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A BOOM ON IN ELEVATORS

American Company Wants Sixty Sites In Northwest.

Private Parties Anxious to Build at Various Points.

Winnipeg, April 11.—One of the largest dinners ever held in the Manitoba club was given last night in honor of E. W. Thompson, who is leaving shortly for Montreal, where he will continue the immense business of the Ogilvie Milling Co., as general manager. Chief Justice Killam occupied the chair, Major General French, Premier Roblin and Mayor Arbuthnot were among those present, and the vice chairs were occupied by Hugh John Macdonald and F. W. Stobart.

The Free Press says tonight: It was learned on good authority this morning that an American company has applied to the C.P.R. for sites on which to erect a number of elevaors in Manitoba and the Territories. A number of applications have been made outside of this for sites for new elevators by private individals, but this is a project of larger proportions. It is stated that the American company wishes to erect as many as 60 elevators in this country next year. They intend to have them completed before the crop of next fall is moved. No further details are given regarding this scheme but the C.P.R. does not deny that it has had applications this year already for sites for 75 elevators.

This indicates the interest that Americans are taking in the western country and is another step of what some are now calling an American conquest of western Canada. It looks to many, however, as a Canadian conquest of American capital as the immense benefits that will accrue to the Canadian west, as a result of the influx of Americans here and of American money, cannot be gainsaid.

BRADSTREET'S SUMMARY.

Bank Clearings and Prospects of General Business Good.

Toronto, April 11.—Bradstreet's will say of the Canadian trade: Reports as to Canadian trade deal largely with prospective rather than present trade. Banking transactions are, however, of enormous volume Wholesale trade is quieter at Montreal and Toronto, the roads having broken up, but the outlook favors an active business, particularly with the west. Toronto reports American prints offered in that market, and Montreal predicts a very heavy business in shipping when navigation opens British Columbia trade is looking up, particularly at northern mining centres. Coal mining is active and lumber has been advanced. In Manitoba grain shipments are heavy, jobbing trade is more active and there is heavy immigration.

Failures for the week number 25, as against 18 last week 25 in this week a year ago, and 35 in 1900. Clearings aggregate $55,502,000 an increase of 71 per cent. over last week and 87 per cent. over last year.

The following are some of the weekly clearings as compiled by Bradstreet's for the week ending April 10, with percentages of increase and decrease as compared with the corresponding week last year: Montreal $27,172,095, increase 101.8; Toronto $19,714,136, increase 103.6; Winnipeg $2,690,267, increase 58.2; Halifax $1,915,439, increase 37.4; Vancouver $857,649, increase 5; Hamilton $875,040; St. John $747,201, increase 24.5; Victoria $530,650, decrease 14 1; Quebec $1,290,613; Ottawa $1,991,959. Total $54,502,000.

GETTING ENGLISH CAPITAL.

Montreal, April 11.—James Ross, managing director of the Dominion Steel Co., returned today from England were he had been enlisting capitalists in a new issue of Dominion Steel common stock.

WAS IN THE LEGISLATURE.

Cornwall, Ont., April 11.—John Kerr died today at Wales, aged 64. He represented Stormont in the provincial legislature from 1879 to 1886.

LETTER FROM NEELANDS.

The Second Mounted Rifles Were at Newcastle on March 2nd.

A letter has been received from Samuel Neelands of this city, who left here last Christmas with the Second Mounted Rifles. He writes to his brother James, from Newcastle, Natal. He reports that the troop was landed at Durban, and from there they took the train for Newcastle. He reports that he has lots of duty to perform but that the outdoor life and exercise keeps him and the rest of the troop in good health and spirits. The trip from Durban to Newcastle, he says, was a pleasant one, the country being beautiful. There were lots of pineapples, bananas and peaches growing all along the route. The troops passed through Colenso, where Lord Roberts' son was killed and Sir Redvers Buller's foeres had the big battle. They also passed through Ladysmith from which the scars of the siege have not yet been removed. Lord Kitchener inspected the troop the day before the letter was written and seemed to be pleased with the appearance of them. While en route from Durban he saw 600 Boer prisoners who were being sent to India. They were captured a few days before.

The troop will not leave Newcastle for a month yet, (the letter was written on March 2.) He closes by saying the weather is very hot during the day and cold at night.

WOMEN'S COUNCIL.

Met Yesterday and Elected Officers For the Year.

