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REVELSTOKE PLATOON TO BE COMMANDED BY LIEUT. McLEAN

Revelstoke Contingent Not be Separated, Declares Colonel Davis — Patriotic Meeting Too Numerous For Drill Hall—Held in Open Air—Stirring Speeches Good Music—Recruits Offer as Result of Meeting.

What was probably the most remarkable meeting ever held in Revelstoke in point of the number, earnestness and enthusiasm of the audience and in regard to the excellence of the speeches and musical program provided was that held on Thursday evening for the purpose of stimulating recruiting in Revelstake. It had been intended to hold the meeting in the drill hall, but long before the return of the parade which preceded the meeting the hall was filled and hundreds were waiting outside the hall. On the arrival of the parade, Mayor W. A. Foote announced that an open air meeting would be held. The piano was speedily moved to the front of the hall, a platform was improvised at the entrance and chairs were carried out and placed anywhere within hearing distance where a space could be found. The audience packed the space in front of the drill hall, stretched across the opposite pavement and extended far along the street and sidewalks in both directions. The scene was a striking one, and the sea of faces included men and women of every age and of every walk in life. Hundreds of children were also present and the crowd was flanked by gaily decorated automobiles whose occupants listened to the speeches and music.

Stirring and practical speeches, of not more than three minutes daration each, were delivered by Lieut. C.G. McLean, C.E. Gillan, Rev. W. Lashley Hall, T. Kilpatrick, Rev. C. A. Procunier, R. Tapping, Rev. J.W. Stevenson, R. Gordon, W. B. Farris and Rev. J.C. McKenzie. Mayor W. A. Foote was in the chair. The musical program was of a high order and the songs well selected and splendidly sung. Several patriotic selections were given by the city band, the audience sang with much vim The Maple Leaf, Tipperary, Rule Brittania, the National Anthem and other patriotic songs. Mrs. W. Bews sang "Here's to Our Own Canadian Boys" specially writeen in honor of the contingent now being formed; Miss Parker's song "Drake goes West" was followed as an encore by "A Dear Land."; "Dawn" was given by Miss Paulding and "The Boys of the Old Brigade" was sung by F. Paulding; "Say Au Revoir but not Good Bye" was given by G.R. Lawrence who as an encore read "The Day" the now famous composition of Harry Chapelle a Bath railway porter. J. L. Hay recited "A Diamond in the Rough."

The procession which was led by the mayor included the city band, the bugle band of the 102nd regt., the High school cadet corps, the boy scouts and the Revelstoke platoon of the 54th battalion followed by decorated automobiles and by hundreds of spectators.

As a result of the meeting several recruits signed the roll and a number have signified their intention of doing so.

Lieut. C. G. McLean, who was the first speaker and whose address met with heartiest applause began by saying that he felt more scared in addressing the audience than he expected to feel in the trenches. Col. Davis who had passed through the city that morning had expressed his regret that he was unable to remain for the meeting. On behalf of officers and men the speaker expressed his thanks for the kindnesses they had received since recruiting commenced and also his thanks to the ladies of the Red Cross society for the rosettes which had been presented to the recruits to distinguish them from ordinary citizens. The colonel had said that the Revelstoke contingent should go as a separate platoon and he had been given the honor of commanding the platoon. He had no doubt that they would maintain the honor of Revelstoke and of all Canada. They wanted every man that was unattached and could enlist. He had heard some say that they could not go because of their debts. He did not think that the patriotism of the creditors should allow any man to be kept from the service of his country because of debt. He thanked the people of Revelstoke for their kindness and said that he hoped to be in the city for some time.

C. E. Gillan expressed his pleasure at being present at a meeting called for so worthy a purpose. He congratulated Lieut. McLean on his recruits which he thought were the huskiest that he had ever seen in one squad. When he was up at 6.30 in the morning he saw the men ready for drill. If they were in uniform as they marched down the street he believed that everyone would touch his hat to them. It was a serious proposition that confronted the empire. Was outlawry to be permitted to conquer the world? The barbarities of the Goths and Vandals were nothing to those of the present time. Cesar when victorious took a few slaves, now people were mutilated, the populace terrorized and ancient buildings were laid in ruins. Were free men to be dominated by such methods or were they to fight for the freedom that while men were entitled to? Oppression must be put down by force of arms and ammunition. He believed that the Revelstoke squad would uphold the traditions of the Canadians and that they would equal anything that had been accomplished. They were full of patriotism and in prime physical condition.

W. Lashley Hall said that we were living in stirring times. It was difficult to gauge the future or to forecast impending world changes. The map of Europe and of the world was destined to be changed and habits

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KILLED BY SHRAPNEL

Private Forbes Carried Wounded Comrade to Trench Under Fire

The following extract from an Inverness newspaper tells of the death of James Forbes, who enlisted in Revelstoke where he acted as discount clerk in the Imperial bank, It tells also of an act of heroism performed by Mr. Forbes, hitherto unreputed in Canada. The extract is as follows:

The sad intelligence was conveyed yesterday to the parents of Private James Forbes, of the Canadian contingent, that he had been killed in the recent severe fighting in which the Colonials took part. The information was sent by a comrade, who had arranged with Private Forbes that in the event of anything happening the survivor would inform the relatives. Private Forbes and his comrade were in the great charge which the Canadians made, and they had the pleasure of meeting and congratulating each other on being unwounded after passing through the thick of the fighting. On the following day the Germans shelled the Canadians with shrapnel and high explosives. A brave deed was performed by Private Forbes, who saw a comrade fall about 40 yards from his trench. Private Forbes, along with another, got out of the trench, and carried the wounded Canadian, whose leg was broken, into the trench, and helped in rendering first aid. After the severe fighting the Canadians were relieved, and while a party was in the trench, Private Forbes was struck by a piece of shrapnel in the head and died instantly. His death gave great regret to his comrades, who had seen his coolness and daring during the severe fighting. Private Forbes was well known in Inverness, having been trained in the Royal Insurance company office in Queen's Gate. About two years ago he left Inverness for Toronto, having received an appointment in the Imperial bank. His business abilities soon won for him promotion to a branch in British Columbia. After the war broke out he joined the colors. He put in a spell of training in Victoria, and along with a large draft was sent from there direct to France. The news of his death, at the early age of 23, will be learned with deep regret by all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance. Deceased was the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Forbes, Stratton, Broadstone Park. To them and to his sisters sincere sympathy will be extended in the loss of a brave son and brother.

KNOTTY LEE SEES GAME

King's Birthday Ball Game is Great Exhibition—Fats vs. Leans

About 400 people turned out to see the game of the season when the Fats and Leans played at the Recreation grounds last Thursday afternoon for the benefit of the Red Cross society. The Leans went down to defeat by a score of 12 to 16. The game was full of unexpected plays and kept the audience in paroxysms of laughter. Some of the players had seen a baseball bat previous to the game and some had not, none were in training and some were evidently decidedly out of condition and their labors for a good cause won them generous rooting. The sum of $102.50 was taken at the gate in voluntary contributions, and the game was worth it from a spectators' point of view.

Knotty Lee the good natured Irishman who has acted as scout for the Detroit Tigers for the last two years, spent the day in the city and strolled up to see the game. His conversation with a local friend overheard on the grand stand was something as follows:

Well we're away. Here comes the Leans to bat. Who did you say that was at bat, Mr. Horobin? Did youse see him try to swat that ball, sure, it was a foot from him. Hard luck, the best he could get was a walk.

And who's that up now? Mr. Bews, the druggist. Oh, what a wallup, its good for two bases. No, boy, see, he's anchored at first. Well 'twas a good drive, anyway, it scored Horobin.

Whose that to bat now, the fellow with the the green striped sweater? Dr. Hamilton, did you say. I'd like to bet you he scores. Did you see him lean on it? Sure its good for three bases. No the short stop's got it. Stay on first! For the love of Mike, I thought the short stop had it and it went clean past him, What's that short stop's name? Coulthard, did you say? I wonder now is he any relation to Jess Coulthard I signed up in 1912 for Hughie. He was a morning worker too, but in the afternoon he just could'nt make good. Look at that fellow with the green sweater try to steal second. Did they call him out at second. 'Twas a close decision, it looked to me he was safe. That's Mr. Macdonald at the bat now? Well, well, well, the first ball throwed he lams right into the left fielder's mit. Wow, wow, he missed it. Whose playing that left field. Oh, McRae, T'is easily seen he's not been out practising lately. Hurrah! another run. Whose did you say that was that scored that run. Sure now I remember 'twas Bews.

Give us a look at your score card. Reynolds at bat now 'eh'. That's a nice fly, boy. Oh but look it's right into the short-stop's mit. And he's missed it. Sure and that man is having hard luck at short.

Well that makes the second one out wid Reynolds getting tagged at third and the little fellow wid the green sweater out on second.

And this gentleman wid the glasses on at the bat now, what might his name be? That there is Mr. Laing? Sure and he has played ball before. Look at him getting into his stride. That's a nice fly he knocked out and right into the mit of short-stop. He's missed it. Could it be the sun dazzling his eyes, or is he out of practice? You were saying that t'was Mr. McCleneghan at the bat. Sure and he will not last long, he struck out. That makes the third one out, we'll get a chance now to get a line up on the fat men's ability to punish the pill.

Who's that up first for the fat men? Stuart? Look at him hit it out in the garden. Its good for a three bagger, I keep forgetting it's the fat men to bat, and that they can't run as fast as the other ginks. My, what an awful handicap to have to work under. They are giving away an awful lot of weight.

