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COURTS OF REVISION

Three School Districts Are Added to Revelstoke Assessment District

Three new school districts have been added to the Revelstoke assessment district this year. They are Cartier district, seven miles south of the city, Crawford Creek, 22 miles south and Whatshan in the Fire Valley below Edgewood.

The total assessment of the district shows an increase over last year. Courts of revision and appeal against the provincial assessment will he held at the court house at Revelstoke on the morning of December 29 and at the government offices at Nakusp on Tuesday afternoon January 5. The assessment includes, real and personal property, wild lands, timber, income and school assessments.

INSANE TAKEN TO ASYLUM

Calgary Woman Becomes Violent While on Train—Guarded by Police

H. V. Rothwell, provincial constable, returned on Thursday evening from New Westminster whither he had escorted a lunatic, who was left at the provincial asylum.

Mrs. Proctor, an insane woman, left Calgary escorted by a Miss Bryants of the Salvation army, the intention being to leave Mrs. Proctor with relatives in Vancouver. When the train reached Golden on Tuesday the insane patient became violent and a telegram was sent to the provincial police at Revelstoke asking that the train be met. Mr. Rothwell accompanied Mrs. Proctor and her guardian as far as New Westminster where she was taken to the provincial asylum.

As the patient is a resident of Alberta it is probable that she will be returned to her friends in Calgary.

On the same train an insane woman from Nakusp, accompanied by her husband and Provincial Constable Smith, was also taken to the coast, where she was admitted to the provincial asylum at New Westminster.

The British Red Cross has appropriated $50,000 for fighting the epidemic of typhoid fever in the Belgian army.

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THE CANADIAN CONTINGENT REVIEWED BY THE KING

A scene at Bustard Camp on Salisbury Plain, where the Canadian contingent of soldiers are encamped. The lower photo shows the fine appearance of the Canadian troopers while marching across the field to be reviewed by His Majesty the King, on November 4th. The upper photo shows the Canadian armored cars, in which the King was greatly interested.

CHRISTMAS HAMPERS

Auction Sale Will be Held to Aid Revelstoke Relief Society

It is the intention of the members of the Relief society to pack a hamper of good things to be given to every family in need for Christmas day, and the people of the city are asked to assist with donations of clothing, toys, fruit or homemade cooking. A committee will be in A.E. Kincaid's office on Thursday and Friday, Dec. 17 and 18 in the afternoon and on Tuesday and Wednesday, 22, and 23, to receive the goods donated and look after its care until ready for packing in the hampers.

To augment the funds already provided for the relief of local needs the society intend to hold an auction in J. B. Cressman's new store on First street, lately vacated by Mr. Williamson on Saturday, Dec. 19, and every person is asked to contribute some article that may be put up for sale, the proceeds to be donated to those in need.

Judgments Given Against Pioneer Placer Mines

Claims Made by Employes Under Mechanics Lien Act—Change of Plan of Upper End of McKenzie Avenue Granted by Judge—Italians are Naturalized.

Judgments under the Mechanics' Lien Act, amounting to $3931.67 were given by Judge Forin on Thursday in the county court against the Pioneer Placer Mines Ltd. The claims for which judgment were given were as follows:

Mason, $138.45; Taylor, $225.85; Wright, $163.30; Calder$90.25; C. Benson, $463.65; John Hall $327.45; C.R. McKinnon $103.30; T. E. Smalberg, $112.80; Peter Hedley $94.65; Andrew Mik, $45.35; Mike Mackosich, $50.50; Peter Parvich, $45.05; Joseph Smith, $52.62; John Satolich, $33.25; Joe Wormouch, $34.65, Peter Yarosky, $46.35; Arra Anderson, $111.55; Alex. Honoff, $223,45; Joe Dubroff, $344.65; T. Bondochuck, $104.60; Percy C. Crotter, $368.55; W. F. Malenoir, $386.70, H. Cook, $417.75.

Mr. Cook gave evidence that he was an engineer and had been employed by the Pioneer Placer Mines, from May 29 to Nov. 19 at $100 per month Mr. Malenoir swore that he was a miner and had been employed from June 1 to November 19 at wages of $3 50 per day.

In some cases W. I. Briggs said that E. A. Bradley had admitted the accounts and in other cases G. S. McCarter for his clients said that the accounts had been admitted. Liens have been filed and judgment was recorded.

In the estate of Frans Richard Emanuel Swanson, deceased, intestate, C. E. Gillan applied for letters of administration for Esther Goble, sister of deceased. The order was granted, the debts to be paid and any balance to be paid into court.

In the application of G. S. McCarter, under the Plans Cancellation Act, for closing of streets and alleys at top of McKenzie avenue, the affidavit of H. H. McVity was presented proving publication of advertisements and posting of notices. The consent of C. F. Lindmark owner of lot 18 and of W. A. Foote owner of lots 16 and 17; of Robert Howson and of the diocese of Kootenay, owners of the only lots affected, was obtained. No objections were filed and the order was granted.

In the estate of Duncan Ferguson it was directed that William Singer, administrator, pay the taxes now due on lot 32 block17 in D.L. 553, North Vancouver.

Naturalization papers were granted to: Nicola Mercurio, Italian laborer; Luigi Garofola, Italian, laborer; Georgio Magaton, Italian, laborer.

Foote is Candidate McKinnon Will Retire

K. G. McRae and W. A. Sturdy Candidates for Aldermen—Citizens' League Considering Advisability of Calling Public Meeting For Nomination of Candidates—J. Guy Barber Still in Field for Mayoralty.

"Provided the candidates for positions as aldermen are such that the council will be enabled to conduct the city's business satisfactorily, I shall be a candidate for mayor at the January elections" said W. A. Foote to the Mail Herald this morning.

K. G. McRae in ward 1 and W. A. Sturdy in ward 2 announce that they will offer themselves as candidates for aldermen. The sitting aldermen for ward 1 are H. J. McSorley and A. Pradolini and in ward 2 the aldermen are G.W. Bell and W.A. Smythe, of these Ald. Smythe is the only one definitely in the field for re-election.

Mayor McKinnon announced to the Mail Herald this morning that he did not intend to offer himself for re-election in January. His private business is taking more of his time and he will not be able to devote the time necessary to the city's business next year.

J. Guy Barber who has previously announced himself as a candidate for the mayoralty declared this morning that he had not withdrawn from the field.

W. I. Briggs is also considering the advisability of becoming a mayoralty candidate but is not yet prepared to make a definite announcement.

At a meeting of the executive of the Citizens league held in the city hall on Thursday evening, it was decided that a public meeting for the nomination of municipal candidates should be called in the near future if the mayorality and aldermanic candidates offering themselves are unsatisfactory to the executive of the league. "None of the candidates so far mentioned, are satisfactory" said one of the members of the executive yesterday.

The city council came in for some criticism for sins of omission. It was remarked that it had failed to carry out the recommendations of the league in respect to the maintenance of boulevards, the erection of garbage cans on the streets and in other matters.

Mr. Foote the latest mayoralty candidate has in the past served four years as alderman, during three years of which time he was chairman of the public works committee.

Among those whom Mr. Foote mentioned as possible candidates as aldermen were C. B. Hume, Walter Bews and R. Howson.

Mr. Bews when spoken to by a reporter of the Mail Herald declared that he had no aspirations for aldermanic honors. He has been asked to offer himself as a candidate and if other candidates are such that he would be able to work with them to the advantage of the city he might allow himself to be nominated from a sense of duty. He believes that the finances of the city are such that careful management in the future is essential. So far as a mayor is concerned either Mr. Foote or Mayor McKinnon would be satisfactory to him. He believes that Mr. McKinnon has now a thorough grasp of the financial condition of the city.

"I have not considered the matter at all" said Mr. Hume, "and have no inclination to be a candidate."

Mr. Howson will not be a candidate. It is only a year since he retired from the city council and he thinks that it is the duty of younger men to serve the city, among the names he suggested being those of C. R. Macdonald and K. G. McRae. He thinks that S. Needham has made a good alderman and believes that other equally efficient men might be found.

"I have no intention whatever of running for the council" said Mr. Macdonald.

Alds. Bourne, Smythe and Needham are definitely in the field for re-election. Alds. McSorley, Bell and Pradolini are not yet prepared to announce their intentions. The candidature of Mr. Sturdy as alderman will leave a vacancy on the school board of which Mr. Sturdy is now a member.

The Old Book and Its High Claims

Eloquent Sermon by W. Lashley Hall on Merits of Bible—Sacred Writings Pulsate with Vitality—Whole Panorama of Life Displayed—Greatest Library in Smallest Space.

In accordance with the suggestion to make the claims of the Bible a feature of the preaching on Sunday, Nov. 6, this is the substance of an address delivered by Rev. Lashley Hall, based upon II Tim. 3, 15.

Pointing out the difference between "All scripture (is) inspired" and "Every scripture (that is) inspired", the speaker went on to say:

The story of the sacred writings is fascinating, full of romance—how they came to be written, how they came down to us. Not only are they concerned with heroes and acts of heroes, but heroes and acts of heroism are concerned in their production and their long descent to us. They cost blood to write and to hand down, and come to us marked with the bloodstains of men who lavished their lives without stint.

We are not worthy of all this, judging by our attitude half the time and the light regard we show. We haven't brains and stamina enough to grapple with their great thoughts. The dime novel, the cheap magazine, the daily newspaper, are our measure. We simply haven't the capacity (it would seem), and are not the equals of our fathers for close and steady thinking.

These writings are not the work of weaklings. Far other! They were the strongest minds ever sent on earth. The greatest hearts. The noblest characters. The mouthpiece of Revelation itself.

This collection of writings gathered into one volumne has had the largest circulation of any book—or score of books. It is still the biggest seller. It sells even in China, where it could not once be given away. It circulates everywhere, among all ranks and conditions, in all parts of the world.

Venerable with antiquity these writings have exercised a mighty influence upon the nations. They have shaken thrones and kingdoms, and revolutionised empires. They are a warning to all tyrants and tyrannies. Everywhere welcome to the oppressed wholesome in their effect, without harmful aftermath despite upheavals, they are seen ingeminating liberty, integrity, and piety, a trinity of good.

The sacred writings stale not with the years. They contain antiquarian data not assessible elsewhere. They are full of wisdom. Their pages include the choicest gems of literature that appeal to the heart. Their words are words of life.

They are destined to grow in in-

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Stole Money from Pocket Is Given Two Years

Thomas Smith charged with theft from the person of August Tarpane appeared before Police Magistrate Hamilton on Wednesday evening. The evidence went to show that while Smith and Tarpane were together in a bar, prisoner put his hand in Tarpane's pocket, took a roll of bills and ran out of the door. He was afterwards arrested.