A meeting of the Women's Council was held yesterday afternoon in the Presbyterian Sunday school room at which officers were elected for the ensuing year. The following ladies were appointed Mrs. J. Laing Stocks, president; Mesdames. Arthur, Day, Byers, A. Dow, J. H. White and Mrs. Rose, vice-presidents; Mrs. P. Lamont, recording secretary; Mrs. A. L. McCulloch, corresponding secretary; Mrs. W. W. Beer, treasurer. The executive committee is composed of presidents of each of the ladies' societies in affiliation with the council, the following organizations being represented, Presbyterian Ladies' Aid, Mrs. S. S. Taylor; Baptist Ladies' Aid, Mrs. Robert Robertson; Methodist Ladies' Aid, Mrs. Emory; Catholic Ladies' Aid, Mrs. J. Sturgeon. Two other organizations that have always been in affiliation with the council but which did not have representatives at the meeting were the Hospital Aid and St. Saviour's Guild. The Women's Council was inaugurated in Canada by Lady Aberdeen. It is composed of ladies belonging to various church and charitable organisations and its work is to take up enterprises that could not very well be undertaken by any one denominational body. In Nelson the council started the public library.

SCHOOL BOARD.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the school board was held last evening in the office of the acting secretary. Those present were Messrs. Hall, Swannell, McKillop and Annable. Nothing but routine business was transacted. The reports of the financial committee and of the school for the month of March were read and adopted. It was announced that it would be necessary to have another primary class formed by the fall session at the latest, as already the room was considerably overcrowded.

NELSON GUN CLUB.

The regular weekly shoot of the club will take place at the grounds Saturday afternoon at 2 p.m. sharp. The first event will be the shoot-off for the weekly cup to decide last week's winner, Jasper Phair and James Wallace having tied. Event No. 2 will be the Patenaude Handicap cup for 25 birds. Sweepstakes will follow. The handicapping for the cup will be the same as last week. The three high guns will receive prizes.

STILL IN CONFERENCE.

Klerksdorp April 10.—Thursday. The representatives of the Orange Free state and the Transvaal government held conferences yesterday afternoon and today. The deliberations were confined to the delegates and no communication with outsiders was allowed.

WALLER ON HIS DEFENCE

Cites Precedents to Justly His Killing of Natives.

Manila Editor Has Chance to Prove His Statements.

Manila, April 11.—Major Littleton W. Waller, of the Marine corps, who is being tried by court martial on the charge of the execution of Samar natives without trial, addressed the crowded court today. The major said he was either right or wrong in his actions, and added that he desired to cite five precedents which came under the head of his own case. He alluded to the naval battle at Santiago and the humanity he had shown the Spaniards who were captured, and said he had many letters from Spaniards thanking him for the kindness he had shown them.

Continuing, Major Waller said that in 1882 he was with British forces the in Egypt where Arabs captured the pickets of the Bengal cavalry, decapitated the prisoners, and placed the heads on poles. Afterwards all the Arabs who were caught were shot without trial. During the campaign in China, the Chinese mutilated the dead and tortured the wounded to death; consequently when a Boxer or a fanatic was captured he was executed immediately without reference. This was true in the case of the troops of every nation in China. It was true the three weeks he commanded the Americans there, but the same thing occurred later, when he was no longer in command. No protest was made and he had every right to believe that his acts were approved so far as the American forces were concerned. He knew they were approved by those of the other nations.

It is impossible to conceive such treachery as that of the natives of Samar, said the major. They revel in blood and have an appetite for wanton sacrilege of the human body. These fiends stole Captain Connell's class ring, filled the soldiers bodies with jam and jelly, and attempted to murder my command. I shot them. I honestly thought then that I was right and I believe so now. Neither my people nor the world will believe me to be a murderer.

Captain Arthur T. Mariex, of the Marine corps, representing Major Waller, in a forcible argument, maintained that Waller's actions were justified by martial law, quoting numerous authorities on the subject. Capt. Mariex also said he regretted very much that the prosecution had seen fit to call General Smith. He claimed that all the testimony went to show that the major was justified. The judge advocate, Major Henry P. Kingsbury, of the Third cavalry, will reply tomorrow.

The press committee has had an interview with Acting-Governor Wright with reference to the sedition law. Mr. Wright replied that the editor of Freedom, who was recently arrested on the charge of sedition, had in the columns of that paper, made persistent attacks on the United States commissioner and that he would now have to prove his assertions.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES.

Day and Sunday Schools Will Remain Closed For a Week.

Rossland, April 11.—Dr. Reddick, medical health officer, will advise that schools be kept closed for at least another week. At present fifteen houses are quarantined by the authorities and there are several cases of children's diseases under suspicion. The city churchs have agreed to dispense with the Sunday schools for the present, and until the authorities reopen the city schools.