Who is that great big healthy looking party at the plate now? Mr. Barber, Barber did youse say? Sure and it isn't a man by the name of Guy Barber. Well, well, well, I'll sure have to see him. I met a friend of his at the coast. And just look at him drive that ball. Call a taxi we'll help him to first.

There goes the big pitcher up to bat. Pshaw he's struck out. I wanted to see him swat the pill.

My, oh, my is there no limit to the size of the men? Sure they get big-

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AGRICULTURAL FLOAT IS WINNER OF FIRST PRIZE

First Farmers' Day Complete Success—Well-decorated Floats in Parade—McKinnon Wins Prize for Driver—Macdonald Takes Horse Race—Events are Well Contested

Many of the floats in the Farmers' Day parade yesterday afternoon displayed the greatest ingenuity and won the warmest praise from the spectators. The pony race provided an exciting finish, the stock judging proved most interesting and the entire event was a complete success. The schools were given a half holiday and the streets along the route of the procession were thronged with spectators.

The parade which started at the corner of McKenzie avenue and first street was led by Mayor W.A. Foote's automobile in which was His Worship, W.E. Smith, president of the Farmers' institute, and S.H. Hopkins and W. Newton, the government lecturers. Next came Arthur Needham, a small boy in costume, on a gaily decorated bicycle. F. McCarty and Cecil McSorley in costume with other boys on horseback followed. Then came the recently imported Clydesdale stallion supplied by the provincial government to the stock breeders association. The band came next followed by the decorated floats after which came a number of decorated automobiles and hundreds of spectators. The procession followed First street to the brewery, thence went to Old Town and on its return disbanded at the post office.

The float provided from Bews' Drug store was an artistic triumph. It considted of an automobile decorated in violet and white to form a large basket, above the basket being a handle tied with ribbons. The basket was filled with spring flowers among which appeared the heads of a number of dainty children. Four boys walking in front appeared to be drawing the basket with wide ribbons while Miss Oonah Leigh in front of the car appeared to drive the team. Appropriate advertisements of Bews' perfumes "rivals of spring flowers" appeared at the side of the basket. The children in the car were Jean Bews, Isabel Bews, Kenneth Bews, Lulu and Mary Davis. The boys "drawing" the car were Charlie and Gilbert Davis, Sam Needham and Jimmy Sampson. Walter Bews drove the automobile.

The float of the Farmer's institute, designed by W. E. Smith, was most ingenious and was warmly praised. It represented agriculture and displayed the four seasons on a complete farm, The daintily painted farm house was surrounded with trees and in the garden bloomed forget-me-nots, daisies, pansies and other spring flowers In the kitchen garden were potatoes and strawberries growing. In a corral at the back were two live calves. A field of rye already cut, a field from which potatoes had been dug, and a grain field after cutting were at the rear of the house. The entire float was surrounded with grasses and made a most interesting exhibit,

Bourne Bros had an attractive float advertising Sherwin Williams paints..

The Revelstoke Sash and Door factory exhibited on their float the products of their factory "made in Revelstoke."

The Revelstoke Meat Market's float was decorated with branches and flags and carried a dressed pig with advertisements of Swift's products.

The Palace Garage had a gaily decorated float advertising Goodyear tires.

The following is the result of the various competitions:

Best float—1, W. E. Smith, 2 W. Bews.

Boys' Horse Race—1, Macdonald; 2 J. McSorley.

Heavy horse—1, J. H. Curtis.

General purpose horse—H. Carlson.

Saddle horse—F. McCarty

Driver—H. McKinnon.

Highest scoring bull—W. E. Smith.

Highest scoring dairy heifer—W.E. Smith.

Best dairy cow—1, M. Fleetham, 2, C. Granstrom.

Holstein bull, special prize—C. Granstrom.

Boys costume on horseback—1, Cecil McSorley; 2, J. McSorley.

Chopping contest—1, J. Nichols.

Best costume on bicycle—1, Arthur Needham.

RECRUITS NOW SIXY-TWO

Southern Contingent Will Pass Through Revelstoke on Way to Vernon

Sixty-two recruits have now joined the Revelstoke platoon of the 54th battalion or 12 more than originally allotted to Revelstoke. Lieut. McLean who will command the platoon, is highly pleased with the result as is also Lieut. Col. Davis, the officer commanding.

Col. Davis who passed through the city on Thursday announced that the battalion will mobilize in Vernon between June 8 and 13.

The Canadian Pacific railway steamer Bonnington is being placed in commission for a special trip to Robson, whence she will convey the Southern contingent to Arrowhead, en route to the training ground at Vernon.

The citizens of Nakusp are communicating with Col. Davis, through the board of trade, asking that in view of many recruits being from Nakusp the steamers on which they travel stop there an hour, so that they be given a proper send-off. It is proposed to have the town band in attendance at the wharf. It is also hoped that the regiment may parade here for exercise.

Those who have signed the roll and passed the medical examination since the list was published in the Mail Herald on Wednesday are as follows:

John Cullis, born London England, age 30, carpenter, next of kin Mrs. E. Cullis, mother, Taft, B.C.

Aubrey St. Johns, born Galveston, Texas, age 28, mechanical engineer, next of kin, Henry B. St. Johns, father, Vancouver.

Robert Charles McRae, born, Illecillewait, age 22, newspaper reporter, next of kin Alex. McRae, father, Revelstoke.

Andrew Perry McIntosh, born, Mason City, Iowa, age 31, brakeman, next of kin W.J. McIntosh, Brother, Barrie, Ontario.

Wm. Graham F. Brown, born, Alexandria, Scotland, age 35, trainman, next of kin Mrs. M. Brown, wife, Revelstoke.

Malcolm McBeth, born, Prince Edward Island, age 31, miner, next of kin Mrs. H. McBeth, wife, Rogers Pass, B.C.

Henry Hayes, born, London, England, age 28, shoemaker, next of kin Thos. Hayes, father, Marylebone, England.

Harold Ford Gordon, born Vancouver, B.C., age 20, student civil engineer, next of kin Robert Gordon, father, Revelstoke.

Charles Bruce, born, London Eng. age 19, C.P.R. clerk, next of kin Benjamin Bruce, father, Vancouver.

The number of recruits enlisted up to Thursday morning was as follows:

	Quota	Sec.	Need.
Nelson and Kaslo	250	242	8
Fernie, ...	100	86	21
Rossland and Trail	150	66	84
Grand Forks	100	79	21
Cranbrook, Golden, and Creston, ...	200	108	92
Revelstoke, ...	50	54	
Kamloops and north country, ...	200	50	150
Similkameen Valley	50	12	38
Totals	1,100	697	407

John O'Brien in List of Wounded

Among the wounded in today's casualty list appears the name of John O'Brien formerly of the 30th battalion, now of the 15th battalion. Mr. O'Brien enlisted in Revelstoke and was formerly in the employ of the Palace livery.

William Arthur Wilcox of Salmon Arm, well known in Revelstoke, formerly with the 30th battalion, and now of the 15th, is reported missing in the latest casualty list.

MINISTER VISITS CONSTITUENCY

Attended Celebration of Completion of Kettle Valley Line at Penticton

Hon. Thomas Taylor, M.P.P., accompanied by Mrs. Taylor, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon from the south and will leave tomorrow morning for the coast. They are at the Revelstoke hotel.

Mr. Taylor is returning from a visit to Penticton where he attended the celebration in honor of the completion of the Kettle Valley railway. A banquet given by the board of trade and municipality was attended by a representative gathering and was highly successful. Among the guests were J. Rogers, president of the Vancouver board of trade, W.H. Malkin of Malkin & Co., a prominent Vancouver firm, Justice Gallagher, Mr. Flumerfelt, president of the British American Trust company, Supt. Coleman of the Canadian Pacific railway at Winnipeg; Mr. Warren, president of the Kettle Valley railway, the mayors and reeves of adjoining municipalities and many other prominent citizens.

The opening of the line, which has been secured through the railway policy of the McBride government, is an important epoch in the history of British Columbia and is the culmination of an effort begun 25 years ago. The line opens up a fertile and promising territory which includes the Nicola valley famous for stock raising and districts rich in mineral, timber and fruit raising possibilities.

Mr. Taylor spent a couple of days in the Grand Forks and Greenwood districts where he had business in connection with the public works department. At Grand Forks the mines are active and 8 stacks at the Granby smelter are in operation. At Greenwood it is expected that the smelter will soon reopen.

Conditions are improving at the coast, says Mr. Taylor. There is still unemployment in the cities, but in unorganized districts there is little distress.

Mr. Taylor said that he was glad to hear that work on the completion of the automobile road was in progress. The provincial work is also in full swing, he says and good progress is being made.

FAREWELL TO VOLUNTEERS

Dance in Drill Hall is Success of Season — Many Present

The dance given by the Revelstoke platoon of the 54th battalion, in the drill hall last evening proved an event of pleasure, and undoubtedly was the success of the season. Intensely British, with an admirable spirit of comradship, was the large number of guests which filled the hall. British and Canadian flags and the honored red cross emblem were worn by many of the ladies, and festoons of red, white and blue bunting adorned the walls and were used in artistic draperies throughout. The dance from start to finish was one round of pleasure and the music, perfect. Ansel Hillier as conductor of the city band, did fine work, and that his efforts are receiving appreciation was shown in the applause accorded each number, and the encores were most generously given. A sumptuous supper was served at midnight, and the delicious sandwiches, and cakes, proved the hosts caterers of the first water. On the reception committee were:

Corpl. Blinch, Lance-corpl. Rowan, J.S. Field, J. Martin, W.J. Wilson, J. Morgan, T. Copeland, B. Daniels, C. Procunier.

