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OPPOSES THE BRANCH MINT

Prominent Canadian Banker Is Not in Favor of It.

Conservatives Will Meet in Toronto to Select a Leader.

Toronto, Nov. 15.—The Canadian Banking Association opened in annual session here today. One of the questions which will likely engage its attention before concluding the business is that of a Canadian mint, which is strongly opposed by B. E. Walker, general manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce.

Ottawa, Nov. 15.—A report from Colonel Otter, delayed in transmission, received yesterday, says he has been unable to find out why his report of those killed in the battle of Paardeberg, last Febuary, was not cabled to Canada. He says he sent a cheque to the telegraph office to cover the cost but it was returned to him.

Kingston, Nov. 15.—Archbishop Gauthier, of the Kingtson Roman Catholic diocese, has become a member of the St. Andrews' Society.

Ottawa, Nov. 15.—Mayor Payment, at the next meeting of the City Council will propose that the City invite the Duke and Duchess of York to visit the Capital while enroute to Australia where the Duke takes part in the Commonwealth ceremonies.

St. Thomas, Ont, Nov. 15.—Jonathan Wilkinson founder of the St. Thomas Times and one of the oldest newspaper men in Ontario, died suddenly here yesterday of apoplexy, aged 73 years.

Toronto, Nov. 15.—A patient in the general hospital had a most remarkable operation performed on him the other day. He was suffering from spreading gangree. Not a vestige of the legs remain and the bones in the hip were removed, the spinal cord being closely approached. The greatest difficulty lay in serious injury to the nervous system. The man will probably recover. It is said the operation has only been performed once before in the hospital.

Toronto, Nov. 15.—Members of the Ontario wing of the Conservative party intend calling a meeting of supporters, to take place in this city next month for the purpose of discussing the question of leadership in succession to Sir Charles Tupper. Among the names prominently mentioned in that connection are those of Hon. N. Clarke Wallace, and E. F. Clarke. For Quebec the names of Monk and Casgrain are mentioned and for the Maritime Provinces R. L. Borden, Q. C., Halifax. It is also proposed to banquet Sir Charles Tupper.

Perce, Que, Nov. 15.—Later returns from Gaspe County give Rudolph Lemineux, Liberal, over 1,000 majority.

Toronto, Nov. 15.—The infant son of John Hayman, engraver, living at 49 St. Nicholas Street, was burned to death last night and his mother probably fatally injured, as a result of the former pulling over a coal oil lamp on the table the oil from which poured over the child's clothing, setting fire to them. The mother tried to smother the flames but failed. She received probably fatal injuries.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Nov. 15.—Yesterday was declaration day in west and east Prince. Hackett, Conservative, was elected in the former by nine majority, and Lefurgey, Conservative, in the latter by 225 majority. Writs have been issued for the Provincial general elections, nominations December 5th and polling December 12th.

Ottawa, Nov. 15.—It is reliably stated that Mayor Prefontaine, of Montreal, Liberal member elect for both Maisonneuve and Terrebone Counties, will resign his seat in the former as soon as the house meets and the Speaker is elected, in order to allow the party to nominate Mr. Robert McKay (English Protestant), the defeated candidate in St. Antoine division, Montreal. Maisoneuve is overwhelmingly French Canadian and a regular Grit hive, while Terrebonne was regarded as a strong Conservative seat up to last week.

Toronto, Nov. 15.—The Globe says: H. H. Cook, charged a denfiite offer was made of a seat in the Senate for $10,000. This, unquestionably, was the most serious accusation during the campaign. It was not accompanied by such proof as would satisfy reasonable men. At such a late hour there was no chance to verify or sift the evidence, had it been given. Cook can see the matter cannot be left where it is. It is too serious a charge to be allowed to drop. The fact is, he must furnish the full proof of what he has stated, or stand convicted of having given currency to a foul slander as was ever circulated in this country.

Sydney, N. S., Nov. 15.—Official figures in Cape Breton County, give Kendall and Johnston, Liberals, respectively 3,900 and 3,922; Tupper (Sir Charles) and Macdougall, Conservativs, respectively 3,672 and 3,606.

Toronto, Nov. 15.—The annual meeting of the Deer-Trail Consolidated Mining Co., was held here yesterday. Reports submitted showed the Deer-Trail and Bonanza claims have been paying their way. The old board was re-elected by acclamation.

Toronto, Nov. 15.—Mr. Alex. Mills, one of three commissioners appointed to look into the grievances of the Fox Bay settlers who left Anticosta and took up their residence in Dauphin district, Manitoba, last spring, has received word that the settlers are now in a lamentable condition, typhoid fever having broken out among them. They regret that they did not go to Cape Breton at the time the Dominion Steel Co., offered the men employment, instead of going to Dauphin.