But one death from scarlet fever has so far been reported, and the pervalent type is said to be an exceedingly mild one.

O'BRIEN'S DAILY SCRAP.

Philaelphia, April 11.—Jack O'Brien and Joe Walcott fought six-rounds to a draw at Industrial hall tonight. O'Brien had a shade the better of the bout.

RIOTING IN MANY TOWNS

Disturbances of Socialists Widespread Throughout Belgium.

General Strike Depends on Passing Universal Sufferage.

Brussels, April 11.—The sitting of the Chamber of Deputies today was charaterized by violent scenes. The premier, Count De Naeyer, referring to the deplorable events of yesterday, said: The appeal of the Socialists to the population proves that it is their avowed plan to continue the struggle even after parliament has pronounced on the Revision bill. Their aim is the dethronement of power and the triumph of revolution. The government is resolved that the debate on the Revision bill shall occur in spite of the assertions of the Moniteur Socialiste to the contrary.

At this point of the premier's speech, violent altercations which nearly led to blows, arose among the deputies of the opposing parties. Liberals and Socialists engaged in a sharp discussion concerning the agreement concluded between them for the defence of universal suffrage and M. Deblon, a Socialist, shouted, "We are betrayed."

At the close of the sitting Socialist deputies shouting, "Jesuit! Thief!" stormed the president's tribunal. Ushers were then summoned to preserve order and a violent scene ensued in which blows were freely exchanged.

After the chamber was closed, members of the Left party and Socialists proceeded to the Maison du Peuple with the intention of persuading the people to cease their demonstration until next week. The Maison was surrounded by the civic guard, but a meeting was permitted to be held inside. M. Vandervelder and the other spakers at the meeting advocated that the people remain calm and have recourse to a general strike next week if the government used force. As the persons who attended the meeting were dispersing, and in spite of the precaution of permitting only a few of them to leave at one time, conflicts with the police occurred. Mounted gendarmes cleared the streets and many of the demonstrators fired their revolvers. During the course of the evening there were several other outbreaks in the city. The police charged the rioters and about 25 persons were wounded and many others were arrested. All those arrested were armed with revolvers.

Demonstrations and encounters occurred at Liege, Ghent and elsewhere, the most serious being at Houdeng-Goegries, in the coal district. During the collision between the police and strikers at that place, the latter used brick bats and firearms. The police fired upon the rioters killing a coal miner and a young girl. Fifteen persons were wounded including two policemen. Mounted infantry finally dispersed the mob.

Troops are being moved to the various provincial points were there are disorders. The debate on the estimates has been fixed in the chamber for next Saturday. The Socialists seem to fear that the government will rush the budget and prorogue the chamber before next Tuesday, the day fixed for the discussion of the univeral suffrage. The civil guard is again under arms toright and all the police posts have been doubled.

Brussels, April 12.—There have been no further distubrances of any kind. The majority of the civic guard, who are uniformed like the soldiers and armed with rifles and bayonets, were withdrawn at 1 o'clock this morning.

General business in the city has been practically undisturbed by the disorder, which is almost wholly confined to the district around the Maison du Peuple. Elsewhere the streets and boulevards have their customary appearance. People on the streets and the cafes and restaurants are busy. So far as Brussels is concerned, it is felt that the authorities are quite masters of the situation. But should a general strike be declared and be generally followed, which is considered doubtful, a dangerous situation might arise, as the troops would be needed everywhere and could not be massed at any particular point. It developed this morning that at a cabinet council held yesterday at which King Leopold presided it was decided that the question of suffrage should be fixed for next Wednesday. The king appeared to favor a conciliatory attitude but the government will oppose the introduction of universal suffrage.

TO RENEW TRIPLE ALLIANCE.

Germany Makes Concessions to Austria and Italy.

Berlin, April 10.—Regarding the conferences held in Vienna anent the Triple alliance, Count Von Buelow, the General Imperial chancellor, said that the Triple alliance will be renewed for another term of years. This news reached Berlin from Vienna. Count Von Buelow's interview with Emperor Francis Joseph, Count Goluchowski, the Austro-Hungarian minister of foreign affairs, and Dr. Von Koerber, the Austrian premier, resulted in bringing Austro-Hungary into an agreement to which Italy has already given her acherence. Fresh terms of alliance will be drawn, embracing some of the concessions that Germany makes to Austria and Italy. These concessions will probably relate to trade questions. It is reported here that Germany is really more greatly interested in the renewal of the Triple Alliance than was indicated by the utterances of her minister last January.

ANOTHTER NEW RECORD.

Boundary Mines Have Now a Very Large Output.