The dance committee included: B. Nelson, J.L. Curveon, N.W. Bennett, S. Ross, C. Corson.

Among the out of town guests of note were Lieut. McLean, who is the recruiting officer, and Dr. Archibald of Kamloops.

Three hundred and fifty-five people turned out to do honor to the boys, and to give them a hearty send-off, and filled the Drill hall to its utmost capacity.

Rossland hunters are asking the government that the open season for grouse be from October 1, to December 15.

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REVERSING OUR TRADE

In March the imports of the Dominion were less than the exports by almost $7,500,000. Considering that a couple of years ago Canada's imports exceeded its exports by about $250,000,000, or about $20,000,000 a month, the reversal of our trade current is remarkable. Nothing but the extraordinary conditions created by the war could have so quickly caused an excess of exports over imports. Along with the practical suspension of foreign trade by many European countries came orders to Canadian manufacturers for war supplies. Orders for war material placed in Canada amount to about $250,000,000. The outflow of this merchandise will steadily increase as the manufacturing capacity of the country is adapted to the new business. Thus in March of this year our exports of manufactured goods amounted to $15,600,000, while in March of 1913 they amounted to only $4,993,000. Our total exports last March amounted to $47,889,358, as against $27,760,000 in March, 1914. These heavy increases will be far surpassed later in the year when delivery is made of recently placed orders. Later in the year also will come the exports of the huge crop that now promises so well. What with war orders now in hand, war orders likely to come within 1915, and crop exports, we shall be sending abroad before the fiscal year ends as much as $700,000,000 worth of supplies. At the March rate alone the amount would be near $600,000,000, and little grain is now moving. In the last Dominion fiscal year total domestic exports amounted to about $375,000,000. To buy so little outside as Canada is now doing, and to produce so much, must inevitably produce a sound and prosperous condition. At present business in ordinary lines seems to be about 20 per cent. under normal of last year. The prospect of an early termination of the war, engendering confidence, would soon allow the effect of good intrinsic conditions to be felt.

POLITICAL NOTES

The Conservatives of the new Federal constituency of Cariboo which comprises the provincial electoral districts of Kamloops, Yale, Lillooet, North Cariboo and South Cariboo met in convention on Monday night and selected John T. Robinson as the standard bearer for the party in the next federal election.

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TOMORROW'S SERVICES

CATHOLIC

St. Francis church, McKenzie Ave. and Fifth street, Pastor, Rev. J. C. MacKenzie. Sunday services:— Low Mass at 8 a.m. and High Mass at 10:30 a.m. every Sunday. Sunday school for the children at 2:30 p.m., Benediction and Rosary at 7:30 p.m., Confessions Saturday 4 to 6 and 7:30 to 9 p.m. and Sunday morning 7:30 to 8. Weeks days:—Mass every morning at 7 o'clock, Confessions before Mass. First Fridays—Mass at 8 a.m., Benediction and Rosary at 7:30 p. m.

ST. PETER'S

First Sunday after Trinity. Holy Communion after 11 a.m. Evensong 7.30 p.m. Sermons at both services by the Rector.

At both morning and evening prayer, prayers authorized by the Lord Bishop for war will be said. Sunday school at 2.30 p.m.

METHODIST CHURCH

Public service will be held on Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m, Morning theme "A Revival of Religion" in the evening "Issues raised by the War." At 2.30 Sunday school and Bible classes. Epworth League for young people, on Monday at 8 p. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, at 8 p.m. Choir practice, Friday, at 8 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

In the Presbyterian church on Sunday the minister, Rev. J. W. Stevenson, will preach taking as his morning text: "Doing and Knowing," and in the evening "The Soul of the Nation" Sunday school and Bible classes at 2.30. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8.

GLACIER

(Special to the Mail-Herald)

Glacier, B. C., June 4.— S. Baker returned on Monday with his ponies which are in fine condition.

Ernest Read and William McGrath have sent for their jockey colors.

Miss Jenison left on the early Saturday morning train returning the same day, having had to visit the dentist at Revelstoke.

Deputy Guide Clark, took a party of ladies on Avalanche Crest on Sunday.

Albert Webb and I. Ball have moved to Guideville for the season.

The many friends of Miss Askew gave her a surprise party on her birthday on the 30th of last month.

The local guides have driven a tunnel in the ice of the great glacier, which is of easy access to the most timid, a guide being there permanently to conduct visitors through.

Miss Hill arrived on Friday's train to take up duties as cashier at the local hotel.

William Broadfoot and Duncan Fraser were visitors during the week from the great tunnel.

Miss Macdonald of Winnipeg arrived during the week to take over the duties of telegraph operator at the local hotel for the season.

Albert Tenie and J. Curragan are frequent visitors during these sunny days.

J. Bouch of the Pass was down during the week.

Through indisposition, A. Thorne did not hold his usual Saturday night dance last week, but they will be continued in the future.

J. Benn was confined to his room for a few days having met with an accident to his foot.

Mr. Kealogg arrived during the week to assist T. Shaw the local agent.

W. Feathers of Calgary arrived on Wednesday's train to take over the duties of barber for the season at the local hotel.

Were Clergy Used to Serve Personal Ends

Considerable doubt as to the sincerity of the attack upon the government contained in Mr. Moses Cotsworth's pamphlet, "The Crisis in B.C.," is expressed in an editorial of "The Western Methodist Recorder." The Recorder is supposed to be the organ of the Methodist church of the province and its utterances naturally reflect the opinion of the majority of the clergy of that denomination. The editorial committee is composed of Rev. W.J. Sipprell of Vancouver and Rev. J.P. Hicks of Victoria.

Under the heading "The Crisis in B.C." The Recorder says:

"The pamphlet bearing this title, issued recently by the Ministerial Union of the Lower Mainland of British Columbia, and a public meeting under the same auspices at Vancouver, seems to have caused a mild sensation The pamphlet which was prepared by Mr. M.B. Cotsworth, and bears the endorsement of the Revs. N.A. Harkness, A. E. Cooke, R. F. Stillman, W. S. A. Crux and A. M. O'Donnell, is a somewhat fierce onslaught upon the provincial administration, charging flagrant exploitation of the natural resources of the province.

"Whether the charges are substantially true or false we are not in a position to say. If they are true, the guilty parties should not escape the penalty of public humiliation; and we hope now that the actual facts will be disclosed.

"On the face of it, however, the attack looks too bitter to be sincere, and suggests that the ministers have been used to accomplish the personal designs of the author of the pamphlet and perhaps the party politicians.

"We ministers are supposed to be rather easily susceptible in such matters, and if it is true that some have already admitted that they had not personally inquired into the facts (notwithstanding the "Foreword" of the pamphlet) but had accepted simply the statement of Mr. Cotsworth, the crusade will have little effect upon public opinion."

Knotty Lee Sees Game

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ger every one of them. Whose this? McCarter did youse say? Sure the pitcher has a grudge agin him, he's not trying to put them over the plate at all. He's trying to bean him. But that's the wrong place entirely to go to bean a man. 'Tis a good job he struck out. He might of been killed if he's stayed there longer. Look at that Barber dustin fer third. His size saved him, the third baseman can't see the ball when the Barber gets near the base. Hurrah! the little fellow at first, wid the green sweater manages to hold the ball and put that man wid the cricket suit out. Taylor did youse say it was.

Well we get a chance to see what the leans can do now. The boy wid the green striped sweater is up, did youse see him Williard the pill. It brought home Macdonald. Oh look at that tall man wid the beard drive it and make second, on it scoring Reynolds and McCleneghan. Look at Horobin stealing second, sure its the first time he's done anything at all. Look they threw that tall man wid the beard out at the plate. See that nice fly right into Barber's met. He's a canny man he had to look in his hand before he was sure he had it. Whose that coming to bat for the fat men, the one wid the gray trousers wid the black stripe down the leg? W. M. Lawrence? Faith and I guess its true nobody loves a fat man, they're trying to kill him. That big tall man, Dr. Sutherland, is it! Did youse see him drive it clear to centre scoring our friend wid the striped pants.

Well, boy, its getting late and I got to catch my train. I've sure had a lot of fun. If I am any wheres near when the boys play again I certainly will try and be on hand to see them juggle the ball.

Dr. Sutherland misjudges fly, but manages to find the ball in time to put Horobin out at second.

Stuart scored on forced run.

Upper and McCarter both struck out in the first innings.

Dr. Hamilton managed to hold the ball long enough to put Taylor out.

Laing polled a nice one to centre and brought home Reynolds and McCleneghan.

Reynolds drove the ball to Coulthard, but he missed it.

McRae walked to first, on account of Laing being unable to locate the plate.

Coulthard popped a nice fly, but Reynolds got in the road of it and caught it.

Dr. Sutherland made a nice drive to centre and was rewarded by being caught out at second.

Charlie Macdonald drove a nice fly to McRae, but said McRae misjudged it by a foot or two and it gently dropped beside him.

Barber shows signs of distress in the fifth. But slightly rallies when he sees the red cross go to Upper's assistance. Weakens rapidly again when he sees the color of the stimulant.

LEANS	POSITION	FATS
Horobin,	(3rd b.)	McCarter
W. Bews,	(catcher)	Dr. Sutherland
Hume,	*left field)	McRae
Dr. Hamilton,	(1st b.)	J.G. Barber
McDonald,	(s. s.)	Coulthard
McCleneghan,	(c. f.)	Taylor
Reynolds,	(2nd b.)	Stewart
Laing,	(pitcher)	Upper
Coursier,	(rifht field)	Lawrence

Score:

Leans.—3 0 4 1 4—12.

