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SEYMOUR

Admiral Seymour and His Column Relieved at Last.

Surrounded and Entrenched. He Made a Brilliant Resistance.

Fate of Legations in Pekin Is Still an Unsolved Mystery.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

London, June 29.—4 a. m.—The casualties of the International force attacking Tien Tsin were the following: Americans, killed 3and wounded 2; British, killed 3 and wounded 1; Germans, killed 15, wounded 27; Russians, killed 10, wounded 37.

The gun fire of the Americans and British is described as beautiful.

After the relieving force pushed on to relieve Admiral Seymour, the Chinese regulars, under General Nieh, says a despatch from Shanghai, again attacked Tien Tsin fiercely and bombarded the foreign settlement with a terrible fire.

Colonel Dorward, British, commanded the column that relieved Admiral Seymour. American marines participated in the achievement. The Admiral was found entrenched and surrounded by immense masses of Chinese, who were driven off by the relieving column after a brisk fight. His men had made a brilliant resistance, never failing in courage for 15 days' of continuous fighting.

During ten days the men were on quarter rations. They started with provisions for ten days and they could have held out a day or two longer. The column was a few miles beyond Lofta. Deeming it hopeless to attempt to break through the hordes, Admiral Seymour essayed a night retreat to Tien Tsin, but he came into collision with a strong force of Chinese, arriving from the northeast, and could neither advance nor retreat. There was nothing to do but to entrench and stand a siege.

They vainly attempted heliographic communication. The Chinese displayfanatical courage in the attack. Four thousand Russians left Tien Tsin four days after Admiral Seymour, but they never got in touch with him. Railway communication from Taku to Tien Tsin has been restored and the force is advancing towards Pekin. Fighting was in progress on Wednesday in the the vicininy of Tsejtse Chu Lin. Large preparations are be made to support and reinforce the Pekin relieving column.

20,000 troops of all nations, largely Japanese have been landed. The fate of the members of the Legations is still a mystery. If they are alive and unharmed at Pekin, the Chinese Government deserves some credit, the Shanghai correspondents think, for restraining the fanatical tribes.

The Shanghai correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, wiring at 9:05 p.m, yesterday says:

"It is reported on good Chinese authority that the Government, alarmed by the foreign military preparations, has issued an edict ordering the peremptory suppression of the Boxers and announcing a decision to protect the Legations at all hazards."

However this may be, the British Consul at Shanghai received no definite information yesterday. The Daily Express correspondent says, that while solemnly promising complete abstention from warlike preparation, the Chinese are mounting several six-inch guns at the Woo Sung forts. Three British warships have sailed from Hong Kong to reinforce the allied squadron at Shanghai

The southern Provinces are sending troops toward Pekin and the exodus of Chinese of all classes from Shanghai continues at the rate of from 10,000 to 15,000 a day. Russian prestige has been injured during the recent fighting and an anti-Russian rising in the Liau Tong peninsula Russian Manchuria is predicted.

Che Foo, June 28, via Shanghai, noon.—Admiral Seymour's expedition has been relieved, having failed to connect with Pekin. There is no news from Pekin. The Russian General, Schlelle, commanding the combined forces of 10,000 men, is supposed to be proceeding to Pekin.

Admiral Seymour's expedition is returning to Tien Tsin. His force has suffered greatly. It is estimated that from 40,000 to 60,000 Chinese troops are now before Pekin. Boxers from all sections are swarming there.

The Russian General in command of the reiief force had decided, in view of Saturday's heavy fighting and marching, that one day's rest for the troops was essential, and that the advance should not be resumed until today. Meanwhile Admiral Seymour's heliograph flashed a message that his position was desperate and that he could only hold out two days. The relief started at dawn.

London, June 28.—Admiral Bruce, in command of the British forces at Taku, reports to the British Admiralty the following casualties: At Taku June 24, one seaman wounded; at Tien Tsin up to the forenoon of June 23, four seamen killed; Lieutenants Sterlin, Powell and Wright, Commander Beatty and 44 midshipmen and seamen wounded.

CANADIAN NEWS.

Winnipeg, Man., June 28.—Sir Henri Joly, new Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, passed through Winnipeg yesterday bound for Victoria. In passing through Regina this afternoon Sir Henri was welcomed at the station by Lieutenant-Governor and Madame Forget of the Northwest Territories.

Winnipeg, June 28.—It has been decided to hold extra sittings of the Legislature this week in order to permit of prorogation on Saturday morning. There is some doubt still existing as to whether all business will be completed this week, and adjournment may not take place until Wednesday. The Prohibition Bill was again under consideration by the Law Amendments Committee today.