Phoenix, April 11.—All previous records for one week's ore shipments in British Columbia were broken in Boundary this week. The great increase was due to largeer shipments from the Granby mines of this camp which are now averaging 1,500 tons per day. The total for the week was 12,805 tons from the following mines: Granby mines 9,935 tons, Mother Lode 2,720 tons, Golden Crown 30 tons, Jewel 120 tons. The two Boundary smelters treated for week as follows: Granby smelter 10,057 tons, Mother Lode smelter 2,982 tons, making a total for the week of 13,039 tons or 113,562 tons for the year.

ANOTHER CASUALTY LIST.

More Troops Under Way For South Africa.

London, April 12.—That the fighting continues in South Africa is shown by a casualty list given out yesterday which contains the names of a few of the killed and wounded in the engagements which occurred at three separate points as late as April 8 and 9. Preparations here continue for the despatch of 20,000 additional troops for the winter campaign. Lord Roberts inspected the first drafts of Guards which will sail for South Africa next week.

THEY WANT BAIT.

St. John's, Nfld, April 11.—The first contingent of French fishing vessels to reach the coast for the fishing season are in sore straits for bait. The Newfoundland revenue cruiser Fina is vigorously enforcing the anti-bait law, which greatly irritates the French at St. Pierre. The weather is still too stormy to fish on the banks.

BE SURE AND GET RECEITPS.

Delegates to the Kamloops convention, who leave Nelson tonight, when they purchase tickets are requested to be sure and take receipts for the same. By an arrangement with the Canadian Pacific railway these receipts must be presented in order that the delegates may secure the full benefits of the reduced rates. The miners' district convention and the provincial labor convention promise to be important affairs.

TALMAGE VERY LOW.

Washington, April 11.—According to the 11 o'clock statement of the pysicians, there is no marked change in the condition of Dr. Talmage tonight. If anything, he was resting a trifle easier but his condition is very critical.

Several small washouts have taken pace on the Nelson-Granite road close to the city making several difficult places for teams to pass. Each night the extra flume water from the smelter is allowed to run across the road at the foot of the hill, doing considerable damage.

PEACE TALK BUT RUMOR

Officials Have No Announcement Regarding Peace Negotiations.

Cabinet Suddenly Called and Something Important Is Expected.

London, April 11.—The War secretary, Mr. Broderick, informed the House of Commons today that the government had received no communications from the Boer leaders regarding the terms of peace, and said that no armistice would be granted during the absence of the Boer leaders from their commands. Mr. Broderick was asked if Lord Kitchener had been authorized to offer any terms of peace besides unconditional surrender. He replied: "I am not in a position to make any statement, nor am I able to add anything to my statement of yesterday regarding the conference between the Boers."

A summons was issued this afternoon for a cabinet meeting tomorrow. This circumstance started a fresh crop of rumors to the effect that the government had received a dispatch from Lord Kitchener on the subject of the peace negotiations after Mr. Broderick's statement in the House of Commons this afternoon. Should the Boers taking part in the conference, decide in favor of opening peace negotiations they will submit their proposals to Lord Kitchener who has been instructed to forward them immediately to the government.

Inquiries made tonight at the war office by the Associated Press elicited that that office knew nothing about the rumors of peace or the alleged telegram from Lord Roberts to Dover in which he is reported to have said the war was over.

In the House of Commons at midnight, A. J. Balfour, the government leader, replying to a question asked by Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, the Liberal leader in the house, declared that the government had no information concerning the peace rumors and that there was no foundation for them.

London, April 12.—Mr. Balfour's denial last night of the peace rumors was very emphatic. He said: "We have no information at all, nor in the nature of things could there be any."

The sudden calling of a cabinet meeting and the fact that King Edward rather unexpectedly terminated his cruise yesterday in order to return to London, convinces people that something important is pending and has led to the most extraordinary rumors. Among other things it is reported that Mr. Chamberlain, the colonial secretary, has resigned. This is quite untrue. Mr. Chamberlain was suffering from a chill yesterday but he expects to attend the cabinet meeting tonight.

BUDGET POSTPONED.

Illness of Hicks-Beach May Prevent His Attendance in the House.

London, April 12.—There is still a possibility that the discussion of the budget will be again postponed. Last night Mr. Balfour, the government leader in the House of Commons announced in the course of business that there was a "very remote" chance of Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, the chancellor of the exchequer, being sufficiently recovered to deal with the budget.

MOUNT STEPHENS GIFT.

London, April 11.—Lord Mount Stephen, the former president of the C.P.R., has given £30,000 to the Royal infirmary at Aberdeen. He had previously paid off a debt of £25,000 on that institution.