Ottawa, Nov. 15.—Major-General O'Grady Haley has decided that the arrest of Colonel Cooke, commanding 1st Prince of Wales' Fusileers, for refusing to parade his men in connection with the Valleyfield strike unless pay was guaranteed them, was due to a misunderstanding between Cook and the acting D.O.C., Col. Cole. Cooke is therefore released.

THEY ATE THE TRADERS.

South Sea Cannibals Murder and Make a Meal of White Men.

San Francisco, Nov. 15.—The schooner Mascotte, which has arrived here from the South Seas, brings tales of cannabalism and the massacre of blacks on the Savage Islands. For the past two years the Mascotte has been trading between the Solomon Islands, New Guinea and New Ireland. Its deck rails and sails bear the mark of cannibal spears and bullets. The schooner arrived at Komati, in the Admiralty group, just after the murder of Herman Matsek, the trading agent there. This was on August 29. Capt. Maceo and a boat's crew went ashore and found the copra house had been looted and the trader's home was a wreck. In the yard of the latter a big pot was still sizzling over the dying embers of a fire and in the pot were found some of the bones of the traders. The cannibals had not gone far. They had found in the agent's house fifteen guns and with these they suddenly appeared and opened fire on Captain Maceo and his crew. A hasty retreat was made to the schooner. The bullets from the islanders riddled the rails and foresail. Capt. Maceo brought into play a small gun and its noise more than effectiveness scared the cannibals off. The Mascotte, which is an auxiliary schooner in the Carolines, notified the officers of the German sloop of war Zeadler of the murder. Both schooner and war ship returned to Komati and the native villages were shelled. Eighty villages were destroyed by fire, sixteen natives were killed and twenty taken prisoners.

ROYAL BETROTHAL.

Princess Victoria, of Wales Will Marry Prince George of Greece.

New York, Nov. 15.—Princess Victoria of Wales is engaged to be married to Prince George of Greece, Governor-General of Crete, says a London despatch. Prince George spent some time at Windsor Castle with the Queen and the Prince of Wales. The marriage was arranged by them.

HE SUES FOR A LARGE AMOUNT

Ernest Mansfield Asks for Heavy Damages From the Courts.

His Recent Imprisonment the Cause of the Present Action.

Action was yesterday started in the Supreme Court here by Mr. Ernest Mansfield, capitalist and mining promoter, through his solicitors, Taylor & Hannington, against Rene Laudi, Jules Savage, Charles Frederick de Bailliencourt, and Ferdinand de Bailliencourt, all of whom live in France, for damages to the amount of $65,000.

This mining lawsuit is one of the most interesting that has ever been brought before the courts of British Columbia as it involves various questions of extreme importance. It is a question between the directors of a company and the manager of the properties operated by that company. It is a question where the company did not advance the necessary money to operate the property, the consequence of which serious damages to the manager will try to be proven. Similar cases have happened before but none so serious as this where the manager was thrown into prison for the company's debt. It will undoubtedly be watched with the greatest interest by all mining men.

The defendants make up the directorate of the company which is operating the property at Camp Mansfield on the south fork of Kaslo Creek. And against the company Mansfield has brought six charges probably none of which would have been brought, had it not been for the climax being reached when he was placed behind the bars. Mr. Mansfield is now only carrying out his intentions which were published in The Miner at the time of his imprisonment.

The first claim that is brought by Mr. Mansfield against the company is that for the balance of money due him to the amount of $14,000. This amount of money was advanced by Mr. Mansfield for the working of the defendant's properties from time to time.

Mr. Mansfield next claim is $50,000 damages for the defendant's breach of contract in not furnisihng him with the necessary money for the payment of the men engaged at the mine, and the result of which he was imprisoned for eight days.

He also makes a declaration of a fifth interesst in the Rene Laudi group at Camp Mansfield, and also one fifth of the Black Hawk and Daisy claims in the Slocan mining division.

Again he claims one-fifth per cent. of the profits realized from working the claims, by virtue of his contract with the defendants. Mr. Mansfield had engaged with the company for two years as manager and engineer, and was to be given in addition to a large salary, a fifth interest in the property.

He claims an injunction restraining defendants from disposing of his interests in the property and he also asks for the cancellation of his contract with the company, owing to their breach of contract that they had made.

The last claim that he makes is for damages to the amount of $15,000 for this breach of contract in not furnishing the necessary funds to work the mines, and they were therefore closed down and of course not only Mr. Mansfield but all the stockholders will not receive any income from them as the result.

SPY MANIA.

New York, Nov. 15.—According to a special despatch to The Tribune here is now a fresh outburst of the periodical "Spy Mania" in Paris and sensational accusatons against the United States War Department are accepted by Boulevard papers as gospel trut.

REMAINS MUM.

Port Said, Nov. 15.—The Dutch cruiser Gelderland, with ex-President Kruger of the Transvaal on board, will leave this afternoon. The destination of the cruiser is unknown. Mr. Kruger refuses to be interviewed.

MURDERER WAS SORRY

Connell Confessed His Crime and Said He Regretted It.

