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THE MONEY IS READY

New Transcontinental Will Soon Be Begun

Only a Few Details to Be Completed

Toronto, Nov. 13.—The News publishes the following special from Quebec on matters in connection with the new transcontinental railway, which is now getting rapidly into shape, and in the near future work will be commenced on the construction of the eastern section, from Winnipeg to Quebec.

It was learned from the most relibale sources this morning that the Grand Trunk railway management has completed the necessary arrangements for the deposit of $5,000,000, required to bind the contract with the government for the building of the railway and that the money will be placed in the bank of Montreal to the credit of the government and as security for good faith, on Monday or Tuesday next. Immediately after this deposit is officially reported to the government a cabinet meeting will be held in Ottawa to appoint the construction commission authorized at the last session of parliament.

The names of the members of the commission cannot for the present be ascertained. It is authoritatively stated, however, that hon. H. S. Parent will not be a member of the commission, as rumored in Quebec and Montreal political circles for some months past. He is to remain premier of the province of Quebec, and no changes will be made in the personnel of the cabinet, except in case of one Montreal minister. Sir Wilfrid Laurier has the utmost confidence in the Parent government. As yet there has been no definite arrangement in regard to the survey of the eastern section of the new transcontinental railway, but just as soon as the railway commission is appointed this will be attended to.

A. G. Doucette, chief engineer of the Quebec & Lake St. John railway, is slated for an appointment as one of the government's chief engineers in charge of the survey of the Grand Trunk Pacific from Winnipeg to Quebec, and just as soon as he receives his commission instructions, he will name and send out the necessary surveying parties.

BIG SPAN MOVED.

Mammoth Structure of 680 Tons Weight Placed in Position.

[Special to The Daily News.]

New Westminster, Nov. 13.—Today was a red letter day in the history of the New Westminster bridge contractors when they successfully moved the large steel span into its permanent position. This immense span of steel had to be constructed on two piers near the shore as the water in mid river was too deep to allow the construction of false work, then moved on scows to its permanent position in the middle of the Fraser.

This is the third time in the history of the world that such a large span has been moved and the banks of the Fraser was lined with hundreds of people watching the operations which commenced at 4 a.m. when the tide was low, the scows then being floated under the mammoth structure which weighs 680 tons. The false work was then knocked out from under the span till it rested entirely upon the four large scows. As the tide rose, the scows rose, lifting the span from its resting place on piers and with the assistance of the contractors' little steamer Dorothy the span was moved 340 feet and set down on piers 3 and 4, the iron shoes and the cable being in place to receive it. The work was commenced about 3 a.m. and was completed about 1 p.m.

THE STORM LAST SUNDAY.

Damages Caused By It Are Only Now Becoming Known.

[Special to The Daily News.]

New Westminster, Nov. 13.—The damages by Sunday night's storm which continued to rage through Monday morning are just becoming known here.

On the Gulf of Georgia, steamers plying between Vancouver island and the mainland were well shaken. The Great Northern car ferry Victorian, plying between Port Guichon and Sidney was badly damaged in Sidney harbor and is now laid up for repairs, making no Great Northern connection between Port Guichon and Sidney and causing Victoria passengers over the Northern to come around by Vancouver. Steveston reports that about 20 Japfishing boats are missing but nothing definite is known as yet although several Japanese in the city this morning state that their friends have not returned from fishing on Sunday night and they seem much concerned. No white men are reported as missing yet. Several small tugs are on drydock considerably damaged while John Jensen's gasoline yacht with capacity of 50 passengers went to the bottom at her moorings. An effort is being made to raise her.

BOTH APPEAL.

Neither Lieut. Bilsen Nor His Accusers Satisfied With Sentence of Court

Berlin, Nov. 13.—Both the attorney for Lieut. Bilsen, and the attorney for the late have appealed against yesterday's verdict of the military court at Metz, which sentenced the lieutenant to six months imprisonment and to dismissal from the army for the publication of his book "A Little Garrison."

LOCOMOTIVES FOR GRANBY.

New Method of Hauling Mine Cars to Be Introduced.

[Special to The Daily News.]

Phoenix, Nov. 13.—An innovation is to be introduced at the Granby mines in the substitution of steam for horse and mule power for hauling mine cars. This week the management of the company placed an order for two small locomotives which are to be used for this purpose. The locomotives will be supplied by the Davenport Machine works, of Davenport, Iowa, and delivery on board cars is promised within ten days, so that they should be in operation in the course of a month.

These locomotives will have nine-inch sylinders with 14-inch stroke, and will have a shipping weight of 20,000 pounds each, or a service weight of 28,000 pounds. It is expected that they will haul from five to seven mine cars each, and will be used in the No. 1 and 2 tunnels of the mine, the length to which these tunnels have grown in late years making it needful to use some more expeditious method of hauling, especially in view of the increase of shipments to the 2000 ton daily rate, which it is expected will be made as soon as all six furnaces of the company's Grand Forks smelter are in blast.

BUSINESS IS FAIRLY ACTIVE

COAST CITIES REPORT AN ACTIVE TRADE.

IN MANITOBA COLD WEATHER IS AIDING MERCHANTS.

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 13.—The wholesale trade at Montreal has been fairly active in a number of branches in spite of the unreasonably mild weather. The shipments are heavy now as they always are at this season. The retailers are experiencing a good trade and sorting orders have been numerous. In some branches of trade dealers are taking stock and report good increases in certain departments over last year. The values of domestic staple goods are firmly held. There is a good demand for money for the crop movement now, and as the inquiry for stock exchange business is small, there is no stringency in the market.

The wholesale drygoods firms at Toronto are now engaged in taking stock and report good increases in business over that of 1902. Business here this week has been good in spite of unfavorable weather, the temperature being high for this time of the year. Reports are that the retail trade is increasing, sales having kept up very well. Cotton and woolen goods are held with increased confidence in values.

At Quebec trade during the week has been fairly active. The demand for seasonable wear is on the increase and the outlook is encouraging. Remittances are reported fairly satisfactory. There have been no failures to speak of and trade conditions generally indicate a healthy tone.

In Hamilton there has been a good demand from country retail merchants to sort stocks. The very firm markets for manufactured goods keeps the situation in a healthy condition and handsome profits are being made on goods purchased at the opening of the season.

Business in London continues of a fair volume, sorting orders have been fair and call for good ranges, well distributed, showing that the retail stocks in the country trade centres must be getting pretty well broken into.

At Victoria, Vancouver and other Pacific coast distributing points business is reported as good for this season and payments are generally more satisfactory than in previous years at this time. The facts that the receipts of the city taxes in Vancouver were largely ahead of any previous year, as recently reported, and that the bank clearings in the two cities are showing substantial increases, are proof of a more prosperous condition of business.

The fine open weather in Manitoba for some weeks, while it assisted the farmers with their work, made mercantile trade smaller than would otherwise have been the case. Colder weather the past week, however, has benefitted the trade movement and a renewal of activity is looked for during the next six weeks. Values of staples are very firm.

The amount of business passing in the wholesale trade at Ottawa is satisfactory, all things considered, and the general conditions of business are sound. The prospects for trade for the the balance of the year are encouraging.

CANADIAN BANK CLEARINGS

The following are some of the weekly clearings as compiled by Bradstreets for the week ending November 12th, with percentages of increase and decrease as compared with the corresponding week of last year:

Montreal $25,252,281, increase 2.1; Toronto $16,040,724, decrease 2.9; Winnipeg $7,293,967, increase 37.9; Halifax $2,468,548, increase 36.1; Ottawa $2,467,218, increase 25.2; Vancouver $1,485,728, increase 29.5; Quebec $1,924,516, increase 13.8; Hamilton $1,081,545, increase 3.3; St. John, N.B., $1,732,000, increase 99.6; Victoria $806,285, increase 35.5; London, Ont., $836,425, increase 15.8.

FAILURES FOR THE WEEK.

The business failures for the week number 13 against 10 in this week a year ago.

VALUABLE PLACER STRIKES.

Two New Districts That Are Proving Very Rich.

[Special to The Daily News.]

Vancouver, Nov. 13.—A Dawson special of today says: The strikes in the Aizac and Shakwak districts, northwest of White Horse, are growing in importance daily. That town is now deserted, as far as a floating population is concerned, and people are pouring into the districts from half a dozen directions. Some are coming from Skagway and Juneau, others from Atlin. Several creeks have already been staked from end to end and are the scenes of much excitement. Only the shallow diggings have so far been exploited. Late advices show that pans as high as $3.25 have been secured and it is probable that other finds of considerable value will be made before spring.