St. Cartharines, Ont., June 28.—About one-third of the extensive lumber yard of George Wilson and Coy was destroyed by fire yesterday. The fire was discovered about 10 o'clock but before the firemen could get to work had made such headway that several piles of lumber were in flames which spread rapidly. The firemen were driven back step by step but after several hours hard work got the fire under control confining it to one section of the yard. About $10,000 loss, covered by insurance.

Ottawa, Ont., June 28.—A final meeting of the Emergency Rations Committee was held last night to prepare the report. The result will be that tomorrow there will be two reports presented to the House, minority and majority reports. The majority report will show that the Minister of Militia was in no way open to the charges laid against him by Mr. Monk, and that the goods were regularly purchased and regularly paid for.

The minority report will not adhere to all the charges preferred by Monk, but it will in a great way declare the Minister to be guilty of culpable negligence, although no proof is fortheoming. In fact those who were parties to making these charges are now endeavoring to let themselves down easily.

Ottawa, June 28.—Mr. Blair gave out an interesting statement of the Intercolonial Railway. He showed the earnings for the current year to have exceeded the expenditure by $120,000, and pointed out that the road would pay this year interest on every dollar invested in it. The earnings reached $4,530,000, or three-quarters of a million more than last year, which was a record on the road.

Windsor, Ont., June 28.—E. D. Craig, the first one of the Windsor boys to return from South Africa, arrived home yesterday. There was a large gathering at the depot to meet him. The crowd included a number of pretty girls and when young Craig stepped from the car he received "Hobson" greetings.

TO THE PUBLIC.

In order to better advance the commercial interests of Nelson, and at the same time give the reading public a better news service, the owners of The Tribune and The Miner have arranged that the former shall take the morning field and the latter the evening field, exclusively. The Tribune will be published every morning as at present, that is, every morning except Sunday; and The Miner every evening except Sunday. This will enable Nelson to supply all the country tributary with the latest news. The Miner will reach points on Kootenay Lake within four hours after it is published; Boundary points within six hours, and points on the Crow's Nest road and on the Columbia River within ten hours. The Tribune will reach all points in the Slocan, Nelson and Boundary districts upon the same day as published.

This arrangement will go into effect on Wednesday, July 4.

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SWINDLERS NABBED.

"Gold Brick" Operators Arrested in Danville.

Montreal, June 28.—Three men giving their names as Stephen J. Pratt, John Saunders and A. C. White were arrested this morning charged with attempting to sell a gold brick to Lorin Gordon, a hotel proprietor of Danville, Que., and his son, W. J. Gordon, for $5,000.

Pratt represented himself to be looking for an old chum, Alonzo Gordon, in order to get his assistance in securing certain mining rights in Arizona, and not finding him concluded his namesake would do as well.

An Indian, personated by Saunders, was represented as the past owner, and a gold brick was produced as a product of the mine. White, who had a room at the Windsor, was brought into the game as the assayer who pronounced the brick gold.

Gordon accompanied Pratt and Saunders to the Point St. Charles branch of the Bank of Toronto to get the money. The manager of the bank was suspicious and telephoned for the police. Pratt and Saunders, growing suspicious, made off, but were later captured by the police. A letter was found in Pratt's pocket, evidently intended to be sent to the Gordons after the purchase had been made, telling them they had been duped and that it would be useless trying to catch him.

Toronto, June 28.—The Royal Commission appointed some time ago by the Laurier Government to enquire into the alleged election corruption, will hold a first session on July 24, at whatever place evidence may be offered. Notice has been given that the Judges seek to have brought to their attention any and all complaints respecting the election of 1896, as well as elections prior and subsequent, and conduct of officials, in order to make enquiry into every case in which reasonable grounds appear. Persons with a desire to have elections investigated must notify the Registrar of the complaints.

Ottawa, June 28.—The Eddy-Bessey liigation, which has been before the courts for years, is ended. Tomorrow a motion will be made in the Quebec courts to settle all the actions pending and to ratify an agreement entered into by Mrs. Bessey and her father, E. B. Eddy. The terms of settlement involves the payment by Eddy of a sum of money, between $34,000 and $35,000, to Mrs. Bessey, and an agreement regarding the management of Mrs. Bessey's property.

Ottawa, 28.—The report of the committee to inquire into the charges preferred by Mr. Monk in connection with the emergency rations supplied to troops in South Africa, was presented to the House this morning. It completely exonerates the Minister.

Toronto, June 28.—At St. Thomas Church yesterday Captain Alex. Cartwright, son of Sir Richard Cartwright, and Miss Ada Hart, daughter of Mrs. Hart, of Harbor Street, were united in marriage. The event was a fashionable one.

