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HIS LIFE IS IN BALANCE

Gillier Says the Killing of Magee Was the Result of an Accident

Jones Scored Because He Does Not Believe in Capital Punishment--Richard Wilcox Acquitted

There were several incidents at the court of assize yesterday, including the entry into the witness box on his own behalf of "Dr." Louis Gillier, charged with the murder of John Magee at Jaffray, in East Kootenay last January.

When the court opened at 10 o'clock, S. S. Taylor addressed the jury in the Fernie incest case in which Richard Wilcox was the accused, for over an hour, and it appearing from the evidence of Mrs. Wilcox, wife of the prisoner, that the little girl, who was the chief witness against Wilcox, was not his daughter, as was supposed up to the time of the confession, but had been adopted by Mrs. Wilcox in England, unknown to her husband, the charge was restricted to one of indecent assault.

Mr. McAnn summed up briefly for the crown, and the judge's charge lasted just 20 minutes. His lordship said that if the jury believed some of the evidence tendered against the adopted mother of the child they must find her to be a degenerate of a most repulsive type, a fiend of a rare sort quite capable of putting up the little girl to tell the story against the alleged father. After reviewing the evidence offered, the case was left to the jury with a caution to sweep aside all feeling of sympathy and to do strict justice.

At noon the jury re-entered the court room after 20 minutes deliberation and announced that they found the prisoner, Richard Wilcox, not guilty, asking the court at the same time if there was not some way of taking little Victoria Wilcox, the child in the case, away from her adopted mother, so as to give her a chance to grow up along decent lines. Mr. Justice Martin told the jury he would consider the matter and see what could be done.

Then "Dr." Louis Gillier, of Jaffray, East Kootenay, was put on trial for the wilful murder of John Magee, at the former's hotel in Jaffray, on the 16th of Janaury last, by shooting him twice with an ordinary shotgun.

For the first time since the assizes opened some difficulty was experienced in gettin ga jury and the panel was nearly exhausted when the Wilcox jury came in, rendered their verdict, were discharged and at once became available for the murder trial.

Finally twelve men were selected. W. H. Jones, printer, of this city, was challenged for cause by the crown, Mr. McAnn stating to the court that he was informed Mr. Jones objected to capital punishment under any and all circumstances.

The court—"There are some persons, I believe, with diseased and distorted minds, who hold such views."

Juror Jones—"I have conscientious scruples about inflicting capital punishment."

The court—"I should like to ask you a question out of curiosity. If you saw your wife butchered before your eyes would you still continue not to believe in capital punishment?"

Juror Jones—"That is an extreme case."

The court—"Oh, no, not necessarily."

Juror Jones—"I would defend my wife with my life, but I would not put the law in motion."

The court—"You are certainly not fi tto serve on the jury. You are discharged, and may leave the court room."

Then the crown objected to George B. McMillan for cause, and jurors—already chosen—Alfred Tregillus and H. J. Moore were sworn in as "triers" and McMillan was put in the box and sworn. He said that he had been mixed up with the case at the inquest and had formed the opinion which he still retained, that the accused was undoubtedly insane. Subsequently on the report of the "triers" the court excused Mr. McMillan from acting.

Finally the following jury were sworn in: H. T. Irvine, H. Bush, A. L. Emory, S. M. Brydges, John Burns, Sr., G. A. Brown A. Thomas, D. H. Proudfoot, H. J Moore, A. Tregillus, G. F. Motion, and Robert M. Hood, foreman.

The crown called W. A. McDonald, miner, Wm. Reid, bushman, Alex. McDonald, constables S. H. Hoskins, A. P. Walker, C. A. Dowe, chief constable J. H. McMullen and Dr. C. P. Higgins.

The evidence taken at the preliminary hearing of Angus McDonald, since deceased, was also put in.

Briefly, the case for the crown was that the three McDonalds, Angus, Alex. and William, William Reid, John Magee, the man who was killed, and one other, a party of lumbermen, who had been paid off on January 16th, had come to the Jaffray hotel, owned by the accused and his wife, on that day, during the afternoon. There had been some drinking by some of the men before supper and more afterwards. That some of the furniture had been knocked about and a couple of the doors stove in; that about 11 o'clock the deceased had got into an altercation with the wife of the accused at the foot of the stairs in the front hall and that just as W. A. McDonald had gone up to him to take him away, the prisoner appeared in the door of the dining room and shot at Magee twice with a shotgun, killing him instantly. The medical testimony showing that one shot had made a large hole in the man's side while the other had resulted in the shot scattering over the body from the shoulder down.