Sloan's Supporters Will Contest the Election of Ralph Smith.

(SPECIAL TO THE MINER.)

Victoria, B.C., Nov. 15.—As reported yesterday, Thomas Connell, the murderer of William Ashley succeeded in cheating the gallows, the self-inflicted wound proving fatal. Before his death, Connell confessed to Superintendent Hussey and expressed sorrow for the deed. The failure of the surgeons to locate the bullet is accounted for by the fact that the ball did not stay in the skull, where it first struck, but circled the forehead beneath the skin, and turned inward at the centre of the forehead. A coroner's inquest will be held today, as a formality, all the evidence showing a clear case of suicide.

The funeral of Will Ashley, Connell's victim took place this afternoon. The Sons of St. George, of which order deceased was a member, attended in a body, the funeral being under their auspices. Connell's funeral will occur on Saturday. He was a native of Clare, Ireland, and 54 years of age.

It is said that the election of Ralph Smith, the Labor candidate for Vancouver district, will be protested, on the grounds of bribery and corruption. The petitioners are said to be the supporters of Mr. Sloan.

DOG SALMON.

It is Being Canned For Shipment to the Japan Market.

Vancouver, Nov. 15.—As an aftermath of the poor salmon season on the Fraser river last summer, superinduced by the fishermen's strike, the canneries are still in operation at Stevenson, middle of November though it is. They are now engaged in pacing dog salmon, and although, of course, they are not running a full force of employees, a sufficient number is retained in each cannery to handle the catch offered. The price paid to the fishermen for dog salmon is exceedingly low, the current rate being seven cents, whereas 20 cents was the rate for sockeyes during the season of last summer.

As year by year competition in the salmon packing industry has grown more keen, canners have found it necessary to modify their methods and to utilize every opportunity to bring the balance on the right side at the end of each season's operations. A case in point is the present canning of the dog salmon, and the using for this pack of the tins left over from the disappointingly short pack of last summer. This obviates depreciation in value of the tins through rust and saves insurance.

The late dog salmon pack is designed solely for Oriental consumption. Canned dog salmon, contrary to the usual Occidental verdict, has been pronounced by the Japanese not only an edible, but even a delicacy, and the entire dog salmon pack will be shipped to Yokohama before the end of the year. The low price of seven cents paid for the fresh fish enables the canners to forsee a handsome profit on the venture.

BIG SALARIES.

Berlin, Nov. 15.—The Reischstag bill providing for a third suplementary credit on account of the China expedition fixes the salary of Field Marshall Court Von Waldersee at 150,000 marks annually with large extras. The division commanders will receive 65,000 marks and extras, and lower officers will be paid proportionately. The above are five times the rate of salary paid at home.

CLARK IS FURIOUS.

Butte, Mont., Nov. 15.—Eastern friends of Senator W. A. Clark yesterday called his attention to an extended article first published in the North American of Philadelphia and which has had wide circulation, that he is connected with the establishment of an American Monte Carlo at Chesapeake Beach, near Washington. Senator Clark brands this story as infamously false and malicious. Yesterday he wired his Eastern attorneys to demand an immediate retraction from the Philadelphia paper and further instructed his legal representatives to start proceedings unless an apology is promptly made. Mr. Clark learned today that this same article bad been copied by Cincinnati and St. Louis papers.

MARCUS DALY.

An Inside Light on Some of His Great Copper Holdings.

New York, Nov. 15.—The Journal of Commerce today says:

Marcus Daly's connection with the copper interests of the country is well known. With J. B. Haggin he owned a controlling interest in the great Anaconda mine until it was turned over to the Amalgamated Copper Company last year. The value of his holdings in Anaconda at the time the transfer was made was estimated by some in excess of $10,000,000.

It was the opinion of copper men generally that Mr. Daly's death would have little effect upon the interests of the Amalgamated Copper Company. His long illness had practically forced him out of active management of the company for many months. The stock of the company advanced over two points in the early dealings, though reacting somewhat later. Nothing definite as to the successor of Mr. Daly as president of the company was obtainable, but it is the opinion of many that H. H. Rogers, vice-president of the company, will fill the position. In this connection it may be worth noting that Mr. Rogers recently made an extended trip to the Anaconda and other Amalgamated Copper properties. It is barely possible that the death of Mr. Daly may have a tendency to bring about an earlier settlement of the Montana litigation than would otherwise have been possible.

Considerable interest has been manifested over the probable disposal of Mr. Daly's holdings of Amalgamated Copper stock. According to some reports, Mr. Daly sold out the bulk of his holdings long ago. Others in closer touch wtih the company deny this and say that the stock has not been sold and that Mr. Daly's heirs are not likely to sell it. According to some accounts, however, the Standard Oil interests will take care of the Daly interests.

WELCOME TO THEM.