The magistrate found the prisoner guilty and sentenced him to two years in the penitentiary.

James Smith was also charged with theft from the person, the alleged victim being an intoxicated man who was sleeping in the back room of an hotel. The prisoner pleaded not guilty and after hearing evidence His Worship declared that while there was strong suspicion against prisoner the evidence was not sufficient for a conviction and Smith was discharged.

H. E. Homer-Dixon of Coldstream left on Saturday for Vancouver, having secured a commission in the 102nd Regiment. Mrs. Homer-Dixon will spend the winter with friends at Calgary.—Vernon News.

Interruption of Service This Winter Unlikely

"There is not likely to be any further interruption in the power and light service this winter," said Mayor McKinnon this morning.

The interruption of the service this week was caused by the unexpected cold weather which occurred while preparations for winter were being made at the power house. In order to rebuild the retaining wall the water had been lowered and the ice and cold weather caused sand to be churned up which blocked the flume.

Prisoners of War Taken to Vernon

Eleven prisoners of war arrived from the south on Thursday afternoon under military escort and were taken to the detention camp at Vernon on Friday morning. While in the city they were placed in the provincial jail and, in the absence of Provincial Constable Rothwell who was at the coast, were guarded during the night by C. and H. Gordon.

KEEN SHAFTS OF ARROW

Bright and Interesting Magazine Edited at Nakusp—Work of Church

The Christmastide number of the Arrow the bright and interesting monthly magazine, edited by Rev. W. H. Bridge of Nakusp, has been received. It well merits its description as "an unconventional magazine for live people, issued monthly to dwellers on the Arrow Lakes and their friends in the old country." The magazine has a well written and vigorous editorial column, in which the keen shafts of the editor unfailingly hit the mark, there are a number of interesting special articles and much information regarding the progress and activities of Arrow Lakes settlements. To those interested in the work of the church in the district the magazine specially appeals and it thoroughly merits wide support.

Some of the local items are as follows:

Efforts for patriotic funds have not abated. We have had a 'bully' concert in Nakusp—made $54 out of it. It was organized splendidly by the Women's Institute (that's a dandy Institution!) The little settlement at Graham's Landing sent up 700 lbs. of vegetables which we have disposed of at current prices on behalf of the Belgian Relief Fund. If there are any settlers without money, gifts of pigs, potatoes, eggs, etc., for sale on behalf of the Patriotic, Red Cross, or Belgian Relief Funds will be accepted and may be sent to the Editor of the Arrow, Nakusp.

Arrow Park had a successful entertainment on November 25, on behalf of the Belgian Fund. Nearly all the settlements on the Lakes have done and are still doing their share.

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SHORT SESSION OF LEGISLATURE

Premier Announces That Few Legislative Measures Will Be Taken Up

In an interview with the premier an intimation was made that the forthcoming session of the legislature, which opens on January 21, will be a short one. The expectation is that a period of three weeks will suffice in which to transact the necessary public business and that there will be an absence of contentious legislation.

"The crisis due to the war," said Sir Richard, "obviously makes it impossible for the various governments, federal and provincial, at this time to do much more than mark time until the task to which the British empire has set itself—that of defeating the enemy—has been accomplished. Every effort is to be directed towards towards the main object in view.

"The situation being entirely unprecedented and abnormal, it would be futile to attempt at this time to place upon the statute books of the province legislative measures which could only receive proper consideration during a period free from the turmoil of war. The government program for the session will, therefore be very light. I anticipate that the house will not require to sit for more than three weeks. Beyond the measure providing for authority for a moratorium and the Redistribution bill, there will be little legislation which should long occupy the time of the members."

Cunningham Morris, formerly of Revelstoke, who held a commission as Lieutenant in the Naval Reserve has been transferred to the Royal Naval Flying Corps.

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The Old Book

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creased interest in the time to come. Men have delighted to give a whole lifetime to their study — the greatest minds—only to acknowledge that the writings are higher than themselves.

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The sacred writings pulsate with vitality. They portray a picture of life beyond dreams, and show That Life actually personified on earth—the Life that blessed all it touched.

They always speak sense, having always something to say, and saying it—unlike some persons in our experience.

They bring us close to the heart of things—to the hidden Mystery, the spring of life—to the Heart that beats behind all the passing shows of time.

Today men of all races are reading, of all types of mind, in all walks of life. It is the only book sold at all times at less than cost. Hence the need of a Bible society, which, the more business it does, the more it needs help.

The sacred writings—both of Old and New Testaments—have a secret to deliver up to the one that reads aright. You can read without interest, without profit, without understanding, and fail to note that there is an unseen Agent co-operating, making the meaning known. There are difficulties which you want to be honest and not pretend not to exist. You don't believe in plural wives! You cannot justify coming in with a message and sticking a knife through the heart—in the name of the Lord! That conception of God is not Christian. If you have a theory that doesn't square with the facts, don't try to make the facts fit the theory, but make the theory fit the facts! The fathers had a theory of verbal inspiration, which was no difficulty for them but is a difficulty for us. Not every scripture is inspired of God, but every scripture inspired of God is profitable in varying degree. Because of an impossible theory some of the best minds have been arrayed against the church. We require a theory, which recognises the human elements as well as divine; just as today, with the dreadful conflict going on, God has His own high purpose as in the beginning, which He is carrying out, without overriding human agency. It is from that One Spirit operating in manifold forms that the sacred writings spring.

I cannot recommend a mechanical reading. What will suit one will not suit another. In a busy age time presses. You may pick out gems here and there and lodge them in your thought. You may take whole sections; make comparative studies and comparative tests and note the differences and developments. And for this you may need a helping hand.

If mechanical reading, which has spoiled so much of the finest literature, has made familiar words lose their tang and force, break the snare by reading another version, and getting the idea behind the words.

There is no sense in making reading obnoxious through dulled sensitility.

If chapters and verses be muddle and leave you in a fog, they have nothing to do with the text. Get a version that sets out poetry in poetical form, distinguishes between poetry and prose, and shews the difference between a dialogue and a dirge.

Read to find out their treasures. Unconsciously the writings will get hold on your heart. You will lose the sense of constraint, and be aware of a strange, new zest.

Archeological particularising —dry as dust, as someone has said, specifications and plans for building, never intended for devotional reading; the dryest elaborations of the levitical law, can be touched into life by collateral reading. Which doubtless for most will be work of a specialist, and will need the help of one.

Read to find messages from the Unseen. These men found a meaning in life. They interpreted the events of their time to their contemporaries. They appeared at critical moments in the world's history, and saw the Hand of God. The judgments they passed have been justified, as in the case of Isaiah in respect of Assyria, and Jeremiah in respect of Babylon. Finding a meaning in life! Interpreting events! A hundred years ago Napoleon was overthrown; and before that, centuries ago, Mohammedanism was stayed at the walls of Vienna. With scripture before us we shall assuredly see the Hand of God in these and other events, as well as events happening today.

You may take the historical setting, in the most critical fashion, and extract the idea of the time, without doing violence to the Truth. You may see in the sacred writings how current meanings merge into meanings deeper and higher, outstripping the bounds of time, as in the writings of poets you may find many a passage "Where more is meant than meets the ear."

If you are banished—if you are taken prisoner (there were some gentlemen in khaki present, one a minister's son)—this is the book you want You will be rich with it—the greatest library in the smallest space.

If you are shaken in faith—who has not been shaken?—this is a ready means of self-restoration, because the actors have finished their career and cannot spoil their own work. You can sustain no shock at their hands. Their work is done and their testimony beyond assault.

If you are conscious of being very human, and want a human document —these are the most human of all writings. The whole panorama of life is displayed.

If your tastes are vulgarised, read till they are refined. You are walking among the immortals.

These are the only writings not written to glorify individuals, or nations, or men, but God. They screen nothing, spare nothing, and tell the truth.

Have I advanced high enough their claims? Listen! The sacred writings are able to make thee wise unto salvation—through faith in Christ Jesus

A New Fudge for Xmas

Candy lovers will welcome a new and economical receipt for this delicious and easily made confection—Chocolate Fudge. Mix two cups of granulated sugar, and two tablespoons of Fry's Chocolate Icing Powder, Stir in one cup of milk, add one level tablespoonful of butter and boil very slowly from twenty minutes to a half-hour—until it forms a ball when dropped into cold water. At this stage a few chopped nuts make a delicious addition. Remove from fire, add a teaspoonful of Vanilla extract, beat until stiff, pour into a buttered pan and when cool cut into squares.

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

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.

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REVELSTOKE ASSESSMENT DISTRICT

COURTS OF REVISION AND APPEAL

Notice is hereby given that a Court of Revision and Appeal, under the provisions of the "Taxation Act" and the "Public Schools Act" for the Revelstoke Assessment District will be held as follows:—At Court House, Revelstoke, B. C., Tuesday, 29th day of December, 1914 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon. At Government Offices, Nakusp, B.C., Tuesday, 5th day of January, 1915, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Dated at Revelstoke, B. C., December 8th, 1914.

(Signed) C. M. FIELD.

Judge of Court of Revision and Appeal.

NOTICE

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the matter of the "Winding Up Act" (R.S.C., Chapter 144) and Amending Acts, and In the matter of Interior Publishing Company, Limited.

Appointment of Official Liquidator.

The Honourable The Chief Justice has, by an order dated the 30th, day of November, A.D. 1914, appointed Ernest G. Rooke of Revelstoke, B.C., to be official liquidator of the above-named company.

Dated this 3rd, day of December, A. D. 1914.

A. B. POTTENGER
District Registrar

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the Winding Up Act being Chapter 144 of the Revised Statutes of Canada 1906 and amending acts.

AND

In the matter of the Interior Publishing Company, Limited.

The creditors of the above-named company and all others who have claims against the said company, formerly carrying on business in the city of Revelstoke, B. C., are on or before the 31st day of December A.D. 1914, to send by post prepaid to Ernest G. Rooke, Esq., of the City of Revelstoke, B. C., the provisional liquidator of the said company, to his office, Revelstoke, B. C., their Christian and sur names, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, and the nature and amount of the securities, if any, held by them, and the specific value of such securities verified by oath, and in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefits of the said Act and Winding Up Order.

The undersigned District Registrar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia will on Thursday the 1st day of February, A. D. 1915, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon at his office at the Court House, Vancouver B. C., hear the report of the liquidator upon the claims of creditors submitted to him pursuant to this notice and let all parties then attend.

Dated this 27th day of November, A.D. 1914.

