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FREE TRADE FOR ENGLAND

Says Governor of the Union Bank of London

The Preference in Canada and South Africa

London, July 29.—Governor F. O. Schuster, at a meeting of the Union bank of London, today made a lengthy reference to the British fiscal controversy. The whole tenor of Mr. Schuster's remarks were opposed to the tampering with free trade.

He expressed the belief that the United States was within "measureable distance of adopting free trade" and in support of this said he had a private interview with the late president McKinley, two years ago, in which the latter said: "My tariff bill has done its work. We have been able to build up many great industries in a short time and now gradually, but inevitably, our tariff must be reduced."

Montreal, July 29.—A Star's London cable says: A correspondent of the Frankfurter Zeitung, controverts Mr. Chamberlain's assertion that certain Glasgow firms owed Canadian orders for locomotives to Canada's preferential treatment of English imports, and declares that Canadian railways in urgent need of locomotives placed their orders exclusively with a view to rapid delivery. The correspondent states also, that the Chemnitz engineering works also received Canadian orders.

The prince of Wales, having at his disposal $6,650, the proceeds of the recent cookery food exhibition, has decided to divide the money among four families desirious of emigrating to Canada under the self-help scheme of the east end emigration fund.

The preferential tariff was again carried by the casting vote of the chief justice in the upper house of the Cape parliament today. The Dutch members moved to eliminate the principle of preferential treatment from South African customs, and to revise duties with a view to protection of South African industries. This was rejected.

Considerable surprise is expressed over the disclosure of Austin Chamberlain in the house of commons, that the profits of the Pacific cable go to the American cable companies. It appears that the Atlantic cable combine leaves one shilling for service indications on each message in addition to their charge per word. Thus on a fifteen shilling Australian cable message consisting of five words, the Atlantic pooled companies take nearly one-third of the total. No charge for service indications is made by the Canadian, Australian or British governments, or by the Pacific cable board.

THIS IS A CINCH.

Cunard Shareholders Get $5,000,000—Only British Directors.

Liverpool, July 29.—The shareholders of the Cunard Steamship company at a meeting held today, unanimously aproved the change in the articles of association, announced July 21st, by which the government will pay considerably over $5,000,000 for the construction of two additional steamers for the line, they to place the whole fleet at the disposal of the admiralty for use as cruisers and providing for an improved Atlantic mail service. The Cunard company also confirmed the agreement with the government, which the chairman said did not constitute subsidizing the company, but only "paying for services rendered."

Liverpool, July 29.—The directors of the Cunard Steamship company and also all other prominent officers of the company are in future to be exclusively British. Action to this end was taken today at a special meeting of the shareholders, who adopted a stringent provision to prevent foreigners holding shares in the company directly or in trust. Another provision gives the directors absolute power to enter into any agrement with the government for the carrying of mail, building of vessels, or the placing of vessels at the disposal of the government.

HONOLULU POLITICS.

Governor is Corrupt Says the Home Rule Party.

Honolulu, July 29.—The platform adopted yesterday by the convention of the home rule party denounces the administration of governor Dole as oligarchial, the charge being made that the governor and a slected few control the affairs of the territory in a selfish and wasteful manner. The administration is charged with being corrupt, and favoritism is declared to be rampant to a degree intolerable to the citizens ot the islands. It was decided that the time is not ripe for the presentation to the national congress for a memorial praying for an independent form of government similar to that enjoyed by Cuba.

YESTERDAY'S FATALITIES.

Negro Preacher Murders Wife—Lightning Kills Italians.

Kansas City, Mo., July 29.—Rev. Ed. Hilson, a negro preacher, shot and instantly killed his wife in a confectionery store in Kansas City at a late hour last night. Hilson's wife had sued for a diveorce.

Pittsburg, Pa., July 29.—During a terrible storm this afternoon a number of Italians took refuge in a building in Kelly street. The building was struck by lightning and two men were killed instantly. Three others were injured but will recover. Ballaston, N. H., July 29.—Miss Margaret Booth, an elderly maiden lady, a sister of president Andrew Booth, of the Ballaston Panorama bank was struck and instantly killed by the locomotive of the Saratoga and New York limited which does not stop at this station, early today while crosing the track in the rear of her residence.

London, Ont., July 29.—George, nine year old son of Christopher Taylor, is dead from lockjaw, caused by a slight wound from the eyelet of a boot.

Sarnia, Ont., July 29.—Mrs. Gilbert Taylor was drowned yesterday in anunsuccessful attempt to rescue a child from drowning.

CONVENTIONS AT KAMLOOPS

F. J. DEANE UNANIMOUS CHOICE OF LIBERALS.

GATHERING WAS A THOROUGHLY REPRESENTATIVE ONE.

[Special to The Daily News.]

Kamloops, July 29.—The liberals of Kamloops electoral district in convention this afternoon unanimously nominated F. J. Deane as their standard bearer in the coming provincial campaign.

The convention was a thoroughly representative one of the whole riding. Thirty-nine delegates were in attendance. Hewitt Bostock, ex-M.P., presided. Before proceeding to the nomination, a resolution was unanimously adopted pledging every delegate present to support a majority choice of the convention.

Only one name was placed in nomination, that of F. J. Deane, proposed by W. A. Palmer, rancher, of Salmon Arm, seconded by A. E. Walker, locomotive engineer, of Kamloops.

The candidate briefly addressed the convention, and the work of organization was then proceeded with.

The conservatives of Kamloops electoral district also held a convention here this afternoon. F. J. Fulton, barrister, and former member for north Yale, was the unanimous choice, being the only candidate proposed. The convention was attended by twenty-seven delegates, and was presided over by John Milton of this city. The nomination of Fulton was moved by Adam Ferguson, hotelkeeper, Savonas, seconded by W. T. Smith, rancher, Tappen Siding.

HIGH SCHOOLS.

Results Announced of Recent Examinations in the Province.

[Special to The Daily News.]

Victoria, July 29.—The results of the high school examination, which was held in the early part of July, are now available.

There were in all 227 candidates, 74 writing in Victoria, 76 in Vancouver, 22 in New Westminster, 24 in Nanaimo, 15 in Nelson, five in Rossland and five in Cumberland. Six candidates were furnished by rural and private schools.

The results are as follows in the up country points:

Nelson—Intermediate, maximum 1,500.—

Helen M. G. Campbell	935
Douglas W. L. Pettit	813
James B. Ferguson	707

Number of candidates, 11; passed, 4.

Rossland—Junior, maximum 1,400.—

Edwin H. Funk	1,133
Katherine E. McDougall	918
Selma Demuth	814
Florence M. White	796
Mary Twaddle	794

Number of candidates, 5; passed 5.

THE MINES AT YMIR.

Valuable Ore Exposed at the Nome Fraction—Spotted Horse Group

[Special to The Daily News.]

Ymir, July 29.—Herbert Porter, who has taken a lease on the Nome fraction, owned by the Atlin Mining & Milling company, has a force of men at work getting out ore from the surface workings. Recent work has resulted in the vein being shown up much better than heretofore and a large body of valuable ore has been exposed. Meanwhile the company's men are driving the crosscut tunnel which should very shortly reach the vein.