London, Nov. 15.—The Berlin correspondent of the Morning Post, referring to the alleged Boer trek into German territory in South West Africa, quotes newspapers to the effect that several hundred Boer families already have crossed the frontier.

The German Colonial office hopes that they will prove a valuable economic accession, but it stipulates that the German character of the colony must not be jeopardized. The immigrants will be required to undertake obedience to German laws and promise that their children will become German subjects.

NEARLY READY.

Pekin, Nov. 15.—The note of the Powers for the Chinese plenipotentiaries will probably be ready to submit within the next ten days. This announcement was made at the conclusion of a meeting of the Ministers. It is understood that all points under discussion have been practically agreed upon except minor phases of several of the most important questions. Concerning these points the ministers have cabled for instructions which they expect to receive before November 20, the date of the next meeting.

CHALLENGE ACCEPTED.

Chicago, Nov. 15.—Secretary C. F. Fox, of the Chicago Yacht Club, yesterday received the Royal Canadian Yacht Club's challenge for a series of races in 1901 for the Canadian cup. As the cup is held by the Chicago Yacht Club at present, next year's contest will be sailed here and the yachts will probably be 35 footers again. At a meeting of the board of management Friday the challenge will be formally accepted.

QUARTER OF A MILLION LOSS.

Chicago, Nov. 15.—A special to The Record from Geneva, Ills., says: Fire totally destroyed the plant of the Appleton Manufacturing Co., in this city. It started in the paint shop. The loss is $250,000. The company manufactured farm machinery.

TO TAP THE COAL FIELDS

The Great Northern Railway Wants to Use Fernie Coal.

C.P.R. to Join the Main Line and Crow's Nest Pass Line.

The Great Northern Company has a large force of men surveying a proposed line from the main line at Kalispell, Montana, to Elko in East Kootenay. The main object of this line is to get within reach of the coal fields of East Kootenay as it is said that the coal fields from which the Great Northern has been obtaining its supplies, have reached their limit. The force have been working there sometime and it looks as if the grading would start in the near future.

MISUNDERSTOOD HIM.

Mr. M. H. Cowan Corrects An Error in an Interview.

Mr. Maynard H. Cowan, of the Cowan Coal Co., was unfortunate enough to be misunderstood by a Tribune reporter yesterday when speaking of the affairs of the coal company.

"With regard to our treatment by the C. P. R., the Tribune reporter evidently misunderstood me," said Mr. Cowan to The Miner, this morning, "for on the contrary the C.P. R. have treated us most fairly and seem willing and anxious to assist us in every possible way, and would not discriminate against us. With regard to the other railway, the Great Northern have had a corps of engineers in that neighborhood for some time. Whether they will build a railway there or not I do not know."

ROAD TO MAIN LINE.

Coal Fields of Crow's Nest District Will Have a Road.

It was learned in Nelson today that the C. P. R. had engaged Mr. E. F. Hannington, C. E, of Fort Steele, to begin at once a survey of a proposed route through the Windermere and Fort Steele district, connecting a point on the Crow's Nest road with Golden on the main line. It is further said that the work of building the road will begin early in the spring. With the construction of this line the coal fields in the Crow's Nest district will have direct connection with the Coast cities. It is said that when cheaper shipping facilities are secured a very large amount of Crow's Nest coal will be used at Esquimalt for the purposes of the navy.

GRAVE ANXIETY.

London, Nov. 15.—The serious apprehension with which the announcement of the fact that the Czar was suffering from typhoid fever filled Europe, emphasizes how much the peace of the world is believed to be dependent upon him. It is generally felt at the present critical state of international affairs that even a temperory weakening of the influence of so favorable a factor in the maintenance of the world's peace justifies grave anxiety, especially as the Czar is regarded in Europe as a kind of counterpoise to Emperor William.

SAVED THE CREW.

Philadelphia, Nov. 15.—Capt. Flett of the British tank steamer Georgian Prince, from Hull, Eng., to this port, reports this morning to the Maritime Exchange at Reedy Island, 45 miles below this city, that he had on board the crew of fourteen of the Norwegian High Flyer, which had been abandoned at sea in a sinking condition on November 5. The High Flyer, a vessel of 936 tons, was commanded by Capt. Anderson, and left Campbelton, P E. I., Oct. 19, for Newport, Wales.

FREE FROM PLAGUE.

Washington, Nov. 15.—Surgeon General Wyman of the Marine hospital service, this morning received the following cable from Surgeon Thomas at Glasgow: "Glasgow, Nov. 15.—Wyman, Washington, D. C.: Port declared free from plague Nov. 14, (Sgd.) Thomas."

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YALE-CARIBOO.

It is nothing more yet than a rumor on the street, and may prove baseless in the end, but it is said that Mr. MacNeill will not accept a nomination for Yale-Cariboo and is to retire in favor of Mr. John McKane of Rossland. There are many who will regret this determination on the part of Mr. MacNeill, for he has inspired not a little respect for and confidence in himself during his short campaign. But no one is entitled to quarrel with him for this step, should he decide to take it. It was with much reluctance and after a great deal of hesitation he bowed to the wish of the convention; and if he concludes to retire now, in face of the overwhelming Government majority in the east, he may do so without reproach.

