 26 for Ward 3, and 4 for school trustees.

MEDICAL INSPECTION

Of Schools—Trustees Wait on Government on Monday

A deputation of the B. C. School Trustees Association appointed at the recent convention here, will interview the Hon. Dr. Young, on Monday, as minister of education, on the question of a medical examination of the schools. Such an examination is held in Vancouver, but in no other part of the province is there a regular official inspection. This matter has been occupying the attention of the department for some time, and Dr. Young is drawing up a bill on the

subject for introduction at the next session of the legislature.

The inspectors will be the provincial medical health officers who are already to be found in all parts of the province. It is understood that there will be an annual inspection of the eyes, teeth and hearing of the pupils and more frequent regular inspections not so minute. It is thought that such a proceeding will probably meet a necessity which is admitted to exist by those in touch with the situation.

THE LATEST TELEGRAMS

French Ship Wrecked—Pres. Shaughnessy Negotiating for Purchase of Wisconsin Ry. —Hains Acquitted of Murder

ASTORIA, Ore., Jan. 16.—The French three-masted ship Alice, bound from London to Portland, went ashore during a gale at daylight today at Ocean Park, about 20 miles from the Columbia river. It is understood that the crew got safely ashore.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 16.—By a unanimous vote of the House committee on naval affairs today, it was agreed to recommend the placing of the marines back on the ships in the navy, contrary to the action of the president.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Jan. 16.—Marvin Hart and Mike Schreck have signed articles for a match here within the next three weeks, for the benefit of St. Joseph's hospital of this city.

MONTREAL, Jan. 16.—Pres. Shaughnessy of the C.P.R. says the Soo Line is in negotiation for the purchase of the Wisconsin Central Railway.

FLUSHING, N. Y., Jan. 16.—Hains was today acquitted of the charge of murder in the first degree which grew out of the killing of William Annis at the Bayside Yacht Club, August 15.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 16.—The great rain storm which has deluged the central portion of California for the last week, today destroyed the Southern Pacific railroad bridge at Sacramento. Trains are stalled, but no loss of lives is reported.

FATAL TRAIN WRECK

Two Engineers Killed and Twenty Injured.

Following close in the wake of the sad fatality at Three Valley on Thursday, when two Revelstoke citizens lost their lives while on duty, comes the terrible news of another railroad disaster, resulting in two more C. P. R. engineers being dashed to death in a tragic accident. These sad fatalities following so rapidly one after the other are appalling and still further demonstrate the dangers of the railroad calling, especially at these seasons when slides and their disastrous results are of frequent occurrence.

No. 97, which left Revelstoke on Thursday night, ran into a heavy slide about eight miles east of Yale early on Friday morning. The train was a double header, that is hauled by two locomotives, and ran into the slide almost at full speed, the impact causing the two heavy engines to leap from the track into the hard mass, topple over and roll down the steep bank into the Fraser River, carrying with them the express baggage and mail car, as well as a colonist and first-class car.

The first-class car stopped about 25 feet down, the others going to the water's edge. The tourist car left the rails and hung over the edge of the slope, while the front trucks of the "Chester" dining car left the track.

Engineers J. Foster and C. Carscadden were killed and firemen Finnie and Cranston with the baggage and express clerks received slight injuries. The passengers had miraculous escapes, no one being killed, although over twenty received more or less serious injuries. The cars literally rolled down the slope with tremendous velocity, and the fact that no passengers were killed outright is marvellous. The two engineers Carscadden and Foster, who lost their lives, are well known in Revelstoke.

Further details of the accident are not yet to hand.

Kootenay Central.

CRANBROOK, Jan. 15.—Your correspondent learns on excellent authority that the C. P. R. has decided to build the Kootenay Central railway, completing it this year. He learns further that all southern Alberta wheat will be shipped via that route to Vancouver.

TERRIBLE ACCIDENT

C. P. R. Engine Struck Slide and Plunged into Lake—The Engineer and Fireman Drowned in Cab.

Carrying its engineer and fireman with it, the locomotive of a westbound C.P.R. freight train ran into a snow-slide at Three Valley lake at full speed at 3 o'clock Thursday morning, and leaving the rails, jumped down the embankment and plunged into the lake.

It appears that the freight had passed through one slide which was only a small one, when she came onto another in the cutting. The hard packed snow refused to allow the flanges to keep the rail and the engine leapt sideways down the bank bringing the tender with it and derailing four cars. The locomotive crew unable to escape went down in the cab. The dead are Engineer Wm. Coughlin of this city and Fireman Fred Hawkins also of Revelstoke.

The accident happened at a point where an engine striking an obstruction would be almost bound to topple over into the lake, provided she were running at any speed. The locomotive fell into the lake, which is said to be about 60 feet deep at this point, rapidly shelling to a much greater depth a short distance from the shoreline.

The water immediately froze over the submerged engine making rescue impossible. Cars were piled over the roadbed, but no other members of the train crew suffered injury. The train was in charge of Conductor Jamieson.

The bodies lie pinned in the cab, the top of which is just a few feet below the surface of the lake with the tender resting on it. Divers came up yesterday morning from the coast and worked all day yesterday at the wreck trying to locate the drowned men.

Wide spread sympathy is felt for the widow and children of the deceased engineer, Mr. Coughlin being a resident here and extremely popular, being one of the best known men on this division. He was formerly a resident of Kamloops. His mother lives at Vancouver.