HOFFMAN PRESIDENT DEAD.

New York, April 11.—James D. Leary, vice-president of the Hoffman House Hotel company, died tonight of heart trouble.

METAL QUOTATIONS.

London, April 11.—Lead £11, 10s

New York, April 11.—Close—Bar sliver 53 3-4c; Mexican dollars 43c. Copper easy. Lead quiet.

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SKEENA SECTION.

On Thursday The Miner published a statement from Ottawa to the effect that the Yellowhead Pass had been abandond by the Canada Northern in favor of the Pine River Pass with a prospective terminus at Skeena. This would bring the Pacific coast terminus at the mouth of the Skeena at a point 500 miles north of Nanaimo. The mouth of the Skeena river is wide and is protected from the ocean by Smith and Kennedy islands. According to the reports of F. G. Vernon, chief commissioner of land and works, of surveys made of the crown lands along the Skeena river and its tributaries and other nearby rivers the section is a valuable one if opened up by a railway. There are a large number of good pieces of land heavily timbered along the coast, which could be utilized. They valley of the Skeena with all its islands, the benches above Quatsalix, near Hazelton, the valley of the Kispyox, the upper branches, without counting the valley of the Watson-kwa and other portions, the reports says, after very careful computation, would give 300,000 acres of farming land, this more or less wooded. The report continues: The Naas river, north of the Skeena, its islands, the valleys of its higher branches, including the valley of the Tsi-ax, to the Skeena, and the prolongation of the valley from the Tsi-ax would give an approximate area of 700,000 acres of farming land. Of this three-fourths is wooded, and the rest is either clear or covered with very light thickets. Of the higher land, exposed to the summer frost, and where wheat could not be grown, and high pasture land, there are several scattered areas. Around Kit-wan-coole, the higher benches on the upper Skeena and Naas; the high plateau lying between the different branches of the Naas, and between the watershed and the Stickeen, can be used as grazing land and is classified as such. A million and a half acres would be the true estimate of the quantity of grazing lands.

In speaking of the climate the same report says: All of the area west of the Cascade range is damp and rainy. Near the sea the snowfall is not great, but at some points up the rivers it comes to over six feet. After crossing the range of mountains the climate gets much drier, but in no part of the country explored would irrigation be necessary, unless it would be in some of the valleys at the head of the Skoot. The climate in winter about Hazelton, which is the head of navigation on the Skeena, 153 miles from its mouth, and at the corresponding point on the Naas, is very cold, the thermometer sometimes descending to 40 Farenheit, but the cold is not so prolonged as it is east of the Rockies; there are always one or two thaws during the season. The depth of snow is over three feet, except on the heights where it is greater.

A great deal of attention has been paid to the observation of the gardening done by the Indians, and although their gardens are cultivated very poorly, it is easy to see that the season is about the same as in the west of the province of Quebec.

As to timber, in no part of the section has the timber been found so large as would warrant the hope of future exportation, except, may be, the giant cedar and the spruce, but everywhere it is sufficient for every local use. No doubt the balsam, poplar, aspen, cottonwood and birch found there will some day be of value for the manufacture of wood pulp. The section is strongly mineralized in placers and gold, galena bearing silver, quicksilver, coal and other minerals are plentiful.

The Canadian Northern, if it builds by the Pine river pass and to the mouth of the Skeena river, would open up a very valuable country and one of more than average possibilities. The land is suitable for farming and grazing; the salmon fisheries of the Skeena are valuable, and the presence of the railway would result in the opening up of the mines of that section and the area of mining development could be extended by branch lines built to the richer and more productive portions.

With the terminus of a transcontinental line at Skeena the trans-Pacific voyage could be cut down at least a day, which would be an important desideratum, provided the railway line could reduce somewhat the time in crossing the continent. This would make it the shortest road to and from the Orient and this of itself would be an important factor in attracting freight and passengers. It does not, thereore, look unreasonable that the Canada Northern has concluded to have its terminus at the mouth of the Skeena river instead of on Bute Inlet.

TURNING THE TABLES.

The Kettle Valley lines, which connect Grand Forks with Republic, is scheduled to be opened today. The event is to be marked by an excursion from Grand Forks to Republic to which many guests from the Kootenays and Yale as well as the section around Republic, have been invited. There will be a banquet at which speeches will be delivered and much jubiliation over the event. The opening of the road is an event in every way worthy of the celebration which is marking it. It will be the means of bringing into British Columbia for the first time in its history many thousands of tons of ore for reduction in the smelters here. It will benefit all of the smelters in Southern British Columbia as the mine owners of Republic and vicinity will ship their ore to the establishments which grant them the best terms. The mines of Republic have been under active development for the past five years and the output of ore should be large. This will be turning the tables on the Americans for the mine owners of British Columbia have sent large quantities of ore to the smelter in the States to be reduced and now some American ore is to be brought to this side for treatment so as to partly balance the account. This will be of direct benefit to this section as the money paid for the reduction of the America ore will be disbursed for Canadian labor and Canadian supplies.