Montreal, June 28.—Duncan Ross, a well-known railway contractor, died in the Western Hospital here today, aged 55 years and a native of Antigonish, N. S.

Toronto, June 28.—The Dominion Election Commission held its first session last night. Nothing but organizing was done.

CARNIVAL NEWS.

Smoker For Visitors. General News of the Committees.

The prizes for the Water Carnival are on exhibition in the Hudson Bay Store window. They are handsome prizes indeed and well worth seeing. The prize for the best decorated launch is a sterling silver berry set, consisting of a large bowl and two other pieces. For the best decorated sail boat there will be given a premo camera with a complete outfit. There are two prizes for decorated row boats, the first being a handsome liquor set in oak, consisting of three heavy cut glass decanters in a rack, a wine cooler, hooped with silver, and a tray with silver handles. The second prize for row boats is a complete fishing outfit, split bamboo rod, reel, tapered line and book of flies. The owner of the prettiest canoe will receive a Winchester magazine rifle in a case. A handsome lamp will be given for the best instrumental music played on any boat.

Captain Troup has placed the C. P. R. house boat at the disposal of the Water Carnival Committee for use as a judge's stand during the Carnival. She will be anchored at the end of the ice house wharf. Immediately behind her will be moored a barge, belonging to McArthur & Co., which will be used for the display of fireworks.

No one should forget the importance of decorating for the celebration next week. Many are now at work and those who have not already begun to do so should not delay any longer.

On the evening of Monday next the visiting oarsmen, firemen, etc., will be tendered a smoker in Fraternity Hall, for which elaborate preparations are being made. The hall had been engaged by Mr. Millward who intended putting a dance on, but was cheerfully given up by him for anything that would assist in the entertainment of the city's guests. In connection with the smoker, K. C. Beaton, Secretary of the Carnival Committee, would like to secure the names of some good entertainers, singers, dancers, elocutionists, etc. Any suggestions in this connection may be left at The Miner office and will be thankfully received.

The Vancouver four-oared crew left Vancouver for Nelson yesterday afternoon and will arrive here this evening. They will be quartered at the Hume Hotel during their stay here. They bring with them one of the best cedar shells on the Pacific Coast and have expressed themselves as confident of their ability to hold their own with the boys from the Prairie Capital.

At the last moment it has been found impossible to arrange with the Spokane team for a game here during the Carnival. The Rossland team is coming, however, and negotiations are on with the Colfax, Wash., team, a strong aggregation, with a good prospect of securing them. In any event visitors to Nelson and Nelson citizens will be given some fast baseball.

The Carnival General Committee will give a prize of $10 to the driver of the best looking team of horses in the trades procession. The amount is not large, but it is given at the re-request of some of the drivers who are interested in presenting the best possible appearance with their horses.

The General Carnival Committee has arranged with the Nelson Saw Mill and Planing Company for the use of their wharf, which will be fitted with seats for spectators of the Water Carnival. There will be an admission fee of 25 cents charged. There are four old barges that will be brought up and attached to the end of the wharf and will also be fitted with seats. From this point a most excellent view of the aquatic sports can be had, and it is thought many will take an advantage of the good position.

LOCAL NEWS.

Clara Mathes' stock company which will appear at the Opera House for a weeks run, commencing next Monday, is well known to theatre-goers as a first class organization that is keeping pace with the times. The coming of this company will be an innovation in amusement annals. It is one of the best and largest repertoire companies ever organized to play at popular prices, presenting the newest, best and latest plays. The company is replete with pretty girls, graceful dancers, new music and refined vaudeville. "Brown's in Town" will be the opening play and is a bright laughable clean bit of comedy. The bill will be changed nightly so that Nelson's play goers may look forward to a pleasant week.

At the close of a term of hard work, all the school children of Nelson had a day's outing in the form of a picnic which was held at Lake Park yesterday afternoon. At 1 o'clock all the children gathered at the Central School, where the two cars awaited them, and were conveyed to the park. Luncheon was taken along and a delightful and happy time was spent by the little ones. The teachers accompanied the children and also enjoyed the day's outing. The expense of the car fare was paid by several of the business men of the city. The affair was under the direction of Principal Soady. Today, being the last day of the present term, the walls of the room and the corridors of the building will cease to echo the merry laughter and sound of hurrying feet until the Fall term opens in September. At 1:30 o'clock this afternoon the reports of the results of the promotion examination, which have been held in the school during the past week, will be read. The pupils will then know the grades in which they are to work during the coming term. During this afternoon a literary and musical programme will be rendered and interesting closing exercises are expected.