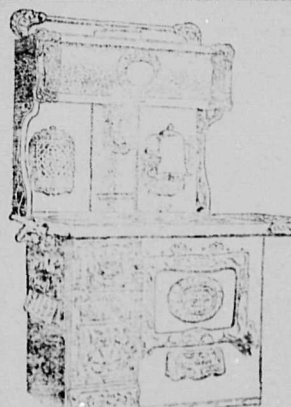
Up till the time of going to press at noon, we learn that in spite of the efforts of the diver, who was working unceasingly all yesterday trying to locate the bodies, they have been unsuccessful, it being discovered that the bodies were not in the cab of the engine. Work was being carried on this afternoon, the diver examining every part of the rocky bed of the first slope of the lake as well as underneath the wrecked locomotive. It is thought that the engine crew must have jumped and the bodies become frozen under the ice somewhere. The sad accident has cast a gloom over the city and the deepest sympathy for the bereaved is felt. THE MAIL-HERALD joins in messages of condolence to the widow and children of the late Engineer Coughlin.

LATER—Just as we go to press we learn that the bodies of Engineer Coughlin and Fireman Hawkins have been recovered and were brought to the city at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

One Week of Amusement

The Stutz Theatre Co. are booked in Revelstoke for six nights and Saturday matinee commencing Monday, Jan. 18. This is the largest company in British Columbia or Alberta, consisting of 14 people, ladies and gentlemen, all thorough actors, who have given their lives to their profession. Every play put on by this company is a first class original production. "Was She to Blame," or "A Mother's Devotion," is a pastoral comedy written by Mr. Stutz, for which he holds exclusive copyrights. This is a dramatization of Bertha M. Clay's famous book "A Bitter Attraction."

Mr. J. G. Stutz is the only living actor favored by the French government with the Legion of Honour of France. This was conferred on him in recognition of the fact that he was the most natural actor in the profession. Aggie Marion Stutz is a daughter of the great Northwest who has made extensive tours in the United States and South America and now returns to her native land for the first time since adopting a profession which had been her heart's desire since early childhood. Remember this company puts on a new play each night. Watch for further announcements. Owing to the severe winter weather, the advance manager, Mr. J. L. Mahood, has been unable to have any outdoor billposting done, but has adopted the plan of putting into every house in town a handbill, believing that by so doing he will be able to reach everybody. Seats are now on sale at C. R. McDonald's drug store. Prices of admission 50c. and 75c., children 25c. Doors open at 7.30, performance commences 8.30 sharp.



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"	"	" 28	" 10 00	" 6 50
"	"	" 29	" 8 00	" 5 75
"	two only	" 29	" 9 00	" 6 00
"	one only	" 29	" 7 00	" 4 50
"	"	" 30	" 8 00	" 5 75
"	"	" 31	" 9 00	" 6 50
"	"	" 31	" 10 00	" 6 50
"	two only	" 32	" 12 00	" 8 50
"	one only	" 33	" 10 00	" 8 50
"	"	" 33	" 12 00	" 8 50
"	two only	" 33	" 12 00	" 8 50
"	"	" 34	" 12 00	" 8 50
"	one only	" 34	" 15 00	" 10 50
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FREIGHT SMASHED UP?

Trainmen Killed—Million Dollar Silk Train Wrecked

MAPLE CREEK, Sask., Jan. 15.—A rear-end collision of two eastbound freight trains at Tompkins, 25 miles east of here, at 2 o'clock this morning resulted in the death of two men, the serious injury of two others and the derailment of nine cars.

The dead men are Brakeman B. S. Porter, of Medicine Hat, and Fireman J. D. King. The injured are Engineer Deagon and Brakeman Tannount. One of the trains was laden with 128 tons of silk, which formed part of the cargo of the C. P. R. liner Empress of India, which arrived last week from the Orient. The train left Vancouver on Sunday.

Some of the cars took fire after the wreck, and part of this valuable silk consignment, worth in all one million dollars, was destroyed.

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There is so much to be done in the best of us,
and so much to be done in the worst of us,
that it hardly behooves any of us
to talk about the rest of us.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 16, 1909

FOREWARNED—FOREARMED

The civic elections held on
Thursday were a subject of greater
interest than ever before in Revel-
stoke with the result that the per-
sonnel of the council is consider-
ably changed. As was the case
last year so it was this time that
only two of the old board will
occupy seats at the table this year,
besides the mayor, who has again
received the confidence of the electors.
It is to be hoped that reason-
ableness and avoidance of disputa-
tions over details of a personal
matter rather than matters of pub-
lic interest, will mark the course of
the new council for 1908. The new
council must be firm in their de-
cisions and not of necessity give
way to every little request that is
made them; for the electors should
have sufficient confidence in their
representatives to know that if a
request is not granted it was
thought to be for the best. Our
city is growing and the council
should rise to the occasion and
carry out municipal improvements
in a manner consistent with the
city's requirements, with an end to
permanency, at the same time
having a view to economy and im-
partial treatment of the city divi-
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is important and should be closely
studied in view of the effect it has
on the welfare of the citizens. We
hope that the new council will
apply itself energetically to the
problems of civic administration
and of placing the finances on a
sound basis. It is important that
the estimates for public works be
prepared early in the year and the
tax rate struck in a more reason-
able time before the taxes come
due, than has been practiced hith-
erto. Municipal law must be
strictly enforced, and the question
of judicious as well as easy taxation
thrashed out. Each alderman
should work for the interests of the
city without fear of either party
or clique. The practice of carrying
out permanent works as adopted
last year, should be continued and
attention given to those matters
which directly effect the actual
comfort and convenience of the
public. Civic government in Revel-
stoke is getting to be what it
should, that is, safe, sane and
sound, and the people are begin-
ning to wake up to the fact. The
outlook for the year shows many
important issues at stake which
will necessitate careful legislation
and in the carrying out of these
things honest and open debate is
necessary. We would urge that all
departmental friction be avoided, as
the civic body cannot bring about
good results where the members
are pulling different ways. Revel-
stoke should be made a city where
the home maker will have every
advantage and where citizenship
will be an honor and a pleasure
instead of being a burden or cause
for complaint or a mark of shame.