A. B. POTTENGER
District Registrar

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Hon. W. J. Bowser and Hon. W. R. Ross to Study the Country's Requirements

The needs and requirements of the most thickly populated section of the interior of the province, the Kootenay and Boundary districts, are to be specially studied preparatory to the formulation of the legislative program for the forthcoming session of the provincial house. To that end Hon. W. J. Bowser, Attorney-General, and Hon. W.R. Ross, minister of lands, will leave Victoria on Sunday for a tour of a week's duration.

If occasion offers, opportunity will be taken by the ministers to explain at public meetings the entirely new and unprecedented situation which confronts this province, in common with all sections of the empire, as a result of the war. Members of the legislature through whose districts the ministers will pass, will co-operate to the end that the situation may be fully explained.

Traveling by way of Spokane, the ministers are due to reach Grand Forks on Monday afternoon. Here the Attorney-General hopes to meet the Doukhobors, having communicated to Mr. Peter Veregin, their leader, to this effect. He will discuss with them the legislation of last year which bears upon their position as residents of the province, and point out to them the necessity for them to comply with the statutory provisions of the province.

Trail will be reached on Tuesday and the following evening will be spent at Rossland. On Thursday the ministers will visit Brilliant, where there is a considerable colony of Doukhobors, to whom Mr. Bowser will explain the situation. Thursday *evening will be spent in Nelson*, and the following evening at Fernie. On Saturday Cranbrook will be visited, from which point the return journay will be made via Spokane.

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Dec. 11.—Janes vs. Flyess.
Dec. 15.—Flyers vs. Baby Giants.
Dec. 18.—Prunes vs. Whitewashers.
Dec. 22.—Janes, vs. Baby Giants.
Dec. 28.—Spitfires vs. Flyers.
Jan. 5.—Prunes vs. Baby Giants.
Jan. 8.—Whitewashers vs. Janes.
Jan. 12—Whitewashers v. Baby Giants
Dec. 15.—Prunes vs. Flyers.
Dec. 19.—Janes vs. Spitfires.
Dec. 21.—Baby Giants vs. Spitfires.
Dec. 24.—Flyers vs. Whitewashers
Dec. 28.—Janes vs. Prunes.

On Wednesday evening, December 2 the teams lined up for volley ball at the Y.M.C.A., as follows:

French Recruits.— W. Legallais, (Capt.) Dr. Heard, J. L. Hay, A. Ross, J. Couling, George Menne,l.

Scotch Reserves.—N. R. Brown, (Capt.) John Little, W. Veith, A. C. Haddon, J. S. Ross, D. Twiss.

The game was fast and interesting all the way through, with the following result: French Recruits, 2; Scotch Reserves 1.

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Naval Oranges,	.50
Pears, 2lbs. for	.25
Cranberries, lb.	.16
Grapes, Malaga,	.25
Figs, cooking, 2lbs. for	.25
Dates, Hallowi, 2 lbs. for	.25
Dates, Fard, 2lbs. for	.35
Dates, Dromedary, pkg.	.15
Walnuts, California, per lb.	.35
Walnuts, Grenoble,	.25
Pecans, per lb.	.35
Filberts, per lb.	.25
Almonds, per lb.	.25@ .30
Brazils, per lb.	.25@ .30
MEATS	
Fresh killed beef, retail	.05@.27½
Pork, retail	.18@ .25
Mutton, retail	12½@ .25
Veal, retail	13½@ .27
Hams, retail	.25@ .30
Bacon, retail	.28@ .40
Lard, retail	.17@ .20
Chickens, retail	.23@ .25
ausages, retail	.13@ .15
Turkey, per lb.	.30
Geese, per lb.	.25
Ducks, per lb.	.28
SUGAR	
Granulated B. C. Cane 100 lb. sack	7.80
Lump sugar, 2lbs.	.25
Gran. B.C., 20 lb. sack,	1.65
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	2.25
B. & K. Bread Flour	2.15
Five Roses,	2.25
Lake of the Woods, bag	2.25
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Purity Flour	2.25
King's Quality	2.15
DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Butter, *creamery*	.40
Butter, dairy, per lb.	.32@ .35
Cheese, Canadian, per lb.	.25
Cheese, Can. Stilton, lb.	.30
Cheese, Imp. Stilton, lb.	.60
Eggs, local new laid, doz.	.65
VEGETABLES	
Parsley, per bunch	.05
Dry, onions, 5 lbs. for	.25
Cabbage, local, each	.05@ .10
New Potatoes, lb.	.02
Lettuce, lb.	.10@ .15
Tomatoes, lb.	.15
New Carrots, lb.	.02½
Turnips, per lb.	.02½
Sweet Potatoes, 4lbs. for	.25
Celery, per lb.	.5

Hotel keepers in Kelowna have applied to the city council for a reduction in license fees. Last year these were increased from $300 to $600 on account of alleged prosperity, so in lean times the hotel men thought that it was only fair they should now be reduced.

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MURDER

Under the trite, terse heading, "Murder," Collier's Weekly gives its views of German atrocities. And in proving that Germany was not justified—to express it mildly—in its outrageous treatment of ununiformed men of Belgium, Collier's uses as an example its own early history, and what it might have been if in 1775 the English had followed German tactics in dealing with those who withstood their advance. While Collier's has always been most partial in expressing its unreserved sympathy with Britain and the allies, no greater proof of its feelings could be found than by taking its own country as an example and in acknowledging the technical standing of the forces which were fighting against British rule. The paragraph is as follows:

"Most of the atrocites that the Germans have committed in Belgium have been excused by them on the ground that it was merely revenge for what they call sniping. What sniping is, is described clearly by the war correspondents. When German soldiers break into a Belgian farmer's home and seize his food and treat his women brutally, and the farmer defends himself with arms, that is sniping. The Germans punish it by shooting, as a warning, not only the farmer involved, but several score of his neighbors. When a Belgian farmer, without uniform, uses whatever arms he has to help defend his country against invasion, that, again is sniping. The destruction of Louvain was German revenge on a large scale for this sniping. Nothing could be more brutal than the German attitude in this respect, and nothing more clear than the duty of civilization to resist the German theory that they can revenge themselves in this way. If, in 1775, the British had held the same ideas about retaliation for sniping, every New England farmer who resisted the British march from Boston to Lexington would have been murdered, as the Germans are now murdering Belgian farmers. Indeed, there would have been more justification for the British to punish the New England patriots, because every American in that case was technically, a rebel. Within the present year, when American sailors landed at Vera Cruz, some Mexicans defended their city by shooting from the housetops. Had the Americans held the same ideas about sniping as the Germans they would have revenged themselves by burning Vera Cruz."

FROM THE SANCTUMS

GOOD TO BE YOUNG

London Times: Fortunate are our young men to be young at this moment, when conscience and faith have so suddenly and splendidly revived. They, in the best years of their life, have something to do, something to fight and to suffer, and if need be, to die for. There is the material fact of Belgium to be freed from its oppressors; and behind that is the future of the world and that faith upon which the future depends, which they can now uphold with their lives and in the hope that after their victory there will be a new age for them to live in.

MUST MAKE SACRIFICE

Lethbridge Herald: We observe with a good deal of concern that in a number of the smaller towns of the province a marked hesitancy is displayed by citizens at the suggestion that they should serve on the council board, for the reason no doubt that owing to the unusual business conditions they do not want to assume the responsibilities of office during the coming year. This is a time when men must make sacrifices on behalf of their communities. It is true, conditions are bad, that municipal financing is difficult and the strictest economy must be observed, but these facts warrant men of ability and public spirit sacrificing their time and their personal inclinations to serve the welfare of the communities in which they live. At no period in our history will saner municipal government be needed more than during the coming year. Competent men must be kept at the helm to direct affairs. All partisan and sectional consideration should be buried in the common effort to put the control of municipal affairs in each community in the hands of men who can rely upon the united support of the people.

TEMPUS FUGIT

Edmonton Journal: There is nothing that brings home to the close newspaper reader the swift passage of the years than such an item as came over the wires the other day from Chicago. It was to the effect that "Baby" McKee had been fined $10 and costs in a police court in that city for resisting a police officer who was endeavoring to arrest him for disorderly conduct. When Benjamin Harrison was at the White House, this grandson of his was born there, and the Sunday editors made us more familiar with the youngster than with many of our own flesh and blood. But the cold facts of the encyclopaedia make it all too plain that this was 25 years ago. In the meanwhile, it is apparent, "Baby" has moved about a little. A similar shock was experienced some months ago when the engagement of the original of "Little Lord Fauntleroy" was announced, and it was intimated at the same time that he was a bald-headed man of middle age who was thought to be a confirmed bachelor.

WOMEN POINT THE WAY

Nelson News: The Nelson and District Women's institute is taking a step in the right direction by arranging to secure speakers at its Saturday afternoon meeting who will set forth some of the reasons why the public should buy at home and ask for made-in-Canada goods. If the women of the Kootenay and Boundary district will engage in a campaign for supporting their own community by keeping their money in the first instance at home by making their expenditures in their own district and in the second place to keep it in the Dominion by insisting upon securing the products of Canadian natural resources and of Canadian factories the movement will receive an impetus which cannot fail to carry it to a triumphant conclusion. And its success means more money, more employment and greater prosperity in Kootenay and Boundary and the Dominion as a whole.

AT THE THEATRES

Tonight at the Empress theatre the Strand war series, showing actual events at the front will be shown and in addition. "Her Father's Guilt," "Legend of Lilaca," "Percy Needs a Rest," and the "Universal Weekly," will be presented. There will be three pictures shown on Monday night "Rory of the Bogs" in three parts, "Shells" and "His Wife's Burglar." On Tuesday night there will be a return of the Famous Players productions "Little Grey Lady" in four parts and on Wednesday "A Mexican Spy in America." will be seen. The first series of a great serial story "Zudora" one of the best yet will be shown on Friday night Dec. 18.

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

Third Sunday in Advent. Services as follows: 8 a.m. Holy Communion 11 a.m. Matins 7.30 p.m. Evensong. Prayers for use during the war will be said both morning and evening. The Rector will preach both morning and evening. Sunday school at 2.30

METHODIST CHURCH

Services are conducted by the pastor, Rev. Lashley Hall, on Sunday, at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Next Sunday morning, subject "Second Part of What to Believe and Why." Evening subject, "The Good News." Sunday school and Bible classes at 2.30 p. m. Young People's meeting (Epworth League) Mondays, 8 p.m. Prayer service, Wednesdays, 8 p. m. We shall be glad to see you.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The regular services will be conducted next Sunday by the minister Rev. J.W. Stevenson, who will preach at 11 a.m. on "Forebearance" and at 7.30 p.m. on "Do the People Want a Better City." Sunday school and Bible classes at 2.30. Young People's meeting in charge of missionary mittee, Tuesday at 8:00 p. m. Wednesday evening the regular weekly prayer meeting. Strangers are invited to all the services.