W. H. Sandiford, manager of the Bosun Mine, which is situated near new Denver, arrived in Nelson last evening. In the course of an interview he said, "We have made a record shipment this month, having sent 140 car loads to the Trail smelter. Nearly two-thirds of the month was spent in development work. The ore which is galena is giving good returns. The smelter returns per car average from $1,200 to $1,500." They are now working 34 men at the mine, and have a large amount of ore blocked out. In the property they have run five tunnels and have found ore in four of them. The ledge proper is from two to five feet wide. It is a true vein as there are two distinct walls on either side. A portion of the ore contains zinc. This variety of ore is shipped to Antwerp, Belgium, making it the only mine of British Columbia which does a purely commercial business with that country. The mine is capitalized for 50,000 pounds and a large amount of this has not been called in. The property possesses great advantage in its situation. The company have a good road and wharf and the best possible arrangements for an ore shipping mine.

YALE WINS.

Varsity Boat Race Won By Yale in Very Good Time.

New London, Conn., June 28.—The Varsity boat race, which was rowed here on the Thames River today, was won by Yale, in spite of the fact that she was handicapped by having a "sub" in the boat. The race was a close one, the official time being as follows: Yale, 21 minutes 12 4-5 seconds; Harvard, 21 minutes 37 2-5 seconds. The length of the course was four miles and the race was rowed on a strong ebb tide.

ORTON'S EPIGRAM.

The only Arthur Orton wrote:

"Some men has money and no brains an' some has brains an' no money. Them as has money and no brains, was made for them as has brains an' no money."

Arthur Orton knew more about truth than grammar.

HOSPITALS

The London House Considers Charges Against Medical Corps.

War Office Submits Roberts' Correspondence on Subject.

He Deeply Deplores Certain Conditions—Denies Neglect.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

London, June 29.—2:30 a, m.—Lord Roberts has sent bulletins of two small fights, occurring on June 26 and 27, in which the Boers were discomfited. In a despatch from Pretoria, dated yesterday, he says:

"A small force of mounted troops with two guns, commanded by Lieutenant Colonel Dreiper, was attacked by the enemy under Prefers and Nel on the morning of June 26, seven miles north of Senekal. They beat off the enemy and burned their laager. Our casualties were three killed and 10 wounded.

"General Hunter, temporarily commanding Ian Hamilton's brigade, made one march yesterday from Hiedelderg toward Frankfort without meeting any opposition. The enemy attacked our Roodeval Spruit post on the railway yesterday, but were easily beaten off by a detachment of the Derbyshire Light Infantry, the West Australian Mounted Infantry, a 15-pounder, and an armored train.

"General Baden-Powell reports the capture of an influential Boer named Ray who was endeavoring to raise a commando in the Rustenberg district. A patrol brought in over one hundred rifles and more than 4,000 rifles and 1,000 inferior pieces have been taken during the last few days. He declares that thirty Boers have arrived at Rustenberg going to their homes from Delarey's commando. They would have left before if they had seen the proclamation which was carefully withheld by the Boer authorities."

Lord Roberts said that Wednesday, June 27, was a record market day in Pretoria for Boer farmers selling produce. Parties of Boers still hang on General Buller's flanks. Mr. F. R. Burnham, the American scout, is invalided.

London, July 28.—The exposures regarding the hospitals in South Africa, which began with a three-column letter in The Times Monday from Mr. W. A. Burdette-Coutts, Conservative Member of Parliament for Westminster, detailing the great suffering endured by the soldiers owing to mismanagement, led to a number of questions in the House of Commons today. In response to these the Government leader, Mr. A. J. Balfour, the First Lord of the Treasury made a long statement, during the course of which he said that so far as the Government was aware not any of the sufferings of the sick or wounded were due to insufficiency in the supplies furnished.

He then proceeded to read extracts from the correspondence with Lord Roberts on the same subject, in which the British Commander-in-Chief, in South Africa, dwelt on the difficulties of transport, owing to his rapid advance. He could quite understand that people, imperfectly experienced in these matters, were concerned at hearing of the hardships the sick and wounded had to undergo. He said he did not wish to shirk responsibility or screen anyone, and suggested a committee of medical men and persons of sound common sense should proceed to South Africa to investigate the charges.

Mr. Balfour informed the House that the Government agreed to the appointment of an independent committee as suggested by Lord Roberts and he would propose a nominal grant for the army medical corps so that the House would have an opportunity to thresh out the matter.

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D. J. BEATON, Editor and Manager

A QUEER LOT.