Fats.— 1 1 8 1 5—16.

Runs scored by the Leans:

First by—Horobin, Bews and McDonald.

Third by—Hamilton, McDonald, McCleneghan and Reynolds.

Fourth by—Hamilton.

Fifth by—Horobin, Bews, Hamilton and Macdonald.

Runs scored by the Fats:

First by—Stuart.

Second by—Lawrence.

Third by—Stewart, Upper, McCarter, Coulthard, Sutherland, McRae, Barber, Lawrence.

Fourth by—Sutherland.

Fifth by—McCarter, Taylor, Coulthard, Sutherland, McRae.

Germany and Austria-Hungary have formally notified the government of Switzerland that they will respect Swiss neutrality. Time will show what their promise is worth.

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WORLD NEWS TERSELY TOLD

The Bishop of London, at an ordination council to pass upon the application of men for the ministry, caused to be passed a resolution that no such application can be considered unless the applicant proves his inability to serve in the war.

Pierre Martin, the inventor of a process for making steel which by 1913 was employed in producing two-thirds of the world's steel supply, died in Paris on May 23rd. The Steel Institute of England on May 13th awarded Martin the Bessemer gold medal.

Admiral Von Essen, commander of the Russian Baltic fleet, has succumbed to pneumonia at the Marine hospital at Reval. He took part in the Russo-Japanese war. He was in command of the Russian battleship "Sebastopol' when she was sunk by the Japanese in December, 1904, off Port Arthur.

Mr. Norman Hill, secretary of the Liverpool Steamship Owners' association, stated on May 19, that during the month of April cargoes to the value of 114,000,000 pounds sterling were carried in and out of ports of the United Kingdom, while the value of the cargoes destroyed by sunmarines was 50,000 pounds, or one shilling in £100.

Mr. Asquith has written to Sir Edgar Speyer a letter in which he characterizes as 'baseless and malignant the imputations made upon your loyalty to the British Crown.' Referring to Sir Edgar's desire to relinquish all honors bestowed upon him the premier says practically the king is not prepared to accept the proposal suggested with regard to marks of distinction which he has received in recognition of public services and philanthropic munificence.

The thanks of Great Britain to those dominions and colonies that have contributed so lavishly in men and money, at the same time acquitting themselves with the valor of the Canadians in France and the courage of the Australians on the Gallipoli Peninsula, were voted at a great meeting held at the Guild Hall, London, on the afternoon of May 17. The Premier and Mr. Bonar Law, who were the principal speakers, were warm in their praise of the overseas support of the Motherland.

The Germans are installing pipe lines in Alsace, which are connected with generating stations 20 to 30 miles behind the front, in general preparation to let loose vast volumes of poisonous gas when the French attempt to advance. This, at least, is the story brought from Alsace by travellers arriving at Lugano, whence the accounts have been sent to London. It is said that similar preparations are being made on the Austrian frontier where the entire region has been tunnelled and pipes laid.

Sir George Herbert Farrar, a wealthy South African mining man, has been killed in a railway accident in German Southwest Africa. He was in active service as assistant quartermaster-general with the Union of South Africa forces under General Botha, which have invaded the German possession. Sir George had been prominent in South African political affairs, and had an exciting career. He was sentenced to death for participation in the Jameson raids, but his sentence was commuted to a fine of $25,000. He served in the South African war. He was fifty-six years old.

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Revelstoke Platoon to be Commanded by Lieut. McLean

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and customs would be changed also. Had the nation failed? Had the empire failed? He was proud to say that it had not failed and would not fail. The church, too, had not failed. They had heard of the heroism of the priests in France. In Canada there was hardly a parsonage but had sent a son. It was so in Revelstoke. The Bishop of London had said that the nation must concentrate on the supply of munitions. Men and munitions were needed to destroy the destroyer who otherwise would destroy the world.

T. Kilpatrick said that Revelstoke was to be congratulated on Lieut. McLean and his able company. They would give a good account of themselves. He was not surprised to see the size of the gathering. The object of the meeting was patriotism and he would like to know where was a town more patriotic than Revelstoke. This was the greatest conflict that the world had ever seen. The enemy was not observing the rules of warfare. They were using poisonous gasses and were committing outrageous acts. Germany had been preparing since the Franco-Prussian war. When all was ready it declared war on the slightest pretext. It invaded Belgium. Great Britain could not dishonor its name. It was forced to join. Germany tried to bribe Italy but it knew what dependance was to be placed on Germany's word and to its great credit Italy entered the conflict. Canada had already 56,000 men at the front. They should be proud to be Canadians. They heard of men being held in the trenches because they lacked relief. Men were needed. Those going deserved the greatest honor as did their parents and their wives who permitted them to go and who must have a feeling of pride in their hearts. They must not forget that they were fighting for the freedom and civilization of the world not only of today, but of the generations yet to come. It was their duty to encourage those who enlisted and to see that their dependants did not want during their absence.

It was a great honor and privilege to be born under the Union Jack, said Rev. C.A. Procunier. Upon all true patriots now lay the greatest responsibility that ever befell citizens of the empire. It was no time for platitudes. The empire needed men to prove that they were worthy sons. The men before him between the age of 18 and 45 were on the horns of a dilemma. Were they to prove themselves patriots or cowards? Our king and country need us. The empire was fighting with its back to the wall as never before. It was a serious hour. It was an honor to be born under the Union Jack, but it carried with it a responsibility. They would fight on the side of right. Young men should respond to the call because it was right to do so. Lord Goschen said that Britain never counts the cost when her word is concerned. It was a duty to enlist. Could they accept the blessings of empire and be cowards. They should respond to the call because they were lovers of liberty and freedom. The empire had freedom in the broadest sense and liberty of spirit. Materialism was at the bottom of Germany's ideas. Napoleon said that God was on the side of the biggest battalions. God was on the side of right, truth, freedom and liberty. It was their duty not only to supply soldiers and munitions, but also to pray to God to sweep away the curse from the world and establish liberty to serve him with freedom. He was sure the Revelstoke contingent would give a good account of itself and he had every trust in Lieut. McLean.

R. Tapping thought that Revelstoke should show its appreciation of the loyalty of the volunteers who fought the battles of the great and glorious empire. He had served through the rebellion. The Canadians had made a mark and all could be proud to say they were Canadians. He was sure that those to go would give a good account of themselves. Britain was not fighting for territory. Its cause was just and good and was bound to succeed.

W. B. Farris said that it was a time for action not for talking. It was the duty of each one to consider whether he could not enlist. There was necessity for men. It thrilled them to see men who had given up positions and sacrificed everything to fight for the civilized world. The last two speakers had given sons to the cause. They had reason for pride. All must do their part, either by enlisting or by helping those willing to go.

Rev. J. W. Stevenson was glad to know that Revelstoke was doing its little bit. All had their part to do. He did not believe that Germany was an uncivilized nation. He believed that after the war it would be found that its heart was true. In Germany the mass of the people was kept in ignorance. It was not enlightened as to the true cause of the war. It believed that it was a struggle to protect the fatherland. The war was not only to maintain the British empire. It represented a conflict of ideas. Germany believed that might was right. Britain was fighting to maintain the ideal of the flag. Sooner than submit to the German idea all would be ready to fight and die. The Revelstoke contingent would go forth with prayers and best wishes. He hoped they would come back, but if any died they died for a righteous cause.

He was proud to be a citizen of Revelstoke that night said R. Gordon. Revelstoke had been called upon and was sending soldiers, but it was not sending enough. If it sent the same number in proportion to population that Great Britain was sending it would be sending 200 men. If not enough men between 18 and 45 could be obtained men up to 55 years of age would go. He did not think that they would be needed but scores of the older men were ready to go and would show the young men a thing or two if they did. All the men required would be produced. Revelstoke was the first town in British Columbia which had provided more men than asked for. Three things were needed: soldiers, munitions and provision for dependants of those who volunteered. The Patriotic Fund in Revelstoke was now paying $225 to $250 a month to dependants of soldiers of Revelstoke. The present contingent would bring up the payment to $300 a month. The people of Revelstoke were contributing about about $300 a month and every cent was used either in Revelstoke or elsewhere. In April the Montreal branch of the fund had paid out $57,000. In Calgary it was expected that the applications to be dealt with would reach 1000 by July 1. He thanked those who had contributed to the fund and the ladies for what they had done to aid the soldiers. The young men only need to be convinced. Until they were called upon the older men would provide the funds required and until the ladies were called upon they would continue the good work of the Red Cross society.

Rev. J. C. McKenzie opened his speech with an appropriate anecdote which amused the audience and pointed a moral. There was a civilization, he said. That power to do an evil deed was its justification could never be admitted. The principals of truth and right must be maintained, otherwise it meant the downfall of civilization. It was no time for regret; it was time for action. The collective life of nations was at stake. They were living in the best country in the world. Freedom and the principals of civilization, humanity and Christian virtue were hanging in the balance. There was only one way to meet the terror. It entailed sacrifice. The Canadians had won a high nitch in the hall of fame and had won the undying hate of the Germans. They were honored more by this hate than they would be by German friendship. He congratulated Revelseoke on the number and quality of its men. The men of the 54th would raise Canada's record a nitch or two higher.