Edward Adair is Buried in Vancouver

With many tributes of respect and esteem of a large circle of relatives and friends, the late Edward Adair, a well-known citizen of Vancouver and former resident of Revelstoke, was laid to rest in Mountain View cemetery on Thursday afternoon. While addressing a meeting of Ward Four Conservative association on Monday night he was seized with an attack of heart failure which proved fatal.

The late Mr. Adair was born at Bothwell, Ont., in 1849. After spending several years in the lumber business in his native province he came to British Columbia in 1884 and engaged in bridge and snowshed building in the construction of the Canadian Pacific railway. Upon the completion of the road he took up his residence at Revelstoke, where he later organized the Adair Mining company, which holds valuable properties in the Big Bend country. Eight years ago he removed to Vancouver and for five years was engaged with the local branch of the department of immigration. He made several trips to the old country lecturing upon the opportunities which Canada and particularly the western provinces have to offer to the settlers from the British Isles.

Mr. Adair was a staunch conservative and a prominent member of the Orange order which he joined in 1866. The members of Britannia Lodge had charge of the funeral which took place from his late residence, 2123 Graveley street. Besides his widow he leaves to mourn his loss Mrs. Joseph Edwards and Miss Marion Adair of Vancouver and Mrs. W. W. Kerran of Revelstoke. Ernest E. Adair of Vancouver was a nephew.

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German Naval Base is Destroyed by Fire

London, Dec. 12.—(Special to the Mail Herald).—The great Gottorp battery at Kiel, a powerful German naval base has been destroyed by fire, according to a despatch from Copenhagen. The cause of the fire is being kept secret.

Berlin advices which previously announced that Germany had agreed to the suggestion of Pope Benedict for a truce during the Christmas holiday says Russia has declined to agree to the proposition.

Unofficial advices received that Emperor William's condition continues to improve. His temperaeure is normal and he sat up for a few hours.

The pendelum of war has apparently swung back again in favor of Russians in the eastern zone of hostilities. An official report from Petrograd declares the Russians have repulsed two units of Field Marshall von Hindenberg's army near Mlawa and Lowitz administering enormous losses and taking many prisoners and guns. At some places on the Mlawa front and before Lowitz the Russians assert that the Germans made fierce attacks but were repulsed. Near Lowitz according to the Russian statement the Muscovites permitted the Germans to approach very near their trenches and then put them to flight with galling fire.. Successes are also claimed by the south of Cracow where however the Germans are said to be stubbornly resisting.

That Germany realizes that field Marshall von Hindenberg's brilliant maneuvers which brought the Germans almost before Warsaw again after they had been thrown back to the east Prussian frontier was not really a decisive victory was acknowledged in a statement of the German official press bureau.

Dealing with the decision in the vicinity of Lodz the statement said the resistence of the Russians is by no means broken and that yet remains to be done before the Russians can be considered definitely defeated.

The Servians continue to assert that they have administered a crushing defeat to the Austrians and taken large numbers of prisoners and great quantities of war material. On their side the Austrians say no new material events have occurred in Servia and that the reorganization of Austrian forces is progressing without heavy battles resulting.

Fighting continues in France and Belgium at various points and claims of advantages secured are made by both contenders after having admitted the loss of trenches in the region of Ypres. The latest French report declared these again have been reoccupied by the allies.

With the return of the French government to Paris from Bordeaux a squadron of aeroplanes is doing scout duty over the capital to ward off possible attacks by hostile aircraft.

In France 400,000 youths of the class of 1915 have gone into training in the military camps and barracks. It is expected they will be ready for the campaign in the spring.

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The returns of the salmon pack in British Columbia just issued show that the total pack this year was 1,600,000 cases. About half of these were sockeye. One-third of the pack was from the Fraser River. The rest is contributed by canneries on the Skeena and other northern rivers.

In view of the fact that but one week day this year intervenes between Christmas Day and the following Sunday, an order-in-council was passed last week at Victoria declaring Saturday, December 26, to be a public and bank holiday. This also applies to Saturday, January 2, 1915.

Temporary commissions for the duration of the war are being offered to former officers of the British regular and territorial forces provided they can comply with the medical and other requirements. The army council of London has notified the governor-general of Canada that in view of the fact that there are many ex-service officers between the ages of 25 and 40 resident in Canada who would welcome an opportunity of rejoining their old corps, that the British government will provide free passage to and from Great Britain and make an allowance of £30 sterling for uniform and £7 10s. for camp kit. Retired officers of the special reserve and ex-militia officers are offered the same inducements.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

EDITED BY MISS FLORENCE LAWRENCE

Those having items for publication in the Mail-Herald social and personal column are requested to call up phone 62.

Mrs. A. E. Miller will not receive again until February.

Mrs. Hyatt will not receive on Tuesday, December 15.

Mrs. George Ingram is at the coast, on a short vacation.

Mr. Fred Silton of Rossland was in town the first of the week.

Mrs. Aman entertained a few friends at five hundred on Friday evening.

Mr. Ed. Tremble returned on Sunday from a short visit to Vancouver.

Mr. James Beverly of Victoria paid a brief visit to the city on Friday.

Miss Madge Wilson left on Thursday for Vancouver to visit Mrs. J. Macaulay.

Mrs. W.J. Coulthart will not receive again until the second Friday in January.

Mrs. Alice Lee left on Tuesday for Vancouver to attend the funeral of Mr. Edward Adair.

Mrs. C. Marshall returned on Thursday noon's train from a few weeks visit to Vancouver.

Miss Margaret Jackson of Greenwood passed through Revelstoke yesterday on her way to Calgary.

Miss Della Wiflard underwent an operation at the Queen Victoria hospital on Tuesday morning. She is doing nicely.

Mr. Harry Cook of Arrowhead, who has been at the Queen Victoria hospital for some time returned home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Howson returned on Saturday from a extended visit to Mrs. Howson's home town, Bradford, Pa.

Miss Margaret Saunders, who has been visiting friends in Revelstoke for the past two weeks has left for her home in Woodstock, N.B.

Miss Lillian Lee is now one of the staff at Reid & Young's taking the place of Miss Cleave, who has gone east on a three months vacation.

Gordon Kenward wishes to thank his class-mates for the letter sent him and Miss Patrick his teacher for candy. Gordon has been ill for some time from a nervous breakdown.

Mrs. Isabella Cochrane and infant daughter of Penticton, B. C., spent Thursday in town enroute to Edmonton, where they will spend Christmas with Mrs. Archibald Jones.

Beverly and Thelma Kenward have both been ill with scarlet fever but are getting along nicely. Their brother, Gordon has not taken the fever, as many of his friends think, but is suffering from nervous trouble.

Mrs. William Macaulay of Fernie spent Wednesday in Revelstoke, guest at one of the hotels. Mrs. Macaulay is on her way to Toronto to visit her mother-in-law, Mrs. Daniel Macaulay. Her husband will meet her at Medicine Hat and accompany her the rest of the way.

Mrs. E. Corning entertained the Y.M.C.A. Bible class on Wednesday evening. A very delightful time was spent with music, etc. A number of the members who were absent from town, wrote very interesting letters which were read aloud during the evening and were much enjoyed. Supper was served before the party broke up.

Mrs. Haug is around again, having recovered from a severe attack of la grippe.

Mrs. Bob Raphael of Vancouver is visiting Mrs. Gus Lund of Fourth street.

Mr. and Mrs. N.R. Morgan spent Wednesday in town a guest at one of the hotels.

Mrs. Horn who has spent the past eleven weeks at the hospital, returned to her home today.

Mrs. George Singer and little son are in the city to spend Christmas with Mrs. Singer's mother, Mrs. J.J. Woodland.

The many friends of Arthur Parker will be pleased to hear of his recovery from a severe though short illness. He left the hospital the day before yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Remings, Miss Muriel Lightbourne and Douglas Potter, all of New Westminster, passed through the city on Thursday on their way to Montreal to spend Christmas with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Howard. On Christmas day, Mr. and Mrs. Howard will celebrate the 65th anniversary of their wedding.

Skating on the river is now in full swing and many skating parties have been enjoying themselves for the past few days. The ice is in charge of Mr. L. W. Wood and Mr. Cecil Atkins, who have everything arranged for the convenience of the skaters. Huge fires are kept going continually. Hot soup and coffee may be procured at a small price and skates will be sharpened.

The Young People of St. John's church listened to a very interesting debate at their regular meeting on Tuesday night. The subject was "Resolved that Capital punishment should be Abolished." The affirmative was taken by Miss Creelman and Jimmie Lawrence and the negative by Mrs. W.A. Sturdy and Mr. Adam Bell. The judges, Mr. Ross, Mr. Creech and Mr. Hadden decided in favor of the negative.

The members of the Girls' Sewing class who have not finished their donations for the fancy work table for the bazaar on the 16th, will please make an effort to complete them at once. Any donations of fancy work plain sewing, candy, and cooking of all kinds will be gratefully received by the girls. These donations may be taken to the treasurer, Miss Alma Corson, Second street or will be called for if the donors leave their names with the president, Florence Lawrence, phone 62; the secretary Kathleen Field, phone 213.

The Girls' Sewing class will hold a sale of work and tea in the afternoon of Dec. 16 in the opera house, followed by a concert and dance in the evening. In connection with the bazaar there will be a fancy work table, a culinery table and fish pond. A gipsy fortune teller, who reads hands with wonderful accuracy will be there. In the evening a silver collection will be taken up. The musical part of the program will be rendered by well-known local talent and two tableaux will be enacted by the girls, the first the inside of the military hospital and the other, the Sleeping Beauty. The girls of this class wish to make known to the public that they are not working for their own ends, for the total proceeds of this affair will go toward the Belgian Relief fund. Will you not help the girls by patronizing this their first venture? This is a fine opportunity to help the Belgians and at the same time get full value for your money.

Mrs. J. P. Kennedy returned home from the hospital on Wednesday, much improved in health. During her illness her room at the Central school has been taught by Miss Edna Corson.

The last of the series of teas given by the Ladies of the Altar society of the Catholic church was held at the home of Mrs. Frank McCarty on Thursday and was a huge success, over $100 being cleared. The affair was carried to its climax in a very capable manner by the ladies in charge. Mrs. McCarty and Mrs. Parry received the guests at the door. Miss Bell and Miss Fromey had charge of the candy table. The culinary table, with its load of good things was looked after by Mrs. Whitby, while Mrs. W.H. Sutherland and Mrs. R. Smythe had the fancy work table. Mrs. Melville, Mrs. Glaspie, Mrs. Hobson and Mrs. McEachren attended to the wants of the guests in the dining room and Mrs. Bunnell and Miss McKenzie were in charge of the Christmas tree. Santa Claus was present all day and was the centre of attraction for the children In the evening a concert was held with the Riverside orchestra in attendance. Those who sang solos were Miss Blanche McCarty, Mr. Bennett, Mr. Whitby and Mr. Ralph Lawrence. The ladies wish to thank all those who assisted in making this and the other teas so successful.