Mr. Ford is very careful to send over to The New York Tribune the information that the London newspapers refused to become the least agitated over the nomination of Mr. McKinley for another Presidential term. He would, indeed, give the impression that the indifference displayed bordered closely on the hostile. His American readers are asked to believe that in Great Britain there is little esteem for Mr. McKinley, and the most absolute indifference to the fortunes of the Republican party. Both are disliked because of their extreme views on protection, for which little sympathy exists in free trade England. The nomination was received with coldness, amounting almost to a frost, and The Tribune's able correspondent takes occasion to let it be known.

It probably requires a little stretch of the imagination to believe that the English papers and Mr. Ford are in collusion with the Republican leaders in the United States to secure the reelection of Mr. McKinley. But a suspicion of this will arise in the face of so much protesting. Few Presidents, if any, have stood higher in the esteem of the British public than has Mr. McKinley, and if some other person had secured the nomination at Philadelphia the other day the newspapers would have been much surprised and disappointed. Over in Great Britain they have settled down to the conviction that as long as Mr. McKinley is head of the Executive, the United States will not be exploited in the interests of an enemy. Perhaps the evolution of an imperialism among our Republican neighbors has brought the two nations into closer sympathy, but whatever the cause the relations were never so cordial between Westminster and Washington as they have been since Mr. McKinley became President.

If the London papers were really as frosty in their comments as Mr. Ford represents, it can mean only that they are taking the measure of the American people. These are a queer lot. The average American, although the greatest reader of newspapers in the world, is the most ignorant. He is the most ignorant because he never reads a word of any other country but his own, and believes there is no other worth reading about. To him the United States is the beginning and the end of all creation. Until a few years ago his newspaper, with very rare exceptions, never by any chance published a bit of foreign news. Among a people so ignorant it was always easy to stir up the old Anglophobia, and in every Presidential election the bosses harped upon this string. There have been elections in which hatred of Great Britain has been a more potent factor than any special line of domestic policy. English newspapers have observed this before today, and have sufficiently regarded it to put some constraint upon themselves in meddling with the affairs of their cousins. A word said in favor of one party was taken up by the other as strongest proof that it was in favor of the hated English, while an election at all without British gold on one side or the other was an impossibility. Today the London papers are deciding to keep out of it, knowing that the least friendly word for Mr. McKinley would be nuts for the partisans of Mr. Bryan. They are, indeed, a queer lot, are these Americans; veritable babes in the affairs of the world, but with expanding notions, now that they have discovered, through the lessons of Cuba and the Philippines, that they are not the only people on earth.

Australian federation is not making the progress that was expected a few months ago. This is due to the narrowness of the Australians themselves. The correspondent of The Monetary Times, of Toronto, thus explains it: "The trouble is over the clause in the proposed Constitution, which limits the right of appeal to the Privy Council and gives power to the Federal Parliament to limit it still further. This device is the work of a few barristers who drew up the Constitution, and was overlooked in the public discussions. The commercial men, the great majority of the lawyers, and the bankers wish to do away with the limitation, and so do the majority of the people who talk about the matter. Indeed they are amazed to learn that the proposed Constitution had not been submitted to the Imperial Government before it was submitted to the people here, when the objection could have been taken in better time. The Governors of the Colonies must certainly have neglected their duties in this matter. A minority have the curious notion that because the people voted for the Constitution, right or wrong—it must go through without change. They calmly propose to alter the terms of the partnership without consulting the chief partner. This narrowness of view is one of the chief evils of the insularity of Australia, and the petty parish politics that has been the result of its divisions."

In a paper contributed to The Forum Mr. John Charlton, without intending it, tells in brief figures what the preferential tariff has done for Great Britain. During the last fiscal year Canada sold to the Mother Country nearly three times as much as to the United States, but curiously enough bought from the United States nearly three times as much as from the Mother Country. Here are the figures:

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Sewell left for Vancouver last evening.

Mrs. W. J. Goepel has returned home from a trip to the Coast.

Beaver Line steamer Lake Superior arrived at Liverpool 6 a. m. on the 27th.

W. J. Davidson of the Kokanee has been appointed as freight clerk of the Kootenay.

Beaver Line steamer Lake Champlain inward bound, passed Cape Race at 2 p.m. on the 27th.

Work will be started today on the laying of the sewer along the line of blocks 66, 69 and 68.

At the Police Court yesterday morning, before Magistrate Crease, two drunks were fined $5 and costs.

Mr. W. H. Dowsing will leave for Spokane tomorrow where he expects to remain two or three weeks.

Mr. M, Bennison, formerly of the steamer Kootenay, has been transferred to the Minto as purser.

There will be a second prize for the 100 yards race for grocer's clerks on Tuesday as a box of cigars has been donated for that purpose.