Cole and Ditter are developing the Spotted Horse group on Barrett creek. This is a group which has produced some of the richest gold rock ever sen in the camp, and the showing now obtained is reported to far excel anything previously obtained.

A wagon road is being constructed from the neighborhood of Porto Rico siding to the Gold Cup group recently bonded to Messrs Wolffe and Dawault.

THE SHAMROCKS.

Had a Sail Stritching Trial Yesterday—Challenger's New Mainsail.

Atlantic Highlands, N. J., July 29.—Shamrock III. had a sail stretching trial today. Another new mainsail, her fourth since reaching New York, was put on today. Both Shamrocks went out this morning in a biting 12-knot wind, the older boat setting the challenger a stiff pace. In the afternoon, after some alterations on Shamrock III. another sail stretching was had, and the boats returned to their anchorage.

On his way up New York harbor later, sir Thomas was given an admiral's salute of thirteen guns by the New York police boat, which also ran sir Thomas's flag to the fore. Sir Thomas denies the report that he is to change his racing captains.

Next Saturday sir Thomas will start on a two day's sightseeing trip to Buffalo and Niagara Falls and possibly into Canada, returning on Monday. He will have a special train on the Lehigh Valley road.

HONOR KING HUMBERT'S MEMORY.

Rome, July 29.—The king and queen returned today from their summer villa near Turin and attended the exercises held in observance of the anniversary of the assassination of king Humbert, who was killed at Monza, July 29th, 1900 by the anarchist, Gaetano Bresci. Commemorative services were held throughout Italy though Rome was the centre of the observances. It is estimated that 100,000 strangers visited the tomb of king Humbert in the Pantheon during the day. The pilgrimage to the Pantheon occurred at 4. o'clock in the afternoon. Owing to the unusual number of strangers now in Rome and the latent though none the less deep political and religious feeling pervading all classes of society on account of the papal conclave the government took extraordinary precautions to prevent any unseemly demonstrations. For the same reasons of state the memorial exercises were curtailed with a view to attracting less attention. The procession to the Pantheon was composed of delegations from all the Italian provinces. The pilgrims filed in procession past the vault containing the remains of king Humbert and there deposited a large number of wreaths.

SOURIS TEAM DEFEATED.

Medicine Hat Lacrosse Team Downs Champions By Four to One.

[Special to The Daily News.]

Medicine Hat, July 29.—The lacrosse game today between Souris and Medicine Hat was won by the latter by a score of 4 to 1. The team play of Medicine Hat was superior to that of Souris today, but a harder game is expected for tomorrow.

The citizens were treated to the best and fastest game ever played here.

NAVAL BASE STRENGTHENED

NINETY-TWO GUNS BEING PLACED AT ESQUIMALT.

BUT NAVAL FORCE MAY BE REDUCED SOMEWHAT.

Victoria, July 29.—There are rumors current at Esquimalt that H. M. S. Grafton may be sent to the China station when rear admiral Bickford leaves for home shortly, but no confirmation or denial of the report is obtainable.

Already one of the vessels of this station has been sent to the China station from Esquimalt, and never replaced. At the commencement of the campaign which resulted from the Boxer rising in China, H. M. S. Arethusa was despatched to China and no vessel has relieved her. Meanwhile additions are being made to the land defences of Esquimalt. At Signal Hill fort, where some 92 guns will be placed, work is being carried on industriously and this week the admiralty has purchased a property between Esquimalt lagoon and Parson's bridge, where large and modern powder magazines, plans for which are out, will be erected.

TORONTO BUILDING COLLAPSES

Roof of Elliot Paper Co.'s Premises Falls In—No One Hurt.

[Special to The Daily News.]

Toronto, July 29.—A section of the Elliot Paper Manufacturing company's new premises on Richmond street, collapsed today. A large portion of the roof and two floors fell in. All the interior section is a practical wreck.

The collapse is attributed to an excavation which was going on about the centre of the ground floor and which it is thought weakened the supports. An employee named Norton was pinned in the debris about ten minutes before he wos extricated, but was not seriously hurt.

END OF A HONEYMOON.

San Francisco, July 29.—Miss Japan Mueller, the bookkeeper of the Danish bank, who eloped with Julius Anton Jorgensen, cashier of the same institution at Copenhagen, who is now about to be sent back to Denmark on a charge of abstracting a large sum from its vaults, has been released from custody by United States marshall Shine upon the orders from attorney-general Knox. She will not be sent back to Denmark, as she is in no way connected with the theft.

CRASHES IN LONDON.

London, July 29.—Two failures were announced this morning in the stock exchanges. A. S. Groves & Co., an old established firm of brokers, and A. M. Killsy, a jobber in Kaffirs, going to the wall. Neither failure was important. Today is pay day and the general tone improved. Americans tended upwards.

This afternoon the failure of W. S. C. Smith, a jobber in American securities, was announced.

THE GOODWOOD HANDICAP.

London, July 29.—Genius won the Goodwood plate (handicap of the sovereigns, for three year olds and upwards, two miles at the Goodwood race meeting today. Coal Sack was second, and Friar Tuck came in third.

New York, July 29.—The race at Island Park track today between Major Delmar and The Abbott for a purse of $25,000 was postponed on account of rain until tomorrow.

WARSHIP SINKS TRAMP.

Plymouth, England, July 29.—The British third-class cruiser Melampus collided with and sank the British steamer Ruperrai, off the Lizzard last night. The crew of the Ruperrai were saved. The damage sustained by the Melampus will necessitate docking her for repairs.

WRIGHT GOES HOME.

New York, July 29.—Whitaker Wright, the London capitalist, accused of swindling in connection with mining companies operating at Rossland British Columbia, left the Ludlow street jail early today for the White Star line pier, where he boarded the steamer Oceanic and sailed for Liverpool later in the morning.

HATMAKERS STRIKE.

South Nowalk, Conn., July 29.—One hundred and eighty hat makers today joined the one hundred and sixty finishers and cruiers who have ben on strike during the past three days.

DAY'S DOINGS AT OTTAWA

Cabinet's Railroad Policy Known Today

British Journalists' Visit to Kootenay

[Special to The Daily News.]

Ottawa, July 29.—The contract for the construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific was signed today, and sir Wilfrid Laurier has given notice of a bill for the construction of a national trans-continental railroad. The premier will introduce this bill tomorrow in parliament, and will then announce the policy of the government and give all the details of the agreement made with the company. The leading features of the contract with the Grand Trunk Pacific have already been published but the details have been changed somewhat in the interests of the country during the past few days, and a good deal depends upon details in a matter of this kind.

The government will build the line from Moncton to Winnipeg, as already announced, and the company will build from Winnipeg to Port Simpson.

In the house today Monk read a despatch in a Toronto newspaper that Laurier was looking after the interests of the trans-continental Canada line with a view of getting the Grand Trunk to purchase its interests. The premier said there was not truth in the report.

In reply to Earle, Prefontaine said that no lease was mentioned to Kelly and Burnett for a portion of False creek. The application was still under consideration by the government.

At the request of senator Templeman, the interior department is arranging to send the English journalists to the coast and through the Kootenays. The original intention was that they would go no further west than Banff.

THE PAPAL ELECTION.

All the Cardinals are Now in the Eternal City.

Rome, July 29.—With the arrival of cardinal Prisco, archbishop of Naples, the number of cardinals who will participate in the conclave is complete.