When the crown's case was over the prisoner at once entered the box and gave his version. He is an exciteable man, who wept copiously in the dock and at times spoke in such broken accents that it was difficult to follow him.

Briefly, the prisoner's story was that the discharged lumbermen had come to his house, cashed their cheques and proceeded to get drunk, that during the evening they smashed the place up, insulted and assaulted both himself and his wife, Magee being the principal offender, and that after warning Magee that he would get his gun, he did so, when Magee got his—the prisoner's wife—in the sitting room, blocked the door and commenced to assault her, that he—the prisoner—broke open the door and found Magee with his hands on the woman. He—the prisoner—slipped and fell and the gun went off accidentally, the charge entering Magee's body. This happened in the sitting room. Magee walked to the foot of the stairs where he fell down and died, and word of the occurrence was sent at once by accused to the police at Fernie. The prisoner contradicted the principal witnesses for the crown in many important details.

The court adjourned at 5.30 until 10 o'clock this morning when the accused will be cross examined, and his wife will tell her story. This is the last case on the criminal list. The sentence of the court will probably be pronounced today upon Edward Aho, found guilty of manslaughter.

S. S. Tayor, K.C., who successfully defended Wilcox yesterday, is also defending Gillier.

The jury in the Gillier case were not allowed to separate and spent the night at the Hume in charge of constables.

LUMBERMEN IN VICTORIA.

Are Consulting Government Regarding Their Interests.

[Special to The Daily News.]

Victoria, May 20.—Taylor, of Revelstoke, is in the city today. He accompanied a deputation representing the mountain lumbermen, who have business with the government.

The delegation consists of G. S. McCarter, solicitor for the millmen's association; Johnston, representing the Empire mill; Beatty, from the Arrowhead mill company; and Lindmark, of the Revelstoke mill.

The government was approached upon matters affecting trade and suggestions were made to the members of the cabinet by the lumbermen this morning. One of the vexatious questions to the lumbermen of the province has been removed. The duty on rough lumber entering the United States, which in February last was raised from $2 to $7.50, has again been placed at the former figure, and the duty on rough cedar is based at 15 per cent ad valorem. Advices to this effect was received by K. J. Burns, of the Great Northern company in this city yesterday. It is expected that the result of the recent action of the United States government in this respect will be to stimulate the lumber industry of British Columbia again.

BANKER CONVICTED.

Guilty of Receiving Money After Bank Was Insolvent.

New York, May 20.—David Rothschild the former president of the federal bank, who has been on trial in the court of general sessions, was this afternoon found guilty of grand larceny in the first degree. He was accused of inducing persons to deposit money in the bank after he knew it was insolvent. He was remanded until Monday for sentence. The penalty of the crime admits of a term of ten years in prison.

FIVE OF THE CREW PERISHED.

Halifax, N. S., May 20.—The Dominion Coal company's steamer Inturret Bay, with coal from Sydney for Montreal, was wrecked of St. Paul's island, Cabot straits, this morning. Fourteen of the crew were saved by the life saving crew on the island, but five of them died before reaching shore.

SEIZED BY ARABS

Gibraltar, May 20.—A British torpedo boat, No. 88, sailed today for Tangiers, in connection with the kidnapping of an American citizen named Perdicaris, and his stepson, Cromwell Varily, a British subject, by armed Arabs, headed by Raisuli, the notorious brigand.

FLOUR MILLS DESTROYED.

St. Jacobs, Ont., May 20.—Conestogo flour mills, the property of M. E. Snider, were destroyed by fire yesterday. The loss is about $12,000. The insurance is $6,000.

AN EX-M. P. DEAD.

Toronto, May 20.—Archibald Harley, ex-M.P. of South Oxford, is dead at his residence, Burford, Ont., aged 80 years. He was elected to parliament as a liberal in 1882.

STRIKE IMPENDING.