W. H. Sandiford and Mrs. Sandiford are at the Phair for a few days. Mr. Sandiford is the manager of the Bosun mine at New Denver.

Mrs. J. Roderick Robertson, who has been seriously ill for several weeks past, has recovered sufficiently to allow her to leave her bed.

Twenty-five Italians were booked yesterday for Sault Ste. Marie over the C. P. R. They will be employed in constructing railroad lines in that district.

Phair: J. W Smyth, Cranbrook: C. H. Wolf, Spokane: T. J. Walker, Rossland; A. G. Creelman, Rossland; C. W. Vedder, Spokane; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sandiford, New Denver.

Hume: G. A. Mitchell, Rossland: A. Harvey, Vancouver; A. Wachtmuster, Ainsworth; Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Collins, Spokane; John Smith, Revelstoke: S. Didisheim, Revelstoke.

Charles E. Waterman, manager of the local baseball team, received word from the manager of the Boston Bloomer team that the latter would not be able to play in Nelson until the latter part of July.

The work of repairing and refitting the telephone exchange is proceeding rapidly and the system will in all probability be in working order today. The Miner staff were glad to hear the voice of "Exchange" again last night.

Dr. Hall has been appointed goal referee for the game between the Nelson and Kaslo clubs. The game will take place at 6:30 o'clock Monday evening, William McAdam and F. E. Dynes will be in charge of the gates, and an admission of 25 cents will be charged.

J. E. Annable, manager of the Nelson Opera House, will today have a bandstand added to the front of the building, just below the center window. It is expected the work will be completed tomorrow or Monday. It is intended that it will serve as an exit case of fire, and fire-escapes will be attached to the structure.

J. E. Annable, who has just returned from the Hector Mine, which joins the townsite of Ainsworth, brings good reports from that property. Two ledges have been discovered, each being four feet wide. One has been stripped 300 feet. The paystreak is from 10 to 12 inches wide, the ore from this running about $40. The other part of the ledge contains concentrating ore. At present they have 300 tons in the bin at the mine, and a carload was shipped to the Trail smelter yesterday. The property is owned by a Nelson Syndicate and is under a bond of $15,000. The directors will hold a meeting in Nelson next week to discuss what action to take in developing the property.

The annual school meeting of the Nelson school district will be held in the school house at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning for the purpose of electing a trustee for the ensuing year and transacting other business. It is desired that all ratepayers of the district make an effort to attend without being personally called upon by the trustees.

The C. P. R. is now engaged in connecting its branch, which ends at the eastern city limits, with the branch of the S. F. & N. R. R. which ends about 1,000 yards beyond the city. The connection will be completed in about a week and will enable the C. P. R. to ship over the other road material for the completion of the Balfour extension.

Mr. J. J. Campbell, of the Hall Mines, has received a cablegram from London saying that the Company has gone into allotment on the new shares. It will be remembered that Mr. Campbell received a notification several weeks ago saying that proposals for new shares had been called for. It is these shares that are now being allotted.

J. A. Turner, Government Agent, has returned from Silverton, where he spent several days ascertaining the damage done by the slide on Four-Mile Road, near Grady's Gulch. The landslide was quite a bad one, several hundred feet of rock and dirt having been carried away from the roadbed. The road is a Government one and repairs will be made at once.

Superintendent Hodge, of the Telephone Company, was in the Boundary Country when the fire occurred at the Exchange office. Mr. Hodge was telegraphed for and returned yesterday, bringing a new switchboard with him, which was installed at the central station last night. Nearly all of the lines in the lower part of town were in working order last night.

Yesterday the following transactions were recorded at the Mining Recorder's Office: Locations—Procter, on Morning Mountain, by Ewen McFadgen. Certificates of Work: To John Philbut on Sophia and Olga; to William Schanalzred on First Relief; to Moses St. Charles, on Red Eagle and Grand Republic; to Susie Ford, on Black Star; to E. Peters, on Charmer; to William Allen, on Dollie Virden and Zula King.

H. A. Haybridge of Slocan Junction, was brought before Magistrate Crease yesterday morning, at the Court House, on a charge of selling venison out of season. Owing to the non-appearance of two of the witnesses, the case was adjourned until 11 a. m. next Wednesday. J. Hampson, who was a witness for the defendant, gave his evidence as it would be impossible for him to appear next Wednesday. Mr. George A. Stewart Potts, appeared on behalf of the defendant.

EDITOR'S AWFUL PLIGHT.

F. M. Higgins, Editor Seneca (Ills.) News, was afflicted for years with piles that no doctor or remedy helped until he tried Bucklen's Arnica salve. He writes two boxes wholy cured him. It's the surest pile cure on earth and the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25 cents. Sold by Canada Drug and Book Company.