CIVIC ADVERTISING.
Now that the smoke and battle
of civic elections have cleared away
the good people of Revelstoke should
get down to business and see what
they can do to boost for their city
and its progress. The year 1908
has been, after all, a good one. In
spite of the depression the growth
of the city and district has by no
means been impeded. Revelstoke
has advanced steadily without
boom or flurry. 1909 will see devel-
opment along the lines of mines,
lumber, and agriculture while the
prospects for Revelstoke as a com-
mercial, railroad and distributing
centre are very bright. We would
strongly advise that the new coun-
cil turn their attention to organiz-
ing and carrying into effect a judi-
cious system of advertising the city
which would tend to attract a share
of the immigration and business
that is now rolling this way. Such
a scheme if properly carried out
would be of incalculable benefit to
Revelstoke and tend largely to in-
crease her already great popularity.
There is room here for many set-
tlers and full cultivation of the
rich lands when thrown
open for settlement, in the near
vicinity, and it is only by attract-

ing suitable settlers, and business
and industrial enterprises, and
sufficient capital that we can hope
to forge ahead. If Revelstoke is to
compete with other districts it is
necessary to make our advantages
widely known, and judicious and
persistent advertising will do it.
We would urge therefore that the
city council and board of trade and
the tourist association combine to for-
mulate some practical and effective
scheme early in the spring so that
the campaign of "Revelstoke Pub-
licity" may be launched on a sound
and profitable basis.

CLEAN CHIMNEYS

The protracted cold spell has
necessitated the almost continual
stoking of stoves and furnaces,
which, at the rate the people have
been burning fuel lately, must
have a tendency to choke up the
pipes and flues of the chimneys
thereby rendering the liabilities of
fire more great. Clean chimneys
are of prime importance to the
city in ensuring safety from fire.
We understand that the city coun-
cil have issued instructions to the
police to satisfy themselves that
every furnace, stove and flue in the
congested business blocks are clean
and safe and if not to require the
owners to clean the same and to
effect any immediate repairs where
necessary. The city regulations
are properly strict in this respect,
but before they can be enforced the
city should secure the services of a
first class reliable sweep and give
him a licence to be held subject to
his doing the work entrusted to
him properly and well. At present
it is next to impossible to get
chimneys properly cleaned in the
city, and it is a farce to attempt to
enforce bylaws or regulations in
this respect without first making
provision which will enable the
citizens to carry it out.

INDUSTRIAL DEPARTMENT

Of C. P. R. Will Encourage De-
velopment of Cities

The Canadian Pacific Railway Com-
pany with a view to encouraging the
development of the cities and towns
along its line in the west has estab-
lished an industrial bureau. The com-
pany constantly has enquiries coming
from all quarters as to the openings
in the west for manufacturing, wholesale
and retail houses, etc., and also from
established towns which are desirous
of securing industries which will sup-
ply their needs and assist in the
growth and prosperity. The work of
this new bureau will be to supply such
information to both the former and
latter classes. Manufacturers, invest-
ors, and others are invited to com-
municate with the bureau at Winni-
peg if they desire information about
any town on the company's lines, and
boards of trade and secretaries are re-
quested to send full particulars of the
advantages and attractions of the dis-
tricts they represent.

The Revelstoke Board of Trade has
been in communication with the de-
partment and a brief resume of
"Revelstoke and Her Possibilities"
will appear in the new pamphlet,
"Some Resources and Openings"
shortly to be issued by the C. P. R.

BETTER BUSINESS FEELING

Prosperous Outlook With Freer
Money Circulation

The following, from the Winnipeg
Commercial, gives an idea of the busi-
ness outlook for the coming season:

"The holiday trading is now over,
and a seasonable quietness prevails as
usual. Merchants do not desire much
activity during the early part of
January, as it is the stock-taking
season with most of them. It is too
soon to get exact figures of the busi-
ness done during 1908, but judging
from general comment it has been one
of the best years, although the fall re-
vival was mostly responsible for the
good result. A record volume of busi-
ness was done in the fall, but during
the earlier part of the year complaints
of depression were common. The en-
thusiasm with which business men
generally have launched into the
winter trade indicates a better feeling
all round. Nearly everyone is pre-
dicting a big spring trade. Already
enough business has been booked to
show the jobbers that the revival has
come. The crop money is still pour-
ing into the country, and the freer
circulation of money is having a good
effect in every district.

"It is the general opinion that
manufacturers will be busy from now
on in the effort to supply the coming
season's demand. Wholesalers are
preparing for a big business, and as
stocks at retail are undoubtedly low
there will likely be a record volume of
business done."

Pay Chinese Head Tax

During the year just closed the sum
of \$33,000 was paid in head taxes by
the 662 Chinese who entered the Do-
minion at the Port of Victoria. Dur-
ing the same time 1721 Chinese left
to return to China. Probably about
seventy per cent. of these will return.
They have the privilege of re-entering
the Dominion if they arrive within a
year from the time of their departure.

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A. PRADOLINI, - REVELSTOKE

NOTICE

Revelstoke Land District.
District of West Kootenay.
Take notice that I, C. R. Lamb of Minne-
apolis, occupation full owner, intends to
apply for permission to purchase the follow-
ing described lands:
Commencing at a post planted at the south-
west corner of lot 704 and section C.R. Lamb's
south-east corner post, thence 20
chains north, thence 20 chains east, thence 20
chains south, thence 20 chains west to point of
commencement and containing 40 acres more
or less.