Toronto, May 20.—Brick, tile and terra cotta workers have notified employers that if their union is not recognized by Saturday night a strike will be declared

TOGO'S REPORT OF DISASTERS TO WARSHIPS

Kasuga Collided With Yoshima and Sunk Her--Hatsuse Struck a Mine and Sunk Bogatyr was not Wrecked--General Kuroki's Force Said to Have Been Repulsed--Port Arthur to be Stormed Within Short Time

BOGATYR IS SAFE

St. Petersburg, May 20.—The admiralty states that there is not the slightest foundation for the report that the cruiser Bogatyr has been destroyed. The squadron, the admiralty asserts, is intact at Vladivostock

Tokio, May 20.—(6 a.m.)—Vice admiral Togo's full report is as follows:

"It is regrettable to have to report a sad misfortune. At 7 o'clock Sunday morning I received a wireless message from rear admiral Dawa, saying that on that day at 5 in the morning, while returning from the work of blockading Port Arthur he encountered a dense fog north of the Shan Tung peninsula. The Kasuga collided with the port stern of the Yoshima, which was sunk. Boats from the Kasuga saved 90 of her crew. The dense fog still continues.

"This has been a most unfortunate day for our navy. While the fleet was watching the enemy off Port Arthur, the Hatsuse struck one of the enemy's mines and her rudder was damaged. She sent a message for a ship to tow her, which was being sent when another message brought the lamentable report that the Hatsuse had struck another mine and immediately began to sink. The Hatsuse then was ten knots off Liao Teshan promontory. No enemy was in sight. It must have been a mine or a submarine boat. Three hundred of the officers and crew were saved. The Hatsuse sank in 30 minutes. While sinking sixteen of the enemy's torpedo craft appeared and were driven off. Our fleet report is somewhat vague on account of the fact that some of the messages were received by wireless telegraphy."

The report of rear admiral Togo should not be confounded with the vice admiral of that name who commands the Japanese fleet sent to attack Kai Chou on the west coast of the Liao Tung peninsula, south of New Chwang, who reached Port Arthur soon after the Japanese battleshap Hatsuse was blown up and assisted in saving her crew and driving back the Russian torepdo boat flotilla which came out that evening. Rear admiral Togo entered Chili gulf the morning of the 16th, reconnoitered the coast near Kai Chou, and drove the enemy off a range of hills near Tong Shang. On the 17th after clearing it of mines, rear admiral Togo entered Kai Chou bay from which his gunboats bombarded the railroad bridge, a military train, and the enemy's buildings, effecting some damage.

A Russian captured during the recent fighting near Kai Chou reports that the enemy on the Kin Chou peninsula consists of the majority of the fourth infantry division and all of the seventh infantry division. The prisoner adds that one Japanese naval officer and 30 men are prisoners at Port Arthur. They are survivors of the last blockading operations.

JAPANESE ILL-LUCK

Great Regret Expressed in London Over Loss of Vessels.

London, May 20.—The English newspapers express the greatest regret and sympathy at Japanese ill-luck in losing two warships. They consider it due purely to accident, probably to derelict mines, not believing that the Russians placed mines at such a distance from the shore. Admiration is expressed at the smartness of the Japanese in saving so many lives from their vessels. Incidently the papers used the disaster to point out a lesson to the British political party which charges that the government is spending too much money on the navy. That the battleships were lost apparently rests mainly on the assertions of the Russian refugees who arrived at Che Foo.

The Morning Post, which is well posted on Japanese views, thinks that the disaster to the Japanese vessels will lead Japan to devote her attention to reduclug Port Arthur on the ground that it is all important that she maintain command of the seas. The same paper suggests as an explanation of the conflicting reports of Russian doings at New Chwang that the Russians quitted New Chwang but finding the way northward blocked by Japanese decided to return to New Chwang and hold out there as long as possible in the hope of relief.

Tokio despatches to the Daily Telegraph and the Standard say that admiral Nashiha was among those saved from the battleship Hatsuse.

RUSSIANS REJOICE

Say Japanese Disasters Puts Them on Better Footing.

St. Petersburg, May 20.—With greater calm than has been felt since the beginning of the war Russia today faces the situation in the far east. The disasters sustained by the Japanese fleet have strengthened the national spirit and the officials carefully point out that they restore, in a measure, that prestige lost by the untarnished successes of the army. Should the reports of the Japanese army being driven back to Feng Wang Cheng prove true, then the authorities and people will feel that Russian progress has been vindicated and that the two belligerents can recommence the war on a more even footing. The first effect of Russian successes will, it is believed, be a change in the behavior of the Chinese, whose attitude has been hostile to the Russians, and to bring this change about, it is expected that the Russian agents in China will follow the Japanese plan of fully informing the celestials of the losses inflicted on the enemy. Although in St. Petersburg there is individual enthusiasm over the Japanese disasters near Port Arthur there will be no collective demonstration. The wholesale rejoicing will follow achievements of a more thrilling character, which will appeal to the volatile side of the Russian people. Everywhere one hears praise of the Russian torpedo boats in stealing out in the darkness perhaps through a line of small boats of the enemy, to plant mines where the heavier of the enemy's ships had cruised a few hours before, but after all it is pointed out there remained a big element of chance as to whether the enemy would return. The authorities had almost come to the conclusion that the catastrophe which they prepared would not come about, because of the cleverness of vice admiral Togo in keeping away from the dangerous waters as if aware of the Russian propositions.