Prince Chizi, marshal of the conclave, visited cardinal Gibbons today and had a long and cordial conversation with the American prelate. All the diplomats accredited to the vatican have left their cards at cardinal Gibbons' house, and he has been visited by the high dignitaries and chiefs of the religious orders.

Cardinal Logue, archbishop of Armagh, had an interview today with cardinal Gibbons. When asked today what he thought of the objections frequently mentioned against cardinal Goetti being elected pope, on the ground that his being a member of a religious order would prevent him from dealing in a broad spirit with Catholic churches in America and Great Britain, cardinal Logue said to the representative of the Associated Press: "It is absurd. Cardinal Goetti was formerly an inter nuncio and has mixed with the representatives of the various powers. He knows the prevailing conditions as well as anybody. Just because he is a carmelite it does not follow that he is narrow minded. Moreover, it is unreasonable to attribute too much weight to the personality of the new pope. International matters and international policy are now almost invariably settled by commissions of cardinals, who certainly under the late pope Leo, have directed their departments just as much as the heads of departments of a civil government direct their departments."

Whoever may be pope, it is not likely that he will attempt to make any changes in policy without being careful to take the advice of these commissions who have heretofore directed the policy of the vatican.

Rome, July 29.—Rome this morning was the scene of one of those dramatic contrasts which are now so characteristic of the Eternal city. While at the vatican, in the Sistine chapel, a solemn requiem mass was being intoned with all the solemnity the Catholic church can impose for the repose of the soul of Leo XIII., the sectarian monarch who claimed Rome as his capital, another and no less solemn mass was being celebrated in the magnificent Pantheon for the repose of the soul of the late king Humbert, the temporal monarch, the capital of whose kingdom was Rome. King Victor Emmanuel and the dowager queen Margaret came here to attend the annual mass, which is celebrated o nthe anniversary of the assassination of king Humbert, which occurred three years ago. The king drove to the Pantheon, and arrived in time to meet queen Margaret, who was dressed in deepest black. After a tender embrace, mother and son entered the Pantheon, heard the mass, and placed wreaths on the tomb of king Humbert and Victor Emmanuel.

At 11 o'clock the members of the municipality of Rome, with the exception of those members who a few days ago went to the vatican to condole with the camerlengo on pope Leo's death, as representatives of the clerical party of the city hall, visited the Pantheon in a body, and placed wreaths on the tombs of the two kings. The second requiem mass in the Sistine chapel was timed before morning mass. The beautiful chapel overflowed, as it did yesterday, with the faithful. The vatican, as a rule, provides a carriage and horses for all the cardinals and all the horses are alike, black with long tails, but the authorities were not prepared for so many cardinals and were obliged to give the last arrivals bay horses. From estimates made, the cost to the holy see of the various ceremonies caused by the death of pope Leo and the election of his successor, if it takes place within a few days, will be $400,000.

TROUBLE IN CUBA OVER.

Leader of Agitators Captured and His Followers Killed.

Havana, July 29.—The efforts of a quartette of wild characters to cause an uprising in the vicinity of Bayamo, province of Santiago, have ended in the capture of their leader an dthe killing of the other three men. For weeks the four men had been endeavoring to excite the people to treason and violence on the ground that the revolutionary forces had not been and were not likely to be paid.

Yesterday the party was overtaken by a detachment of the royal guard and the leader and the horses of the agitators were captured after some shooting on both sides; the other three men pursued until late yesterday when they were all killed. Several shots were fired at the guards but not one of them was hit. The facts in the case were telegraphed to secretary Yero, of the interior governor of Santiago. Yero informed the correspondent of the Associated Press that this effectually ends the only semblance of an uprising in Cuba. Two of the culprits were former convicts. Only one of the party had belonged to the revolutionary army.

BIG ROSSLAND SENSATION

SUPPOSED INCENDIARIES ARE IN CUSTODY.

NOTORIOUS GANG OF THIEVES BROKEN UP.

Rossland, July 29.—At a late hour tonight Robert Arthur, Louis Rumple, and Charles Hepp, alias the Spokane Kid, were arrested, charged with stealing diamonds worth six thousand dollars from Sid Scott, a sporting woman.

The men are all gamblers. The police searched their rooms, finding razors, watches, shoes, and suspenders, which are positively identified as goods taken from Bannett's store, which was gutted by fire on Sunday morning.

The theory is that the men robbed the store and then fired the premises to hide their crime. It is believed that a band of notorious thieves has been broken up.

THE RACE TODAY.

Americans Will Again Try to Recapture Seawanhaka Cup From Canada.

Montreal, July 29.—Sir Thomas Lipton and the New York Yacht club are not to have a monopoly of the international yacht racing game this year and during the next few days at least the eyes of yachting enthusiasts on both sides of the border will be turned toward lake St. Louis, near this city. Here will be commenced tomorrow a series of contests to determine possession of the Seawanhaka-Corinthian Yacht club's international challenge cup, for half raters, a trophy for which the fastest yachts of Canada and the United States have competed for on a number of former occasions. The cup is now in the possession of the Royal St. Lawrence Yacht club which has selected the yacht Thorella II. as its defender. The challenging yacht is the representative of the Manchester Yacht club of Manchester, N.H. The contests are to cover a period of three days. The judges chosen to officiate are Mr. Phillips, of Clinton, Ont.; Mr. Boardman, of Boston, and Mr. Clarke of Boston.

The cup was captured by Canada from the Americans in 1894 and has been successfully defended every year since. One English challenger was sent over two years ago and easily disposed of.

MUST KEEP COOL.

Mr. Chamberlain on the Bhitish Economic Situation.

London, July 29.—The house of commons yesterday passed the sugar convention bill to its second reading by a vote of 224 to 144. In the course of the debate of the bill colonial secretary Chamberlain, in defending it said: "For twenty years we have tried to secure the voluntary abandonment of bounties. It was only when we changed our policy and suggested retaliation that we secured the object for which we had struggled so long, and escaped a condition of things under which Germany and Austria would be able to regulate the price of sugar in Great Britain."

Chamberlain did not touch directly the fiscal question but incidentally remarked: "We are on the eve of a great economic fight and it behoves everybody to keep cool as long as possible and not turn an economic into a personal fight."

A ROW IN THE DIET.

Stormed the Tribunal and Assaulted the Clerk.

Buda Pesth, Hungary, July 29.—Deputy Zeolman Papp caused a sensation in the lower house of the diet today by spreading on the table ten thousand kroner in cash which he declared had been tendered him as a bribe to desert his fellow obstructionists and leave Buda Pesth. Herr Papp, who is a member of the Kossuth party, added that it was former deputy Lienes, he asserted, had 12,000 kroner of which sum he retained 2,000 as commission, and handed 10,0000 kroner to herr Papp, which the latter accepted in order to prove his allegations.

Deputy Lovaszy said that the editor of the Magyar Orzag had been asked how much money he required to buy off that newspaper's support to the obstructionists. A parliamentary committee was appointed to investigate the matter.