The Hall Mining and Smelting Company, the successor to the Hall Mines, Ltd., has issued notice that holders of ordinary shares in the old company are entitled to claim an equal number of ordinary shares of £1 each in the new company, with 15 per cent per share credited as having been paid up thereon. Forms of claims for signature are now at the Hall Mines office.

L. L. Merrifield of the Venus Mine, and J. Roberts, who was operating the mill came down from the mine yesterday and left for Toronto last evening. Mr. Merrifield said that the mill was working splendidly and that the crusher was giving the best satisfaction. It is expected that when they make a clean-up at the end of the month that they will have a $1,000 brick.

George A. Mitchell, Traveling Freight Agent for the Northern Pacific, with headquarters at Rossland, arrived in the city yesterday morning. He states that although freight traffic was good at the first of the month, it is much better now and that there is a good prospect for the summer season in that department. There is also a better feeling, as to trade, among all the business men of the Kootenay district and an impression that times are bound to improve.

Mr. W. H. Bullock-Webster and Magistrate Crease left last evening for Fernie, where the second trial of ex-constable Bullick on the charge of stealing Government moneys, will be heard today. The case will be heard before Magistrate Crease. It will be remembered that Bullick was tried before Magistrate Lange last week, who dismissed the case, Immediately after the dismissal, through the instructions of the Attorney-General, new information was laid, which resulted into todays's trial.

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$1,135.65, this is the amount to date saved to customers who purchased goods at the Wallace-Miller Co., Ltd., Store during the great June Discount Sale. This saving will allow them to enjoy the Carnival in good shape.

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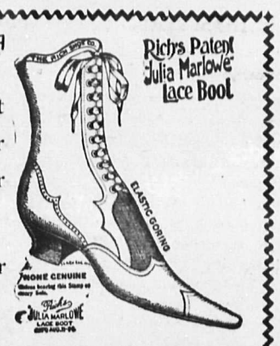

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HOSPITALS

Continued From First Page.

London, June 28.—The War Office has issued correspondence with Lord Roberts regarding the charges of Mr. Burdet Coutts.

On June 4th his attention was called in brief telegrams to the allegations and also to other complaints of a general break-down in the hospital system. Two days later he replied in part as follows:

"The principal medical officer reported the arrangements at Kroonstadt were in all respects in good order and Lord Methuen said they were thoroughly satisfactory. I was deeply distressed at being unable to make suitable arrangements for the sick on our first arrival at Kroonstadt, but it is obvious that a certain amount of suffering is inseparable from the rapid advances of a large army into an enemy's country."

On June 20, the War Office cabled Lord Roberts that disquieting reports regarding the hospital were accumulating and asked him if anything could be done and particularly whether more nurses were needed.

On June 25, Lord Roberts replied, saying that he did not wish to shirk responsibility or screen the shortcomings of the medical corps and suggested a committee of inquiry.

He said there had been an abnormal number of sick at Bloemfontein, due to the exhausting nature of the march and the terrible, unsanitary condition at the camp at Paardeberg, where the only water available for drinking flowed from the Boer camp, higher up, where the river was crowded with decomposing animals and also with a considerable number of wounded after the fight on March 10th.

To improvise accommodations at Bloemfontein for such a number, which had become 7000 before he left Bloemfontein, was no easy task, said Lord Roberts. No tents were carried and the public buildings had to be turned into hospitals.

In three months there had been 6,739 admissions to the hospital of patients suffering from entertic fever, while the deaths numbered 1,370, about 21 per cent. Lord Roberts observed that he did not know whether this would be an abnormal rate in a civil hospital in peace times, but if the rates were abnormal, it was due to the exhausted state of the men and not to the neglect of the medical corps.

Toronto, June 28.—The Canadian delegates to the World's Chamber of Commerce meeting assisted in the unanimous carrying this morning of a resolution urging the Imperial Government to appoint a Royal Commission to consider trade relations. All Canadian resolutions would thereupon be withdrawn. Regarding the Colonial contribution to the Imperial Army and Navy, Mr. Hadrill of Montreal, proposed that the colonies should contribute and urged the Imperial Government to convene an Imperial conference to consider the whole question. Mr. Geoffrion of Montreal, opposed the proposal. He said Canada did the best she could for defence out of sympathy and did not desire Imperial taxation. The resolution was adopted with three or four dissentients, Neville M. Lubbock moved a resolution requesting the Imperial Government to enter into a convention with Austria, Germany and other powers for abolition of the sugar bounties. The Secretary of the Manchester Chamber begged the Canadian delegates not to take part in the discussion in which they were not concerned.