In the hills above Dawson the government's new diamond drill will be started in a few days for the purpose of proving the existence of large ore bodies.

The Yukon Publishing company has just been formed and has acquired the Yukon Sun and Dawson Daily Record, which are amalgamated. The Record has ceased publication while the Sun continues in enlarged form.

BURNED IN HIS OWN HOUSE.

An Old Blind Indian Has a Terrible Death

[Special to The Daily News.]

Vancouver, Nov. 13.—By the return to port of the sealer Libbie, news is received of a fatality by fire at Kyuquot on October 20th in which the element of pathos is conspicuous. At the time a wild gale was blowing and the Libbie's crew was busy to avert destruction of their ship, so they had not opportunity to investigate or assist, and although they could plainly see the destruction of an old cedar structure from the ship and note the extreme excitement of the Indians, they were at the time unable to divine the cause. It transpired later that an old and blind Indian, reputed to have passed a century of years, had been caught in the burning building and in his helpless state had been unable to escape. But for a providential downpour of rain the entire village would have been lost.

ANNIVERSARY OF THE MORAVIANS.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 13.—With the present week just one hundred and fifty years have elapsed since the first Moravian settlement was made in Wachevia, this state, November 17th, 1753. In commemoration of the sesqui-centennial a three days' celebration was begun today at the old town of Bethabara, near this city, where the first settlement was made. Memorial services were held and the program included the dedication of a number of monuments marking sites of famous incidents in the early history of the colony. One of the monuments consists of a huge boulder on which is chiselled the names of the first colonists, while on another monument in the ancient church yard is recounted the experiences of the colonists during the stirring times of the French and Indian war.

COSMOPOLITAN HOTEL SOLD.

Popular Ymir Hostelry Changes Hands—Hunter V. Tramway.

[Special to The Daily News.]

Ymir, Nov. 13.—John Brean, proprietor of the Mersey hotel at Erie, has purchased the Cosmopolitan hotel here from John W. Masterson. The Cosmopolitan, which until the end of the year is leased to William Bremner, has always been one of the most popular hostelries in the town, and was one of the first to open when the town of Ymir first sprunk up. Under the new proprietor it should do well as John Brean is one of the old timers of the camp, and when prospecting in the early times staked the Eldorado mine on Porcupine creek which was subsequently sold to the Eldorado Mines, Ltd.

The Tamarac mine was shut down this week and from indications it is not likely that the property will be shipping in the near future. The greater part of the wire cable of the aerial tramway which was burnt down two years ago, has been sold to the B. C. Standard Co. for use on the new aerial tramway to the Hunter V. mine

THE CREW WAS INDIGNANT

MUTINIED BECAUSE THT CAPTAIN TOOK THEIR STORES.

PLACED IN IRONS ONE OF THE SAILORS ESCAPED.

[Special to The Daily News.]

New Westminster, Nov. 13.—A mutiny took place recently on board the Conrad Llewellyn, a three-masted sailing vessel which loaded salmon at Steveston. The crew which arrived on the vessel, deserted as soon as it arrived in port, but the shipmaster secured another crew from Vancouver. He kept the crew on board for six days and kept them busy. Then he let them off for two days to get supplies for the voyage. The men bought necessities and some few luxuries and when these came on board Barney Benton, the shipmaster, is alleged to have removed many things from the men's private stores, and to have added them to his own hoard. Captain Benton did not deny this when he was charged with doing so. The men became indignant and refused to perform their duties. The shipmaster placed six of them in irons, three being imprisoned in the hold. One escaped from the hold, jumped overboard and swam ashore. He was recaptured, brought back to the vessel and again imprisoned in the hold. The man was persistent, however, and securing a small file he filed the irons and again made his escape and on this occasion get beyond the clutches of the shipmaster. The Llewellyn had got away on her voyage to Liverpool before the story leaked out.

SEA WALL IS GIVING WAY

FILLING IN OPERATIONS EXERT ENORMOUS PRESSURE.

FAMOUS PUBLIC WORK AT VICTORIA COLLAPSING.

[Special to The Daily News.]

Victoria, Nov. 13.—Victoria's famous sea wall crossing James Bay between the postoffice and Parliament square behind which the new Canadian Pacific hotel is to be erected is giving way as the filling in operations advance. While vainly endeavoring to conceal the deformities of the wall from citizens and tourists the authorities have secretly endeavored to brace up the failing structure by means of piling, although they might as well try to stop the inevitable sliding tendency of a living glacier. Sections of the wall have already travelled twelve inches from alignment.

The cause of this migratory tendency on the part of the sea wall, on which many thousands of dollars of public money was expended, is that the filling in operations behind exerted a gigantic pressure not provided for when the plans were prepared. Thousands of tons of sand and mud were pumped into the area behind the wall by dredge King Edward. Unable to withstand the pressure from the rear the wall is giving away. Judging by the results the wall must have been planned more as an ornament than as a substantial structure.

OPERATION ON EMPEROR.

Surgeon Schmidt Gives the Details to the Public.

Berlin, Nov. 13.—The Frankfurter Zeitung prints the following details of the emperor's operation obtained from Dr. Schmidt, who belongs to Frankfort: "The polypus had no stem, as usually is the case, but spread itself on the edge of the left vocal chord. For this reason the operation was more complicated than with an ordinary vocal chord polypus, inasmuch as it required cutting around in order to make a stem. Such an affection is no sign of serious disease."

Dr. Schmidt remains at New Palace, (Potsdam) to make a daily examination of the wound with a laryngoscope and sprinkle some powder on the wound. The emperor is forbidden to ride, speak or take highly seasoned food or drink. The feeling at the palace is nevertheless quite cheerful.

Potsdam, Prussia, Nov. 13.—The following bulletin was issued this morning: "New Palace, Nov. 13.—The healing of his majesty's wound is proceeding in so entirely satisfactory a manner that the next bulletin will be issued the day after tomorrow.

Berlin, Nov. 13.—The report that the villa at Sanremo, formerly occupied by the late emperor Frederick, has been engaged for emperor William, is absolutely denied at the foreign office here.

RACING TO BEGIN ON THE COAST

Oakland, Cal., Nov. 13.—The winter meeting of the New California Jockey club will open tomorrow. ndications point to a successful season, and the officials at the track are pleased at the prospects. Several carloads of horses have arrived this week from various part of the country and the officials declare there will be no lack of material with which to fill the races. The city already is beginning to fill with horsemen and turf followers.

NAVIGATION IMPEDED.

Toledo, Ohio, Nov. 13.—The big steel steamer Luzon, while entering Toledo harbor yesterday collided with the closed draw of the Wheeling & Lake Erie railroad bridge. The draw was badly buckled and knocked from its pins so that the harbor is blocked to navigation and the bridge closed to traffic. A considerable fleet of vessels will be delayed on account the accident. The damage will be about $80,000.

MUST BE NO TRIFLING

U. S. Attitude on the Panama Canal

Will Take Forcible Action if Necessary

Washington, Nov. 13.—Because of the revolution in Panama president Roosevelt has been obliged to rewrite that portion of his December message to congress dealing with the canal negotiations with Colombia. Before the revolution had occurred the president had written in his message: "High authorities on international law hold that the canal can be dug as an incident to exercising power to prevent the obstruction of traffic across the isthmus. Nevertheless in accordance with our settled policy of behaving with fairness and generosity towards our weaker sister republics of the south, we have endeavored to provide for the building of the canal by treaty. It seems evident that in a matter such as this we should finally decide which is the best route and then give notice that we cannot longer submit to trifling or insincere dealing on the part of those whom the accident of postion has placed in temporary control of the ground through which the route must pass; that if they will come to an agreement with us, in a straightforward fashion, we shall in return act, not only with justice but generosity, and, if they fail to come to such agreement with us, we must forthwith take the matter into our own hands."

ROOSEVELT RECOGNIZES VARILLA

Varilla was received by president Roosevelt this morning as minister plenipotentiary and envoy extraordinary of the republic of Panama.

Minister Varilla, of the republic of Panama, has asked M. Jusserand, the Fernch minister, to receive him officially as soon as convenient. M. Bunau-Varilla in his letter says that Panama will divide her final affections between the mother of the American nations, the republic of the United States, and the mother of the Latin nations, the republic of France.