There was a stormy scene in the diet this evening when the premier rose to continue the debate on the indemnity bill. The obstructionists stood up and the chamber resounded with deafening shouts, the banging of desks, and insults were hurled at the premier from the opposition benches. The sitting was suspended, but the scenes were repeated on its resumption, and ultimately being unable to obtain a hearing, the premier handed the clerk of the house a written motion moving the reviewing of the bill. When the obstructionists became aware of this move, a couple of the members of the Kossuth party stormed the presidential tribune, snatched the paper from the clerk's hands, and tore it to pieces. The tribune was soon filled with shouting deputies, and amidst the tumult the session was again suspended.

RECORD BREAKING CROP

FIFTEEN MILLION BUSHELS OF WHEAT IN THE TERRITORIES.

OTHER CEREAL CROPS SHOW INCREASE—GRAIN CASE DECISION.

Winnipeg, July 29.—The wheat crop in the Northwest territories, as indeed, all the other cereals there, is estimated to be in good condition, and to be the largest in the history of the country, according to the territorial department of agriculture's last bulletin, conditions being brought down to July 15th.

The total wheat crop is estimated at 15,042,000 bushels. Last year's was 13,956,850 and the next previous, 12,808,447. Before that the crop was inconsiderable. The yield is lighter than last year but still a good one.

The oats average is 369,719, the next largest being last year' 310,367. The crop is estimated at 11,803,000, the best yet.

The barley crop is estimated at 1,116,300 bushels.

Flax is the best yet and indeed shows the best of any of the territorial crops. The estimated crop is 234,500 bushels.

Chief justice Killam today gave judgment in the Grain case, of Gibbons vs. Metcalfe and certain other individuals, firms and corporations of Winnipeg grain exchange, dismissing the case, the plaintiff to pay the costs.

IN BLARNEY LAND.

Royal Pair Continue Their Trip in the Emerald Isle.

Dublin, July 29.—The royal yacht Victoria and Albert with king Edward and queen Alexandra aboard, which left Buncrana on the north coast yesterday arrived at Killarney bay, on the west coast today.

Their majesties were accompanied by the earl of Dudley, lord lieutenant of Ireland.

Despite the inclement weather, they landed on the Mayo side of the bay and afterwards proceeded in a motor car through this picturesque part of Ireland,(inspecting many of the laborer's cottages on the way. Tonight the warships in the bay are illuminated and bonfires are burning on the surrounding hills.

Queen Alexandra has given to earl of Dudley $2,500 for distribution among the poorest people of Dublin and other parts of Ireland.

ALASKAN COMMISSION.

Toronto, July 29.—The remuneration of A. B. Aylesworth, K.C., as Canada's representative on the Alaskan boundary commission will be $25,000, and the imperial government, and not the dominion government will pay it. The tribunal's first meeting in London will be on September 3rd.

Just whether or not the noted counsel will accept the vacant position on the supreme court bench is not known by even Mr. Aylesworth's most intimate friends. He has been offered that high judicial position before and refused it; but many who know him well believe he will accept the present offer.

YMIR REGISTRATION.

[Special to The Daily News.]

Ymir, July 29.—There now seems every likelihood of the total number of names on the voters register in the Ymir district will reach 1,000. At present there are 717 names on the list, including 134 sent in this morning from Trail. A second batch or nearly as many again is expected.

The number registered in Ymir and at the Ymir mine is 210.

BRITISH JOURNALISTS.

Winnipeg, July 29.—The British newspaper men who are making a tour of Canada, arrived here today and were welcomed by civic and press representatives. They leave for Brandon tomorrow, and will then go on by easy stages to Regina, Calgary, Edmonton, the Pacific coast and the Kootenays.

STILL AT LARGE.

Folsom, Calif., July 29.—A posse had a brush with the fugitive Folsom convicts on Greenwood creek, and a number of shots were exchanged, but so far as can be learned, nobody was hurt. The convicts avoided a decisive encounter and are supposed now to be working back in the general direction of Coloma.

HOSPITAL GETS NO ASSISTANCE.

Winnipeg, July 29.—The by-law to raise $60,000 for the assistance of the Winnipeg general hospital was defeated today. Insufficient percentage of votes being polled. A by-law for $50,000 for the purchase of a suburban park carried by a large majority.

D. I & S. CO. RESUMES WORK.

Sydney, N. S., July 29.—Four of the open hearth furnaces of the Dominion Iron & Steel company which were closed down last week, will be lighted and put into immediate operation. Nearly all of 300 idle men have been ordered to report for work.

DEAN INNES DEAD.

[Special to The Daily News.]

Hamilton, Ont., July 29.—Very Rev. dean Innes, of London, died suddenly tonight in this city, where he had been visiting.

NOW LOOK OUT.

St. Petersburg, July 29.—General Kuropatkin, the ussian war minister, has returned here from his visit to the far east.

EXPLOSION DEALS DEATH

Spreads Ruin and Destruction in Lowell, Mass.

Foreman Mistook Nitric Acid for Water

Lowell, Mass., July 29.—Two small powder magazines in the midst of the houses of fifty mill operatives, exploded today with a frightful concussion and the lives of more than a score of people were cut off and fifty others were injured. Half a dozen men, who were loading kegs of powder from one of the magazines were blown to pieces. Four boys, 200 yards away were instantly killed by the force of the explosion, and fourteen farme houses within a radius of 400 yards collapsed as though built of cards. Seven of these houses immediately caught fire and were completely consumed. At least three persons were burned in the ruins, while seven or eight others who were rescued, died subsequently of their injuries.

It is estimated that seventy separate pieces of property, including those already mentioned, were destroyed, while the force of the explosion broke windows within a radius of five or six miles, and its thunder was heard for more than 50 miles away.

The magazines were the property of the United States Cartridge company of this city, but were situated more than a mile from the factory itself. They were built of brick, and were about ten feet high. One of the magazines was just within the roadside fence while the other was about a hundred feet away. It was near the banks of the river. Small houses were on all sides.

The company has for some time been desirous of strengthening the floor of the magazine nearest the street and today eight men were sent there with three large express teams to take out the powder and mend the floors. Two of the teams had been loaded when at about 9 o'clock the explosion occurred

Clarendon Goodwin, the foreman of the men who were loading the powder, and A. A. Magee, one of his assistants, were not killed by the explosion. The latter in explaining the cause of the explosion said today that the men found a can of nitro-glycerine in the magazine that was leaking. Mr. Goodwin picked up what he thought was a jug of water and began pouring it on the nitro-glycerine. As soon as the fluid from the jug struck the floor he found that it was nitric acid. The floor at once began to smoke. The men rushed from the building, but had not gone ten feet when the explosion ocurred. This explosion was followed by the explosion of the three kegs and a few seconds later by the second magazine. The entire catastrophe occurred within five seconds, but in that time, the surrounding property was swept as if a small volcano had broken forth in its midst.

Lowell, Mass., July 29.—At one o'clock the number of dead was 13 and nine missing. At that hour the number of injured was placed at 30, although a number of others had been slightly bruised or cut by flying glass. The financial loss was placed at $40,000.

Lowell, Mass., July 29.—Thirty houses were totally destroyed. Action street, South Lowell, is in ruins. Twenty deaths (estimated). All houses within a quarter of a mile were wrecked. Teams of all kinds are being used as ambulances.