CHANCEY ROBERT LAMB,
C. R. Lamb, Agent.
Dated November 24th, 1908.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that I intend
to apply to the Superintendent of Pro-
vincial Police for permission to trans-
fer to Arthur Evans, of Beaton, B.C., the
retail liquor license held by me in
respect of the premises at Beaton,
known as the Hotel Beaton.
Dated Dec. 21st, 1908.

WM. BOYD.

NOTICE

Revelstoke Land District.
District of West Kootenay.
Take notice that Annie Louise Cop-
lan of Hazelwood, West Virginia,
occupation married woman, intends
to apply for permission to purchase
the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the
south-west corner of lot 700; thence south 21 chains; thence east 20
chains; thence south 20 chains; thence east 10 chains; thence north 10 chains;
thence west 60 chains to point of com-
mencement, containing 200 acres.

ANNE LOUISE COPLAN,
Date: December 9, 1908. jan9 09d

NOTICE

Revelstoke Land District.
District of West Kootenay.
Take notice that Frank G. Winter,
of St. Paul, Minnesota, occupation
merchant, intends to apply for per-
mission to purchase the following de-
scribed lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the
south-west corner of lot 700; thence south 60 chains; thence north 30 chains;
thence east 10 chains; thence south 30
chains; thence east 20 chains; thence
south 40 chains to point of commence-
ment, containing 400 acres.

FRANK G. WINTER,
Date: December 9, 1908. jan9 09d

NOTICE

Revelstoke Land District.
District of West Kootenay.
Take notice that Walter P. Con-
farr of St. Paul, Minnesota, occupation
printer, intends to apply for per-
mission to purchase the following de-
scribed lands:

Commencing at a post planted along
side of the re-entrant south-west cor-
ner post of lot 707; thence west 10
chains; along the south boundary of
lot 707; thence south 40 chains;
thence east 10 chains; thence north 40
chains to point of commencement,
containing 100 acres.

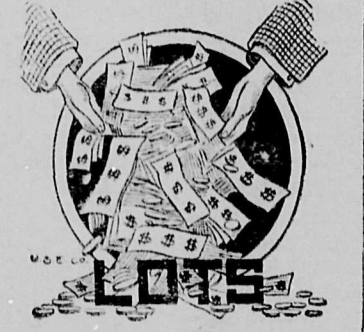
WALTER P. CONFARR,
Date: December 8, 1908. jan9 09d

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Certificate of Improvements NOTICE

Last Chance and Lost Chord mineral
claims, situate in the Trout Lake
Mining Division of West Kootenay
District.

Where located:—At head of Coon
Creek, No. 14th Fork of Lardeau
River.

Take notice that I, O. B. N. Wilkie,
acting as agent for Henry W. Schlorf,
Free Miner's Certificate No. 130165,
intend, sixty days from date hereof,
to apply to the Mining Recorder for a
Certificate of Improvements, for the
purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of
the above claims.

And further take notice that action,
under section 37, must be commenced
before the issuance of such Certificate
of Improvements.
Dated this 14th day of January, A.
D., 1909.

O. B. N. WILKIE.

Revelstoke Land District.
West Kootenay, B. C.

Take Notice that 60 days after date
I, R. W. Lindsay of Vancouver, B. C.,
occupation, merchant, intend to apply
for permission to purchase the follow-
ing described lands situated on Fish
River, West Kootenay district.

Commencing at the north-east cor-
ner of A. D. Mackay's pre-emption
No. 7,896 and marked "R. W. Lin-
say's North-West Corner Post" thence
8 chains to west line of McKinnon's
pre-emption; thence 50 chains south;
thence 8 chains east to Mackay's;
thence north 50 chains to point of
commencement, containing 40 acres
more or less.

Located Oct. 15th, 1908.
R. W. LINDSAY, Locator.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE
of John Smith, late of Malakwa,
in the Province of British Colum-
bia, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant
to the Trustee and Executors Act,
to all creditors of the estate to deliver
to the undersigned before the 27th day
of January, 1909, full particulars of
claims, verified by Statutory Declara-
tion. After such date the Executor
will proceed to distribute the assets
according to law.

McPHILLIPS & HEISTERMAN
of Davis Chambers, Victoria, B.C.,
Solicitors for the Executor.
Dated this 17th day of December,
A.D., 1908.

NOTICE

Revelstoke Land District.
District of West Kootenay.
Take notice that George B. Frank-
forter of Minneapolis, Minnesota, oc-
cupation college professor, intends to
apply for permission to purchase the
following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the
south-east corner of lot 700; thence
west 60 chains more or less to the
boundary of lot 707; thence south 20
chains; thence east 60 chains more or
less to the shore of Arrow Lake; thence
along said shore in a northerly direc-
tion 20 chains more or less to point of
commencement, containing 120 acres
more or less.

GEORGE B. FRANKFORTER,
Date: December 9, 1908. jan9 09d

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to
the provisions of Chapter 135 of the Sta-
tutes of Canada 7-8, Edward VII, Shuswap
and Thompson Rivers Boom Company
have filed in the office of the Dominion
Lands Agent at Kamloops, B.C., and in
the office of The Honourable the Minister
of Public Works at Ottawa, Ontario, plans
and specifications of certain booms and
other works proposed to be constructed
by said Company, in over and along the
North Thompson River in the Kamloops
District of Yale District in the Province
of British Columbia and that on the 10th
day of February, 1909, at the hour of 11
o'clock in the forenoon, or so soon there-
after as the application can be heard,
application will be made by the under-
signed to His Excellency the Govern-
or-in-Council at Ottawa, Ontario, for his
approval to be given to such plans.

Dated this 4th day of December, 1908.

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COMPANY,
By Otto Lachmund, Secretary.