Mr. McKane is a mining promoter, and we understand will run in the interest of the mining industry. That industry should have a representative of its own at Ottawa. British Columbia requires some member in Parliament who can speak for it with authority, and with the freedom of a person who is not bound by party ties. If this Province is to fulfill the hopes we all have of it, it will be due to the development of our mineral resources. These are very great, and we want Parliament to understand, better than it does all that they stand for and all that can be made of them. That understanding cannot be entirely and surely reached unless we send a man to Parliament who will put those interests above all others. We want a mining member, for the reason that our constituency is almost wholly a mining one, and it is time that mining had a voice at Ottawa. Should the rumor prove true and the change be made, we are not sure but the best interests of the constituency will be served by it.

The Hon. Clifford Sifton is endeavoring to strengthen himself somewhat before he returns to Ottawa and will be in this constituency to support Mr. Galliher. It was a hard rap for the "Young Napoleon of the West" when his own Province went almost solidly against him, so in case of Mr. Galliher's election the Minister of the Interior wants to have a finger in the pie. The talk of Mr. MacNeil retiring is still rife. If there is anything that would force Conservatives to vote for Mr. Foley, in case of a two handed fight, it is the presence of Mr. Sifton in the constituency. Siftonian candidates are not wanted here and Mr. Galliher's supporters will probably find that the visit of Mr. Sifton will not add any great strength to the Liberal cause.

It is hard to say which one of the numerous deficiencies in our postal service is the most important one to have remedied at once but as a starter the authorities might put a Sunday mail service on the Crow's Nest line, as urged by the Nelson Board of Trade. Why the mails should be carried over the line six days in a week and not on the seventh is one of the peculiarities of our remarkable postal service. It took the Department a very long time to learn that there was a daily train over the Crow's Nest Pass line. It will probably take another very long time for it to understand that a Sunday mail service is necessary. And while the authorities are looking into the matter the question of mails between Nelson and Rossland might be considered.

Mr. Tarte, the master mind of the Cabinet, will soon turn westward and promise Yale-Cariboo and Burrard public buildings and pulbic improvements galore, in order to elect Mr. Galliher and "Maxwell and The Mint." Mr. Tarte is a splendid promiser during a campaign and it would be a good time to strike him for all we want. It will be in order for him to explain just why there has been such a long delay in the erection of Nelson's new postoffice and public building. It is hoped he will not bring his "beloved Tricolor" with him.

The two Tuppers, and Tarte and Sifton are heading this way. It looks as if we would got some fun out of the contest yet.

The addition to the list of permanent shippers of the Molly Gibson and Highland mines during the past few days is an important epoch in the history of Kootenay Lake mines. Both these properties have been shown to be exceedingly rich and their success should attract capital to the district in which they lie. That part of the Ainsworth district near the Kokanee peaks, on the Sawtooth range, which is the highest range between Slocan Lake and Kootenay Lake, and eastward to the latter lake, is decidedly rich in minerals and the wonder is that no great mines have yet been opened up there. However the Molly Gibson and Highland will give impetus to the others who are working and it should not be long before there are a dozen shipping mines between the two.

The enterprising mining men of Rossland are organizing a Chamber of Mines, on the lines suggested by The Miner some days ago, and the preliminary steps have already been taken. It is proposed that the Chamber will include all Southern British Columbia in the district whose interests it will foster. A great amount of good can be done by such an organization and it is hoped that all the leading mining men will turn in and help to make it a success. But the gentlemen of Rossland should give the outsiders an opportunity to express their opinions before everything is settled. The Chamber will not accomplish its object unless it embraces all the mines in the district, and as it will have to be conducted on a large scale it should be organized on a large scale. A general meeting should be called so that all the mining interests would have a chance to be represented.

MISCELLANEOUS

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NOTICE.

All persons are hereby warned against dealing with or negotiating Share Certificate No. 934 of the Molly Gibson Mining Company, Limited, for One Thousand (1,000) shares of the capital stock of said company. Said Share Certificate was issued in the name of George Kydd, and was endorsed in blank, and was lost or stolen in Nelson, B. C., about the month of October, 1900.

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Notice is hereby given that, in accordance with section 12 of "Bureau of Mines Act," a special examination for efficiency in the practice of assaying will be held in the City of Nelson, on December 3rd, 1900, and such following days as may be found necessary. Details of such examination may be found in the B. C. Gazette—on file in each Government Office.

Intending candidates should make application for such examination 10 days in advance to the Provincial Assayer, Secretary of Board of Examiners, Victoria.

Such application to be accompanied with the fee of $10.

RICHARD M'BRIDE,
Minister of Mines.