Lowell, Mass., July 29.—Twenty-five killed and 55 injured is a conservative estimate of the result of an explosion of a magazine of the United States Cartridge company. Shortly after 9 o'clock this morning a report like a crash of thunder, followed by a roar resembling a discharge of artillery shook Twekebury, a suburb of this place, wrecking houses and killing or maiming the occupants. The concussion was felt in the surrounding country and shattered windows twenty miles away, Boston, forty miles away, distinctly felt the shock, and police stations were beseiged with telephone calls as to the cause. Wild rumors were spread throughout the surrounding country, and it was reported that hundreds had been killed or injured. The scene in the city was one of panic. The strets were crowded with men, women and children, rushing about in terror at the rumors of an earthquake. All the available police were rushed to the scene of the accident. Crowds flocked to the plant of the company, where all was wild confusion. Building had not a whole pane of glass, dwellings were razed from their foundations, and many were in a dangerous condition. Four companies of militia were hurried to the scene to restore and maintain order and protect property. Exaggerated reports as to the number killed and wounded continued to create excitement, Because of the completeness of the wreck, it was impossible to obtain the exact number of casualties. At noon, however, a conservative estimate was made with the result of 25 killed and 55 injured.

BAKERS STRIKE OVER.

Hamilton, Ont., July 29.—The bakers strike has been declared off and the men whose positions are still vacant, will return to work under conditions not as favorable as before the strike. The master bakers will hereafter refuse to recognize the union.

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Victoria, July 29.—The residence of captain Keppell, commander of H. M. S. Grafton, of the British North Pacific squadron, at Esquimalt, was destroyed by fire tonight.

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INCREASING THE CURRENCY.

The present limit of the paper currency of the Canadian government is $20,000,000 and it is now proposed to increase this to $30,000,000, the larger amount being secured, as it is at present, by a gold reserve of 25 per cent for its redemption. This change is to be brought about by a bill fathered by Mr. Fielding, minister of finance. The requirements of the fiannncial situation of recent years have compelled the old limit to be exceeded by as much as $16,000,000 and the change is therefore not only necessary but is amply justified by the facts. The justification lies in the fact that this excess has had to be protected dollar for dollar by gold, held by the government for the redemption of the extra notes. There is a great difference between the holding of $16,000,000 in gold to cover the extra notes and the legalizing of an increase in the limit protected by 25 per cent in gold. This means that the entire $30,000,000 will be protected by $7,500,000, less than half the amount called for by law for the protection of the extra issue the government have been obliged to make to meet the demands of the banks for these notes, the demand being due to the increased volume of trade, the law requiring that not less than 40 per cent of the cash reserves of the banks must be in dominion notes. There will thus be a large gold reserve set free and this will, it is understood, be utilized as a reserve against the government savings bank deposits, these amounting to something like $58,000,000. The scheme will commend itself to all who have given the subject any consideration and it is prudent in that it is *wise to safeguard, by suitable reserve, the* financial structures involved.

The effect of the new arrangement will be to provide currency during the harvest and other times of greatest need, and the money market would thus be protected from undue pressure in the fall, and the availability of an enlarged sum of money would tend to prevent stringency and high rates of interest.

Many of the banks have themselves attempted to solve the problems that have confronted them by enlarging their capital and since October last, the total paid up capital of the banks has risen nearly five million dollars, and this will likely be still further increased by another million before the fall sets in. It is doubtful whether this will relieve the pressure or satisfy the demand for currency. The scheme which the finance minister purposes to put into effect will do this, however, and is a piece of practical financing that will be of infinite service to the country.

A CHANCE FOR CANADA.

The liberal tariff concessions which it was understood Cuba was to have been accorded by the United States have so far not materialized, and some of the American manufacturers are feeling anxious lest the long delay in making them should result in an irreparable loss of business. The question of the commercial relations between Cuba and the United States has for many years been an important one and under the changed *conditions existing* in the island Cuba is more than ever a desirable customer. The fear that some of the Cuban trade might slip through their fingers is not without good foundation and the indications are that unless more favorable tariff relations are speedily arranged, the bulk of the imports of manufactured goods into Cuba will not come from the United States. Already Cuba has evinced an increasing tendency to purchase in Europe, the Cuban customs statistics showing how far this inclination has been put into operation.

Of the decrease in Cuban imports during the year 1902, the United States suffered a loss of $2,800,000 while all European countries, excepting England, which lost $500,000 showed a gain. During American occupation 67 1-2 per cent of the imports of iron and steel and their manufactures were of American production, whereas in 1902 only 51 1-2 per cent came from the United States. Imports of American machinery declined from 87 1-2 to 72 1-2 per cent, while cotton goods of American manufacture suffered a loss of 35 per cent. In 1902 the United States took 76 per cent of the exports of Cuba and furnished but 42 per cent of the imports.

Cuba does a considerable foreign trade, her imports alone amounting to nearly 70,000,000 per annum. There would appear to be scope here for a little Canadian enterprise in the direction of capturing a fair proportion of that trade. We have and manufacture much that Cuba requires and Canada might better supply the wants than that the trade should go entirely to Europe or the United States.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

There is one subject Canadians should not weary of and that is the high degree of prosperity to which the dominion has attained during the past eight years. There is no special need to tell the people of the dominion that they are enjoying a season of prosperity. With the cash jingling in their pockets they are aware of it, and the telling is superfluous. That he has money to the good is a better argument than all the figures that can be brought into use. The records of the banks show to what heights this prosperous season has risen. *Canada's trade has* doubled during the last eight years. In 1895 the total trade of the dominion was $218,000,000 and the returns for this year of grace 1903 will show that the trade has increased to no less sum than $430,000,000. This is a marvellous record, and though there are those who will say that it is not due in the remotest degree to the superior excellence of the liberal government, to the administration of the affairs of the country, and will ascribe it to the blessing of providence by preference, it cannot be denied that Canada never responded so well in former times when prosperous times were being enjoyed by other countries. The bulk of Canadians know that they have the government largely to thank for the good times they are having in that wise adminstration of public affairs begets confidence, encourages enterprise, invites capital, and generally makes for prosperity and well being. Doubling the commerce of a nation within eight years is something the Laurier government may well be proud of, and is a record that no other Canadian government has equaled.

The retirement of Mr. Blair has provided pabulum for many and the theme is not yet worn bare. It is stated that his retirement has had a disastrous effect upon liberalism in New Brunswick, that there will be no liberal majority from that province at the next election, and that the loss of the ex-minister of railways means the death knell of the liberal admnistration. *The wish is doubtless father of the thought* and from New Brunswick itself comes news of the favor with which the railway project is there regarded. Commenting on the retirement of Mr. Blair the St. John Gazette says: "Conservatives are rejoicing at the withdrawal from the cabinet of hon. Mr. Blair, believing that it portends the downfall of the administration, and the speedy return of the opposition to power. This is a time of trial for the liberals of New Brunswick. Their trusted leader has felt it to be his duty to break with the chieftain of the party on an important question of policy, and his followers in this province are left for the moment in a state of uncertainty as to their future action. In this emergency their duty is plain. While they recognize that Mr. Blair has acted from sincere conviction of public duty, they have at the same time the utmost confidence in their distinguished leader of their party. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and are assured that he would not propose a measure for the approval of parliament which he did not believe to be in the best interests of the country. In this trying hour liberals should calmly await events. The great liberal party of Canada has done so much to advance the prosperity of the country, that its adherents should not swerve from their loyalty to their chieftain, unless upon the strongest possible grounds. Let them now keep uppermost in their minds the fact that the bill which the government will shortly propose to parliament is the outcome of a grand national idea of building a new transcontinental railway from ocean to ocean entirely through Canadian territory and with a view to transporting the products of the west to the markets of he old world through Canadian ports. *Sir Wilfrid is seeking to bring about the* realization of the hope, which he has so often expressed, that he would live to see the day when every pound of Canadian produce would find its outlet to the ocean upon Canadian soil.