WILL NOT CHANGE ATTITUDE.

London Nov. 13.—From inquiries made by a representative of the Associated Press it is believed that president Roosevelt's reception of M. Bunau-Varilla, as minister of the republic of Panama, wil not affect the attitude of Great Britain towards Panama. While the British government is quite willing to leave the arrangement of affairs at the isthmus to the United States, it does not desire to commit itself to recognizing Panama's independence until assured that it has been established. Thus far Colombia has made no protest here.

ASSURANCE OF PERMANENCY.

Paris, Nov. 13.—President Roosevelt's reception of M. Bunau-Varilla as minister of the republic of Panama, is generally regarded here as giving complete assurances of the permanency of the new republic. It probably will hasten the remaining formalities of the French recognition.

CUBA WILL NOT RECOGNIZE.

Havana, Nov. 13.—It has been decided by the cabinet that no recognition will be given by the Cuban government to the republic of Panama until the republic has been recognized by some of the other Latin American governments.

NO POLITICAL SIGNIFICANCE.

Berlin, Nov. 13.—The German foreign office calls the attention of the Associated Press to the statement printed in London and Paris that the German west Atlantic cruiser squadron has been ordered to San Domingo. This is incorrect. Only two cruisers, the Gazelle and the Falke, have gone there, and they will be withdrawn as soon as German subjects and property are out of danger. No political significance is attached to the movements of these warships.

WILL NOT SEND TROOPS.

The United States war department officials have reached the determination that the situation at Panama does not warrant the sending of troops there. Both secretary Root and lieutenant-general Young, chief of staff, today authorized the statement to be made that no orders have been issued to any troops to proceed to the isthmus, and that none is in contemplation.

AMERICAN LEGATION SURROUNDED

New York, Nov. 13.—It is reported here from Panama that president Marroquin is trying to leave Bogota, Colombia. There is great excitement and the American legation, which is surrounded, is protected by Colombian troops.

CAUSED A BIG SCRAE.

Colon, Nov. 13.—Cutters from the American warships here were dispatched this morning to stop the German steamer Markomanna, which was seen two miles off, towing a gasoline launch toward the harbor. It was thought that that the Markomanna was coming from a Colombian port, but it appears that she had been chartered at Bocas del Toro to bring the alcalde of that port to Colon. There was a big scare at Bocas del Toro on the receipt of news via Port Limon, Costa Rica, that the Colombian government was sending 5000 troops to retake the port which had recently declared its allegiance to the new republic and the alcalde left on the Markomanna for Colon for the purpose of obtaining arms and ammunition with which to equip 500 volunteers to resist the expected Colombian attack. The alcalde, however, has returned to Bocas del Toro to allay the fears of the populace and to give assurances that the landing of Colombian troops there will not be allowed.

MARCHING TO PANAMA.

Guayaquil, Nov. 13.—General Plaza, president of Ecuador, has cabled to resident Marroquin, of Colombia, sympathizing with him in the recent events on the isthmus of Panama. President Marroquin has replied thanking general Plaza and adding that generals Reyes, Cabelleros, Ospina and Holgiin are marching on Panama with a large army to subdue the isthmians.

WINDY CITY CAR STRIKE

NUMEROUS CHICAGO POLICE PROTECTED CREWS.

SITUATION COMPLICATED BY FIREMEN'S STRIKE.

Chicago, Ills., Nov. 13.—Twenty-five cars were operated on the Wentworth avenue line, without damage to the cars or injury to the non-union employees operating them, was what the Chicago City Railway company was able to accomplish today with the assistance of the police department. While there was no active interference with the handling of the cars, such as attended the attempts to run them yesterday, the crowds lined the streets hooting the police and non-union men. But two stones were hurled at the car during the day. At nightfall the officials of the company were inclined to view the day's work on the whole, satisfactory

The situation was complicated for the company by the sudden strike this afternoon of the firemen in all the power houses.

The firemen's union made an agreement two days ago with the company which was to last for a year. There was a clause in the contract which gave the firemen the discretion to go out on a sympathetic strike, if the company declined to arbitrate with the employees now on strike, and the officials of the firemens union declared that they had ordered the strike because the company had declined their offer to mediate between the company and the employees now on strike. The calling out of the firemen involves oilers, water tenders, coal passers, ash handlers, and coal supply men, 250 in all. The real danger in this last strike lies in the attitude of the teamsters. They may decline to deliver coal to the company, if non-union firemen are employed, and the company has but three days' supply on hand.

On this point general manager McCulloch was undisturbed. "We will get all the coal we need," he declared, "and we will run right along. We have shown today that we can operate the cars if we are given proper police protection."

During the afternoon the members of the state board of arbitration called on Mr. McCulloch and on the latter's suggestion went into conference with E. R. Bliss, counsel for the company, with the hope of arranging a settlement. Another meeting has been arranged for tomorrow and one of the arbitration board said indications were that the management of the company would agree to arbitrate all the demands of the men except the recognition of the union.

Rioting is expected over the street car strike when the news is spread abroad that cars will be started with increased police protection. It was expected that a picked force of police would be aboard each car started and that a heavy detail of patrolmen on foot would guard the street railway lines, while at points a few squares apart patrol wagons would be stationed. Several hundred policemen and a dozen potrol wagons were massed at the southern terminal of one of the main electric lines. Early in the morning the wagons started towards the business district, leaving squads at intervals along the line where the trouble was feared.

Lines of union pickets were thrown about the car barns and the preparations for starting the cars were attended with no excitement. Precautionary measures by the police were apparently much more complete than during the teamsters' strike some months ago. No stones were thrown, but jeers and cat calls were hurled at the police and trainmen.

The presence of the police on the cars, evidently with the approval of mayor Harrison, appeared to greatly excite the anger of the crowds. Ten cars in all started on the trip towards the centre of the city within half an hour all on the Wentworth avenue electric line. Non-union crews manned the cars and each car after the first was in charge of a lieutenant or sergeant and 12 policemen.

CHINESE ACCUSE JAPANESE

CHINATOWN GREATLY EXCITED OVER STEVESTON CASE.

SECRET MEETINGS OF HIGHBINDER SOCIETIES HELD.

[Special to The Daily News.]

Vancouver, Nov. 13.—While no additional arrests have as yet been made in the Steveston murder case the police are busy therein and arrests may be expected any hour.

The people of Chinatown are greatly excited over the affair and three secret meetings of highbinder societies have been held during as many days at which the murder and its possible outcome have been discussed. Yesterday after one of these meetings a quartette of influential Chinese had a long conference with provincial chief Campbell whom they informed that they had evidence pointing to Japanese responsibility for the crime.

VENEZUELAN TRIBUNAL OVER

Causes of the Several Powers Argued and Submitted.

The Hague,, Nov. 13.—The Venezuelan arbitration tribunal adjourned today sine die, the arguments having been concluded. The court will now consider its decision and will notify those interested of the date of its delivery. The closing proceedings were brief. Replying for the United States, judge Penfield, solicitor of the state department at Washington, maintained that the blockading powers in the protocol of February 13th abandoned all claims for preferential treatment. The United States, he declared, would remain faithful to the cause of arbitration even though the decision rendered is unfavorable to America.

Counsel was confident the tribunal's verdict would prove satisfactory to the conscience of the civilized world. The tribunal announced that complete statements of claims might be deposited with the secretary general up to December 15th inclusive.

Solicitor-general Findlay, of Great Britain, thanked the court in behalf of all his colleagues, and the president, M. Muravieff, expressed his thanks to counsel for their assistance. He said they could depend on the court's best efforts to find a verdict in accordance with the law of equity.

MUST PLANT COTTON.

Morris Gives This Advice to Jamaician Planters.

Kingston, Ja., Nov. 13.—Sir Daniel Morris, the imperial agricultural commissioner to the West Indies, addressed a large meeting of planters yesterday, strongly urging the importance of establishing the cotton industry on an extensive basis in Jamaica. The address made a deep impression and it is belived that many planters will follow the advice of the imperial commissioner. There is a general movement in the British islands looking to the supplying of cotton to the British manufacturers so as to make them less dependent upon foreign sources.

HAD A BATTLE.

Russian and Chinese Troops Meet and a Fight Ensues.