In connection with the bazaar given in the opera house next Wednesday by the Girls' Sewing class in aid of the Belgian Relief, there will be a concert in the evening with a program as follows: Solo, Miss Parker; solo, Mrs. H. Goddard; dialogue, Misses Kathleen Field and Florence Lawrence; solo Mr. Hawker; solo Mr. R. Lawrence; piano duet, Misses Edna Corson and Marjorie Lee; tableau, "The Sleeping Beauty", main characters—Sleeping Beauty, Louise Aman; Prince Charming, Florence Lawrence; solo, Mr. W. Hardman; tableau, "Military Hospital" characters:—Matron, Miss Kathleen Field, Red Cross nurse, Miss Alma Corson; Doctor, Mr. H. V. Morgan and patient, Maurice Hack; solo, Miss Blanche McCarty; concluding chorus, entire company. The admission to the concert is free. A silver collection will be taken up during the evening. Following the concert will be a dance with Orr's orchestra in attendance. The admission will be gentlemen 50c. Ladies free. Refreshments may be procured by all who wish, during the entire evening.

More Contributions to Patriotic Fund

A number of subscriptions from Bear Creek have reached the Patriotic fund, which now amounts to donations $738 and subscriptions of $330. Those not previously acknowledged are:

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A. McGregor,	3.00	
R. Thomas,	5.00	
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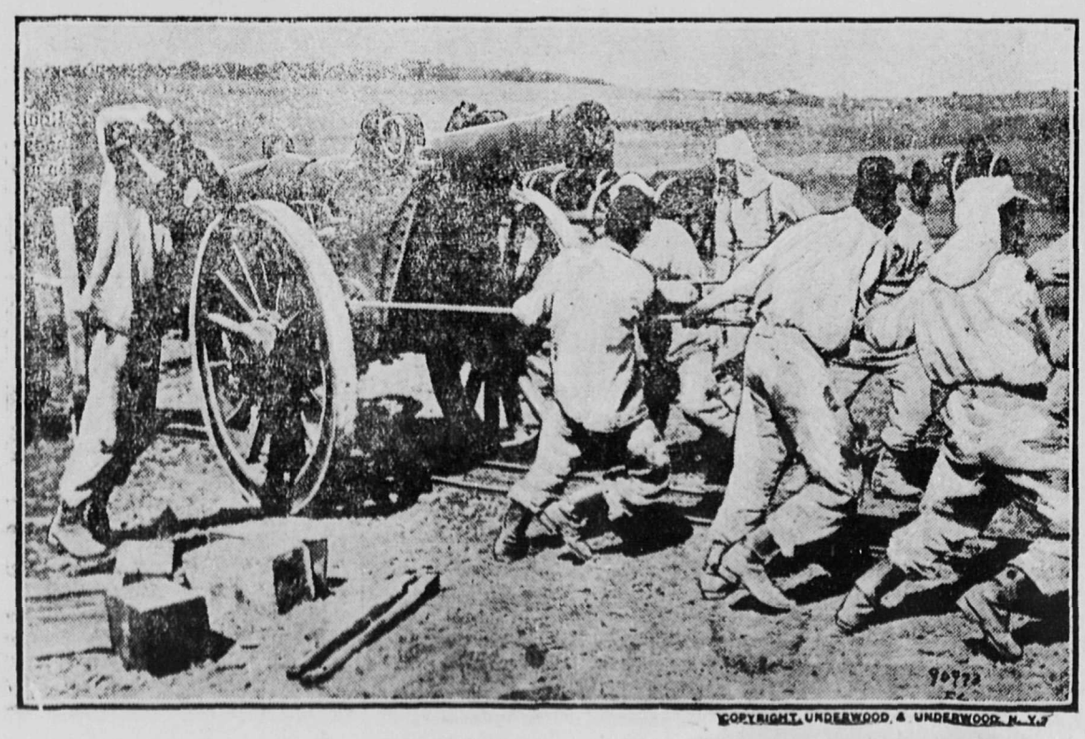
Eric Erickson,		1.00
J. Carpooif,		1.00
P. Anderson,		1.00
Gordon Blackwell,	1.00	
Lina Peressini,	.50	
Totals,	$738.90	$330.55



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Notes from the Mines

On Monday the Utica shipped a car of high grade zinc. It was sent to Colorado.

Over 250 tons of zinc ore have been shipped from the H. B. mine, at Salmo, to Perdue, Ill.

The production of copper in Japan in 1913 was 3110 metric tons above the previous record of 61,471 tons in 1912. The value of the production in 1912 was $20,045,526 and in1913, $20,716,800. Most of the ore is smelted at the mines. Exports in 1912 and 1913 were valued at less than $1,000.

The Gold Reef mine on Six Mile creek near Rossland has closed down for the winter. Considerable work has been done during the past few months and prior to closing down a trial shipment of four tons of ore was brought down for shipment to Trail smelter. It is the intention to resume work in the spring.

A good shoot of concentrating and high-grade ore is reported to have been opened on the Great Northern property near Trout Lake. The ore body is about 70 ft. long and averages in the neighborhood of 4 ft. in width. H. McPherson and associates, who have a bond on the property, have secured an extension.

It is reported that good pay dirt can still be found on Cunningham creek, near Greenwood. All this season Chinaman have been working on the upper part of Rock creek. On the south fork James Copland has been taking out gold all summer. A local syndicate has leased half a mile of ground on Rock creek near the "House of Blazes" and will put in a flume to drain it this fall. Next summer the ground will be thoroughly prospected and may create a boom in that old camp.

A meeting of the shareholders in the Silver King, Iron Mountain, and Sunset (gold) groups, was held recently in Chilliwack. The report of Mining Engineer Crossland on the 3 properties was received. About $6000 in development work has been done on the Silver King group. This group contains gold, silver and copper, and Mr. Crossland reported 25,000 tons of ore in sight, and recommended the driving of three 16 ft. tunnels in the property. The iron in the Iron Mountain group was stated to be of good quality, but that it does not exist in sufficient tonnage to be a paying proposition. It was strongly recommended that the Sunset mine be opened up and developed, as there is a large formation, with the indications good, and a first class prospect.

RADIUM FROM B. C.

An Ottawa despatch says that three samples of radium-bearing ore from British Columbia have just been received by the Department of Mines, but the quantity of radium contained has not yet been determined. The examination of such samples is of the utmost interest because of the tremendous value of radium. Magnesite is one of the minerals regarding the possible production of which in Canada the department has been asked to report since the supply from Germany is cut off. The very best magnesite is known to exist in British Columbia in large deposits, but they are at present too far from transportation facilities. Nothing is known by the provincial mineralogist, W. Fleet Robertson, respecting this shipment of radium-bearing ore from British Columbia. From time to time prospectors working in various parts of the province have discovered what they believed to be radium-bearing ores, but local investigations have, unfortunately so far, shown no trace of the precious radium.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE

No. 1 from Montreal to Vancouver, arrive at 6.05 p.m., leave 6.25 p.m.

No. 2, from Vancouver to Montreal, arrive at 11.05 a.m., leave at 11.25 a.m.

No. 3, from Toronto to Vancouver, arrive at 7.05 a.m., leave at 7.20 a.m.

No. 4 from Vancouver to Toronto, arrive at 12.45 a. m., leave at 1.05 a.m.

No. 804, from Revelstoke to Arrowhead, leave 7.30 a.m.

No. 803, from Arrowhead to Revelstoke, arrive 4.40 p.m.

No. 3 makes connection with the Okanagan line at Sicamous, returning leaves Sicamous at 11.50 p.m.

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Box No. 16.—Corner Second street and Government Road and Opera House.

Box No. 17.—Corner Third street and Campbell avenue, Globe Lumber company.

Box No. 18.—C. P. R. station.

Box No. 24.—Corner Fifth street and McKenzie avenue, Catholic church.

Box No. 25.—Corner Sixth street and Orton avenue, W. A. Foote.

Box No. 26.—Corner Fourth street and McArthur avenue.

Box No. 27.—Corner Fourth street and Townley avenue.

Box No. 28.—Corner Second street and Robson avenue, Mrs. Baker.

Box No. 34.—Fire hall No. 2.

Box No. 35.—Hospital.

Box Nol 36.—Central School.

Box No. 37.—Selkirk School.

FIRE BRIGADE NO. ONE

Box No. 44.—Fire Hall No. One.

Box No. 25.—Front street west, near C.P.R. bridge.

Box No. 46.—Corner King and Douglas streets. Palace Meat Market.

Box No. 47.—Corner Second street and Wales street, back of Court house.

Box No. 48.—Corner Third and Charles streets, Cowan block.

Australian and New Zealand contingents have been disembarked in Egypt," according to an announcement of the official bureau, "to assist in the defence of that country and complete their training there. "When this training is completed, they will go direct to the front to fight with the other British troops in Europe.

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Regular Meetings are held in New Masonic Hall on the Fourth Monday in each month at 8 p.m. Visiting brethren are cordially welcome.

WALTER BEWS, W. M.
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Mountain View Camp No. 229

Meets Second and Fourth Monday in each month in Selkirk Hall. Visiting Woodmen are cordially invited to attend.

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What is Doing in the Province

As a result of steps taken to that end by the Retail Merchants association of the Okanagan, stores through out that valley will close on Thursday afternoons, commencing January.

At a recent meeting of the shareholders the voluntary liquidation of the Western Canners Ltd., operating canneries at Kelowna and Penticton, was considered. It has been decided however, to postpone such a step.

Large orders for hay are being received by several farmers in this district, and from present indications there seems to be little doubt but that they will be able to dispose of their crops before next season.—Vernon News.

The work of putting up the poles on the Shuswap Falls branch of the government telephone line was completed last Thursday. The wire stringing will be proceeded with as soon as all the necessary supplies have arrived.—Vernon News.

The resolution of the Silver Creek Farmers' Institute, urging the Provincial government to enact legislation giving effect to the recommendations of the Royal Commission of agriculture respecting a system of farm loans was endorsed and a similar resolution will be sent as requested.

Mexican money is said to have been discovered in circulation in British Columbia and the public is warned against accepting it. The money is in the form of $5.00 bills and bears a strong resemblance to Dominion notes. They are drawn on the Banco de Coahulla and are value for five pesos, which would be equal to five dollars, only the Mexican currency is depreciated by fifty per cent.