WHAT'S IN A NAME.

Vexed Question as to Mountain's Name May Lead to Tacoma Law Suit.

Tacoma and Seattle have long fought over whether the proper name of the great mountain 40 miles from that city is Tacoma or Ranier, and it is now possible that the question will be fought out in the courts.

Because a Seattle concern changed the copy in an advertisement inserted in a booklet gotten up by the Seattle people and called a view of the mountain taken from Tacoma harbor "Mount Ranier" instead of "Mount Tacoma," the local firm which inserted the advertising refuses to pay the bill and the publishers of the booklet may accordingly bring suit to compel payment, in which case the name of the mountain may be settled by a jury.

The Seattle land company, which contracted, at the same time with a number of other Tacoma advertisers, to take two pages in the booklet which the Seattle concern intended to scatter throughout the east, holds that they have the right to insist that the mountain be given the rightful name, especially as they are paying for the privilege.

The picture in question precedes a large number of Tacoma advertisements, giving the impression that Tacoma has sanctioned the name of Rainier instead of Tacoma.

An agent of the Seattle firm offered to compromise by placing "stickers" containing the name Tacoma over the name Ranier, but the Tacoma company refuses absolutely to compromise.

United States government geographical surveys carry the name of Mt. Ranier and geographers insert the same name.

HAVE PLENTY MORE.

Editor, The Daily News: The columns of the conservative press teem with flattering references to the Hon. Mr. Blair, with expressions of deep regret for his retirement, and predictions of dire disaster to follow in consequence thereof.

So it was when George Brown, McKenzie, Blake, Mowatt, Mills, Davies, Joly and Tarte retired from active political life.

The liberal party has lost enough of such men since it last came into power to make a whole cabinet.

The liberal party has plenty more of them We will name a few, Laurier, Mulock, Fielding, Patterson, Fitzpatrick, sir Frederick Borden. The liberal party breeds such men, men of infinite capacity for serving the people.

The conservative party looks for its great men amongst the seed of kings, and sometimes finds them. The liberal party calls its leaders from the ranks of the common people, trains them, trusts them, frequently sacrifices them.

Don't worry about the loss of Mr. Blair, there are plenty more of the same kind *of men where he came from. Yours truly,*

LIBERAL.

Nelson, July 29th.

SANDON MINING NOTES.

The McAllister group, controlled by W. Hunter, of Silverton, is showing up in excellent shape, and a 500 oz. silver ore has been encountered. The property is situated near the Jo Jo, on the north fork of Carpenter creek.

The Ivanhoe mine last week made a nice strike of ore, when three feet of clean ore was struck. The find was made a few feet up in an upraise miners were *driving to connect* four and five levels. A car of ore has been taken out and was shipped this week.

The strike recently uncovered by sluicing on the Sinfi has been lost. After going in a few feet a ten inch showing a fault occurred, displacing the vein. The work of sluicing will again be undertaken to endeavor to meet the vein at another point.

Sandon ore shipments last week amounted to 221 tons, made up as follows: Silver lead: Ruth 41, Ivanhoe 20, Payne 50, Slocan Star 70. Zinc: Ivanhoe 40. Total, 221 tons.

The ledge in the Mercury has been encountered at a depth of 50 feet and the ore body is equally as wide, carrying the same high grade ore found in No. 1 level above. The force has been increased to six men, while a car of high-grade ore is now being sacked and in the course of a few days will be shipped to the smelter.

The Payne mine has put in a new wire cable on the gravity tram running from the mine to the concentrator. In placing the cable in place some remarkably quick work was done. It was received on Tues*day noon and by the same time* the following day the tram was in perfect runnin gorder, taking just 24 hours to replace the old cable by the new. The total length of the tram is a little over 6,000 feet.

AMERICAN DIVORCES.

Montreal Judge Holds They Are of No Avail in This Country.

Monteral, July 29.—Leon Lieberman was toady condemned to pay a fine of $10 or spend a month in jail.

The offence was his refusal to support his wife. The facts of the case are most interesting. It appears that Lieberman, who is a French-Jew came here a few years ago, accompanied by a woman who was represented to be his wife. Shortly after their arrival the couple made a statutory declaration that they were not married. This was followed by the marriage of Lieberman to a Montreal young woman. The man soon tired of her accusing her of infidelity, and placed her in the Good Shepherd's home. One day he took her out and started for Boston where they engaged rooms in a boarding house. One night he went out, leaving his wife in bed. No sooner had he departed than a strange man entered the room, followed in a few *minutes by Lieberman* himself, and several other men. Lieberman then accused her of infidelity again and on the evidence obtained as stated, brought suit in the Boston courts for a divorce, which he subsequently secured without opposition. His wife followed him to Montreal, and entered the present charge against him. Judge Desnoyers held that the Boston divorce was not good and pased sentence as above.

FIRE AT GALT.

Galt, Ont., July 29.—Ten thousand dollars damage was done to material in the Victoria wheel works by a fire yesterday afternoon. Insurance $5,500.

FOR SEAWANHAKA CUP.

Montreal, July 28.—It is announced that vice-commodore W. C. Finley's boat, Thorella II., is the choice of the sailing committee for the defence of the Seawanhaka cup.

PRIZES FOR RIFLEMEN.

Ottawa, July 27.—Prizes aggregating $7,334 are offered by the Dominion Rifle association.

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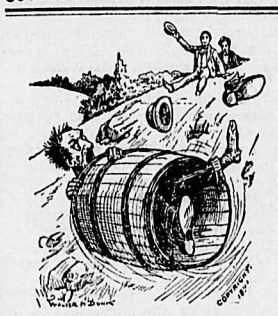

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DAKOTA DIVORCES VALID?

QUESTION RAISED BEFORE THE ENGLISH DIVORCE COURT.

COUNSEL CALLS DAKOTA "A WILD DISTRICT OF THE EARTH."

London, July 29.—The question as to the validity of Dakota divorces in England, was again raised today before the president of the divorce court, sir Francis Jeune, in the suit for divorce brought by D. S. Constandini against his wife, who is a daughter of Stephen Ralli, a member of the firm of Ralli Bros., well known in London.

The husband charged his wife with bigamously marrying Dr. Lance the family physician. Constandini obtained a judicial separation from his wife in 1899.

The jury found the respondent and co-respondent guilty and awarded $125,000 damages against Dr. Lance.

John Lawson Walton, counsel for the petitioner, explained the subsequent proceedings as follows: "This delicately nurtured lady of Belgravia went to a wild district of the earth, emigrated to the half settled state of Dakota, became an American citizen, stayed six months there, fraudulently obtained a so-called divorce and married the co-respondent there, thus using the lax Dakota laws for her own purposes."