Department of Mines, Victoria, B. C., 5th November, 1900.

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Dominion Line Vancouver	Nov 24
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Dominion Line Vancouver	Nov 25
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Cunard Line Umbria	Nov 24
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The man solemnly promised that he would not. The Governor looked doubtful, mused a few minutes and said:

"You will go back on the river and be a mate again, I suppose?"

The man replied that he would.

"Well, I want you to promise me one thing," resumed the Governor. "I want you to pledge your word that, when you are mate again, you will never take a billet of wood in your hand and drive a sick boy out of a bunk to help you load your boat on a stormy night." The steamboat man said he would not, and inquired what the Governor meant by asking him such a question.

The Governor replied: "Because, some day, that boy may become a Governor, and you may want him to pardon you for a crime. One dark, stormy night, many years ago, you stopped your boat on the Mississippi River to take on a load of wood. There was a boy on board who was working his passage from New Orleans to St. Louis, but he was very sick of fever and was lying in a bunk. You had plenty of men to do the work, but you went to that boy with a stick of wood in your hand and drove him with blows and curses out into the wretched night and kept him toiling like a slave until the load was completed. I was that boy. Here is your pardon. Never again be guilty of such brutality."

The man, cowering and hiding his face, went out without a word.

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The Czar of Russia is a cyclist quite above the average and, were it consonant with his dignity to appear on the track, would undoubtedly hold his own in good company. As a sprinter, too, his ability is not to be despised.

The Emperor of Austria is a magnificent horseman and a brilliant swordsman. In his younger days he was noted for his powers of endurance, which enabled him to more than hold his own in most branches of athletics.

The King of Italy is an ardent Nimrod, and his pedestrian feats when in pursuit of his favorite sport are the despair and envy of his suite.

The King of Greece is a fine swimmer, as is likewise King Oscar, of Sweden. The King of the Belgians prides himself upon his walking powers, which, indeed everyone whom he honors with his company soon perceives to his cost are above those of the ordinary pedestrian.

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Now the first two qualities alone are necessary, for the Ambassador need not decide anything. He makes his cable report every evening and receives his instructions from his home government every morning. In fact he is only a dignified and highly decorated messenger boy in his political capacity. In his social capacity he is as important as ever; he must be "persona grata," a good talker and diner-out. But he need not be a great diplomatist. He can make no mistakes, because he acts under daily instructions; carries out direct orders. His ability is shown; in his reports and his forecast—but he has nothing to decide. A little wire has relieved him of responsibility and transformed his status.—Hartford Courant.

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MACNEILL

Will Probably Drop Out and Let John McKane Run for Commons.

It was rumored in Nelson last night and today, that Mr. A. H. MacNeill, of Rossland, the Liberal Conservative candidate for the Yale Cariboo district was going to resign his position and that Mr. John McKane of Rossland would accept the position and fight the battle to the end. As it is only a rumor it may be taken for what it is worth, but it seems to be taken for granted by the strongest followers of the Conservative party. Last Monday Mr. MacNeill was in Nelson and a secret meeting was held and what was decided was only known to the few prominent supporters who were present. However they asked Mr. MacNeill what he intended to do, and all thought he had not made up his mind, he did intimate that he was opposed to being the standard bearer for the Conservatives of this constituency. It was then decided to call a secret meeting of the executive of the Association to meet at Revelstoke tomorrow and there definitely decide what shall be done. The executive consists of Mr. Robert Green of Kaslo, Dr. Morrison of Vernon, Mr. Fulton of Kamloops, and Mr. John McKane of Rossland.

MASS MEETING TONIGHT.

A. L. Sifton Will Address Electors of Nelson in the Opera House.

Mr. S. S. Taylor, Q. C., and Mr. A. L. Sifton, M. L. A., of Calgary, who have been holding meetings in East Kootenay in the interest of the Liberal candidate, Mr. W. A. Galliher, arrived in Nelson last evening and Mr. Sifton will deliver a speech before the mass meeting to be held at the Opera House this evening. The opposition have been invited to attend the meeting, and a warm time is expected. It has not been decided whether or not there will be a speaker to address the meeting in the interests of the Conservative Party but Mr. Wilks, who is a strong supporter of the Labor Party, will be present and address the electors. Dr. Forin has been chosen as chairman.

In speaking of the present politcal situation in East Kootenay, Mr. Taylor said this morning: "We held meetings at Fernie, Fort Steele and Cranbrook and we find that Mr. Galliher is at present in favor. He will receive the solid Liberal vote and a large portion of the Conservative vote. And in nearly all of the towns, the Labor votes are going strongly against the Labor candidate. But Moyie is an exception; there Mr. Foley will certainly make a strong pull."

The Hon. Clifford Sifton who left Brandon last evening for this constituency to help Mr. Galliher, will hold his first meeting at Fernie on Friday night next. The following week he will proceed to the Boundary country and on Friday will hold a meeting in Nelson.