The Kamloops civic hydro-electric power plant on Barriere River, is now in operation. The plant consists of two 600 k.w. generators, each driven by a 1,100 h.p. turbine operating at a head between 180 and 190 feet. The flume is about 3½ miles long, 8 feet wide and six feet deep, and of wooden construction. The transmission line is about 43 miles long and traverses a country rich in possibilities for irrigation by electric pumping.

At the last meeting of the Vernon city council Ald. McKenzie introduced an amendment to the milk by-law which provides that owners of one cow who sell their surplus milk shall take out a license at a cost of two dollars a head per year. They are also brought under the provisions of the by-law respecting cleanliness of premises, etc., but are not required to erect separate milk houses as are the regular dairymen. The medical health officer reported that all sampling milk submitted to him was found to be well up to the standard required by law.

That there is a very marked change in the attitude of "the trade" in Vancouver towards Okanagan, or perhaps better, British Columbia fruit, is the statement of Mr. S. B. Snider, who returned from the metropolis last Friday night. While there Mr. Snider naturally looked about him to ascertain the effects of the recent vigorous campaign for the home grown fruit, and he says that the change wrought seems permanent. Dealers, now realizing the extent of the industry in this province are confident of an ample and constant supply that will make it no longer necessary to import.—Summerland Review.

At it's last meeting Vernon city council granted $200 towards the poultry show to be held in the city, this week, and $50 to the Tranquille Sanitarium.

Two cases of toys and miscellaneous articles, contributed by children of Kelowna, were shipped to London to brighten Christmas for some of the Belgian child refugees.

At a meeting of the Kelowna Farmers' Institute, stirring speeches were made by several members in favour of the establishment of a creamery in that vicinity. The chairman, says the Courier, urged the members to stir up their enthusiasm and make the scheme a successful one. "If we say the creamery is going to be a success, it will be a success, and if we make up our minds that we are going to get this money from the government then we will get it, because we are the government," is but a sample of the many stirring and emphatic phases used by the chairman in an effort to arouse the meeting to enthusiasm. It was estimated that a creamery would cost about $5,000 and help $125.00 a month. Application will be made to the government for financial assistance to farmers of the district to secure 300 additional cows.

Two Killed in Coal Creek Mine

Fernie, B. C. Dec. 9.—A double fatal accident occurred at No. 1 east mine, Coal Creek half an hour before the end of the afternoon shift when P. Catenaro, a rope rider and Tommy Meyers, a bell boy, were riding up an incline with a trip of empty cars. When near the top without any warning a tremendous quantity of roof coal fell upon the two front cars, burying the men. Rescue parties immediately went to work but recovered only the lifeless bodies, death having been caused by suffocation.

BOWLING SCHEDULE

DECEMBER

Tues. 29.—C.P.R. vs Bus.-men
Wed. 30.—Fire hall A. vs Fire hall B.

JANUARY

Wed. 6.—J.B.C. vs C.P.R.
Fri. 8.—Fire hall A. vs B. of D.
Tues. 12.—Bus.-men vs Fire hall B.
Wed. 13.—Govt. vs C.P.R.
Fri. 15.—J.B.C. vs Bus.-men
Tues. 19.—Fire hall A. vs Govt.
Wed. 20.—Fire hall B. vs. J.B.C.
Fri. 22.—B. of D. vs C.P.R.
Tues. 26.—Bus.-man vs B. of D.
Wed. 27.—Fire hall A. vs J.B.C.
Fri. 29.—Fire hall B. vs Govt.

FEBRUARY

Tues. 2.—Bus.-men vs Govt.
Wed. 3.—Fire hall A. vs C.P.R.
Fri. 5.—B. of D. vs J.B.C.
Tues. 9.—Fire hall B. vs C.P'R.

WORLD NEWS TERSELY TOLD

This is what Jacob H. Scheff, of New York, one of the greatest of the world's financiers, says: "In the role of a world conqueror Germany would indulge in a domination which would be almost unbearable to every other nation. Particularly would this be the case in her relations with the United States, a nation with which she has had always intimate trade and commercial relations."

Although Thursday, January 12, is being mentioned as the date on which parliament is most likely to meet, the impression prevails quite generally that it will be one or two weeks later before the House is assembled. It is pointed out that as the session is not likely to be as prolonged as usual, there will be no disposition to bring the legislators to Ottawa so soon after the Christmas holidays. While some undoubtedly favor January 12 for the opening, the majority are inclined to the view that it will not take place until the third or fourth Thursday in the month.

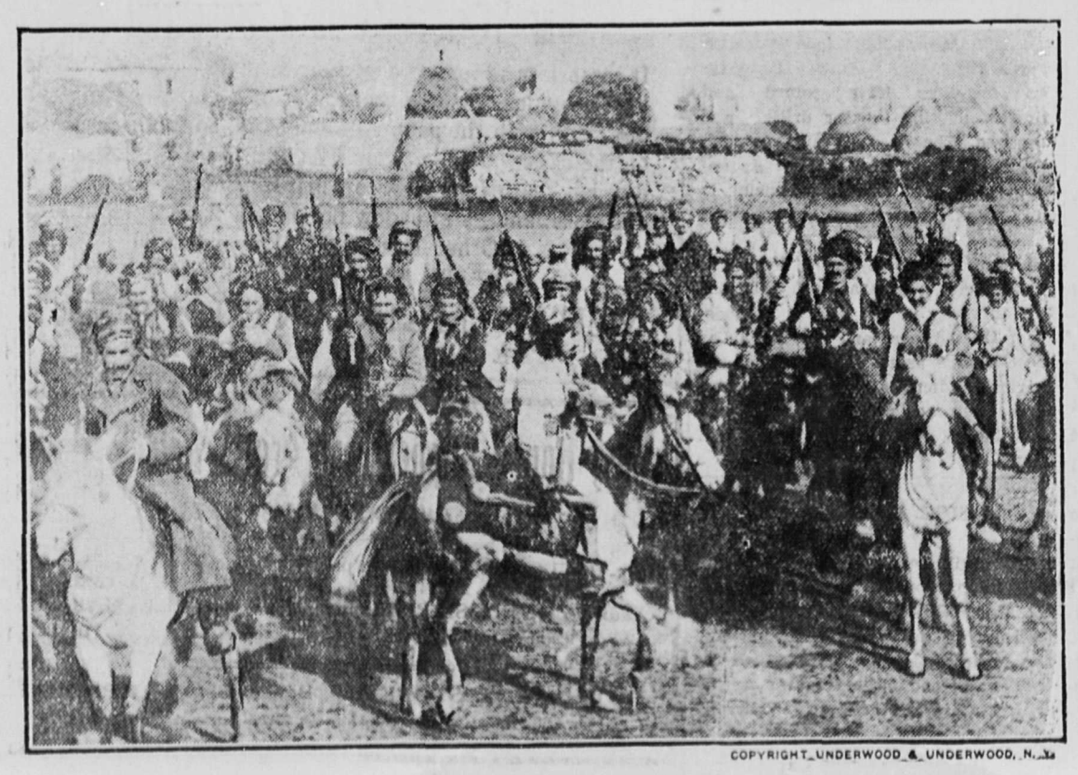
Over two million bushels of wheat are being moved from the ports on the Great Lakes to Portland and Halifax by the Grand Trunk, from where it will be shipped to Great Britain. The movement of grain this year is much in excess of last year's movement at this time, say Grand Trunk officials. In the last week 12 extra freight train crews have been taken on to work on the Ottawa division of the Grand Trunk. Owing to business being rather slack in other directions, there is no shortage of cars this year, nor has there been any difficulty so far in securing ships at Portland and Halifax. Most of the grain is being moved from Fort William to convenient railroad points by boat and will be up till the close of navigation on the lakes on December 7.

The French Bar association has presented to Madame Poincare, wife of the President of France, a specially designed medal as a mark of admiration at the example she set by working as a nurse in a hospital organized by the association.

Richard Croker, one time leader of Tammany Hall, was married in the home of Nathan Strauss in New York, last Thursday, to Miss Buelah Benton Edmondson, the grand-daughter of the Cherokee Indian chieftain. Mr. Croker is 73 years old and his bride, who is a singer, is 23 years old. A large crowd assembled in front of the Strauss home when it became known that the announced plans of a church wedding had been changed at the last moment.

The British war office is likely to place huge orders in Canada for leather goods equipment. A delegation of 60 of the leading tanners of Canada was called in consultation by Sir George Foster, Minister of Trade and Commerce, on Friday, and asked if, in the event of such orders being received, they would be able to supply the leather. Sir George was assured that the capacity of the Canadian factories is fully equal to any demand that may be made on them.

An order-in-council has been passed forbidding the export from Canada to any foreign country other than part of the British empire of rubber and graphite. This action has been taken to prevent supplies of these commodities from reaching Germany. Canada imports about $4,000,000 worth of crude rubber yearly, and exports about $500,000. About $120,000 worth of graphite is exported, principally to the United States, and the production in Canada amounts to about $100,000 worth per year. It is produced at Buckingham, Quebec. Calabogie and Port Elmslie, Ont.