OPTIMIST AND PESSIMIST.

Cherry Creek Miner's Opinion of These Gentry in Mining Camps.

"There are two classes of men who are a detriment to any mining camp; the chronic optimist and the chronic pessimist, says the Cherry Creek Miner.

"The former paints the atmosphere with lurid hues, exaggerates prospect holes to dividend payers, and goes into convulsions over half inch veins and infrequent pockets, booms a mediocre camp to the proportions of a Golconda and induces capital and labor to embark in development of prospects which would not prove remunerative were they followed to the centre of the globe.

"This man lies so often that he really believes he is telling the truth, and at his door lie the bleaching remains of what might, under more authentic reports, develop into prosperous camps.

"His antithesis the chronic pessimist, occupies an equally unfortunate niche in the make up of the average camp. You may find him in the general store, the saloon or on the sidewalk. He preserves an appearance of ennui when approached by strangers or would-be investors in the properties of the camp. He is at war with the whole world. He is long, lean, dyspeptic and glowers at every one upon whom the sunshine of prosperity shines. Ask him as to the merits of claims of well-known value as producers, and he will look down upon you compassionately, shrug his shoulders, and tell you that 'our mines don't amount to anything,' with an implication that the longer you stay in the camp the better your chances of being broke.

"He is the fifth wheel in the wagon and resembles more closely than anything else a patent medicine portrait of a 'before taking' invalid.

"Many a good deal in mines of true merit has been knocked into a cocked hat by the malicious insinuation of the chronic pessimist who is an ever-present adjunct to mining camps.

"It is a noticeable fact, however, that the mining camp optimist never risks his own cash in any of the rich properties he so warmly recommends to his friends, while the equally degenerate pessimistic monstrously is forever coppering his bets and making strenuous endeavors to crawl into the inner circle of prosperity through channels which he speaks so disparagingly of to others.

"The camp 'boomer' and the camp 'knocker' should be treated to a dose of soft feathers and warm tar and conveyed on either side of a convenient fence rail, outside the limits of every mining camp which desires to grow normally on the basis of the true value of its mines, for the presence of specimens of either of these undesirable elements in promising mining camps are as disastrous and turbulent as a hornet is to a beehive, and quite as useless."

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Senator Lougheed's bill to prohibit foreigners assisting in the settlement of labor troubles in Canada will not meet with favor in the house of commons. That body is sensitive to the influence of organized labor, and will not feel disposed to antagonize the union workingmen of the dominion by adopting such a measure. Moreover, the bill is one that would not serve any good purpose. It is of a narrow, provincial character, and of the nature of class legislation. Every day experts are passing over the border in both directions to the assistance of those who need their services. Why should the labor unions not be permitted to employ as negotiators men who have had wide experience in arranging industrial disputes? It has been found also, that the more a man knows about strikes the more earnestly he strives for an amicable adjustment, so that in the past the employment of American officers of international unions has redounded to the advantage of both men and masters. The senate bill is a pernicious one, and its rejection by the commons will be generally approved.—Toronto News.

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The Canadian Year Book for 1903, issued by Alfred Hewlett, Toronto, which is now in its sixth year of its publication is just out and is this year more complete than ever. Among the information which will be found of much use to the average business man are a list of postoffices, the customs tariffs, the banks of the Dominion and where they have branches, the members of the dominion and provincial houses, and a list of public officers. There are also very complete figures showing the finances of the country for different years and comparative trade returns. Members of the militia will find an alphabetical list of the militia officers, while the game laws are given for the benefit of huntsmen and fishers, and the principal sporting records for the benefit of those interested in athletic sports. Prof. R. F. Stupart contributes a timely article on the climate of Manitoba and the northwest.

COLORADO MINE WRECKED.

Idaho Springs, Colorado, July 29.—An explosion at the Sun and Moon mine has wrecked the transformer house, set fire to the oil in the transformer, and threatens the destruction of the main shaft. The watchman at the mine, aroused by the explosion, rushed out in time to observe several rushing away from the transformer building. He fired at them several times and later a wounded man was found lying nearby. He was taken in charge and the company's physician sent for. A sheriff's possee has gone to the scene to make an investigation and protect the Sun and Moon property if necessary.

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HIS LAST HOPE REALIZED.

(From the Sentinel, Gebo, Mont.)

In the first opening of Oklahoma to settlers in 1889, the editor of this paper was among the many seekers after fortune who made the big race one fine April day. During his traveling about and afterwards his camping upon his claim, he encountered much bad water, which together with the severe heat, gave him a very severe diarrhoea which it seemed almost impossible to check, and along in June the case became so bad he expected to die. One day one of his neighbors brought him one small bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as a last hope. A big dose was given to him while he was rolling about on the ground in great agony and in a few minutes the dose was repeated. The good effect of the medicine was soon noticed and within an hour the patient was taking his first sound sleep for a fortnight. That one bottle worked a complete cure and he cannot help but feel grateful. The season for bowel disorders being at hand suggests this item. For sale by all druggists and dealers.

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NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

Register your vote.

At the police court yesterday morning two drunks were each fined ten dollars and costs.

The Knights of the Golden Horseshoe will take a holiday trip to Rykerts on August 16th.

A. H. Lewis, formerly C. P. R. train despatcher at Sandon, arrived in the city last evening on his way to the coast.

Walter Aldridge, general manager of the Trail smelter, is taking a short holiday along with his wife and family at Banff.

Practically all the stores in Rossland have agreed to close this afternoon during the Rossland-Nelson lacrose match, following the good example set here on similar occasions.

The Scandinavian Mission church will hold services at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. on Sunday next at the Knights of Pythias lodge rooms. Rev. S. Arnquist will conduct the services.

The reports of the rich leads on Forty-Nine and Bird creeks which have been uncovered recently has led to a considerable revival of interest in this most promising district. Several prospectors who worked there years ago and gave it up have come back again and are now working on their old claims.

S. F. Parrish, manager of the Le Roi mine has returned from a visit to Green River hot springs, wither he went some weeks ago for treatment for a severe attack of rheumatism. Mr. Parrish has quite recovered his health. He expects managing director McMillian over from London early next month.

Another furnace will be blown in at the Hall Mines smelter in a few days, and will be run on copper ore. The lead furnace is now kept steadily employed, the shipments of lead ores from the Slocan coming in steadily. Already this week nine cars of concentrates from the Rambler-Cariboo have been received.

Last summer the owners of launches at Nelson planned an excursion to Bonners' Ferry, to be participated in by all of the flotilla. Bal weather prevented the scheme being carried out, but it is now being brought up again and it is likely that it will take place some time in August. Including Dr. Stoddart's new launch, which was completed this week, and two more boats now on the way there will be about twenty-two available, which will make quite an imposing fleet. If carried out as originally planned the fleet will leave here on a Saturday, returning the following Monday.

At the record office on Wednesday, the transactions were: Locations, Sophey, on Roaring creek, four miles from Summit Siding by W. G. Sivyer; Iron Clad, on Iron Mountain, by J. Waldbeiser, agent for J. P. Bell; Goldbug, on Copper creek, north fork of Salmon river, by Thomas Gallon. Certificates of work were issued to E. F. Crawford on New Girl; E. Croteau on Author fractional; C. P. Doell on Copper King, Silver Spring; to C. P. Doell and J. Stuzzi on Bull Horn; O. A. Lovell on Forest City, Hill side, Southern Bell, Cranbrook and Surprise. Transfers, W. G. Sivyer transferred the Alleyn and Ecclestone claims to Nelson Everson, consideration nominal.