The Liberal committee, late this afternoon, informed The Miner that Mr. S. S. Taylor would be chairman of the meeting and that the speakers would be Dr. Forin, James Wilks, W. A. McLean and Mr. Sifton.

CHARGED WITH MURDER.

Prisoner From Peterboro Lodged in the Provincial Jail Here.

Frederick Collins, who, it is said, murdered Arthur Dando on the evening of October 9, at Peterboro, B. C., was brought to the Provincial jail here this morning, as he has been committed for trial. It appears that on the evening of October 8. Collins got into a row with Dando in a barroom, and Dando hit Collins a heavy blow over the head with a bottle. The following night Dando was sleeping in his room when Collins crept in quietly went to the bed of the sleeping man, placed the revolver to the head of Dando and blew out his brains. It is said that when Collins did the deed his mind was deranged from the blow which he had received on the previous night.

BOARD OF TRADE.

Various Resolutions Discussed at the Meeting Held Last Evening.

Three important questions, that of having mail brought to and carried from Nelson by way of the Crow's Nest Pass on Sunday, that of an equitable bankruptcy act and the two per cent. tax on the output of mines, less treatment and freight charges, were discussed to some length at the meeting of the Nelson Board of Trade last evening. The Postmaster-General has been asked to allow Nelson a Sunday mail over the Crow's Nest Pass but nothing has been done, except that a combination postal and express car has been put on the run, but it is not allowed to carry mail on Sundays. The secretary was ordered to draft a letter to the officials at Ottawa, and once more ask for a Sunday mail.

As to the question of the two per cent. tax on the output of mines, a committee consisting of H. E. Croasdaile, G. E. C. Martin, J. Roderick Robertson, J. J. Campbell and T. G. Procter, was appointed to look into the matter and report at the next meeting.

A committee of James Bannerman, M. Ferland, and T. Morley were appointed to interview the candidates who are in the constituency contesting for a seat in the Dominion House, and try to get their promise that if elected, they will support a bankruptcy act which would be uniform in its workings, throughout the entire Dominion.

NEWS OF THE TOWN

Magistrate Crease, Mr. W. A. Macdonald, Q. C., and Mr. S. M. Brydges left this morning for Cranbrook, where the adjourned case of Medhurst vs. C. P. R. will be heard.

Last night two brothers, John and James Carson, were sent to the Provincial jail here from Grand Forks, and are committed to the jail for six and two months respectively, through being proved guilty of theft.

Mr. George S. Beer, commanding officer of the R. M. R.. expects to receive the plans of the new drill hall, from Victoria in a day or two. Immediately on their arrival work will be started, and the building will be put up as quickly as possible.

A temperance lecture will be given in the Methodist Church tonight by Rev. J. Bennett Anderson of London, Eng. Mr. Anderson has travelled in many lands, including the Transvaal, and is widely known as the "Singing Evangelist" A collection will be taken.

From the present until spring Dr. LaBau will occupy rooms adjoining his office in the Victoria Block, where he will be found nights as well as days. Mrs. LaBau left this morning for Spokane and the Pacific Coast where she will remain during the winter.

They are already talking mayoralty candidates. The three names most prominently mentioned are Capt. Duncan, Ald. Irvine and Charles Hillyer and large numbers of their friends are urging them to run. It is also understood that Mr. John Houtson will nominate Mr. John Houston as one of the candidates.

Mr. William Gill, of Victoria, inspector of the Inland Revenue Department, and Mr. J. E. Miller, of Vancouver, collector of the revenues, and inspector of gas and electric light systems, arrived in the city last evening from Fernie. Mr. Miller was busy today with Mr. Swannell, in inspecting the electric light and gas meters of Nelson. They will probably be in Nelson until Saturday.

AN INTERESTING RIOT.

Tampa, Fla., Nov. 15.—A minature riot broke out today at the gates of the cigar factory of Gonzales Mora & Co. Several hundred shots were fired. No one was injured and the mob as dispersed by the police. Members of the International Cigar Makers' Union quit work recently in a number of factories, throwing about 2,000 persons out of employment. The Spanish union "Resistencia" is apparently not in sympathy with the movement and about 500 of its members continued at work. Today the International demanded that these men come out. A volley was fired in reply and then from the street came a fusilade that riddled the sides of the building. Those inside fired blindly through the windows. No one was hit, however, and the police soon dispersed the crowd. All factories closed at noon and to prevent further trouble 100 extra police and a squad of deputy sheriffs were sworn in.

TWO VICTORIES FOR REIFF.

London, Nov. 15—In the race for the Drakelow selling plate of 250 sovereigns for all ages, Lester Reiff had the mount on Mr. G. Cotril's Cris Boot, the winner of the event. The race for the Beveridge stakes of five sovereigns each with 150 sovereigns added was secured by Johnnie Rieff on Lord Harewood's three year old horse Nehitshade.

VERY COOL ABOUT IT.