The tone of comments of the newspapers this morning is sober, while at the same time recognizing the importance of Russian success, and well expressed by the Russ, which says: "The Japanese losses jeopardize her mastery of the sea. It is a streak of bad luck like ours. Of course we are about equal with Japan with the Baltic squadron, but was it worth while to bring the Kasuga from Geneo to sink the Yoshima "

The Bourse Gazette remarks: "The news of the enemy's losses will cheer us up and make amends for the treacherous Japanese attack at the outbreak of the war. It is now Japan's misfortune to experience the deadly submarine mines which have done so much damage. Great is the Russian good. The war has entirely a new basis hastening the Russian's victory."

RUSSIANS REPULSED.

Tokio, May 20.—(3.30 p.m.)—The following official statement has just been issued here: "A section of infantry of the Liao forces went in the direction of Shan Chus and met two sections of Russian infantry. The Russians were repulsed in 30 minutes. Our casualties were one officer and four men killed, and one officer and three men wounded. The Russian casualties were one officer and 40 men killed. The landing of Japanese troops at Taku Shan began yesterday.

A CHANGE OF BASE.

The Russian Force is to Be Withdrawn To Kaupau Tse.

London, May 20.—The Shanghai correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says the Russians will withdraw to Kaupau Tse, concentrating their forces at Fuh Uen, 100 miles to the northeast, to support their new base at Kai Yenan and Tieling, whither their stores and munitions were being taken from Mukden and Liao Yang. It is reported, the correspondent says,, that 10,000 Russians have been sent to Kaiping below New Chwang to check the Japanese advance. The Mukden branch of the Russian and Chinese bank is reported as to have been closed. According to the Telegraph's correspondent, baron Mumm de Schwarzentien, the German minister at Pekin, is said to be seeking consent to post guards along the Shan Tung railway.

NO TORCHLIGHT PROCESSION.

Still St. Petersburg Rejoices Over Its Enemy's Losses.

St. Petersburg, May 20.—The Listock observes: "There is no intention to celebrate the Japanese losses by a torchlight procession. It is not our custom to make a national rejoicing over an enemy's misfortune. None the less it is impossible to conceal the fact that the nation is greatly impressed by the catastrophe to the Japanese fleet, which goes to show once more how accidents may upset the best laid plans."

The Gazette makes the most caustic remarks of any of the Russian papers. It says: "It is just retribution for the treacherous attack on Port Arthur without declaring war and the dastardly attack on the Variag and Korietz. The mines laid by our brave sailors have done their work and all reproach for the Petropalovsk disaster is wiped out."

KAI PING ABANDONED.

St. Petersburg, May 20.—(4.30 p.m.)—An official report has been received to the effect that general Remnenkampff's Cossacks fell on the Japanese column advancing on Feng Wang Cheng on Wednesday and that the Japanese were compelled to retire for a distance of twelve miles. The Russians have evacuated Kai Ping (or Kai Chou), about 35 miles south of New Chwang, without a fight.

KUROKI REPULSED.

St. Petersburg, May 20.—A report has been received here saying that general Kuroki has been repulsed with great loss. The report cannot be confirmed.

JAPANESE RETREAT.

Retired Because They Met a Larger Body of Russians.

New Chwang, May 20.—(7 a.m.)—The reports of the Japanese retreat to Feng Wang Cheng are officially confirmed The Japanese, numbering 20,000 men came upon 32,000 Russians in a strong position on Monday, 60 miles west of Feng Wang Cheng. It being unwise to risk a battle, the Japanese retired in good order with great rapidity. An unofficial Russian authority says a pitched battle was not fought, but rumor says there was considerable loss on both sides during the clashes, the Cossacks harrassing the flanks of the Japanese. This deviation was presumably in executing a reconnaisanse. The pursuit was checked when the main body of the Japanese was rejoined. This news apparently accounts for the withdrawal to an unknown destination of warships and transports from a place ten miles north of Kai Chou, Liao Tung peninsula, and of a renewed defensive activity at New Chwang. No news has been received here from Port Arthur.