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HAMPER No. 2

1 bottle Fine Old Highland Whiskey
1 bottle Fine Old Pale Brandy
1 bottle "H.B." Fine Old Rye
1 bottle Old Tom Gin
1 bottle London Dock Port
1 bottle Ye Olde Hudson's Bay Rum
6 bottles Lager Beer (quarts)

12 — $6.50

HAMPER No. 3

1 bottle Finest Old Highland Whisky
1 bottle Finest Old Pale Brandy
2 bottles Finest Old Rye
2 bottles London Dock Port
1 bottle London Dock Sherry
1 bottle Fine Old Tom Gin
4 bottles (pint) Bass' Ale

12 — 8.00

HAMPER No. 4

2 bottles H.B. Co's F.O.B. Scotch
1 bottle Diamond Pale Brandy
2 bottles Old Cardinal Port
2 bottles Old Bodega Sherry
2 bottles H.B. Co. Special Rye
1 bottle Old Tom Gin
2 bottles Fine Claret

12 — $10.00

HAMPER No. 5

2 bottles H. B. Finest Old Highland Whiskey
3 bottles H.B. Fine Old Rye
3 bottles H.B. Pale Old Brandy
1 bottle Old Tom Gin
1 bottle "Old Nick" Jamaica Rum
1 bottle Ye Olde Hudson's Bay Rum
1 bottle Fine Claret

12 — $11.50

HAMPER No. 6

2 bottles H.B. Co. F.O.B. Scotch
1 bottle H.B. Co. Special Rye
1 bottle H.B. Diamond Pale Brandy
1 bottle Ye Olde Hudson's Bay Rum
1 bottle Old Tom Gin
1 bottle O. T. Liqueur
1 bottle Kia-Ora (Lemon Juice)
1 bottle Old Cardinal Port
1 bottle Bodega Pale Sherry
1 box "Morena" Cigars
1 tin "Players" Cigarettes

12 — $14.00

HAMPER No. 7

2 bot. H.B. Best Procurable Scotch
2 bot. H.B. Co. Special Old Rye
2 bot. Vice Regal Port
2 bot. Vice Regal Sherry
2 bot. St. Julien Claret
1 bot. Sparkling Burgundy (Pommard)
1 bot. H. B. Co. Finest Liqueur Brandy, guaranteed 50 years old

12 — $17.50

MISCELLANEOUS

H.B. Co's Fine Scotch Whiskeys

	Per Case
H.B. Co. Fine Old Scotch	$13.50
H.B. Co. F.O.B. Scotch	$16.00
H.B. Best Procurable Scotch	$18.50

Hudson's Bay Co. Port Wines

Are specially selected and are of exceptional merit. Your attention is directed to the following brands:

Fine Old Port, per bottle	$1.00, $1.25 and $1.50
Fine Selected Old Port	$1.75
Special Invalid Port	$1.25

A New Line for Temperance People

For our friends to whom the above noted hampers do not appeal we cordially recommend the following beverages, which are guaranteed to be positively non-alcoholic:

O.T. Liqueur, small bottle 45c
O.T. Liqueur, large 75c
Kia-Ora (Pure Lemon Juice) 75c

Hudson's Bay Co. Prices on Christmas Cigars

Kamloops-made Cigars are well known and appreciated, and should be bought by every smoker in the city and district.

Well-known Kamloopians

Seal of B.C., 50 in box	$3.50
Iron Duke, 25 in box	$2.75

DOMESTIC

Morena, very choice, 50 in box	$3.50
Cubanola, 25 in box	$1.25
Bombay, 50 in box,	$2.25
Savoy, connoisseur's smoke, very mild, 25 in box	$3.00
H. B. Panetalas, clean flavor, 50 in box,	$3.25

DOMESTIC

Glendora, selected, 25 in box	$2.50
Rob Roy, 50 in box	$3.25
Nobleman, well known, 25 in box	$2.75
H.B. Factor, very choice, 25 in box,	$3.00
Mexican, a large good smoking cigar, all pure leaf, 50 in box	$3.50

IMPORTED—Henry Clays, Franklin, Bocks, Otero, Upmans, etc., all sizes in stock and in fine condition.

TOBACCO

Hudson's Bay Imperial Mixture, per 1-lb. tin $1.70; per ½-lb. tin 90c

The Hudson's Bay Co. - - Kamloops, B.C.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS

Hon. Thomas Taylor is expected to arrive in the city today.

T. J. Wadman returned last night from a visit to the coast.

C. M. Fee of Greenwood was at the Hotel Revelstoke on Wednesday.

Joe Frederick of Glacier was at the King Edward hotel on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Soules of Vancouver were at the King Edward hotel on Wednesday.

S. M. McKay and P. Mundell of Nelson were at the King Edward hotel on Thursday.

R. D. Daniels of Cranbrook spent Wednesday in the city a guest at the King Edward hotel.

W. N. Proctor of Everett, Washington, registered at the King Edward hotel on Wednesday.

Among the guests at the King Edward on Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. J. Case of Kamloops.

The stores will remain open during the evenings this year from December 21 to December 24 inclusive.

The ladies of the Relief society received the sum of $19.50 from the sale at Mannings last week.

Superintendent McKay, of the Canadian Pacific railway, Revelstoke, was in town on Friday.—Vernon News.

E. E. Nott of Nelson, auditor for P. Burns & Co, was in the city on Thursday and registered at the Hotel Revelstoke.

A. E. Phipps, of Calgary, superintendent of the Imperial Bank of Canada spent Wednesday in the city a guest at the Hotel Revelstoke.

Charged with vagrancy John Edwards appeared before J. H. Hamilton, police magistrate, yesterday. He was given an hour to leave town or three months.

H. M. Parry, chief constable, left last night for New Westminster with a prisoner, Smith, who had been sentenced to two years in the penitentiary for "rolling."

The Belgian relief committee have $113.33 on hand and will send it to the Belgian Consul General at Montreal next week. Anyone desirous of adding to the amount can do so by sending their cheque to Mrs. S. G. Robbins, or by phoning.

At the meeting of the Court of Revision of the civic voters list held on Thursday evening in the city hall no objections were raised to any of the names on the list. Those present were Mayor H. McKinnon, Alds. W. A. Smythe and G.W. Bell.

The livestock association at Malakwa, which brought a pure bred Ayrshire bull into the district some time ago, now proposes to secure through the government a pure bred stallion. At the meeting this week the following officers were elected: G. Finucaine, secretary-treasurer, and A. Anderson, vice-president.

Capt. Petar, officer in charge of the Lines of Communication, left yesterday for eastern points on a tour of inspection. On returning from the mountains district he reported that the snow in those regions is very deep, but the men are all in good trim and unaffected by the inclement weather.—Kamloops Inland Sentinel.

Empress Theatre

Programme

TODAY. (Matinee 2.30) Her Fathers Guilt, 2 parts, 101 Bison Legend of Lilaca. Percy Needs a Rest. Universal Weekly. Strand War Series, showing the bombardment of Ghent and many other war pictures from the front.

MONDAY.—Rory of the Bogs, in 3 parts, with Warren Kerrigan Shells, His Wife's Burglar.

TUESDAY.—Little Grey Lady, 4 parts, Famous Players production. The Famous Players Photo Plays are the very best that are on the market today and are showing the leading Actors of America.

WEDNESDAY.—A Mexican Spy in America.

Keep Friday, Dec. 18th, open. The first series of Zudora, the greatest story ever written. Dec. 30, The Trey of Hearts.

F. W. Smith, Nakusp was at the King Edward hotel on Thursday.

J. W. Martin of Calgary registered at the Hotel Revelstoke yesterday.

R. T. James of Greenwood was a guest at the Hotel Revelstoke on Thursday.

Mrs. MacQuip and son of Glacier were at the King Edward hotel on Wednesday.

F. McIntyre, Revelstoke, paid the city a visit on Saturday.—Salmon Arm Observer.

Mrs. O. A. Christinsen of Vancouver registered at the King Edward hotel on Thursday.

J. A. Black of Orillia, an old timer in British Columbia is a guest at the Hotel Revelstoke.

Among the guests at the Hotel Revelstoke on Thursday were D. Stephens and W. A. Jones of Nelson.

A. C. Brown and E. M. Murphy of Fernie were among the guests at the King Edward hotel on Wednesday.

Thos. Abriel of Nakusp, well known in Revelstoke, passed through the city on Wednesday on his way to the coast.

A. B. Netherby manager of the Royal Bank of Canada at Nelson accompanied by Mrs. Netherby passed through the city on Wednesday on his way to the coast where they will spend Christmas.

S. W. Hillier, who has been doing guard duty at Raspberry Creek bridge, some 50 miles east of Revelstoke, has been transferred to Kamloops, where he will be a member of the regiment band.

Skating on the river near the police station is exceptionally good and those in charge of the ice have cut steps from the top of the bank to the river and have put in a rope bannister. Large crowds are taking advantage of the good ice.

The funeral of the late J. W. Watkins of Deep Creek took place from Howson & Co.'s parlors on Wednesday, Rev. J.W. Stevenson conducting the services. The death occurred at the Queen Victoria hospital on Tuesday. The deceased is survived by a widow, a daughter and four sons, all residing at Deep Creek.

Superintendent J. M. McKay has written the Kelowna board of trade, in reply to its resolution objecting to the rumoured decrease in the train and boat service, stating that the railway company was not contemplating making any change at the present time, but pointed out that, as the board was no doubt well aware, present traffic conditions did not warrant the present daily service.

In many of the districts of Norway the apple crop this year is short, and in some places half of the apples are imported. Inquiries have been received suggesting a possible demand from British Columbia. Inasmuch as this province has now direct communication with Norway through the Danish East Asiatic Steamship company, exporters will probably make a bid for this new business. Up to date the shipments from America to Norway direct have been small compared with the London imports. The duty on apples imported into Norway amounts to $1.93 per barrel of 132 lbs.

The secretary of the farmers' institute has received notice from W. E. Scott, superintendent of farmers' institutes, that the department has decided to reduce the fees for pruning and packing schools this year to $1. for pruning and $2. for packing schools. Attention is called to the fact that no school can be held unless there are at least eight entries for the former and twelve for the latter. The department will issue diplomas to pupils of pruning schools who are recommended by the instructors as possessing the necessary qualifications to perform or supervise practical orchard pruning. The diplomas will stand as certificates of competence in this work.

An order that the $500,000 damage suit brought by J. McIlwee and Bro., contractors of Denver, against Messrs. Foley Bros., arising out of the boring of the Rogers Pass tunnel, is to be tried by a judge with two assessors, was made by Chief Justice Hunter. His lordship said that the questions at issue were likely to involve expert problems. "The case will be smothered in a fog of experts, each swearing for the side they are paid by. We need some experts hired to tell the truth to the judge," said his lordship decisively. Robert Smith appeared for the plaintiff and E.P. Davis K.C., for the defendant. The trial is fixed for December 17.

The Tango club will hold another of its popular dances on Monday, December 14 at the Masonic hall.

There will be a meeting of the Farmers Institute tonight in the city hall to elect officers for the ensuing year.

The Belgian Relief society acknowledges receipt of check for $5, from Mr. McQuarrie and of clothing from H.H.B. Abbott.

The temperature on Thursday night in the city varied between two degrees above and two degrees below zero. It was the coldest day of the winter up to that date.

There has been some complaint made by men of the 102nd regiment who are serving as bridge guards along the line of the Canadian Pacific railway to the effect that the wives and families of those who are married are not receiving any allowance either from the militia department or from the Patriotic fund.—Kamloops Standard.

Hon. Thomas Taylor, minister of railways, was on Saturday advised that the Kootenay Central, the new line affording connection between the Crow's Nest and the main line of the Canadian Pacific railway at Golden, which has been under construction for some time, would be ready for operation on Tuesday. The last spike was driven on Thursday of last week at a point 20 miles south of Invermere. The Kootenay Central is 162 miles in length and extends from a junction point with the Crow's Nest branch of the Canadian Pacific railway, near Fort Steele, through the Windermere Valley to Golden.