Fort Waynne, Ind., Nov. 15.—Frank Alderman, a wealthy real estate man and capitalist, walked into hardware store today, purchased a revolver, loaded it, and then sent a bullet into his brain. He is thought to have been insane. A prominent Republican and well known throughout the state.

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NEWS OF THE MINES

Greenwood, B. C., Nov. 15.—Returns from the second shipment of ore from the Buckhorn mine, in Deadwood Camp, gave a net value of $16 per ton. The shipment consisted of 20 tons and was treated at the Granby smelter, Grand Forks. A. E. Bielenberg is in charge of the development and has a force of nine men under him.

Since he took hold of the mine he has thoroughly prospected the surface, having sunk three shafts. In the last one, which is now down 50 feet, he found the ore in place. It is a good grade of gold-copper. He expects to commence crosscutting before the end of the week, when arrangements have been completed to connect the hoisting plant with the new shaft. Shipments will be made from time to time during the winter.

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The Nip and Tuck placer ground. in East Kootenay, has been sold to David Griffith. The ground belonged to a company named after the claim, the head office of which is in Vancouver, B. C. The late J. M. Buxton, who died suddenly at Sicamous station some months back, was prominently connected with the company during his lifetime and was putting through a deal for the property about the time of his death. The Fort Steele Prospector gives the following details of the deal:

"The Nip and Tuck placer ground has been sold to David Griffith. J. A. Bangs, attorney for H. E. Forster, made the sale. The property contains 1,300 feet of crown granted land, together with plant, supplies, water rights, ditches, etc. The consideration of the deal was not made public. There is three miles of ditch, which will carry from 1000 to 1500 inches of water. The Nip and Tuck has not been worked for the past two years. It is the intention of Mr. Griffith to commence active work on the property next year. This property is one of the best known pieces of placer ground in this section, and many thousands of dollars have been taken out of it."

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The Arlington mine company of Slocan City notified Architects Ewart and Carrie yesterday to draft plans for a store and bunk house. The building will be 24 feet wide and 40 feet long and two stories high. The first floor will be used as the store while the upper one will be used as the sleeping apartments. It will accommodate 75 men. The new office, at the mine, the plans of which were drawn by Messrs. Ewart and Carrie has progressed rapidly and the building will be completed in a few days.

WANT TO LYNCH HIM.

Denver, Col., Nov. 15.—The statements made by John Porter, 16-year-old negro of Lawrence, Kas., who yesterday confessed that he murdered Louise Foest, an 11-year-old school girl of Limon, Col., are confirmed. It was determined to take Porter to the Hugo jail. Porter's father and brother will probably also be taken to Hugo. It is reported today that 12 armed men are en route to Denver for the purpose of escorting the sheriff and prisoners. A mob of 500 men is said to be forming at Limon and Hugo and they make no secret of their intentions to lynch Porter.

HERE'S LUCK TO HER.

Glasgow, Nov. 15.—The work of building Sir Thomas Lipton's new America cup challenger Shamrock III. has been started in the Dennis yard at Dumbarton, within an enclosure. Mr. G. L. Watson, the yacht designer, has laid out the lines of the frame work, which will be constructed of nickel steel. The plates will probably be of bronze.

KING OSCAR VERY LOW.

Paris, Nov. 15.—Private, but trustworthy information has been received here to the effect that King Oscar of Sweden is in a very low state of health. His recent brain attack, it is added, deprived him of his memory and he seems unable to recuperate. The facts are being suppressed.

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Spokane Mining Stock Exchange Quotations.

This morning's Spokane quotations as received from The Miner's special correspondent:

(SPECIAL TO THE MINER.)

NAME.	ASKED.	BID.
Blacktail	10½	8¾
Butte & Boston	2¼	1⅜
Crystal	5	4¾
Deer Trail Con	2⅜	2⅛
Evening Star	6¼	4
Gold Ledge	2¼	1¾
Golden Harvest	⅝	⅜
I. X. L.	21	18
Iron Mask	38	0
Jim Blaine	8	4
Lone Pine Surprise	7¾	7¼
Mountain Lion	32	25
Morning Glory	5¾	5¾
Morrison	2½	2
Noble Five	5	0
Princess Maud	2	1½
Palmer Mt. Tun	17	0
Quilp	23	0
Rambler-Cariboo	25	22½
Republic	72	60
Reservation	5⅜	4¾
Rossland Giant	2⅛	1¾
Sullivan	13¾	12¼
Tom Thumb	15	12
Waterloo	3¼	2⅞
Winnipeg	4	0
UNLISTED STOCKS.		
Conjecture	3⅞	3⅜
U. S. Marble	14	11½
Gold Standard	9	7¾
Rainbow	5⅜	4¾
Trade Dollar	3	2½
American Boy	9⅞	9

Sales—Blacktail, 2000 at 10; Morning Glory, 2000 at 6; 25,000 at 2.

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