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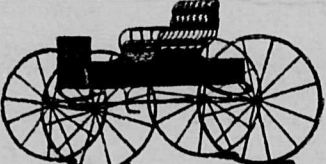
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The British Empire issues a statement wherein it deals lengthily with Canadian securities. A warning note is sounded concerning municipal extravagance, and the view is expressed that unless greater caution is exercised in spending money which can be easily borrowed, Canada may have to face a financial crisis. At the same time the Trust declares that Canada gives as good, if not better, opportunities than any other country in the world, provided care is exercised in the selection of investments.

Canadian financiers here voice the disappointment said to be felt in the Dominion at the indifferent manner in which many applications from Canada were treated in 1908. As a large number of issues are now being prepared, and as there will be no difficulty in placing them in the United States, it is hoped that in the interests of mutual relations a more cordial response will be extended by British investors to the legitimate needs of Canada in 1909.

The Canadian Gazette estimates that over \$200,000,000 of British money has been invested in Canada in 1908 in public issues. The money went for Dominion government, provincial and municipal issues, and also for corporation loans.

TRANSCONTINENTAL TRAMP

English Journalists Make Tour
for Pearson's Magazine

Ed. N. Clarke, the English author, and Leo Marchant, late of the Cape Town Argus, who are walking across the continent in the interests of Pearson's Magazine, reached Revelstoke early Saturday, having marched from Laggan, through snow drifts in places up to their waists, since Monday, taking five days to do the intervening 149 miles, an average of 29 miles a day, which must be considered exceptionally good under the bitter circumstances prevailing.

The two men left Quebec City on August 8th, and have been on the tramp ever since, their greatest day's walk being 48 miles, east of Toronto, while the 426 miles on the double track between Fort William and Winnipeg was compassed in 10½ days averaging up to 40 miles a day. They left Quebec without a cent, this being in the contract, and have beaten their way to this point, covering on road and track something like 3,100 miles, and have to finish up with sufficient capital to land them back in Europe by March 1st, a fairly stiff proposition, but one which they hope to accomplish successfully and on time.

While here they were the guests of Host McDowell, at the Revelstoke Hotel, and left on Sunday for the last part of their long walk to Vancouver. Their mileage is as follows: Quebec to Montreal, by road, 246 miles walked in 8½ days. Montreal to Ottawa, 136 miles, in 3½ days. Ottawa to Toronto, 306½ miles, in 10 days. Toronto to Sudbury, road and track, 300 miles, in 8 days. Sudbury to Port Arthur, by track, 552 miles, in 20 days. Port Arthur to Winnipeg, 430 miles, in 10½ days. Winnipeg to Moose Jaw, 398 miles, in 18½ days. Moose Jaw to Medicine Hat, 261 miles, in 8 days. Medicine Hat to Calgary, 180 miles, Calgary to Banff, 82 miles, in 3 days. Banff to Revelstoke, 181 miles, in 8 days.

Total walk, 3,072½ miles in 104 days. This, of course, is actual walking time and does not include stopovers in the towns and cities en route.

B. C. MINERALS

Total Output for 1908 Nearly
\$24,000,000

NELSON, Jan. 12.—The Daily News' New Year's edition announced the following mineral output in British Columbia during 1908, specially prepared for the Daily News by E. Jacobs, of Victoria.

Gold, placer, ounces, 34,100, worth \$684,000; gold, lode, 258,000 ounces, value, \$5,291,520.

Total gold output, \$5,975,520; silver, 3,637,000 ounces, worth \$1,518,500; lead, 43,775,000 lbs., worth \$1,654,695; zinc and iron, 10,000 tons, worth \$280,000; copper, 43,885,000 lbs., worth \$5,792,820. Total metalliferous output for 1908, \$15,219,535. Coal, 1,700,000 long tons, worth \$5,950,000; coke, 248,000 long tons, worth \$1,488,000. Building material, etc., \$1,200,000. Total mineral production for the year, \$23,857,535.

Last year's total was \$25,882,500. There is a drop in lead and copper values, the figures for 1907 being \$2,291,825 and \$8,166,544 respectively. The other figures are about the same for both years.