Finds Much Activity in Kootenay Country

R. F. Green, M.P., has returned from a tour of the Kootenay country, taken in the interests of his constituents. He reports that conditions are, generally speaking, distinctly promising, says the Victoria Colonist. There is much activity in the mining industry, particularly at Rossland, where the situation is perhaps, better than it has been for a number of years. This famous mining camp of the Kootenays is now on a firm and substantial basis. There is an entire absence of "wild-catting," which proved so ruinous in the past; the mines are working full forces, business with the local tradesmen is reported excellent, and there is noticeable a considerable measure of permanent and enduring prosperity.

Mr. Green says that one of the problems confronting the mining centres in the Interior just now is that of disposing of the zinc output. Owing to the high prices which the metal brings in the United States many low-grade properties there, which would not otherwise be worked, are now being operated, with the consequence that there is no demand for the British Columbia product. The remedy for this state of affairs, in Mr. Green's judgment, is the erection of reduction works on the Canadian side of the line, and there seems some promise that this boon to the mining interests will be forthcoming at no distant date. There is a big market for the refined product.

Mr. Green says that agricultural conditions all over the Kootenay country are eminently satisfactory. The same copious rains have fallen there which were experienced at the Coast, and while at some places a little too much moisture has been experienced, with a spell of ordinary warm weather, no injury will be done the crops, and a bumper harvest is anticipated.

Asked about unemployment in the Interior, Mr. Green said it was not so much in evidence as in the coast cities, the renewed activity in mining and lumbering having given work to considerable numbers.

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That India is loyal to Great Britain in regard to the war, despite any fears to the contrary, is maintained in a letter from Franklin D. Cogswell of Ewing Christian College, Allahabad, India, which says in part:

Widespread restlessness and discontent there may be among the 315,000,000 that make up India's population, but the violent preachments of educated Indians domiciled abroad scarcely represent the true nature of the opposition to British rule in India or the aims of the most influential Indian leaders. The goal of the national movement, as freely expressed for years from platform and press by the men who command the widest respect, is self-government within the Empire. India wants the same privileges that are enjoyed by the autonomous dominions of Great Britain; at the present time the great portion of her citizens appear to be looking no further.

Thus instead of there being any wild outbreak of rebellion in the hour of Britain's trial in the west there has been a noteworthy demonstration of loyalty throughout the peninsula. "Britain's war is our war" is the cry that has echoed from the huge mass meetings that have been held in every important town and city in the course of the last week. Instead of the war's being a signal for chaos, it appears to be regarded as an opportunity for India to show that she is worthy of the place in the Empire that she has been demanding.

One of the most feared and most respected of the opponents of the Government, Sir Pherozeshah Mehta, phrased the idea in a ringing sentence that was greeted with tremendous enthusiasm at a mass meeting in the Bombay town hall when he said: "We have often met in this hall to assert our rights as citizens of the Empire; we are now proud to meet to accept our duties and obligations."

It is not only from astute leaders who grasp the political significance of the position in which India now finds herself that present manifestations of loyalty are coming. The war is the absorbing topic of every gossiping folk whose hearts are incapable of any feeling more mixed than that of simple devotion to the King-Emperor are hoping and praying for the success of his forces. Him they know. He came to them to assume his Indian realm in the most gorgeous durbar of recent centuries. He is their personal sovereign.

A grizzled old bazaar merchant came into one of our college buildings the other day, and on seeing a picture of the King-Emperor raised his hands devoutly, saying: "He is our King. We eat his bread. We pray God to give victory to his arms."

Almost immediately after the nerve wrecking period of suspense over England's decision was ended by the declaration of war against Germany, the ruling chiefs offered their armies for use wherever the English should need them. Ten of the chiefs proposed a gift of a hospital ship, the Loyalty, which has now been accepted by the viceroy. Everywhere funds are being raised for the care of wounded and the relief of distress. Even Indian ladies, whose freedom of gathering is so seriously hindered by the system of seclusion to which they are subjected, have formed Loyalty leagues, that have expressed "their readiness to place their services at the feet of the King-Emperor in such manner as may be found suitable," and have begun to raise money for relief measures.

Everywhere huge sums for general support of the war and for the maintenance of hospitals and medical work have been subscribed. Not only English churches have made prayer for British victory; in mosque as well special prayers have been held.

The viceroy's recent announcement that two divisions, including some regiments of Indian regulars, would be sent as an expeditionary force has been met with great enthusiasm. Their destination is, of course, unknown, but the general hope is that it is Europe. On the part of European and Anglo-Indian residents, of course, there has been much volunteering, and the local companies of militia in every city have been much strengthened.

In a country so divided by social and religious differences as India, it would be strange if there were unanimity in such whole hearted expressions of loyalty as the foregoing. There is a section of educated India which gives a very tempered expression of its enthusiasm for the cause of the Empire. It is inclined to sympathize with Austria in its vigorous stroke to end the plotting of the Serbs against the dual monarchy, and to honor Germany for her complete loyalty to her ally when Russia took up the cause of Servia. The idea of England fighting on the same side with Russia is highly displeasing.

Vague rumors of renewed fraternizing of Germans and Turks have filtered through the one strictly censored cable open to Europe, which have made the intentions of Turkey a vital issue to India. If Turkey throws her German staffed and German equipped army in with her Teutonic friends, thus forcing the British Empire, with more Mohammedan subjects than any other Government to oppose her, there would at the least be uncertainty about the attitude the Moslem leaders of India would assume. At present, however, the Moslem press is affirming the loyalty of its community in carefully chosen terms.

Lots of Work In Spring.

Mr. H. A. Macdonell, Director of Immigration for Ontario, is of the opinion that next spring there will be a larger demand for farm labor than ever known in the province, and that it will be to the advantage of farmers to secure help at the present time. Owing to the facts that immigration from the old country has been practically brought to a standstill, and that so many farm hands have gone with the Canadian contingent, a shortage of labor will be experienced when the spring comes. There is no reason, Mr. Macdonell thinks, why farmers cannot make arrangements now by hiring help on a yearly engagement. In response to the circulars which have been sent out to farmers, it is stated that a good many applications are being received each day for help.

Banking Course Popular.

Two hundred students are taking the banking course recently introduced in Queen's University.

The municipal bond sales in Canada for October, as compiled by The Monetary Times, amounted to $737,429, compared with $510,950 for September and $3,452,282 for the corresponding period of last year.

Calgary disposed of $250,000 debentures privately in London.

British Columbia leads with $300,000, Saskatchewan follows with $156,129, Ontario sold $153,500 worth, New Brunswick $124,000, and Alberta $3,800.

Shells Halt Letter Writing.

The following is from a British lance corporal, who was apparently irritated in his letter writing by interruption from the German guns:

"The Germans don't give us much time for letter writing. This one has been stopped six times already, just because the beggars were creeping too close, and I had to go out with my bayonet to chase them off before settling down again."

She Was Ashamed.

"I see you have been wearing my dresses again, Jane," said her mistress. "You ought to be ashamed of yourself."

"I was, mum. Jack said if I wore such clothes again he would never speak to me any more."—Liverpool Mercury.

Women Doctors Go.

The Russian Red Cross Society has decided to accept women as surgeons at the front, providing that the number of women doctors does not exceed 50 per cent. of the number of men practitioners.

Resented.

"What are your political convictions?" asked the inquisitive person.

"There's no good getting personal," replied the boss. "I have never even been tried, much less convicted.

A French Heroine.

Saying she was content to lose her leg for France, Denise Cartier, the thirteen-year-old girl struck by a bomb dropped by a German aeroplane in Paris, knits jerseys for the soldiers.

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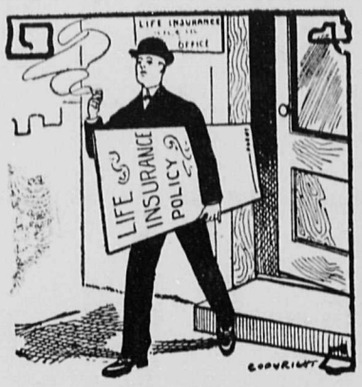

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THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF REVELSTOKE

NOTICE is hereby given that the first sitting of the annual Court of revising, correcting and hearing complaints against the assessment of the City of Revelstoke and the Revelstoke School District as made by the Assessor for the year 1915, will be held in the City Hall, Revelstoke, B. C., on Tuesday, June 8th, 1915, at 8 p.m.

Any person having any complaint against the assessment must give notice in writing to the Assessor at least 10 clear days previous to the above date.

Dated, Revelstoke, B. C., this 6th ay of May, 1915.

W. A. GORDON,
Assessor

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Under and by virtue of the powers of sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage, which will be produced at the time of the sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction at the Court House, in the City of Revelstoke, B.C., on the 10th day of June, 1915 at the hour of 2 p.m. the following described property:

All and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the District of Kootenay and being composed of Lot 501, Group One, on the official plan or survey of Kootenay District.

The property will be offered for sale subject to reserved bid.

The property is said to consist of 293 acres more or less with farm buildings and is situate near the town of Beaton on Upper Arrow Lake.

Conditions of sale will be made known on application to the undersigned.

Dated this 8th day of May, 1915 at Revelstoke, B.C.

McCARTER & FARRIS,
Solicitors for E.W.P. Paget,
June 8-4t. Mortgagee

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the matter of the Execution Act
And in the Matter of an action between:

L. E. GRIFFITHS, Plaintiff,
And:
JOHN ALLEN, Defendant.

TAKE NOTICE that an application will be made on the 23rd day of June, A.D., 1915 at the hour of 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, or so soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard, in Chambers at the Court House, in the City of Revelstoke, Province of British Columbia, for an Order directing that a reference be held to ascertain the interest of the defendant in the lands, being in the Province of British Columbia, Township 23, Range 6, West of the 6th Meridian, Section P. I. South-west Quarter of 14, containing 151.62 acres more or less and that the same or a competent part thereof be sold to realize the amount payable under the Judgment obtained herein on the 4th day of January, A.D. 1914.