HILL PAID $50,000.

The Yale Hotel Company, of Grand Forks, owned 1,000 acres of land a short distance from the town through which the V. V. and E. railway desired to extend the tracks it is building to Republic. The hotel compay demaded $60,000 for right of way through the land and on the refusal of the railway company to pay that price an injunction was secured prohibiting it from proceeding across the land with its tracks. The dispute was compromised, it is stated, by the purchase of the land by J. J. Hill, president of the Great Northern, for $50,000. Now that this has been done the tracks will be extended over the farm and on to Republic, which will shortly enjoy the benefits of having two railways competing for its traffic. The railway people, realizing that the delays would consume the best part of the working season, concluded that it would be cheaper to purchase the land than to allow the case to drag its way through the courts and so compromised by paying the $50,000. By doing this the management doubtless saved money but still $50,000 is considerable to pay for a Kettle River valley farm. John Manly is the chief owner of the stock of the Yale Hotel company and will, therefore get the lion's share of the $50,000. This coup will put him on his financial feet in good shape, and he doubtless wishes he had other farms to place in front of the construction forces of the V., V. and E.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The beef trust in New York has become so oppressive that even the retail butchers are about to wage war against it. In order to do this effectively the retail butchers are forming an association and purpose slaughtering cattle on their own account. They propose to form an organization for this purpose with a capital of at least $1,000,000. A partial canvass has been made and there are said to be 25 retailers who can contribute $25,000 each toward the stock of the new company. There are a larger number who can give $10,000 each and others who may be put down for from $1,000 to $5,000 each.

Dr. Hamilton Fish, of Ouray, is advocating a commendable system of organization at the mines of first aid corps for the treatment of the injured, says the Mining Record. He states that often times proper care of victims and the proper first dressing of wounds will save the life of the injured persons. There is often an unavoidable delay, especially when a mine is in a remote neighborhood, before a qualified surgeon arrives on the scene. The educating of men to give temporary relief to injured miners should be as practicable as educating them to render first aid in other classes of accidents. The object is a worthy one, and we hope it will succeed.

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MINING NEWS.

J. Frank Collom, managing director of the Arlington and Speculator properties, returned on Monday from a three weeks' trip to Portland, Ore. Things have gone well with the Arlington of late and Mr. Collom is feeling jubilant. March was one of the best months in the history of the mine, giving the highest net results the company has yet had. Though the tonnage shipped was not very large, yet the grade of the mineral sent to the smelter was much higher than usual. The ore for the month averaged upwards of 150 ozs. to the ton, while one car of 20 tons netted the company $3,000, and a 30-ton car $5,190.

The mine is in excellent shape, splendid success being met with in the development of what is known as the east vein. As this lead is now carrying a well defined wall and none has ever been shown in the main workings on the west vein, the management has come to the conclusion that the hanging wall of the zone is that now being followed on the east vein. This would give a mineral bearing zone of about 200 feet or more in width. The mineral being found on the east vein is the first met with in quantities and is of extra high grade. One big bunch lately encountered gave the phenomenal returns of 8,400 ozs.

Big things may be expected of the Speculator, adjoining the Arlington, during the summer. Mr. Collom stated a hoisting and pumping plant had been ordered and would be in just as quickly as the roads would permit of its being hauled up. Sinking would then be resumed on the west vein and a thorough exploration made of the lead. A much larger force of men will also be then employed.

The managements of the Speculator and Arlington, working in sympathy, are discussing the advisability of prospecting their ledge or ledges with a diamond drill, and it would not be at all surprising to see a drill installed on each property next summer. It is maintained the cost of development would be greatly reduced.

The prospectus of the Ollala Copper Mining and Smelting Co., with a capital of $8,000,000 appears in a New York paper. The directors include several prominent men. The company was incorporated in October of last year for the purpose of completing the development and equipment of the extensive properties which the company is said to own. Among its possessions are 60 mineral claims, the townsite of Ollala, the charter for the Similkameen and Keremeos railway and telegraph and telephone franchises. The property is located in the lower Similkameen valley in Southern British Columbia.