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Register your vote.

G. J. T. Mohler, ticket agenlt for the Great Northern railway at Spokane, is in the city.

E. E. Phair captured a four pound trout at the city wharf last evening, the bait used being a brown hackle fly.

W. A. Donald, wife and daughter, of Pilot Mound, Manitoba, arrived in the city last evening and are stopping at the Hume.

J. A. Magee, of Comaplix, arrived in the city last evening, accompanying J. R. McGoldrick and wife and J. McCarthy, of St. Paul, Minn., who are traveling through the district on a pleasure trip. The party will remain over in the city today.

George Macey, of Northport, who was so severely injured in the eye at the baseball game in this city a fortnight ago has eben obliged to go to Spokane for special treatment. He is now getting along quite well, but it will probably be a year before his eyesight will be fully restored.

The children of St. Saviour's Episcopal and the Emmanuel Congregational church Sunday school will hold their annual picnic next Thursday to Procter on the steamer Kokanee. The point selected for the picnic is an ideal one, first class fishing, boating and bathing being available.

Tourists passing through the city from the east state that at the coast resorts in New Jersey, and New York, that this is the worst mosquito season that has ever been known. At many of the fashionabld seaside towns it is necessary to wear veils and masks to protect the face from the ravenous insects. Nelson has always been free from these pests, and their absence is commented on by many visitors.

The title of the play which the Nelson Amateur Dramatic club presents next month is "The Mystery of the Golden Plough." This is the play in which Mrs. Davis made her farewell appearance in Australia, and as she will again assume the role she then played and will be supported by Wm. Blakemore, the well known mining engineer of Montreal, a talented amateur, Nelson may confidently look forward to an excellent presentation of this stirring melodrama.

The Kokanee took out quite a number of prospectors for the Lardeau on her regular trip yesterday afternoon. A few men came down on her in the morning from the Poplar creek district to secure supplies, and all reported that still more discoveries were being made, although none so sensational as those that took place last week. The majority of the prospectors who are now working in there appear to be thoroughly practical and experienced men, and are working the district systematically, although greatly hampered in some sections by the indiscriminate staking that has taken place over ground that has never been examined.

J. E. Annable, who is working energetically with the other members of the executive committee of the Agricultural society to make Nelson's first fair a grand success, states that things are coming his way in a most satisfactory manner. The work of erecting the building to house the exhibits in will be commenced in a very few days now. The main building will be 150 by 40 feet, and will stand just outside the fence of the present recreation grounds. A committee of ladies has ben formed to look after the exhibits of ladies' fancy work and it is expected that this department will prove extremely attractive. M. Chadbourn has undertaken to look after the collecting of mineral specimens for the mineral exhibit, and all mine owners or prospectors who wish to have samples of their ore shown should forward the same to him. Any one wishing a copy of the prize list can obtain it on application to the secretary, or to any of the members of the executive committee.

R. Duthie, a leading rancher of southern Alberta, is in the city, stopping at the Madden house. He states that the present season promises to be a very good one for the ranchers in that district, the losses in cattle not having proved nearly as severe as was expected last spring, when the blizzard swooped down so unexpectedly. The grass now is in splendid condition and the cattle everywhere are doing as well as could be wished. Mr. Duthie was one of the first ranchers in southern Alberta, and has seen many changes from the time, twenty years ago, when there was only a handful of whites in the district isolated amid large tribes of Indians. Now the Indians are confined to reserves and the whites are in the majority and rapidly increasing, especially this year with immigrants pouring into the district.

The members of the Nelson fire brigade are hard at work practising for the races and firemen's sports which will be held at Rossland on the occasion of the big excursion of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen next month. Besides the contingent of railway men from this city there will be a large number of citizens take in the excursion and it is also possible that the local company of Rocky Mountain Rangers may attend. The committee in charge of the summer carnival which will be held at the same time as the excursion, have voted an appropriation to bring in the Nelson and Kaslo companies, R. M. R. and the Rossland company will add to it. The local ment have not yet decided to accept the invitation, but will take the matter up next week. The lacrosse team have been invited to go over to play, and it is probable that lawn tennis, quoit and baseball teams from Nelson will also go.

SOURIS GAME OFF.

Manitoba Champions Cancel the Games Here—A Rossland Match Today.

Word was received by manager George McLaughlin, of the Lacrosse club, that the Souris team would be unable to come to Nelson for the games on Saturday and Sunday next, so they will have to be indefinitely postponed. It appears that Souris have to play the final match of the Manitoba league series on August 7th, at Roland, Manitoba. It has been expected that this game could have been postponed for three days so that the Nelson date could have been filled, but it was found impossible to arrange this, so that they will not come into this province at all.

The decision is a keen disappointment to the local team who were looking forward to another couple of good games, and the many admirers of lacrosse in Nelson will also be disappointed. However, all arrangements for the match with the Montreal Shamrocks during the agricultural fair are progressing most favorably, and this will be a still better match to look forward to. The practices that the Nelson team have been putting in preparing for the Souris game will not be by any means wasted, as they will be in so much better shape when they go up against the Shamrocks.

A team composed of members of the club leave this morning for Rossland and will play in the afternoon against the Rossland team. The lineup of the Nelson team will be: Goal, Greyerbiehl; point, McCorvie; cover point, Taylor; 1st defence, Bell; 2nd defence Rutherford; 3rd defence, W. Shackleton; centre, A. Perrier; 3rd home, C. McBeath; 2nd home, D. McNichol; 1st defence, D. Blackwood; outside home, J. Fox; inside, H. Perrier; field captain, J. Hawkins.

WILL BOX TONIGHT.

Salt Lake City, Utah, July 29.—Oscar Gardner, once famous in the pugilistic world under the sboriquet of the "Omaha Kid," but who has not been mixed up in the fighting game for a long time, will be seen in the squared circle again tomorrow night if he fulfills a contract signed with the Utah Athletic club. The club has matched him to try conclusions in a twenty-round bout with Aurelia Herrera, the Mexican fighter, who knocked out Kid Broad in four rounds at Butte, Mont., on July 4th. Unless a marvel has taken place in the rehabilitation of Gardner, the Mexican should have little or no difficulty in disposing of him handily. Gardner, though near the top of his class when in his prime, was regarded as "all in" several years ago and until his present match the sporting public had quite forgotten him, or at any rate entirely lost sight of him.

CASH WATCH SALE

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ENGLISH LACROSSE TEAM.

Defeated at Ottawa and Montreal By Canadian Players.

Ottawa, July 29.—The Oxford-Cambridge lacrosse team was defeated yesterday by the Capitals by a score of 5 to 1.

Montreal, July 29.—The Oxford-Cambridge lacrosse team tried conclusions with the Shamrocks today and were defeated by a score of eight to six. The Shamrocks took things easy and could have won about any score they pleased.

YMIR CONVENTION.

[Special to The Daily News.]

Ymir, July 29.—The liberal convention for the Ymir riding will take place in Fairview on Monday, August 10th.

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