GLIMPSES FOR FIVE CENTS.

The Miner has on hand a number of portfolios of "Glimpses of South Africa." There are no complete sets left, numbering from one to eighteen, but there are several of all other numbers with the exception of three, four, five and six. These will be sold at five cents per copy.

New Dry Goods ..Store..

TODAY AND SATURDAY

The last two days of our Great Reduction Sale, we want to take in more money than the first two. Here are a few SPECIALS for those who come early:

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56 inches wide, worth 75c; today and Saturday 45c yd.

5/8 Table Napkins; regular $1.00; today and Saturday 65c doz.

60-inch Linen, worth 90c; today and Saturday 55c yd.

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Passages arranged to and from all European points. For rates, tickets and full information apply to C. P. R. depot agent or W. F. Anderson, City Passenger Agent, Nelson, B. C.

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Nelson, June 24th, 1900.

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To Share Warrants Holders:

Special resolutions for liquidation and reconstruction were passed at an Extraordinary General Meeting held on the 12th of April last, and confirmed at a further meeting on the 30th idem, and in conformity therewith a new Company has been registered under the name of the Hall Mining & Smelting Company (Limited) having a capital of £325,000 in Ordinary shares of £1 each.

As Liquidator of the old Company I give notice that the Agreement for the transfer of the assets of the old Company to the new Company, which was submitted to and approved by the said Extraordinary General Meeting, has now been executed and is dated the 8th of June 1900. Holders of Ordinary shares in the old Company are entitled to claim as of right an allotment of an equal number of Ordinary shares of £1 each in the new Company with 15 per cent. per share credited as having been paid up thereon. Forms of claims for signature can be obtained at the offices of the Hall Mines Limited, Nelson, British Columbia, and in order to be effective the same must be forwarded so as to reach the office of the new Company, No. 1 Leadenhall Street, London, England, not later than Friday, 27th July, 1900.

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Certificate of Improvements.

Notice—Venango and Shenango mineral claim, situate in the Nelson Mining Division of West Kootenay District. Where located—On west side of Eagle Creek, about 2,000 feet southwest of the Poorman quartz mill.

Take notice that I, Chas. Moore of Kaslo, B. C., acting as agent for Thos. R. French, F. M. C. No. 11,305 B and Isaac Erickson., Free Miner's Certificate No. 11,304 B, intend, sixty days from the date thereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvement for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 25th day of April, 1900.

CHAS. MOORE, P. L. S.

Notice is hereby given that an extraordinary meeting of the shareholders of the Cascade Water Power & Light Company, Limited, will be held at the offices of the London & British Columbia Goldfields, Limited, Baker Street, City of Nelson, British Columbia, on Wednesday the 5th day of July at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

The business to be entered upon at the said meeting is as follows:

(a) For the purpose of considering the giving of a further mortgage of £2,300, to be charged upon all the assets and property, both real and personal of the company of whatsoever nature or kind and upon all the income and also upon the undertaking of the Company generally, and if decided upon, to authorize the execution of the said mortgage to secure the said sum of £2,300, with interest at 6 per cent.

(b) To consider and accept, should it be so decided, the resignations of the directors of the company.

(c) And, in the event of the acceptance of such resignations, to elect directors in the place of such retiring.

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7.10 Train leaves Nelson for Rossland and intermediate points, and via Robson for north, Revelstoke, the main line and Pacific coast points.

7.30 Train leaves Nelson for Sandon and intermediate points and via Slocan Lake route for north, Revelstoke, the main line and Pacific coast points.

Train arrives at Nelson from Rossland and intermediate points.....10.35

Steamer arrives at Nelson from Kaslo and intermediate points.....11.00

15.30 Trains leaves Nelson for Rossland, Greenwood and intermediate points.

16.00 Steamer leaves Nelson for Kaslo and way points.

Train arrives at Nelson from Rossland and Greenwood and intermediate points, and from Revelstoke, the main line, and Pacific coast points.....18.45

Train arrives in Nelson from Sandon and intermediate points, and from Revelstoke, the main line and the Pacific coast points.....19.30

22.30 Steamer leaves Nelson for Crows Nest branch and all points east.

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Connects at Meyer's Falls with stage daily for Republic, and connects at Bossburg with stage daily for Grand Forks and Greenwood.

LEAVE.	Day Train.	ARRIVE.
10:35 a.m.	Spokane	7:10 p.m.
12:05 p. m.	Rossland	5:30 p.m.
9:30 a. m.	Nelson	8:00 p.m.
	Night Train.	
9:45 p.m.	Spokane	7:05 a.m.
11:00 p.m.	Rossland	6:30 a.m.

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