**Corporation of the City of
Revelstoke.****Financial Statement for the Year 1908**

Receipts	Expenditure
TAXATION	By Balance Jan. 1, 1908..... 5,350.42
Liquor Licences..... 1000 00	Sinking Fund for Debenture..... 3202 07
Trade..... 873 73	Interest on Debentures..... 8801 85
Weighing Fees..... 91 50	Tax Loans..... 1440 42
Road Tax..... 128 00	
Dog Tax..... 78 00	Public Safety
Real Property Taxes..... 23055 30	Police Salaries..... 5000 63
Interest on Taxes..... 797 87	General Expenses..... 1180 02
	Jail Maintenance..... 377 30
PUBLIC SAFETY	Fuel..... 67 85
Police Court Fines..... 267 10	Payments to Firemen..... 981 75
Prisoners' keep repayment..... 14 50	Firemen's Insurance..... 288 70
Pound Fees..... 61 50	Fire Alarm Repairs..... 31 80
	Fire Brigade equipment..... 409 31
PUBLIC EDUCATION	Prisoners' keep..... 49 25
School Grant..... 2080 00	Health Department..... 478 80
	Pound..... 213 20
PUBLIC INDUSTRIES	Insurance..... 40 00
Water, Light and Power..... 33594 07	Isolation Hospital..... 217 58
Loans on current year's taxes..... 13000 00	
Cemetery Receipts..... 323 25	Public Convenience
	Streets and Sidewalks..... 3825 87
PROCEEDS DEBENTURES	Snow Service..... 480 80
"A" Water & Light (bal.)..... 14250 00	Tools..... 25 80
"B" Jail..... 3806 00	
"C" Overdraft..... 15750 00	City Hall, Maintenance
"D" New Fire Alarm..... 3080 00	Civic Salaries..... 3349 80
"E" Parks..... 4575 00	Postage, Telegrams, and
Interest on Debentures accrued..... 338 50	Telephones..... 439 10
Proceeds of Note, Concrete sidewalks, 9780 35	Printing and Stationery..... 40 40
Boulevards..... 2429 30	Office Furniture..... 94 05
Miscellaneous Receipts..... 794 43	Audit account, 1907..... 80 00
Expenditure over receipts..... 1071 24	Miscellaneous..... 236 55
	Fuel..... 392 15
	Legal Expenses..... 285 20
	Insurance..... 129 00
	Election Expenses..... 115 90
	Buildings, etc.
	Fire Hall No. 1..... 78 45
	Repairs, maintenance..... 455 85
	Jail building..... 382 70
	Jail shed..... 95 55
	Jail furniture..... 437 10
	Schools
	By water and light account..... 16508 11
	Sick and destitute..... 599 65
	Donations
	Fertile..... 500 00
	Sundries..... 1940 75
	Celebrations..... 134 40
	Public Convenience
	Recreation ground..... 2669 37
	Columbia Park..... 1402 50
	Boulevards..... 1469 85
	Concrete sidewalks..... 9926 84
	Sewers—preliminary exp..... 1423 65
	Cemetery repairs..... 104 00
	Scavenging..... 278 00
	Concrete motor..... 114 38
	Refunds of taxes, etc.
	Tax Sale costs..... 130 04
	Tax Sale purchases..... 442 84
	Deposit A.W. Abrahamson returned..... 340 10
	Repayment tax loan..... 7122 37
	Rock Quarry..... 100 00
	Payments account water and light account..... 19671 61
	Debenture J-gas plant
	Foundation..... 2663 57
	Machinery..... 12733 09
	Pole Line..... 1341 58
	Power House..... 2282 05
	Spurs..... 580 42
Total..... 8142137 71	142137 71

Current Revenue and Expenditure Account

Dr.	Cr.
Molsons Bank..... 47050 33	By tax arrears..... \$15604 41
Tax loan..... 13000 00	By interest on Taxes..... 1307 74
Loan, current taxes..... 2000 00	By water and light acc't..... 8620 88
Deposit Canada Gen. Ac. c..... 1871 24	By deficit for year..... 119 23
Expenditure over receipts..... 23851 77	
	\$23851 77

WATER AND LIGHT DEPARTMENT

Profit and Loss Account	
Telephone rental..... 98 00	Distributed as follows:
Fuel..... 331 58	Light plant..... \$1530 87
Siding rent Power House..... 29 00	Water plant..... 580 48
Printing and stationery..... 49 00	
Power House repair and maintenance..... 1349 22	Tools..... 247 33
Discounts..... 4134 33	Advance to Sundry account..... 2359 47
General expenses..... 281 27	General Civic fund..... 14355 06
Salaries..... 7182 75	
Water repairs maintenance..... 784 25	
Electric..... 554 36	
Insurance..... 380 10	
Installation and Fixtures..... 319 23	
Water rates..... 11967 35	
Light rates..... 1021 10	
Meter rents..... 31 50	
Power..... 507 05	
Balance "Profit"..... 20423 41	
	\$85594 07
	\$65594 07

BALANCE SHEET

As at 31st December, 1908.

LIABILITIES	ASSETS
To Debentures..... \$185800 00	Streets and sidewalks..... \$2892 47
Due Molsons Bank..... 9780 35	Water and Light plants..... 106117 27
Note account concrete sidewalks..... 2129 30	Buildings and Real Estate..... \$28600 00
Note account boulevards..... 68 01	School house and grounds..... 1731 11
Tax sale surplus..... 7 50	City Hall..... 1273 45
Due Can Gen Electric Co. 119 23	Fire hall No. 1..... 3000 00
Shortage 1907..... 31 50	New Jail..... 4000 63
Balance assets over liabilities..... 81420 83	Isolation hospital..... 1131 03
	Lots 8 and 9, block 23..... 2500 00
	Recreation ground..... 2622 40
	Public parks..... 3271 87
	Cemetery villa lots..... 220 00
	Dumping ground..... 338 20
	Furniture in schools..... 2900 00
	Furniture in jail..... 457 10
	Furniture in office..... 1018 80
	City scales..... 300 00
	Fire alarm system (new)..... 400 31
	Sinking funds..... 1319 33
	Fire brigade equipment..... 2398 52
	Sewer preliminary expense..... 4325 61
	Due on cemetery lots..... 1423 65
	Tools and implements..... 282 50
	Tax sale purchases..... 426 94
	Rock quarry..... 100 00
	Concrete sidewalks..... 9641 34
	Boulevards..... 2480 85
	Gas producing plant and equipment..... 20683 71
	\$270625 31

DETAILS OF SCHOOL EXPENDITURE

Statement of expenditure by School Board for year 1908:

PUBLIC SCHOOL	HIGH SCHOOL
Salaries..... \$ 9 563 00	Salaries..... \$16 004 00
Repairs and supplies..... 1 335 35	Repairs and supplies..... 83 37
Fuel..... 834 88	Fuel..... 78 99
Grounds..... 67 75	Incidental..... 33 23
New desks..... 213 10	
Fire escape..... 556 96	
Completions and clearing new grounds..... 34 00	
Trustees' convention..... 117 17	
Renewal insurance..... 337 50	
Incidental..... 140 80	
	\$ 13 238 42

Total..... \$ 16 508 11

I hereby certify the above statement is a true and correct account of the monies spent by the Revelstoke School Board during the year 1908.