Tien Tsin, Nov. 13.—It is reported here that Russian troops marching towards Shan Hai Kwan encountered a force of imperial Chinese troops and that fighting ensued. The Russians, it is asserted, pretended that the imperial force was a band of Chinese robbers. Altogether over 100,000 imperial troops have crossed the frontier into Manchuria.

POINTER FOR LUMBERMEN

GREAT MARKET FOR OUR TIMBER IN CEYLON.

IMMENSE QUANTITIES REQUIRED FOR TEA BOXES.

"Your lumbermen have a splendid opportunity to work up a trade in the specialty of supplying lumber for the boxes which are used in the tea exporting trade of Ceylon," was the suggestion made yesterday by captain Valentine Webster, of the Ceylon Co-operative Tea Gardens Co., who has been in the city for the past week. He left yesterday for Victoria in company with S. Oppenheimer, the company's British Columbia representative.

"One of the objects of my present visit to this coast," he said, "is to look into the facilities for supplying the lumber we require. With that object I shall visit Seattle and Portland before proceeding to San Francisco, whence I shall sail on the 19th for Australia.

"In Ceylon the government has restricted the area from which timber can be cut. In certain districts none is left available to manufacture lumber. The increase in the quantity of tea grown for export was so rapid that deforestation of the highlands was threatened by the cutting of timber from which to make box lumber. It was found that the rainfall was so seriously affected in some districts that the paddy crop, the great staple food of the natives, was endangered. Consequently the regulations now in force were enacted. No timber may be cut below a certain line in the important timber districts.

"As a consequence the tea planters were forced to look elsewhere for a supply of lumber and importation has become a necessity. For a time Japan was the principal source from which we drew for box materials. But the very same conditions have arisen in Japan, which cut off our local upply of timber. The Japanese government has altogether prohibited the cutting of timber below a certain altitude, and in addition has also placed restrictions on the export of lumber.

"As the quantity of tea annually boxed and shipped from Ceylon is now 140,000,000 pounds, and every year is on the increase, it is readily seen that the lumber required for boxes is no small item. It appears to me that your lumber manufacturers could with advantage turn their attention to this class of trade and a profitable business could be done by anyone taking it up. What is wanted is to make the shooks in sizes ready for nailing them together, and ship in bundles."—Vancouver Ledger.

CHREMETZ WAS PENNILESS.

A Globe Trotter Stopped When He Tried To Enter the U. S.

[Special to The Daily News.]

Vancouver, Nov. 13—Andrew Chremetz, the young Austrian scholar and adventurer, who has during the past three years walked virtually around the world, encountered unexpected difficulty when he endeavored to proceed through the United States, via Victoria. The obstacle was the clause in the United States immigration law which debars penniless persons from entering the land of the free. As the young Hungarian is making it his business to travel without weighting himself with gold, he comes within the prescribed class. Chremetz returned to the B. C. capital this morning and will walk on to Seattle from this city. He will have no difficulty in stepping over the thin dividing line.

ANOTHER UNIVERSITY.

Northwest Territories Intend to Establish One.

[Special to The Daily News.]

Regina, N.W.T., Nov. 13.—In the Northwest legislature today premier Haultain moved the second reading of a bill to establish a university for the Northwest territories. In a speech Mr. Haultain laid stress upon the fact that no religious test would be required from any officials, nor any religious observance imposed upon them. The education of women would be provided for and no person by reason of sex would be deprived of any advantage or privilege accorded by the university.

WILL TRY ANOTHER CLIMATE.

Rome, ov. 13.—Dr. B. F. Decosta, formerly a distinguished Episcopal minister of New York, who came to Rome last January with Mgr. Kennedy, rector of the American college, to study with a view of entering the Roman Catholic priesthood, has been obliged to go to Fiesole, near Florence, because of the condition of his health.

CRAFTY RUSSIAN DEVICE.

Seattle, Nov. 13.—A letter received here from Shanghai states that Russia is constantly changing the names of her warships to the great confusion and uncertainty concerning the movements of the ships. The same letter adds that both Russia and Japan are actively pushing preparations for war.

RUSSIA IS FOR PEACE

At the Same Time is Prepared for War

The Result of Czar's Visit Abroad Satisfactory

St. Petersburg, Nov. 13.—There is much satisfaction here at the result of the czar's visit abroad. It is believed a complete understanding was made with Germany and France, regarding the near and far east, making for peace, and rendering Russia's rear secure in the event of future hostilities with Japan. While the danger of hostilities is considered over for the present, in spite of the warlike tone of eastern dispatches, it is realized that the settlement is merely patchwork. A high official said "Russia wants peace, but she is ready for war. Japan finding us prepared, fears the test."

The corresponding rehabilitation in imperial favor of count Lamsdorff, the foreign minister, may mean that his supporters will not allow the relinquishment of Manchuria because of its being a vested interest of Russia and because the present attitude of China renders its relinquishment impossible, but they may favor a moderate peaceful course, including the recognition of China's treaty obligations.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND.

A Most Promising Mine—It Has Been Bonded for $20,000.

[Special to The Daily News.]

Phoenix, Nov. 13.—An important deal has just been made for a promising mining claim in this camp which means the adding of another to the list of active mines in the Boundary, with the best of prospects for its future. The property in question is the Bank of England, lying in the eastern part of the camp, only one claim removed from the Snowshoe. The Bank of England has been taken on a lease and bond by W. W. Carter, who has been in the Boundary for several years, the amount of money involved being $20,000. The vendors are Robert Wood, of Greenwood, and associates, the deal having been made by Gaunce & Wickwire, of Greenwood.

Mr. Carter already has a small force of men at work on the Bank of England, and finds the mining an easy proposition. It has been unnecessary so far to use any powder, as the ore is soft and yields readily to pick and shovel. Arrangements are being made for a test shipment to one of the Boundary smelters, from which it is confidently expected good results will be obtained. When shipping is begun the force of men at the property will be increased. The Bank of England is in good company; it touches both the Monarch, owned by the Earl syndicate, of London, for which $100,000 was refused some time ago, and the Rawhide, for which the Dominion Copper Co. paid $40,000 in cold cash some four or five years ago. The Bank of England was located in February 1896, by James Marshall. After doing one one assessment Marshall sold the claim to Wood and his associates. The work done so far consists of a 25 foot incline tunnel, but assays have been most encouraging, $100 in gold was secured several times, and it is believed that $20 will be a conservative average estimate of the run of the ore.

WATER PIPE IS ON HAND.

Soon the Oyster-Criterion Mill Will Start Crushing.

[Special to The Daily News.]

Ferguson, Nov. 13.—Barkley Crilly, assistant manager of the Great Northern Mines, Limited, returned here today from Camborne, where he has been attending to the receipt of some 2,400 feet of iron conduit piping for the Oyster-Criterior 10-stamp mill. It has been the non-receipt of this pipe that has tied up milling operations for over six weeks, since which time the mill was completed. Mr. Crilly stated that the piping would be in place not later than the 20th inst. when crushing would be started. The ore bins are filled to capacity at both the mill and upper terminal bunkers.

At the Oyster-Criterion mine, everything has been got in readiness for winter operations. Outside tramways to bring the ore down to the terminal bins from the upper workings have been covered in . A new blacksmith shop has been erected and timber sheds built. With the installation of the Rand drills stoping will start.

The new crosscut or main tunnel is in over 50 feet. It will be through this that, after connections have been made with the upper workings, all the ore will be taken out to the terminal bins. The approximate distance to be run to tap the Rossland lead is 480 feet.

Mr. Crilly stated that Cambornites were highly pleased over the initial run at the Eva mill, particulars of which have already been published in The Daily News.

SAD TIDINGS

It is Thought The Outing Party Has Perished.

St. John, Nfld., Nov. 13.—The mail steamer, which has just returned from Labrador, brings no news of the expedition to explore the interior of Labrador, headed by Leonides Hubbard, Jr., of New York, assistant editor of Outing, which started from Rigolet, Labrador, August 1st. All the settlers believe the party has perished. A tribe of Montagaine Indians, which had been trapping in the interior, saw nothing of the Hubbard expedition, though the Indians went 15 miles inland.

A PIPE DREAM.

Some British Sailors Smoke Hop—The Vison They Saw.

Ferrol, Spain, Nov. 13.—A British steamer arrived here yesterday in a damaged condition and told a strange story of being attacked by twenty-five Spanish vessels, the crews of which threw stones and fired at them and then took flight.