Sixty tons of ore were shipped from Slocan City during the week, 40 from the Arlington, and 20 from the Enterprise. Bad roads prevented heavier shipments from being made. The tonnage from Slocan City during the year has been 1,395 tons. The shipments from the entire Slocan for the year total 7,015 tons.

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APPEALS TO BE HEARD.

Some Kootenay and Yale Cases to Be Heard Next Week.

At the sitting of the full bench of the Supreme court of British Columbia, which commences at Vancouver on Tuesday, April 15, the following appeals will be heard: H. M. Paulson vs. James Beaman, John Hendrix, D. Nichols and Christ Kruger. This action is an adverse with respect to the Iron Chief mineral claim in the Lardo. The plaintiff claims under the Iron Chief that the defendants are attempting to crown grant over the ground occupied by the Pearl mineral claim owned by him. This case was partially tried at Nelson before Mr. Justice Martin, when the following points were decided: First, that it is not necessary to survey in order to file the affidavits and plan of adverse; second that an affidavit of adverse with its jurat not dated, but otherwise regular, is valid. Postponement of trial was granted in order to allow the plaintiff to secure measurements of the ground. The appeal is being entered by the defendant against each one of these decisions. Taylor and O'Shea for the plaintiff; McAnn and McKay for the defense.

N. F. McNaught vs. Balfour and Co. et al. This action was tried before Judge Irving at Nelson and was with respect to sheriff's interpleader. Judgment was given in favor of plaintiff, deciding an interesting point in mining law, namely that during the sheriff's seizure the execution debtor's mining certificate ran out, and Plaintiff McNaught claims that as he was the co-owner of the claim that the sheriff lost all right and had nothing to sell. The execution creditors, Balfour et al are the defendants in the issue. Defendants are now appealing from this judgment. Taylor and O'Shea for the plaintiff; Elliot and Lennie and Tupper and Peter, for the defence.

Colbert vs Pettyjohn, an appeal from Grand Fork. The plaintiff is owner of a large fruit ranch. To get the water needed for irrigating his ranch it was necessary to bring it from the opposite side of the mountain on which the ranch is situated. To do this it was necessary to dig the ditch to enter American territory and then reenter Canada, the ranch adjoining the boundary. Defendant Pettyjohn, believing this to be illegal destroyed the plaintiff's ditch, and suit was then entered by the plaintiff for an injunction and for damages and also for a declaration that in any event that the water record was valid even if the ditch was illegal. Judgment was given by Judge Spinks of the County court, for the defendant, and the plaintiff is now appealing. Taylor and O'Shea for plaintiff, Tupper and Peters for defendant.

In re Florida Mines Company—This appeal is against the order made by Mr. Justice Irving at Nelson ordering the winding up of this company on the petition of one of the shareholders. The company is appealing from the order, contending that a shareholder can not compel a winding up under the British Columbia Winding Up Act, as that act provides for voluntary and not a compulsory winding up. Three other appeals in this matter were heard during the last court in each of which the company was successful in reversing the order of Mr. Justice Irving. Taylor and O'Shea for the company; Whealler and Wragge for petitioning shareholder.

Tobiason vs. Grand Forks Mercantile Company.—This action was tried at Grand Forks before Judge Leamy, and is a suit on a bond given for security for costs on a former appeal in this matter. The defendantts are appealing and contend that this bond was satisfied by the goods in dispute in the action having been accepted by the plaintiff subsequent to the former appeal; also contending that a bond for security which the registrar of the court settled contrary to the direction of the judge, is null and void. H. S. Cayley for the plaintiff, Taylor and O'Shea for the defendants.

Marino vs. Sproat and McInnes. This is a case arising in New Denver and the defendants are appealing from the judgment of Mr. Justice Irving given at Nelson. During the trial many important documents the plaintiff claimed that he had lost or never had. The defendant subsequent to the trial instituted detective proceedings to ascertain the truthfulness of the plaintiff's contention of the trial and claims to have got practically all of the documents which the plaintiff claimed that he had not in his possession. They are now moving to upset the judgment on these grounds, Elliott and Lennie for the plaintiff, Taylor and O'Shea for the defendants.

Oppenheimer vs. Brackman and Ker.—Judgment was given in Nelson in this matter by judge and jury for the defendant on counter claim based upon the plaintiff's breach of contract in not delivering hay. The plaintiff is now appealing, contending that the contract is null and void because of Brackman and Ker's acceptance of contract—plaintiff's offer contained paragraphs other than what referred to the terms of the original offer. This appeal arises from the new trial, the first trial being in favor of the plaintiff but reversed on appeal on the point that is now going to appeal. Elliott and Lennie for the plaintiff Talyor and O'Shea for the defendant company.