F. H. BOWEN, Chairman. T. W. BRADSHAW, Secretary.

Public School average monthly enrolment..... 440

High School average monthly enrolment..... 31

Cost per head, Public School..... \$ 39 00

Cost per head, High School..... 103 00

Revelstoke, B. C., 13 January, 1909.

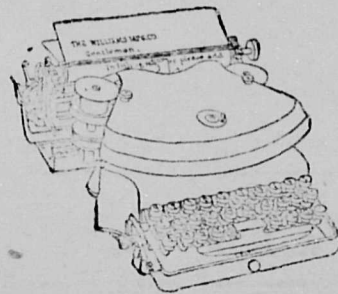
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JOHN H. JACKSON,

Chartered Accountant
Auditor.

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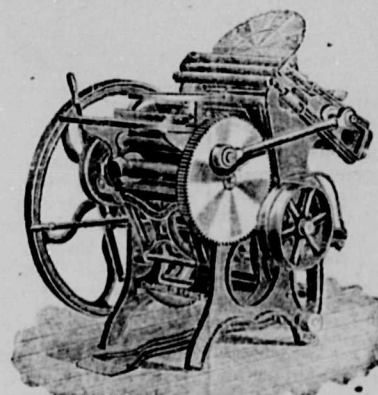
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Blankets

We are disposing of this seasonable line of goods at a 25 per cent. discount.

Wrapperettes

These are this season's best goods, which sold at 16c. and 18c. per yard, now selling at 12 1/2c. per yard.

Flannelettes

Heavy, wide width flannelettes, regular 12 1/2c. a yard, now 7c. per yard.

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Weather Forecast

Saturday, Jan. 16—Cloudy, unsettled, cold. Temp. Max. -12, Min. -15.

Local and General.

B. C. apples are retailed at six cents each in Australia.

It is reported that the C. P. R. will this year spend \$30,000,000 on construction on its western lines.

The annual meeting of the Kamloops Presbytery is to be held in Knox Church, Revelstoke, on Wednesday, February 10.

The MAIL-HERALD staff received a gift of wedding cake this morning from Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Crick. Many thanks.

We understand that Miss Gertrude Dent of this city was a passenger on No. 97 that was wrecked at Spuzzum yesterday morning, but fortunately was uninjured.

It is about a fortnight now since the last glimmer of an electric light was seen. It seems as if we were to do with it for a still longer period. "Lead, kindly light, amid the encircling gloom."

We have been repeatedly asked by a number of our patrons during the recent cold spell why it is that the furnace that works beautifully when the weather is balmy will get balky the very first real cold morning. Will somebody please explain.

A report received today from Jaffray is to the effect that contracts for the building of 30 miles of the Kootenay Central railway will be let on the 20th of January, and that the road from Galloway to Fort Steele will be completed this year.

Cable advices from England state the Imperial Government has renewed the overseas mail service with the C. P. R. for the sum of \$225,000 per annum and has agreed to allow a longer period for transportation, namely thirty-five and a half instead of thirty-four days between Liverpool and Hong Kong.

A good resolution for business men to adopt is to inaugurate and carry out during 1909 a campaign of publicity. Let the people know that you are in business in this city by advertising. It will increase your business and augment the number of your friends. Those engaged in dealing with the public should not hide their light under a bushel.

A noticeable feature of the polling of Thursday's civic election was the large percentage of spoiled ballots that were counted, which is far from being a credit to the community. It is about time every elector should know how to vote, and spoiled ballots at any election are always a source of trouble and ill feeling. The returning officer made a great mistake.

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SOCIALIST MEETING

H. N. Coursier's Appeal for Support in Election.

A meeting was held on Wednesday night in the opera house, under the auspices of the Socialist Party of Canada, for the purpose of putting before the people the great questions that affect the every day life of the people under capitalistic rule. The meeting was not very well attended, although the audience was an appreciative one, and was held in order that the candidacy of Mr. H. N. Coursier in contesting the Revelstoke constituency at the by-election might be declared and upheld.

W. W. Lefaux gave a forcible address, touching on the leading points of the Socialist platform and the claims that Socialism has. F. B. Gayman also made a few pointed remarks, and Mr. Coursier addressed his supporters and others in a convincing and eloquent manner, dwelling on the salient features of the campaign.

School Trustees

The interest taken this year in the election of school trustees is a gratifying feature of the election, showing that more interest is being taken in the work of the schools, whose importance to the community cannot be overestimated. The election of Ed. Edwards is doubtful by reason of the fact that in the many spoiled ballots there were quite a number which might be readily counted as good. We understand that a recount is more than likely and the returning officer will have to make a careful scrutiny of each ballot, the matter being left in his hands. The contest was close between Mr. Edwards and Mr. Forde, and it is probable that a recount will be made in view of the above facts.

Presentation to Mrs. Tapping

On the eve of December 23rd, the Ladies of the Maccabees of the World, met at the home of Mrs. S. McDonauld's when the Lady Commander presented Mrs. Tapping with a dozen of silver tea spoons and a short address.

Lady Tapping and Dear Sister: "We, The Ladies of the Maccabees, feel that we would like to show our appreciation of your good will and kindness to this hive, so on behalf of the ladies I ask you to accept this small token, and it is the wish of all that you and your family have a merry Christmas."

Orange Blossoms

A wedding of particular local interest took place on Thursday night, when Miss Annie Maslen and Albert George Crick, both residents of Revelstoke, were united in the bonds of matrimony. The Rev. C. A. Procuier tied the nuptial knot, the ceremony taking place at the home of the bride.