CANADIAN BANKERS MEET.

Montreal, Nov. 13.—The annual meeting of the Canadian Bankers association took place yesterday. The meeting was occupied entirely with the discussion of technical and association matters. E. S. Clouston, general manager of the Bank of Montreal was re-elected president.

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This Week's Specials For Men

Very fine Scotch Llama Wool Underwear, best in the store; was $5.00; now $3.25 suit.

A few broken lines in Natural Wool: $2.70 grade for $2.00 suit; $3.50 grade for $2.50 suit.

About two dozen Caps, in different styles; worth from 50c to $1.50; 35c to 75c each.

A pretty assortment of Neckwear, puff style, four-in-hand and teck; were 50c and 65c; now 3 for $1.00.

All our 20c Collars, 2 for 25c.

Christy's Black or Brown Stiff Hats; were $2.50 and $3.00; now $1.50 to $2.25.

A few Fedoras in pearl grey, dark grey and brown, from $1.25 to $2.75.

Men's Overcoats, brown Chinchilla, blue Beaver, and grey Frieze; $5.75, $9 and $12.50; a 50 per cent reduction.

Men's Waterproof Coats, $8.50, for $7.

Men's Cravanette Coats, $17.00, for $14.50.

Lots of Men's Suits in Serges and Tweeds, reduced from 1-3 to 1-2 in price; they range from $4.50 to $15.00.

Specials For Ladies

Ladies' fleece lined Wrappers, good assortment and prettily made, $1.40, $1.75, $2.25 and $3.15.

Red Cashmere Wrappers for $5.25

Heavy Black Sateen Wrappers, full made and nicely trimmed; were $3.25; for $2.25.

Flannelette Night Gowns, in pink, blue and white, 60 inches long; 80c, $1.15, $1.30 and $2.00; worth regularly $1.00 to $2.75.

French Flannel Waists, in green and blue stripe, Persian effects; were $4.00; now $2.85.

White Lustre Waists; were $3.50; now $2.50.

Black Lustre, same price.

Red, blue and white Flannel, in plain colors; was $4.00; now $3.00.

Polka Dot Waist; red and black dots, and black with white dots; was $4.25; for $3.20.

Ladies' Suits and Coats

Great slaughter prices reign in this department, in many cases the prices having been cut in two. We have Suits in pretty mixtures in greys and black and whites, also up-to-date Costumes in blue, green and red zibeline cloth, this season's style.

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Ladies' Coats in all lengths in black, blue and the light fawns and modes, from $6.00 to $20.00.

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Our stock in Carpets, Rugs and Linoleums has shrunk perceptibly during this great sale, but there are still a number of good patterns and qualities left in Tapestries, Brussels and Velvet Pile at absolutely bottom prices:

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Heavy Wool Blankets in white or grey, $3.25, $4.25, $4.75, $5.50, $6.50 and $8.50.

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THE INDUSTRIOUS METALLURGIST.

With the improvements that are constantly being made in metallurgical processes it is now difficult to find an ore so base that it cannot be successfully treated, provided it carries reasonable values. It is frequently announced that some new and more economical process has been applied to the ores of this or that camp, and each metallurgical success means that new bodies of ore have been brought within the zone of profit.

Take the evolution of the Rossland camp, as an instance, and it shows how step by step, improvements have been made and the cost of reduction cut down.

Shortly after the Le Roi, Centre Star, Virginia and some other claims were staked by Bourgois and Morris, an expert was sent to Rossland to examine these properties, and his report was that the ore was so rebellious that no known process would successfully reduce it. The War Eagle and the Le Roi management, however, got better advice, and after they had opened up their properties they shipped the ore to American smelters, paying at first $25 per ton for freight and treatment. Though the ore was somewhat rebellious the American smelters by combining it with other ores successfully treated it. They finally induced F. Aug. Heinze, of Butte, to erect a smelter at Trail, and he with the assistance of such able smeltermen and metallurgists as Messrs. Breen and Ballinger soon evolved a process that met conditions and smelted the ore.

The rate charged by Heinze was $11 per ton for freight and treatment which was a considerable reduction from the $25 paid the American smelters and railways for treatment and transportation. Heinze's first and only contract with the Le Roi was for 75,000 tons at $11 per ton. The Le Roi management was dissatisfied with the rate they paid to the Heinze establishment, and finally they built a smelter of their own at Northport. In this plant improvements were made on the Heinze plant so that the management for a time transported and smelted gold-copper ore from Rossland for $4.50 per ton. In order to do custom smelting at this cost there must have been a profit, and the presumption is that the actual cost was somewhat under the price charged.

Even with so low a rate on smelting there were large bodies of low grade Rossland ore that could not be mined and reduced at a profit. To bring this ore within the pay zone was the next question as it cut a large figure in the importance of the camp. There are vast deposits of ore there that run from $4 to $8 per ton which can only be utilized by concentration.

After considerable experimenting the Elmore process of oil concentration was hit upon. One plant is now in successful operation and another is in process of erection and several of the companies have signified their intention of putting in concentrators of the Elmore type. This style of concentrator saves the sulphurets, which are sometimes very light, with oil, for which they seem to have a strong affinity, the same as gold has for quicksilver. Ore that carries $3.50 per ton can now be made to pay, whereas at the outset, when the first shipments were made, ore that did not yield from $45 to $50 per ton was thrown on the dump as valueless.

In the Rossland camp there are a group of mines which have large deposits of low grade pyrrhotite ore. The ore is very heavy, carrying a large percentage of iron and very little gangue. It has no copper to speak of and the values are in gold. This class of ore owing to the fact that it is practically already concentrated is not amenable to treatment in concentrators. Dr. Hendryx, of Spokane, has been experimenting with this class of ore and announces that he is able to treat it sucessfully at a very low rate per ton by an improvement in the cyaniding process.

So the metallurgist has constantly cut down the cost of reducing ores in the Rossland camp until apparently the limit for low treatment charges has been reached there. In some of the other camps he is at work and ere long we may hear of results like those in Rossland in them, too, for what is possible in one place can be accomplished in another provided the ore is of about the same quality.

STUART SHOULD BE ELECTED.

The liberals of Vancouver are to be congratulated on the splendid loyalty and party spirit which they have unanimously displayed in the selection of captain Duff Stuart as their candidate to oppose hon. Charles Wilson for a seat in the provincial legislature. Mr. Wilson, it is true, goes into the contest with the prestige of a portfolio at his back, which at the first look into the situation seems to be a considerable advantage.

On the other hand, captain Stuart goes into the canvass standing on a platform which calls for good government, and which is unalterably opposed to the questionable and unconstitutional practices which have disgraced the McBride adminstration. On so good a platform, calling as it does for a stable, honest adminstration which the people of the provnce have so long desired and which is so essential to the best interests of the province and its people, who have suffered in a marked degree through the lack of a ood, patriotic and honest government to guide its affairs more successfully than they have been in the immediate past, there should be no doubt about the issue being in captain Stuart's favor.

The electors of Vancouver now have an opportunity to rid itself of an old-man-of-the-mountain like incubus that is astride of the province, in the shape of the McBride administration, at once and forever. They can deliver the death blow and should not hesitate about doing it. It is certain if hon. Charles Wilson is defeated that it would mean political oblivion for the element that is now in the ascendancy in the government and that this would be of great public benefit is certain.

The personality of captain Stuart is attractive and should aid him greatly in the contest. He is a popular and successful business man of the terminal city and is noted for his public spirit. He has always been a loyal and high minded liberal, faithful to the great principles of his party. With so good a man to lead them there should be no failure of the campaign to elect him, and if the liberals are as true in the constituency to their party and its principles as captain Stuart is there should be but one outcome, his return, and the subsequent downfall of the disgraceful and disreputable McBride administration.