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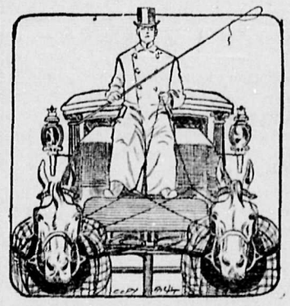

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Mrs. T. M. Crease, who has been visiting her son, Magistrate Crease, during the winter, left yesterday for her home in Ontario, Mr. and the Misses Crease accompanying her as far as Kootenay Landing.

The work on the float on which the Boat club's new building is to be erected is getting on well and the float will soon be in condition to have the actual building started. The float is composed of large dry cedar logs, laid crosswise in two tiers and bolted together. Over this there will be a tier of empty barrels and the timbers for the floor over this again.

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The True Blue lodge of Orangemen, which was recently organized in Nelson, held its first regular meeting on Thursday evening when seven new members were initiated. Regular meetings are to be held every second Thursday.

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Tomorrow at Emmanuel Congregational church, Rev. Wm. Munroe will preach at both services. The subject of the sermons will be, morning—The Wrath of Man, evening The True Test of Life. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone.

The conditions existing on the city wharf yesterday while passengers and freight to and from the steamers Moyie, Kokanee and International were being transferred was most dangerous. There were eleven teams with wagons all crowded together on the end of the wharf and as most of them were moving back or forward when the passengers were passing, if a runaway or stampede had occurred the consequences would undoubtedly have been most disastrous.

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Madden—E. Farrell, Slocan Junction; Bert Campbell, Nelson. Wash.; J. Cook, Fernie; T. Roberts, Elko.

Bartlett.—D. Anderson, Salmo.

A NOTABLE ENGAGEMENT.

Frederick Warde to Appear in Nelson For Three Nights.

Arrangements have been completed by Mr. Annable, manager of the Opera house, by which Frederick Warde, the eminent actor, and his distinguished company will positively appear in Nelson for three nights commencing, Thursday, April 17th. To accomplish this Mr. Annable has been compelled to assume a heavy responsibility, but he claims that he has no fears for the results as he feels that Nelson and the surrounding country will give him liberal support.

The engagement will begin on Thursday night with the production of D'Ennery's romantic drama "Belphegor, The Mountebank." This play is one of the most striking types of the grand old romantic school and was originally played in England by the famous English actor Charles Dillon. The character of The Mountebank runs the whole gamut of human passion and emotion and it requires a thoroughly versatile and experienced artist to do it justice. Mr. Warde is said to be great in the part and his company is admirably adapted to the various other roles. The scenes of the play are laid in France and afford some excellent opportunities for handsome stage settings.

Friday night the bill will be Shakespeare's historical tragedy "Julius Caesar," which is said to be one of the gems of the Warde repertoire because the three central figures of the story are so excellently acted. Mr. Warde will appear as Marc Antony, Mr. Charles D. Herman as Brutus, Mr. Barry Johnstone as Cassius, Miss Antoinette Ashton as Portia, wife of Brutus, and Miss Virginia Drew Trescott as Ceasar's wife, Calphurnia. This production scenically is also complete and is exceedingly interesting.

The engagement concludes on Saturday night with the presentation of Shakespeare's sublime tragedy "King Lear" which many critics contend is Frederick Warde's masterpiece. Though one of the most impressive of Shakespeare's plays "King Lear" has been seldom played because few actors are equal to the task. It requires a genius to master "King Lear." In the performance Saturday night Mr. Warde will be seen as Lear, Mr. Charles Herman as Edmund, Mr. Barry Johnstone as Edgar, Miss May Warde (Frederick Warde's youngest daughter) as Cordelia, Miss Antoinette Ashton as Regan and Miss Virginia Drew Trescott as Goneril. The scenic production of "King Lear" is one of the heaviest in Mr. Warde's repertoire and the great storm scene is said to be one of the most inspiring and realistic effects ever accomplished in the legitimate drama.

This engagement will be an event in the history of the theatre in Nelson and it will be due to the push and enterprise of our local manager that the treat is offered.

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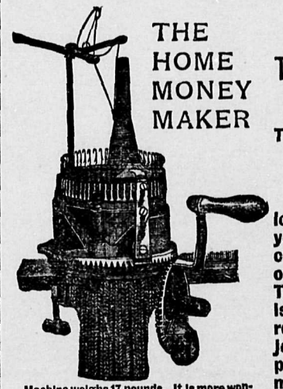

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