And further take notice that you are required to attend at Court on the above-named day to show cause why such an Order might not be made.

And further take notice that on the application will be read the affidavit of George W. Hall, sworn on the 8th day of April, A.D., 1915 and filed herein.

Dated this 27th day of May, A. D. 1915.

McCARTER & FARRIS
Solicitors for Plaintiff.

SYNOPSIS OF COAL MINING REGULATIONS.

Coal mining rights of the Dominion in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the North-west Territories and in a portion of the Province of British Columbia, may be issued for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 an acre. Not more than 2,560 acres will be leased to one applicant.

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.

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.

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 application 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.

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

NOTICE OF CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve existing on Lot 7926, Kootenay District, by reason of a notice published in the B. C. Gazette on the 27th of December, 1907, is cancelled and that the said Lot will be open to entry by pre-emption on Tuesday the 15th day of June, at the hour of nine o'clock in the forenoon. All applications must be made at the office of the Government Agent, at Revelstoke, B. C.

R. A. RENWICK
Deputy Minister of Lands.
Lands Department, Victoria, B.C.
13th April, 1915. J15

REVELSTOKE RETAIL PRODUCE MARKET

FRUITS	
Grape fruit,..... Cal. 10c.; Flor.	15c
Bananas, per doz.....	.40@ .50
Lemons, per doz.	.25
Apples, new, 4 to 6lbs.	.25
Oranges, navel, from ..... .25 to	.50
Navel Oranges, ...	.50
Rhubarb, per pound, ...	.04
Gooseberries, per pound, ...	.15
Pineapple, each	.30
Figs, cooking, 2lbs. for	.25
Dates, Hallowi, ... 2 lbs. for	.25
Dates, Fard, 2lbs. for ...	.35
Dates, Dromedary, pkg. .15, 2 for	.25
Walnuts, California, per lb.	.35
Walnuts, Grenoble, ...	.25
Pecans, per lb.	.35
Filberts, per lb.	.25
Almonds, per lb.	.25
Brazils, per lb.	.25
MEATS	
Fresh killed beef, retail	.05@.27½
Pork, retail	13@ .22
Mutton, retail	12½@ .25
Veal, retail	13½@ .27
Hams, retail	.25@ .30
Bacon, retail	.28@ .40
Chicken, retail	22@ .25
Sausages, retail	12½@ .15
Turkey, per lb.	.28
Geese, per lb.	.25
Ducks, per lb.	.25
Lard, 3 lbs.	.55
Lard, 5 lbs.	.90
SUGAR	
Granulated B. C. Cane 100 lb. sack	$8.50
Lump sugar, 2 lbs.	.30
Gran. B.C. 20 lb. sack, ...	1.75
Brown sugar, 3lbs.	.25
Syrup, maple, bottle	.60
Syrup, gallon	1.75@2.00
Honey, comb, per lb.	.30
Honey, 1lb. jars.	.25@ .35
FLOUR	
Robin Hood, ...	$2.50
B. & K. Bread Flour, ...	2.50
Five Roses, ...	2.50
Lake of the Woods, bag, ...	2.50
Royal Household, ...	2.50
Purity Flour, ...	2.50
King's Quality, ...	2.50
VEGETABLES	
Cucumbers, each, ...	.20
Radishes, bunch	.05
Parsley, per bunch	.05
Dry, onions, 5 lbs. for	.25
Cabbage, local, each ...	.05@ .10
New Potatoes, lb.	.02
Head Lettuce, lb.	12½ @ .15
Tomatoes, lb.	.50
New Carrots, lb.	.02½
Turnips, per lb.	.02½
Celery, per lb.	.15
DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Butter, creamery, lb.	.40 @ .45
Butter, dairy, per lb.	.35
New Zealand, ...	.45
Cheese, Canadian, per lb.	.25
Cheese, Can. Stilton, lb.	.30
Cheese, Imp. Stilton, lb.	.60
Eggs, local new laid, doz.	.25 to .30
FEED	
Bran, ton	$36.00
Wheat, ton, ...	55.00
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Barley, ton	50.00
Hay, ton, ...	20.00
Shorts, ton	45.00

HODGETTS TAKES HOLD.

He Is Now Canada's Commissioner For Red Cross Work.

Dr. Charles A. Hodgetts, of Ottawa, who has been appointed commissioner for the Canadian Red Cross Society in succession to the late Col. Burland, of Montreal, who died recently in London, was for many years secretary of the Provincial Board of Health of Ontario and chief medical health officer of the province with headquarters at Toronto. He resigned this position a few years ago in order to take charge of the health department of the Dominion Conservation Commission, with which organization he is still identified. He is looked upon as one of the most competent and authoritative of Canadian officials in matters pertaining to health.

Dr. Hodgetts sailed recently for England and proceeded at once to report to the British Red Cross Society, of which the Canadian Red Cross Society is a branch, and whose particular duty will be to look after the sick and wounded from the Canadian overseas contingent. Dr. Hodgetts will direct the distribution of supplies sent over from Canada and especially those sent from the headquarters in Toronto. The Canadian public will be kept informed of the work, its progress, and its needs through the chairman of the Toronto Executive Committee, Noel Marshall.

Dr. Hodgetts states that he feels tremendously the responsibility of the work placed in his hands and says he will endeavor to the utmost to see that it is performed as efficiently as possible. Dr. Hodgetts has accepted the position on a voluntary basis and will not be paid for it. He went to England to fill the new position with the approval of Premier Borden and Chairman Clifford Sifton, of the Conservation Commission. No better choice probably could be found in Canada for the commissionership of the Canadian Red Cross Society, as Dr. Hodgetts has been actively engaged in medical health work for the past 20 years. He was the honorary secretary of the Canadian Red Cross Society when it was formed 16 years ago and it was he who carried on the organization's work in connection with the South African war. He subsequently became the first life member of the organization in Canada and for over 20 years he has been prominently connected with the St. John's Ambulance Corps. For the past 15 years he has been doing similar work in connection with the Royal Artillery Medical Corps, branch of the Canadian militia. He is now a lieutenant-colonel in that body, and was for five weeks stationed with the first contingent at Valcartier looking after the medical arrangements there. He is everywhere throughout the Dominion looked upon as the foremost medical health authority in this country.

Dr. Hodgetts was born in Toronto in 1859. He is a graduate of Victoria University and the Ontario College of Pharmacy and has taken postgraduate courses in the leading hospitals of Great Britain, Germany and France. He was house surgeon at the London General Hospital for a time and also at the Toronto General Hospital and resident assistant surgeon at the Stafford Infirmary, England. He was medical inspector of the Provincial Board of Health, later secretary for a number of years, and subsequently registrar general of the province before being made head of the Dominion health department in connection with the Conservation Commission. He is the author of a large number of important works on health and holds high office in a large number of medical organizations, being vice president of the American Health Association and a prominent officer in a great number of similar societies.

Insurance Men Warned.

Advice has been received at Ottawa from the Imperial Government that some time ago the Board of Trade issued an announcement warning insurance companies against the business of insuring cargoes in neutral vessels, from capture. The announcement was as follows:

"It has been brought to the notice of the Board of Trade that British insurance companies have insured or re-insured goods shipped on neutral vessels against the risk of capture, or detention, by His Majesty's Government, or allied Governments.

"The Board of Trade are advised that such contracts of insurance, or re-insurance, against the risk of capture, or detention, by Great Britain, or her allies, are prohibited by the law of England, and they think it necessary to warn insurance companies and underwriters against such business."

Public Works Going On.

The program of public works under construction by the Government is being carried out in spite of the financial stringency. The expenditure of ordinary and capital accounts up to the end of October exceeded the expenditure on these accounts last year by about eight million dollars.

To minimize unemployment, all works under contract are being carried on just as the Ministerj of Finance in his August budget intimated would be the case.

New works will only be entered upon as the source of revenue from which expenditure might be met, become apparent. Since the outbreak of war the money markets of the world have been closed to public borrowing.

Indians To Fare Well.

Glen Campbell, chief inspector of Indian agencies, reports that the Northern Indians will not suffer any hardships as a result of a slump in the fur trade, but will earn a comfortable livelihood by hunting game and fishing.

Duncan Scott, the deputy superintendent-general of Indian affairs, has made arrangements to prevent any great hardships occurring to the Indians.

Mounted Police Strengthened.

Five hundred extra police have been enlisted in the west by the Government for service with the Royal Northwest Mounted Police this winter. Most of the men taken on the force are ex-members, who have voluntarily offered to serve temporarily in helping to maintain order and render assistance to the many in need during the next few months.

The large foreign element in the west, coupled with considerable unemployment in some districts, has rendered it necessary to largely increase the police force. This situation also explains why the Government has not been able to meet the desire of large numbers of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police to go to the front with the Canadian expeditionary forces. Their experience and knowledge of the thousands of foreigners now scattered throughout the west are doubly valuable at the present time. Comptroller L. K. Fortescue has gone to Regina to look after various matters in connection with the force.

Nickel on Banned List.

A far-reaching contraband of war order-in-council has been passed by the Dominion Cabinet to prevent the exportation to an enemy country any articles which would be useful during war to the enemies of Great Britain. Divested of technical terms the order-in-council means that Canada will take particular care that nothing will find its way from the Dominion to the enemies of Great Britain which would be of any assistance to them.