More Gifts Are Completed for Soldiers

The following articles have been completed for the soldiers:

Miss Marshall, 1 pair wristlets.
Mrs. A. McRae, 2 belts.
Mrs. G. Edwards, 1 shirt, 1 pair socks.
Mrs. Palmer, 2 helmets.
Mrs. Wells, 1 belt.
Mrs. Urquhart, 1 belt.
Mrs. Van Horn, 1 belt.
Mrs. Tremble, 1 belt.
Mrs. Dickie, 1 shirt.
Miss Doris McCarter, 1 pair wristlets
Mrs. Pagdin, 2 belts, 1 pair mitts.
Mrs. Pratt, 4 lbs. wool, 84 yards flannelette, 1 dozen spools thread, 6 dozen buttons. (donated).

A meeting will be held on Wednesday to finish socks for shipment.

Telephone Company to Pay Dividend

Nakusp, B. C., Dec. 11.—At the annual meeting of the Brouse-Nakusp Telephone company, the financial report was highly satisfactory and a dividend of 8 per cent. will be distributed to the shareholders on Jan. 1. The following officers were elected for 1915: President, J. S. Morrison; vice-president, W. R. Rogers; secretary-treasurer, H.L. Rothwell; directors, S. J. Hallow, K. Aalten, Charles Ehl; auditors, T. Reid and J. H. Vestrup. It was decided to change the date of the annual meeting to the second Saturday in January.

At the annual meeting of the Arrow Lakes Agricultural society it was stated the result of the fruit fair was a balance on the right side notwithstanding the financial depression. The following were elected officers for the ensuing year: Hon. president, W. Hunter, M.P.P.; hon vice-presidents, Robert Shiell, Needles and J.H. McCormick, Burton; president, J.H. Vestrup; vice-president and manager, Thomas Abriel; treasurer, F. W. Heathcote; secretary, A. H. Smith; directors. O. B. Humbling, R. H. Baird, F. Wensley, G.H. Gardner, W. R. Rogers, C. Buesnell.

The rifle association had a drill on Thursday night. The membership has increased to 75.

Revelstoke Citizens:

Having served your interests to the best of my ability for the past five years and in every way in my power advanced the welfare of the city of Revelstoke as it seemed best to me, owing to private business interests which require my whole attention for the present year I cannot devote the time to your city affairs that they will require in the coming year and take this opportunity of telling the numerous citizens who have been kind enough to request me to again offer myself a candidate for mayor and to whom I have not given a decided answer that it will be impossible for me to seek re-election this year. I hope I have been successful in justifying the confidence you have placed in me, and that you consider Revelstoke is the better of my administration.

Yours truly,
H. McKINNON

Government Team Loses to Junior Bible Class

Last night at the Y.M.C.A. the Government team went down to defeat against the Junior Bible class loosing three straight games. J. G. McKay of the J.B.C. made the best showing for the three games, making an average of 183. The second game was won by a wide margin, the J.B.C. rolling 807 pins. Last night's result now puts the J.B.C. into third place in the league, and if they maintain as high a standard of bowling throughout the remainder of the league, a close finish to the league will be the result.. The following is a detailed report of last nights score:

J. B. C.			
J.G. McKay,	201	187	163
A. Dow,	126	162	122
C. Sommerville,	147	138	168
G. Somes,	121	162	119
L. Dupont,	172	158	139
Totals	767	807	711
GOVERNMENT			
H. Derr,	176	95	165
W. McLeod,	103	115	72
H. Parker,	128	196	172
G. Ross,	134	84	133
R. Squarebriggs,	144	113	141
Totals,	685	603	683

On Sunday afternoon, the regular service for men, will be taken by T. Pagdin. All men are asked to attend and spend a pleasant hour. The usual 15 minute song service commences at 3.45. Soloists, Harry Hyde and A.C. Haddon.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of directors will be held on Tuesday evening at 7.30.

Keen Shafts

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From Nakusp, 10 cases of clothing and $67.75 have already been sent to the Belgian Consul at Vancouver.

The lumber mill at Comaplix has recently been completely destroyed by fire. The damage is estimated at $250,000. The most strenuous efforts of the whole of the inhabitants of the place were futile to save the mill but smart work saved the four million feet of lumber in the yard. The fire was apparently the work of an incendiary.

On Nov. 3, 1914, Miss Vera Sutherland was married at Comaplix to Mr. Arnold Smith. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. H. Bridge. Our heartiest good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Smith.

We had the pleasure of accompanying part of the 2nd, Contingent of Canadian Troops on their journey up the Lake. They had little of the machanical trappings of the soldier about them, but you would go a long way to find a tougher bunch. Men of all callings and many experiences were there—all as jolly as kids off for a Sunday School treat! They had a great send off from Nakusp and the whole hearted enthusiasm of the Halcyon folk quite won their hearts. They won't forget Mr. Boyd.

New wharves have been erected at Nakusp and Hall's Landing.

Mr. H. Trussler is running a logging camp on the foothills above Arrowhead and 18 men are in work here.

At W. Demars the telephone is being installed. This will be a great convenience as hitherto this settlement has been without any direct means of communication with other points.

A Rifle Association has recently been organized in Nakusp. Seventy-two members have joined and are now making regular drills and practises. The Association should be able to do good work and we do not doubt will be of enormous benefit in more ways than one.

It is announced at the headquarters of the Belgian general staff that the Belgian army in the field is composed of 125,000 men, and not 25,000, as the Germans assert. The spirit of the Belgian soldiers is better than ever, as the Germans who sustained considerable losses on the Yser well know.

NOTICE. HOME GUARD

Drills will be discontinued during the Winter months. Any member of the Home Guard anxious to continue drill during the Winter, can, through the courtesy of the officers of the R.M.R.; attend the regular weekly R.M.R. Company drill on Thursday evenings.

T.E.L. TAYLOR, Captain.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Remember the date of visit of Dr. Taube, eye sight specialist, he will be at F. G. Bews jewelry store on Saturday December 19th.

Our coal burns best, Palace Livery.

Thousands of Christmas cards to choose from at Macdonalds Drug Store.

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

The Pretender, by Robt. W. Service at Bews' Drug Store.

Four chairs, no long waits at Macdonalds the antiseptic barber shop.

Get a Revelstoke Calendar for 35c. views of Revelstoke at Macdonalds Drug Store.

BANKHEAD BRIQUETTES BURN BEST.

Prompt delivery of coal or wood, Palace Livery.

Christmas Dressings, Tags, Seals, Cards and Ribbon at Bews' Drug Store.

Select line of China ware at Howson's.

Look prosperous, never mind hard times by patronizing Macdonalds barber shop, next to P. Burns.

Eighty-five per cent of headaches is the result of eye strain so if you have any eye trouble at all it would be to your advantage to consult Dr. Taube at F. G. Bews jewelry store on Saturday, December 19.

Dry Birch and Cedar any length at Palace Livery.

All the new books for the year just the thing for nice Xmas presents at Macdonalds Drug Store.

If you are looking for a snap in dishes look at Howson's prices.

Lump or nut coal at Palace Livery.

Childrens hair cutting a specialty at Macdonalds the antiseptic barber shop.

Volumes of all the poets, nicely padded at Macdonalds Drug Store.

The ladies of the Relief Society will be pleased to receive old or new magazines to be sent to the guards along the lines of communication. The literature may be left at A.E. Kincaid's office. t.f.

Call up Palace Livery for lump or nut coal, and dry birch and cedar any length, Phone 201.

Sets of Meccano for boys at Macdonalds Drug Store.

Leave your watches, clocks and jewelry, repairs with F. G. Bews. They will receive his personal attention and satisfaction is guaranteed.

Gramaphones and records for Xmas presents, Victor and Edison at Tourners studio. First street.

Gentlemen's Wallets, Card Cases and Pass Cases, at Bews' Drug Store.

Skating. Have your skates sharpened at Sid Humphrey's as we are going to have some fine skating this year.

Empty Holly Boxes, tissue paper, all colors, decorations etc., at Macdonalds Drug Store.

All goods purchased at Bews jewelry store, engraved free of charge.

F. G. Bews is giving the lowest prices on all lines jewelry, silverware, cut glass, etc. etc.

Reliable canvassing salesman and salesladies in every town to sell high class household novelties on commission. Liberal offer made to hustlers, write Northwest Novelty Company, 304 Rogers Bldg., Vancouver, B. C., D 23pd

WANT ADVTS.

WANTED.—Typewriting. Apply A. J. Mail-Herald.

WANTED.—Maternity nursing. Mrs. Alice Lee, 10 Fourth street tf.

FOR SALE.— Young Berkshire Pigs. W.H. Pottruff, Phone O.56. tf

WANTED.—Girl for private housework. Apply to Mrs. G. Ralph Lawrence, Queen Victoria, hospital.

TO LET.—House, 12 rooms corner Sixth street opposite school $25.00 per month. Apply Mrs. J. Deam. 71tp

FOR SALE.—Immediately. Just outside city limits near C.P.R. shops, ¼ acre lot 50 x 200 at $250.00. Good growing land. City water and light. Terms cash. Apply 14 First street east. D12np

WANTED.—Housework by the day. apply Box 459. Revelstoke. 1tp

COOKING AND SEWING

Delicious Boston baked beans by an American cook who knows how. Plain and fancy cooking of all kinds. Also will do plain sewing by day or at home. Mrs. Southworth, 148 Second street west. Phone 334. D23pd

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NEILSON'S and GANONGS in fancy Christmas packages

HOME-MADE CANDY

Our make in family Boxes of 1¼ lbs., 50c; 2½ lbs., $1 and 5 lbs. $2

Made up of only the choicest Candy

Insist on your Candy being in boxes — The only sanitary way

MANNINGS

Men's Ties for Xmas Gifts

WE have gathered from all quarters and soon they will be distributed to all quarters. We never had such a beautiful range, and never secured such values for our customers.

Our 50c. range is a wonderful line

It comprises stripes, fancy figures, plain baratheas and poplins, of which the best thought of, are the open ends. These are made with the patent sliding band, so that it runs easily on the closest double collar. At 75c. there is another splendid lot featuring pinproof, increasable baratheas, in open end style, and new shadow florals and dark Persian effects.

Other Ties, $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00
A Fancy Box given with every Tie.

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Cosy House Slippers and Pretty Boidoir Slippers

CHARMING XMAS GIFTS

Kid BOUDOIR SLIPPERS in pretty colors with pom-pom on front, satin lined ..... $1.25 to 1.50
Ladies' cosy FELT SLIPPERS in plaid and red leather sole 75c to 1.55
Children's cosy red Slippers in fancy boxes ..... .70, .80, .90

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For Rubbers, Overshoes, Cardigans, Leggings