The members of the staff of the MAIL-HERALD presented the newly married couple with many handsome gifts, a salutatory address being read before the presentation, the bride and bridegroom being vividly affected by the sentiments it contained. The bridegroom is a member of the mechanical staff of the MAIL-HERALD and well and popularly known in Revelstoke. His many friends will be glad to hear of his initiation into the ranks of the benedicti, and join in congratulations to the bride and bridegroom and in wishes for their future happiness. Mr. and Mrs. Crick will make their home in Revelstoke.

BOARD OF TRADE

The annual general meeting of the Revelstoke Board of Trade will be held in the City Hall on Tuesday next, Jan. 19th, at 8 p.m. All members are requested to attend as business of importance will be discussed. Officers for the year will be elected and the general outlook of the board for the season's work taken up. Members are reminded that the annual fee of \$2.50 is now due and that the secretary will be glad to receive the same on Tuesday next. As the year's work will probably be very heavy it is to be hoped that the members will attend as often as possible when the meetings are called. The Board of Trade is just as important a body as the City Council and its work should have every bit as much interest taken in it by its members as well as the public at large.

Social and Personal

C. B. Hume has returned from a visit to Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Aman entertain a number of friends on Wednesday evening in honor of Mr. G. Aman, the host's brother. Progressive whist was the chief amusement of the evening. Mrs. T. E. L. Taylor and Mr. Wm. Tomlinson were the prize winners.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. McCarter entertain a large number of friends on Thursday night at her pretty home on McKenzie Avenue. Progressive whist with twelve tables filled the first part of the evening, followed by a recherche supper. The handsome old English billiard room was then cleared and the guests enjoyed several hours of dancing to music furnished by the Independent Band. The affair was most enjoyable and the social event of the season. The following were the lucky prize winners: Mrs. H. Cunningham Morris, Miss Buck Mrs. S. G. Robbins, A. B. McClenaghan, and J. Guy Barber.

Grip and Password.

Gold Range Lodge No. 26, held their semi-annual installation of officers on Wednesday night. The lodge opened for general business and at the conclusion the new officers were installed. Past Chancellor A. J. Howe, as deputy Grand Chancellor, assisted by Past Grand Chancellor L. H. Buck performed the ceremonies of installation, the following being the new officers for the term: G. C.—T. P. Smith. V. G.—D. McDonauld. Pres.—J. W. Garland. M. at A.—H. R. Maundrell. M. of W.—H. Sawyer. K. of R. & S.—G. H. Brock. M. of F.—J. B. Scott. M. of E.—A. J. Howe. L. G.—A. McEachern. O. G.—W. Fleming. H. Cunningham Morris, after vacating the Chancellor Commander's chair, assumed the rank of Past Chancellor. At the close of the installation the lodge sat down to a splendid supper, during which short addresses were made by the deputy grands, newly elected officers, and captain of the Uniform Rank. The work of the past year was reviewed and the lodge starts off a new year with bright and prosperous prospects.

WANTED—Second-hand furniture, stoves, cast-off clothing, etc.—J. C. Hall, 2nd street, opposite Knox church.

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We have some goods you will need in this kind of weather, and we are determined to get clear of them, and if prices will do it we do not expect to keep them long. We are busy stock taking and have a lot of good lines in winter goods that we are making very low prices on, as we do not want to carry them in stock.

Misses' high buttoned Overshoes, sizes 11 to 2.—Only \$1.00.

Children's and Misses' Flannelette Nightgowns, for ages from 3 to 16, made of good flannelette, in pink, blue, white and striped. They are made good and full, and well finished. 75c. gowns for 50c., 90c. gowns for 60c., \$1.25 gowns for 85c. These are real bargains.

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We have some good school dresses, nicely made of good warm material, for ages from 7 to 14. Regular prices \$3.00 to \$6.00, now selling at half price.

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Card of Thanks.

To the Electors of the City of Revelstoke.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I hereby tender my sincere thanks to the electors and citizens of Revelstoke who supported me in the Municipal campaign now just over, for the confidence they have shown in my administration for the past year, by the splendid majority given me for another term as Mayor of our city. I keenly appreciate the fact that my efforts have been approved and understood by the best elements in the city, in whose interest I shall always work.

Yours faithfully,

CHAS. F. LINDMARK.

Card of Thanks

To the Electors of Ward III.

Ladies and Gentlemen:—I have to thank you for your strong support at the polls on Thursday, and can assure you that I will do all I can to further merit the confidence placed in me in the past and will do all in my power to further your interests.

Yours respectfully,

R. H. SAWYER.

Card of Thanks.

To the Electors of Ward Two:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—I have to thank you for your support at the polls on Thursday, and can assure you that I will do everything in my power to further the interests of the city.

Yours respectfully,

C. R. MACDONALD.

Card of Thanks

To the Electors of Ward III:

Ladies and Gentlemen:—I have to thank you for your support at the

polls on Thursday, and will do all in my power to merit your confidence and further your interests.

Yours respectfully,

F. B. WELLS.

Card of Thanks

To the Electors of Ward III:

Ladies and Gentlemen:—I have to thank you for your strong support at the polls on Thursday, and will endeavor to still further merit your confidence placed in me in the past and will do everything in my power to further your interests.

Yours respectfully,

J. A. STOSL.

Card of Thanks.

To the Electors:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—I beg to thank you for the very generous support you gave me at the polls on Thursday last in the municipal elections.

Yours truly,

A. E. KINCAID.

Card of Thanks.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

Kindly accept my best thanks for your generous support in the recent election for school trustees.

Yours truly,

J. P. FORDE.

Revelstoke, B. C., Jan. 15th, 1909.

To the Electors of Ward One

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

I have to thank all those who so well supported me at the recent civic elections for electing me as your representative and hope I shall be able to fully justify your confidence.

Yours faithfully,

A. PRADOLINI.