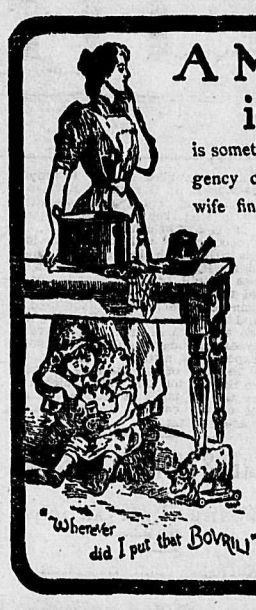
A special from Vancouver states that a meeting was held there yesterday of the eastern syndicate, having in charge the construction of a railway from Spence's Bridge to Nicola. The principal business transacted at the meeting was the election of officers for the syndicate. The dispatch stated that the syndicate is subsidiary to the Canadian Pacific Railway company, and that the local legislature would be asked for assistance. A road constructed over such a route, which is 50 miles long, would be of great benefit to the people of that section, and they would be pleased to know that the syndicate was in earnest. It is doubtful, however, if anything will be done, unless the legislature pays for the road with a big cash and land subsidy and then makes a present of it to the projectors. The approaching session of the legislature probably explains why the eastern syndicate has suddenly become active.

FUR BEARING ANIMALS.

Valleys of the Coast Are Alive With Beaver and Marten.

The special correspondent of the New York Fur Trade Review at Vancouver, writes as follows in the latest issue of that publication.

W. A. Copeland, a logger, of Toba Inlet, brings word that the valleys back of Toba Inlet are alive with beaver, marten, and other small animals. He says white trappers are practically unknown in the section. He brought a big consignment of furs to the city to prove his contention. The Indians know of the rich rewards of trapping, and look with suspicion on the advent of a white man to locate long in the valley. They fear that white trappers will exterminate the fur-bearing animals. Toba Inlet is scarcely 500 miles from Vancouver, but the Indians claim that they own everything in the woods. One night a delegation came to Copeland's hut, fully armed, with the request that he go away. He confronted them boldly, however, and threw the ring leader down the hill. The rest stood aghast at his muscular strength, and after that they bothered him no more. Bears are numerous on the mountain side all along the coast just now, but they are shy. Large, ferocious wolves are reported on Toba Inlet and way up the Squamish river 75 miles from Vancouver. The snow on the mountains has forced these wolves to the lower lands, and they are killing the deer and domestic animals and threatening the settlers themselves. The government allows a good bounty on wolves, and wolf skins and heads are being brought to the cities in large numbers. Mr. Gilman, M.E., returning from Princess Royal island, at the head of Queen Charlotte Sound, states that this island abounds in game of all kinds, and as no white man has ventured on their haunts with a gun, they are exceedingly fearless. In fact, almost daily at this time of year reports come in from some section of the abundance of fur-bearing animals. British Columbia is still a trappers' and sportsmen's paradise.



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Under and by virtue of the powers contained in a certain Mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction by C. A. Waterman & Co., at their offices in the K. W. C. Block, Baker Street, Nelson, B.C., on WEDNESDAY, the 25th day of November, 1903, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon, the following property:

All and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises lying and being in the Hume Addition to the City of Nelson, British Columbia, being described as Lot twenty-nine (29), in Block Two (2), Subdivision of Lot 96, Group 1, west division of Kootenay District.

This property is situate near the corner of Pine and Anderson streets, about one block from the street car line and has erected thereon a two story frame dwelling.

For terms and conditions of sale apply to

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All and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises lying and being in the City of Nelson, in the Province of British Columbia, described as Lots one (1) and two (2), in Block Twenty-two (22), according to the official plan of survey of the town of Nelson filed in the Land Registry office at Nelson, B. C.

This property is situate on the southeast corner of Vernon and Cedar streets, and has erected thereon a large one story frame dwelling and a small cottage.

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FEW LAKES HAVE FINER STOCK OF FISH.

SPORT IN WINTER WOULD BE HARD TO EQUAL.

Probably few lakes in the province hold a finer stock of fish than those caught in the Okanagan; and fewer still wherein Mr. Angler can indulge his hobby, practically speaking, all the year round. The winter fishing in this splendid shet of water would be very hard to equal anywhere.

During the spring, summer and fall months, when fly fishing can be had, the trout caught never run to any great size, from half up to five pounds, the last figure being almost the limit at which the silver trout will rise to the fly.

The lake is some seventy odd miles in length and from two to three and a half in breadth, so that the fisherman has lots of ground to choose from. With the rod, the best catches are always taken whilst fishing off some rocky point, where the water is deep, and a long line can be thrown. It is around these points that the trout appear to feed, and one can often see them passing and repassing and if one is careful and can throw his fly lightly ahead of them, he can see his fish coming to and is able to strike him successfully. If the fish are on feed, all flies are equally good, as they rise to any and the size appears to have little to do with their fancy.

A very successful lure is the grasshopper, and by attaching one of these insects on a small hook an almost sure catch can be had.

One need not expect to get very heavy baskets with the rod. Okanagan, for some reason or another, never yields the huge catches which one reads so much of, and which can be caught in many smaller and less known waters.

But what may be lacking in fly fishing in summer is amply made amends for by the weight and size of the fish caught during the winter.

About the beginning of November up till the end of March, these huge fellows are on the feed. They are of two varieties, locally known as the silver and the spotted. In weight and size they are pretty much on a par, but the silver variety, on account of its dark green back and beautiful silvery sides, is by far the handsomer of the two. During winter they, of course, do not rise to fly, so that trolling has to be resorted to; a light trolling rod and tackle are needed, the splendid fight the fellows show makes the troll no mean substitute.

They run in size from three pounds up to 20 pounds, the last named of course being the exceptional, but the fish from seven to 15 pounds are commonly caught.

The Indians (who are fast dying out), with nearly all winter marketing their catches, often making good money at it. The baits used are many and varied: spoons, otters, bettle baits, and ones cut out of bright colored tins, are all equally good; great care must be taken in seeing that hooks, cast and line are very strong, especially the first named. I have lost many a fish by the hook either straightening out or snapping off in the mouth of a strong, heavy fish.

But apart from the fishing, the climate in the Okanagan varliey, and particularly that around the shores of the lakes, is about as perfect as any sportsman could desire. Even in winter, it is never very cold, and it is only occasionally that a biting wind, and a hard frost keeps the angler indoors.

Big and small game shooting can also be had in the near vicinity, so that when the rod is laid aside the rifle or gun can always take its place.—Rod and Gun.

AROUND SLOCAN LAKE.

During the month of October the Idaho shipper 328 tons of ore.

The Monitor shipped 63 tons of ore during the past month.

The force on the Ivanhoe is to be increased to 80 men.

Work is expected to be resumed at the Howard fraction at an early date.

Sandon mines last week shipped 200 tons of ore, 98 of which came from the Ruth.

A rich shoot of ore has ben struck on the Rambler-Cariboo, 800 feet below the apex.

Two men were put on last week to improve the trail to the Black Prince for rawhiding.

Last week the Slocan ore shipments approximated 500 tons making about 13,000 tons for the year.

Bob Allen sent a pack train to New Denver on Tuesday, to pack down a carload of ore from the Capella.

A crown grant is being applied for by W. D. McGregor, on the Crusader group, Lemon creek. Charley Faas and Wm. Crawford are the owners.

W. D. McGregor, for the owenrs, is applying for a crown grant on the Weymouth claim, situated on the opposite side of Ten Mile from the Enterprise.

A big strike or ore is reported from the Ivanhoe, 12 feet of the shipping article having been encountered in the No. 8 tunnel. It has created a big stir in the camp.

Out of 172,913 shares in the old London & B. C. Goldfields, part owners of the Enterprise mine, 109,164 have so far been taken up under the plan of re-organization.

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A BUM RAILWAY SERVICE.

A bum service is in sight for the Nakusp & Slocan railway this winter, and the people will wax wroth. The notice of the change is contained in the following intimation to the district postmasters: "In effect from the 15th inst. The train service between Nakusp and Roseberry, will be reduced to tri-weekly, on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. The train service between Rosebery and Sandon will remain daily except Sunday, so that the despatch to and from Sandon from Slocan points will remain as at present. You will exchange with Revelstoke and Calgary and Vancouver points, however, on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday only. Matter for those places to be forwarded to Nelson on Monday, Wednesday and Friday."—Slocan Drill.

A TIMELY SUGGESTION.

This is the season of the year when the prudent and careful housewife replenishes her supply of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is certain to be needed before the winter is over, and results are much more prompt and satisfactory when it is kept at hand and given as soon as the cold is contracted and before it has become settled in the system. In almost every instance a severe cold may be warded off by taking this remedy freely as soon as the first indication of the cold appears. There is no danger in giving it to children, for it contains no harmful substance. It is pleasant to take—both adults and children like it. Buy it and you will get the best. It always cures. For sale by all dealers and druggists.