A number of articles are specially mentioned, such as nickel, nickel ore, woollen goods, food, explosives, horses, fodder, leather, coal, copper, petrol, aeroplanes, barbed wire, etc.

Canadian Dry Dock.

The Canadian Government is now negotiating the purchase of an additional site at Lang's Cove, at Esquimalt, B.C., for a dry dock capable of accommodating the largest ocean liners in the world, as well as the biggest dreadnoughts of to-day or tomorrow.

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Ten submarines which the Fore River Shipbuilding corporation is constructing at Quincy, Mass., for the British government will be launched early next month, within five months of the time their keels were laid. The trial trips will follow soon after. The boats could be ready for commission by July 1, although they are not to be delivered until after the war.

The New York Sun has interviewed a number of well-known German women to secure their views with regard to the sinking of the Lusitania. Shocking as it may appear, the German women appear to have little more sympathy for the women and children who were sent to the bottom of the ocean than the officer of the German submarine who engineered the attack. As one gentle soul put it: "The English ought not to mix babies with ammunition."

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BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

Miss Janet McKay left on Wednesday for Winnipeg.

J. Jones of Victoria registered at the King Edward hotel on Thursday.

J. Fraser of Armstrong registered at the Hotel Revelstoke on Thursday.

W. Newton and S.H. Hopkins of Victoria were at the Hotel Revelstoke on Friday.

C. Stabler of Vancouver will speak at the services of the Methodist church on Sunday.

An auction sale of the household effects of Mrs. W.R. Stokes will be held by W. Parry on June 17.

Tomorrow at 2.30 there will be a baseball game between the 54th battalion and the High school at the recreation grounds.

The regular monthly business meeting of St. John's Tennis club will be held on Monday evening at 8.30 o'clock in the Y.P.S. room of the church.

Dr. and Mrs. McNaughton and children arrived fram Rossland on Sunday. Mrs. McNaughton will remain three months on a visit to her mother Mrs. Fred Fraser. Dr. McNaughton returned home on Tuesday.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Railroad Y.M.C.A. will be held Tuesday evening next at 7.30. The business will be election of officers and chairmen of committees for the year.

T. A. Lewis is spending a week's furlough with his parents. Mr. Lewis is a veteran of the South African war, and is now attached to the 11th C.M.R. who have been camped at Hastings park all winter and are now encamped at Aldershot, Vernon.

On Monday evening there will be an old time congregational rally of old and new friends in the Methodist church. There will be a program and refreshments will be served. The years report will be read, policy outlined and society representative elected.

Hon. Thomas Taylor, minister of public works, who attended the banquet at Penticton, Monday night, is visiting John R. Jackson, M.P.P. for Greenwood, at Midway. He is accompanied by Mrs. Taylor and expects to return to the coast via Revelstoke.—Nelson News.

The Women's Canadian club will have as its guest on Monday, June 7, Mrs. F. Betts of London, Ontario. Mrs. Betts will address a meeting of the club on Monday evening in the High school, at 8.30 p.m, The subject of her address will be "The changed aspect of England since the outbreak of the war."

W. C. Calder, son of Rev. W. C. Calder, who has enlisted in the 54th battalion, comes of military stock. His maternal great grandfather fought at Waterloo just 100 years ago and it is possible that he may see fighting on the same fields on which his great grandfather fought. His great grandfather died at Halifax, 45 years ago at the age of 92. He was in the artillery and was buried with military honors. His grandfather was also a soldier and served in the engineers.

The ladies of the Red Cross society had the gate receipts at the recreation grounds on Thursday afternoon, and also sold soda water and ice-cream. At the gate $102.50 was taken and $22 was earned from the sale of aerated waters. Mrs. Ernest H. S. McLean was in charge of the gate while Mrs. Robbins and Mrs. Holten sold ice cream, and Mesdames G.S. McCarter, J.D. Sibbald and J. W. Coulthard served the soda water. Three girls dressed as Red Cross nurses assisted at the gate and later in serving ice cream and lemonade. They were the Misses Alga Coursier, Bernadine Bunnell, and Lena Matz. Dick Lawrence, Cecil Johnson and Jack Brown gave valuable assistance in various ways.

EMPRESS THEATRE

PROGRAM:

TODAT.—Daniel Froham presents the Fascinating Irrestible Marguerite Clark, in The Crucible, 5 parts. by Mark Lee Luther, in motion pictures.

MONDAY.—The Master Key, episode No. 5, with stamps.

TUESDAY.—Shanghaied Baby.

Remember Tillie's Punctured Romance, on Wednesday, 6 parts great comedy.

Rifleman Jack Morgan is spending a few days at Kamloops.

B. D. Firth of Malakwa was at the King Edward hotel on Thursday.

J. D. McNivin of Vancouver was at the Revelstoke hotel on Friday.

C. Glabruck of Calgary registered at the King Edward hotel yesterday.

C. Longhurst of Nelson was among the guests at the Revelstoke hotel on Friday.

Miss Ginn of Vancouver is the house guest of her aunt Mr. J. Lyons for a few weeks.

On Monday evening at 6.30 sharp the Giants will play the C.P.R. at baseball on the Y.M.C.A. grounds.

H. G. Barber and A.E. Sharpe of Glacier were among the guests at the King Edward hotel on Thursday.

Dick Lawrence left on Friday for Three Valley, where he will visit for a few days, the guest of Mr. and Mrs A. Rutherford.

Walter Stone of Chicago, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lenard Howson and Mrs. Maxon for a week, enroute to San Francisco.

At the recreation grounds on Tuesday evening there will be a lacrosse game between a picked team from the city and the 54th battalion.

Miss Matheson, matron, and Miss Fraser, nurse, of the Queen Victoria hospital staff, Revelstoke, were visitors of Dr. and Mrs. T. McPherson.—Salmon Arm Observer.

The corn crop of Rev. W.C. Calder was inspected by C. H. Hopkins the provincial government soil and crop expert who pronounced it the best he has seen this year and as showing every prospect of success.

A parlor car is now being operated by the C.P.R. in connection with trains Nos. 3 and 4, between Vancouver and Revelstoke. They are furnished with detached chairs of a very comfortable design. There has been a good demand for the seats since the first ones were operated on Sunday last.

The Queen Victoria hospital staff of doctors and nurses presented Miss Fraser with a handsome camera before her departure for Scotland. A number of friends were at the station on Wednesday to wish her bon voyage, and she was given a large bouquet of flowers and numerous boxes of candy and books. Miss Fraser sails on the Pretorian on Monday, June 7.

The Imperial Tobacco company has arranged through the courtesy of the French government to supply cigarettes and tobacco to the soldiers in France free of duty. This will enable friends to send $2.40 worth of tobacco or cigarettes to the soldiers for $1.00. There will be no profit for any one as the Imperial Tobacco company is putting the tobacco in at cost and McKinnons Cigar store will give the 10 per cent allowed merchants to the Revelstoke Red Cross society after deducting the necessary expense of sending the money in.

At the meeting of the Red Cross society on Wednesday a hearty vote of thanks was given to Mrs. Coursier and the members of the Women's Canadian club for the delightful reception that they held on May 26, at Mrs. Coursier's, where so many people spent a pleasant afternoon and for the substantial aid they have given the Red Cross drug fund by their cheque of $30.50, being the amount dropped in the basket at the gate. The Red Cross has decided to devote $25.00 of the proceeds from the dance given in the drill hall on May 18, to the same fund as the demand for more money for the purchase of drugs is insistent.

The home of Mrs. Robbins was well filled during the afternoon of Wednesday, when the final tea of a series was held under the auspices of the Altar society of St. Francis church. Mrs. Robbins had as assistants, the small daughters of the house, Elaine and Laura as door tenders; Mrs. G. Bell, who received the silver donations; Mrs. W. H. Sutherland who looked after the culinery table; and the Mesdames Melville and Webster who sold aprons. Mrs. F. McCarty poured at the perfectly appointed tea-table, which was fragrant with bunches of wild roses. Mrs. Hobson and Miss Blanche McCarty served refreshments, and the small tables were very dainty with white doilies and centered with bunches of spirea. The drawing room was decorated with huge snow-balls and vases filled with yellow roses. Miss Dupont played during the afternoon, in her usual pleasing way. Fifty dollars was the financial result of this very successful tea.

J. E. Sweet of Toronto was at the Revelstoke hotel on Thursday.

A. Stabler of Vancouver was at the King Edward hotel yesterday.

Miss Alice Brown of the Queen Victoria nursing staff, returned this week from a short holiday at Kamloops.

F.S. Falconer of the geological survey department at Ottawa will continue the mapping of the district to the north of Revelstoke this year.

All members of the Loyal Order of Moose are requested to attend the next regular meeting of the order, on Tuesday evening, June 8, at 8 p. m. in Selkirk hall.

The big sale at Howson and company's opened at 10 o'clock this morning and the store has been crowded all day. Great bargains are being offered in all lines of furniture, curtains, towels, rugs and in fact on everything in the store. The sale will last for 10 days, but the earlier the better choice.

At the conclusion of the big game on Thursday afternoon the Federals played the All Comers. The score ended 4 to 0 in favor of the Federals.

W. E. Cummings of Edmonton, Grand Master of I.O.O.F. of Alberta, and J. Tully, representative of the Kingston Relief association stopped off here on Thursday to pay a visit to Selkirk Lodge No. 12, I.O.O.F. After seeing the principle points of interest in the city, they resumed their journey on Friday's No. 1, for New Westminster, where they are to attend the sessions of the Grand Lodge of B.C.

AT THE THEATRES

Today at the Empress theatre. Daniel Frohman presents Marguerite Clark in The Crucible in 5 parts by Mark Lee Luther. This production was to have been played on Tuesday, but on account of delay The Crucible is on tonight. It is one of Daniel Frohman's greatest successes.

On Monday, The Master Key, with stamps will be given, and on Wednesday, Tillie's Punctured Romance, in five parts, said to be the greatest comedy production ever filmed.

The 1915 Follies will be seen in the Empress theatre about June 14.

One Reported Wounded: One is Missing

In yesterday's casualty list the names of two Revelstoke volunteers appear.

William McInerny is reported wounded. Before enlisting in Revelstoke he was a brakeman and left with the second contingent.

Cecil R. Brown, who also left with the second contingent, is reported missing. Before leaving for the front he was clerk in the dry goods department of C.B. Hume & Co., Ltd.

Experiment With Corn Important to Revelstoke

Rev. W. C. Calder is conducting on his ranch this year an experiment which may prove of vast importance to Revelstoke as a dairy centre. He has six acres planted in corn and if the corn crop is a success Mr. Calder estimates that it will save him $200 in feed next winter. The corn will be placed in a silo which will be built next month under the supervision of the British Columbia department of agriculture and the filling of the silo in the fall will also be under the supervision of the British Columbia department of agriculture. If the experiment is a success Mr. Calder believes that it will be demonstrated that the Revelstoke district can support a flourishing dairy industry. The crop at present is in splendid condition and gives every prospect of success.

Much Good Work for Red Cross Society

The regular weekly meeting of the Red Cross society was held at the Y.M.C.A. on Wednesday, and much finished work was handed in. Through a recent appeal in papers some 45 more ladies responded and were add d to the long list already knitting, and others have helped in various ways needed to carry on the work. Miss Hicks class sent in about three dozen handkerchiefs, Mr. Hobson kindly took the packing cases to St. Francis Hall, Mrs. G. R. Lawrence and Miss George provided the typewritten copies of instruction for the knitters, Mrs. Tomlinson, Mrs. Somes and Mrs. Procunier have done the cutting of many shirts for those that do the sewing; Mrs. Pratt has added to her very long list of donations another 100 pounds of wool making 350 pounds in all, and 33 sets of needles. The Ladies of the G.I.A. to B. of L.E., have undertaken the work of making the convalescent shoes, a line of work much appreciated by the Red Cross headquarters and a big help to the local branch. Result of first meeting, two dozen pairs.

The Ladies of St. Frances Altar society are giving two afternoons each month to the hospital branch of the society and by the co-operation of the many local societies much work can be accomplished in a systematic way. The list of work received was as follows:

Mrs. Palmer, 5 pairs socks.
Mrs. Edwards, 3 pairs socks.
Mrs. Atkins, 1 pair socks.
Mrs. George Ross, 2 pairs socks.
Mrs. A. McRae, 2 pairs socks.
Mrs. F. Paulding, 2 pairs socks.
Mrs. Tim Somes, 1 pair socks.
Mrs. Harold W. Wood, 1 pair socks.
Mrs. Blacklock, 1 pair socks.
Mrs. D. Towse, 2 pair socks.
Mrs. Burfield, 3 pairs socks, 1 shirt.
Mrs. N.R. Brown, 2 pairs socks, 6 shirts.
Mrs. Dickey, 2 shirts.
Miss Haggen, 3 pairs socks.
Mrs. Haggen, 1 pair socks.
Mrs. Hogan, 1 pair socks.
Mrs. Downs, 1 pair socks.
A friend, 2 pair socks.
Mrs. Cressman, 1 pair socks.
Mrs. R. Urquhart, 1 pair socks.
Mrs. Colpitts, 2 pairs socks.
Mrs. A.E. Miller, 2 pairs socks.
Miss McKinnon, 1 pair socks, pair kneelets.
Mrs. George Rhodes, (Golden, B.C.,) 3 pairs socks.
Mrs. Charles Davenport, 2 pair socks
Mrs. P. Parker, 2 pairs socks.
Mrs. J. Hammond, 1 shirt.
Mrs. Harry Parsons, 2 shirts.
Mrs. Ralph Lawrence, 1 pair socks.
Mrs. Robert Gordon, 1 pair socks.
Mrs. Horrobin, 1 pair pyjamas.
Mrs. F.B. Wells, 2 pairs socks.
Mrs. Wells, 1 pair socks.
Mrs. J. McIntyre, 1 pair socks.
Mrs. Morris, 1 pair socks.
Mrs. A. Wilson, 1 pair socks.
Mrs. R. Squarebriggs, 1 night shirt.
Mrs. J.W. Jenkins, 1 night shirt.
Mrs. L. Wood, 1 pair socks.
Mrs. Purvis, 1 bed gown.
Mrs. Swannie, 1 pair socks.
Mrs. Crowe, 2 night shirts.
Mrs. Kincaid, 2 pairs socks.
Mrs. McKechnie, (Arrowhead, B. C.,) 2 pairs socks.
Mrs. L. Howson, 1 pair socks.
Mrs. Maxon, 1 pair socks.
Mrs. Payne, 1 pair socks.

Making 64 pairs of socks in all and a week's work that every citizen should be proud of.

The following shipment is ready to forward today to Red Cross headquarters and represents three weeks work:

108 pairs of socks.
46 day shirts.
11 Hospital night shirts.
3 long night shirts.
1 pair knee caps.
62 pairs convalescent shoes.
1 suit pyjamas.

Dr. V. Orlena Smith of Austin, Texas, a tourist at King Edward hotel sent one dollar as a donation towards the Red Cross work.

Winners of Nelson Shields in Schools

The following is the report of the public schools for the month of May:

Central School.

	P.E.S.	P.C.	At.
Division 1.	9	97.65	23
Division II.	17	93.65	37
Division III.	20	97.82	38
Division IV.	24	96.63	43
Division V.	24	97.68	40
Division VI.	29	98.88	37
Division VII.	26	97.55	43
Totals,	149	97.12	261

Selkirk School.

Division I.	9	97.62	19
Division II.	22	96.88	37
Division III.	25	97.80	39
Division IV.	23	97.45	36
Division V.	23	97.12	37
Division VI.	24	97.08	40
Division VII.	25	97.73	38
Division VIII.	25	98.99	34
Division IX.	25	97.22	38
Totals	201	97.54	318

In Central school the Nelson Shield is won by Division VI. and in Selkirk it is retained by Division VIII.

CARD OF THANKS

We beg to express our sincere thanks to friends for their sympathy and to those who sent flowers at the time of the late Mrs. Clarke's death.

MR. and Mrs. J. KNOX

Scotland Yard has circulated a warning to the London public that in vent of an air-craft raid all householders must shut the doors and windows of the lower part of the house to exclude the deleterious gases with which German bombs are filled.

BUSINESS LOCALS

GALT COAL burns all night. Revelstoke General Agencies. Limited.

BANKHEAD BRIQUETTES BURN BEST.

All notices of political meetings and conventions to be held in any part of the Kootenay and Boundary must be prepaid, or guaranteed at the following rates: Reading notices ten cents per count line each insertion; display advertising, 50c. per inch. The Mail Herald.

AUCTION SALE

Household Furniture. Having been favored with instructions by Mrs. W. R. Stokes, late of the Ideal Cigar Store, who has moved to United States. I will sell by public auction positively without reserve, Thursday June 17, corner Connaught and Victoria Avenue, facing the C.P.R., at 2 o'clock. Goods comprising as follows: Iron and brass Beds complete, Bureaus, Stands, solid oak leather upholstered Dining Room Set, valued at $75.00, Book cases; Rocking Chairs Parlor Tables and Morris Chairs, Lounges, 4 pieces of reed furniture, Carpets, Linoleum, Camp Cots, Queen Range valued at $40.00; Kitchen Chairs, Tables, Washing and Kitchen Utensils, Jardinieres, Electrical Fixtures, Chinaware, 1 roll top Desk, good as new; one Sewing Machine and a host of other useful household effects too numerous to mention.

Terms of Sale. Everything Must be Sold. Goods on view anytime after June 10.

W. PARRY,
Auctioneer.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned is the sole owner of the business carried on at Revelstoke under the firm name of "Kwong Hong On" and that no person other than the undersigned has any authority to purchase any goods or incur any liability on behalf of said firm.

LEE CHEW

Dated May 26th, 1915. J5-4t

WANT ADVTS.

WANTED.—Sewing and dressmaking by the day. Miss R. McMahon 192 First street west, Revelstoke.

FOR SALE.—Two stoves in good condition. One 4-hole McClary Range, one base burner heater. Apply 35 Fourth street, East. J5.np.

LOST.—Between C. B. Hume & Co., and P. Burns & Co., a $20.00 bill. Return to office of P. Burns and receive reward.

FOR SALE.—16 in. Millwood; also Kindling in bunches; each $2.75 per load delivered. Phones 42 and 85. J. P. Sutherland. Jul-2:

—SALE—

Private sale of household furniture including first class 6 hole steel range, kitchen tables, kitchen chairs, 25 yards A1 inlaid linoleum, dishes, linen, buffet, dining table, chairs, heating stove, lounge, sewing machine, parlor furniture, parlor carpets, 5 single iron bedsteads complete, and other goods too numerous to mention. Sale from date of this advertisement until sold. No reservation, everything goes. Address, house situated on George Bell's ranch.

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