VISITING HIS CONSTITUENTS

Wm. Davidson, the member-elect for the Slocan riding, visited this section on Friday, with a view to acquainting himself with the wants of his constituents before the legislature meets on the 26th inst. He is particularly interested in the ranchers down the valley and will try to get them some assistance towards a trunk road.—Slocan Drill.

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REFLECTIONS.

When railroads are built to serve the people, we will hear no more about stopping trains running to Poplar during a portion of the winter. The C. P. R. has slighted that camp since its birth, probably because a rival railway owns the townsite.

Times should improve in the Slocan. Silver is again dropping in price. If it had kept climbing, the Slocan mines would nearly all have closed down until the managers found a new grievance.

The McBride government needs a tonic. It cannot live many months, and the sooner we have another election the better it will be for a province that is well nigh ruined by incompetent and dishonorable legislation.

Spots on the sun have caused much trouble in Germany recently by stopping the electrical plants from working. The same spots may have some thing to do with the difficulty of getting a recount in Fernie. You can't tell.

John D. Rockfeller's income is $7000 an haur. All he has to do is to sit still and let it pile up. He would make $40,800 nearly every time he waited for a train at Denver Siding, while most of us would lose at the same game.—New Denver Ledge.

WAKEFUL CHILDREN.

For a long time the two year old child of Mr. P. L. McPherson, 59 N. Tenth St., Harrisburg, Pa., would sleep but two or three hours in the early part of the night, which made it very hard for her parents. Her mother concluded that the child had stomach trouble, and gave her half of one of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, which quieted her stomach and she slept the whole night through. Two boxes of these Tablets have effected a permanent cure and she is now well and strong. For sale by all druggists and dealers.

SAPPHIRE LESSEES TO SHIP

Malcolm Cameron has a contract to bring down six tons of ore from the Sapphire, on Twelve Mile creek in the Slocan, which the lessees are shipping as a first installment. Last week they broke into a fine bunch of ore, which carries fair values. The lessees expect to make money this winter.

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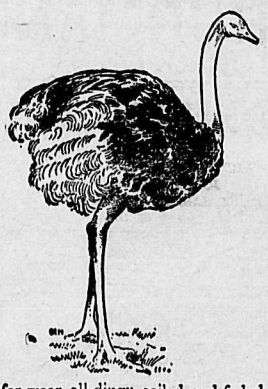

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NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

Judge Forin returned last evening from Revelstoke, where he held court of Tuesday.

J. D. Anderson, P. L. S., of Trail, was in the city yesterday on his way to Erie, to inspect some mining properties.

Tomorrow being the seventh anniversary of the opening of the Methodist church in Nelson there will be special music and services both morning and evening.

The annual general meeting of the members of the British Columbia Institute of Assayers will be held at Trail on Saturday evening, November 28th, at half past seven o'clock.

All the steamers coming in last night were delayed by the heavy gale which was blowing on the main lake. The wind blew heavier than it has for probably a year or more, and gave some of the boats all they wanted in the way of waves.

Phil White, formerly superintendent of the Wilcox mine, left this week for Carleton, Quebec, where he will take a vacation before returning to the Kootenays. Mr. White still retains a considerable interest in the Wilcox mine, which was developed to its present high standard under his management.

The commercial travelers are still coming into the city in large n umbers, and the demand for sample rooms all week at the leading hotels has been much greater than the supply. It is estimated that more travelers have visited the city this fall than during the previous two years. A number of old timers who had not been through the Kootenays for three and four years are now in town.

Among the attractions at the Trades and Labor council's smoker tonight will be a three round boxing match between Curley and Mullin, who promise to spread themselves. The Rowan brothers will also spar three rounds and they are a busy pair of boxers. These two numbers will be of special interest owing to the approaching battle between the fighters, but all the others are equally good and the affair promises to provide a pleasant evening for all who attend.

Three Forks will have another working property this winter in the Bachelor group, lying between the Queen Bess and Monitor mines. The mine was bonded last month by a syndicate under a working agreement, it being understood that they should do $12,000 worth of development work in one year from the date of the bond. The property was located by George Petty about four years ago, and has been bonded twice. Considerable development work has been done on it, and it is believed to be a first class property.

Yesterday Nelson caught the tag end of the blizzard which has been making things uncomfortable in Montana, portions of Washington and the prairie country. The wind blew with a velocity very uncommon for here but fortunately the temperature remained only a few degrees below freezing, as if it had gone much lower it would have caused havoc with water pipes which have not yet been protected for the winter. At Michel, Blairmore and other Crow's Nest Pass towns the theremometer went down to five and six above zero.

A number of the old timers of the city are discussing the advisability of forming a pioneers' society here, to become a member of which it will be necessary for the applicant to have resided in the province at least fifteen years and to be a resident of Nelson. Similar societies have been formed in other cities and have proved a great success. In Nelson there are in the neighborhood of one hundred people eligible. The objects of the society would be almost entirely social, only one meeting a year being held in the shape of an annual banquet, when old reminiscences would be retold and a general good time enjoyed.

W. C. Koch, of New Denver, has secured a lease on the Enterprise mine, on Ten Mile creek, in the Slocan, to run until Dec. [illegible] has had a lease for several months on the upper workings, but as the arrangement was not permanent he did not do very much. Now, however, he will build new buildings at the mine to accommodate seventy-five men and undertake a systlematic course of development to open the Enterprise ledge at depth through the Iron Horse and Mabou ground. Shipments from the Enterprise have been running about 100 tons a month, but these will be increased.

Captain Shanley of the Salvation Army, will assist the local corps both today and Sunday at the regular meetings, and on Monday he will conduct a magic lantern service at the barracks.

"Our Kids" a band of negro minstrels who have made a hit wherever they have appeared have volunteered to fill the program of the Trades and Labor Council's smoker this evening. Their hand bills say that the show is "all local hits" but it will scarcely be less popular on this account. With the two boxing bouts, the minstrels and the other excellent numbers on the program the Trades and Labor smoker will be a memorable event.

B. Cortiana, an Italian contractor, who has a lease on the Highland mine at Ainsworth, is in great luck. He has struck 12 feet of shipping galena in the 500-foot level. The showing has not yet been opened up enough to prove its permanency, but the ledge is strong and at that depth, the ore body should be continuous. Regular shipments are being made from the Highland to the Hall Mines smelter. The Highland mine, before it was leased to Cortiana was in the hand of an eastern company, which built a big concentrator and spent a lot of money on the property but never made the mine pay. Cortiana has made a big clean-up from his lease.

During the last month there has been hardly a day on which at least a dozen men have not come into town from one or other of the big lumber camps which are now springing up along the Kootenay, Trout and Arrow lakes. While most of these visitors are passing from one camp to another a good percentage are in town for the purpose of having a few days holiday. The smaller hotels have been doing a good and increasing trade with these men, all of whim spend money freely. A man well posted in the trade stated yesterday that within another year there will be over 2,000 men employed either in the woods cutting logs or at the mills along the lakes mentioned. From the position of this city it is bound to become a centre for the profitable trade arising from this industry.

A. C. Flumerfelt, assistant to the president of the Granby Consolidated, had a rather trying experience early yesterday morning. The Crow's Nest steamer on which he was a passenger reached the city wharf shortly before three a.m. Mr. Flumerfelt decided to go up to the Strathcona, have a few hours reast and breakfast before leaving on the eight o'clock train for Grand Forks. Unfortunately no bus or express wagon could be seen, or found, and he had two heavy grips. He started up the wharf, expecting to meet a vehicle or some one to assist him. but his hopes were in vain. On the way he met a youth and offered him half a dollar to carry one of the valises, but the boy looked at the grip and said: "Sorry, pardner, but I'm not going your direction."

STEEL TRUST MOVES.

Purport of Recent Conference Explained in Reports.

Pittsburg, Nov. 13.—Semi-official reports of the conferences which were held during the past week in Pittsburg and New York by the officials of the United States Steel corporation and presidents of subsidiary companies, say the real purpose of these conferences was the arranging of details for amalgamation of the American tin plate company and the American sheet steel company, the removal of general offices of these companies from New York to Pittsburg, and also the removal of the office of the American Bridge company from Philadelphia to Pittsburg. All of these changes are to take place in the near future.

PLAYED BEFORE ROYALTY.

Waller and Company Perform in Sandringham Palace.

London, Nov. 13.—Lewis Waller and company tonight gave a performance of Sydney Grundy's adaption of "A Marriage of Convenience" in the beautiful ball room at Sandringham palace before king Edward and queen Alexandra, the prince and princess of Wales and a large party of invited guests.

KILLED BY A NEGRO.

New York, Nov. 13.—Andrew H. Green, known as the father of Greater New York, and one of the most prominent residents of this city, was shot and killed by a negro named Cornelius Williams today. The reason for the shooting is not yet known.

BREEDERS WON'T EXHIBIT.

Toronto, ..Nov. 13.—F. M. Hodson, dominion live stock commissioner says that the Canadian live stock breeders have decided not to exhibit at the St. Louis exposition unless alterations are made in the regulations to permit of provincial registrations being recognized. Changes must also be made in the prize list which practically cuts out several classes in which Canadians are chiefly interested.

CARPETS TO BE HIGHER.

New York, Nov. 13.—Because of the high price of wool and its scarcity, both in this country and abroad, the carpet manufacturers declare a general advance in the price in absolutely necessary. The advance is likely to affect chiefly the higher grades of carpets, amounting probably to 10 cents on [illegible]s and high-grade velvets, and 5 cents on Brussels.

SLOCAN ORE SHIPMENTS.

Slocan, Nov. 13.—There is a blank to record this week in ore shipments from the local division the Enterprise failing to materialize. Now that the snow has come shipments should begin to move more freely from that property, assisted by a respectable output from the Black Prince. The improved situation at the Ottawa will also tend to swell the volume of shipments.

SUCCUMBED TO APOPLEXY

New York, Nov. 13.—Dr. Charles Marshall, a prominent physician of Huntingdon, Quebec, and a member of the medical board of governors of the province of Quebec, died suddenly of apoplexy today, shortly after arriving in this city on a visit with relatives. Dr. Marshall was a graduate of the New York university and had been prominent in Huntingdon for several years.

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FAVORABLE TO TREATY.

Washington, Nov. 13—The house committee on ways and means today authorized a favorable report on the bill making effective the Cuban reciprocity treaty, by a vote of 14 to 2.

FRIEDLANDER DEAD.

Berlin, Nov. 13.—Professor Friedlander, director of the Liebnitz Berlin gymnasium is dead.

BUSINESS AT GREENWOOD.

It is Mending to a Considerable Extent—Are Not Boomers.

Greenwood, Nov. 9.—Business is gradually improving, and more men are employed in the district than at any time since the period of railway construction. Greenwood people have never been wont to exploit their deeds through the newspapers' columns. Our mining men belong to a clas who lay material plans and quietly, patiently work them out.

Our business men are inclined to be a little too conservative, perhaps, and never get quite enthusiastic enough when talking to strangers, but they go steadily on paying their bills and attending to business.

Our city council and ratepayers have not loaded the city with a very burdensome debt for the sake of making a show of improvements, realizing that a day of redemption draws nigh, and so for the most part public obligations have been contracted with due regard for the ultimate public welfare. Steadily public works and public needs are being supplied and steadily the debt contracted in earlier days is being reduced, and this nothwithstanding the rather depressed condition that has generally prevailed.

Ore shipments continue to boom, and mine and smelter improvements and enlargements are seen on every hand. Several properties hav been recently bonded in the vicinity and although the wild-cat day has passed, the new and better day of good buyers for good properties has dawned.

A. H. B. MacGowan, of Vancouver, member-elect of the provincial parliament, has been here several days last week.

Work progresses rapidly on the big brick stack being erected by the B. C. Copper Company.

Te electric power sub-station at the smelter is being pushed to completion before winter weather sets in.

Several old timers who have been trying the greener-appearing fields far away are drifting back into the camp.

THE NEW MOTIVE POWER

A coster stopped outside a chemist's shop with a rather recalcitrant moke.

"Mister," said the pearly one, "can you give that 'ere animal sumfink to make 'im gee-whiz? 'E won't move for nuts."

The man of poisons smiled, went inside, and brought out a large bottle of liquid ammonia. He withdrew the stopper, and placed the neck of the vessel underneath the tired one's nasal organ.

One long, deep sniff, and one gasp of twenty ass-power, then off galloped Neddy as though his Satanic majesty was after him with a thick stick.

The coster, in stupefaction, gazed at the rapidly retreating form of his asinine friend, then anxiously inquired of the chemist:

"No," responded the gentleman designated by that facetious title.

"Say, cockie, is that 'ere stuff expensive?"

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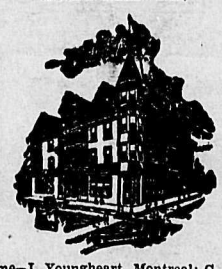

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Hume—J. Youngheart, Montreal; G. Hazen, Fredericton, N. B.; H. B. Gilmour, Vancouver; J. Cronin and two children, Moyie; Dr. E. Lunden, Mrs. P. Lunden, Portland; T. Madge, Park River; A. McAllister, Winnipeg; H. L. Raketmay, Toledo; J. A. McBain, Toronto; S. C. Matthews, Montreal; A. W. Thornton, Seattle; E. J. McFeely, Mrs. Wilson, J. H. Lonsdale, Vancouver.

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Grand Central—F. Keefe, Ymir; J. D. Weir, H. E. Alny, New Denver; J. Lyngholm, Michel; M. McDougall, Ymir; H. E. Henderson, Montreal; W. A. Harvey, Slocan; A. L. Sootie, Brandon; A. Keefe, F. J. Crogan, Ymir; S. B. Sault, Lardo; W. J. Coulter, Toronto.

Bartlett—W. F. Hamilton, Venus mine; S. Clark, Ymir; M. Monaghan, Poplar; W. Moore, J. Jackson, J. Vaughan, Ferguson.

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Madden—G. C. Reid, J. Pringle, Fernie; H. D. McDonald, Greenwood; W. D. Estey, Slocan; H. Crowe, Ymir; R. Woods, Goodsville.

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HEATING BOX CARS.

The C. P. R. Issues Directions Concerning The Mode.

The freight department of the Canadian Pacific Railway in anticipation of this winter's business, has issued a circular dealing with the transmission of perishable goods. It refers to heated cars.

The heaters to be used for warming the interior of fright cars containing goods liable to damage from cold, such as fruit, vegetables, eggs, liquors, wines, beer and ale, may be obtained on application to the car distributors at Montreal, St. John, N. B., Toronto, Winnipeg, Calgary, and Vancouver.

Freight loaded into such cars must be specified as "heated cars freight," in which cae it will receive special attention, and an extra charge will be made for the heated car service.

In order that a proper service may be maintained all along the line, and all perishable goods kept at the correct temperature, arrangements have been made for taking the temperature of the cars at certain points.

Inspection stations on the Pacific division where the cars and their contents will be thoroughly inspected are as follows: Arrowhead, Castlegar Junction, Eholt, Farron, Kamloops, Lagan, Mission Junction, Nakusp, Nelson, North Bend, Revelstoke, Rosebery, Sicamous Junction, Slocan City, Sumas, Vancouver and New Westminster.

THE SILVER DOLLAR

Tom Wills, when down from the Silver Dollar recently said that the rich free gold strike made on that property last week, is about the finest showing he ever saw, says the Camborne Miner. Gold is freely sprinkled through the quartz and can be seen with the naked eye. Several specimens have been taken out, one block weighing fully five tons. Messrs. Clifton and Darragh, who have charge of the Silver Dollar, are jubilant over the rich discovery, and, if arrangements can be made before snow flies, work will be conducted the greater part of the winter.

IN HEALTHY CONDITION.

Montreal, Nov. 13.—The statement of the bank of Montreal for the half year ending October 5th, 1903, shows profits, after deducting charges of management and making full provision for all bad and doubtful debts, of $917,156.31. Premiums received on new stock amounted to $416,024.

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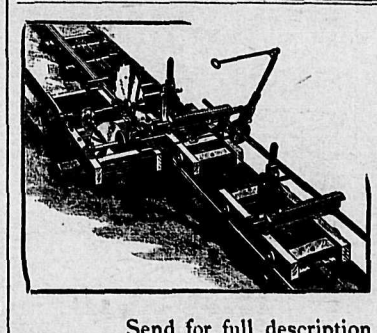
Nelson Branch. BRUCE HEATHCOTE, Manager.



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