PARTIAL LIST OF DEAD.

Many Officers and Men Perished in the Disaster.

Tokio, May 20.—The loss of life incurred by the sinking of the cruiser Yoshima, included captain Sayeji, commander Hirowateri, three first lieutenants, five second lieutenants, five midshipmen, a paymaster, surgeon, three engineers, seven cadets and eight boatswain mates. Of the crew the number of those lost is unknown. Those who went down with the battleship Hatsuse when she foundered were commander Tsukamoto, commander viscount Nirewk, commander Arimori, five second lieutenants, five sub-engineers, two surgeons, six midshipmen, four cadet engineers and ten non-commissioned officers. It is not known yet how many of the men perished. The Hatsuse was surely sunk by coming in contact with a submarine mine and not by the attack of a submarine boat. The report that the battleship Shikishima was damaged and the battleship Fuji sank, is denied here.

CHAPTER OF DENIALS.

No Fight at Kai Chou—No Force Marching to Port Arthur.

St. Petersburg, May 20.—The general staff today denied the report of a battle having been fought at Kai Chou, in which 200 Russians were killed. The Russians quietly withdrew from Kai Chou, being unwilling to expose their force at that point to the attack of a column marching from the east that landed in southern Liao Tung. The evacuation of Kai Chou also shows, it is said, that there is no truth in the report that general Kouropatkin has sent 10,000 men to retake that place. The report that Kouropatkin has sent 70,000 men to relieve Port Arthur is declared by the general staff to be unreliable. Such a movement, they say, would only court disaster for general Kuroki would naturally take advantage of it.

JAPANESE LOSSES SMALL.

Casualties of the Russians Were Over Three Hundred.

London, May 20.—The Japanese legation here gave out this morning the following despatch from Tokio: "The enemy's force participating in the fight near Kin Chou (Liao Tung peninsula), on May 16th, consisted of the 5th, 14th and 16th sharpshooters (infantry regiments), with eight quick firing guns. They left on the field 30 dead officers and men. According to the prisoners the enemy's casualties were over 300."

WERE DRIVEN BACK.

Another Report That Japanese Sustained a Defeat.

Tien Tsin, May 19.—(Delayed in transmission)—It is announced from an authoritative Russian source that the Japanese army from the Yalu today sustained a severe defeat and has been driven back to Feng Wang Cheng. A despatch from New Chwang received last night contained an announcement similar to the above, which was said to have emanated from a reliable source there.

A SUCCESSFUL LANDING.

Tokio, May 20.—(5 p.m.)—Admiral Hosoya, commanding the third squadron reports that with the third squadron he protected the landing of troops at a new, unnamed place, probably Taku Shan, yesterday, bombarded the coast and landed a party of bluejackets, who occupied a point of land and raised the Japanese flag at 8 o'clock in the morning. The landing of trops immediately commenced and was accomplished very quickly.

SAYS CHANNEL IS FREE.

Russian Fleet May Venture Out of Port Arthur.

St. Petersburg, May 20.—Naval officers say that the channel to Port Arthur is free, despite the Japanese claims to the contrary, and that the Russian fleet may go out again within a fortnight. Second thoughts have caused the admiralty office to discredit the report that the Japanese battleships have been destroyed.

WILL VOTE ON JUNE 2

J. P. McGOLDRICK BONUS BYLAW TO BE SUBMITTED

CITY MANUFACTURERS ASK FOR MORE PROTECTION

Alderman James Gilker was the only absentee at the regular fortnightly meeting of the city council on Thursday evening.

A lot of routine business was transacted and the McGoldrick bonus bylaw was passed and will be submitted to the vote of the ratepayers on Thursday, June 2nd. The polls will be open from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., the polling places being the city hall and the board of trade rooms for the East and West wards respectively. D. C. McMorris was appointed returning officer.

F. E. Ahlin, E. A. Harris and W. G. Gillett asked by letter that a light be put at some convenient place on Victoria street, between Cedar and Park streets as it is almost impossible to travel safely there after dark. The council agreed on motion of aldermen Selous-Clements to grant reques-.

A request made by alderman Smith that a light be put on the corner of Carbonate and Kootenay streets will be granted if it dosen't cost too much and the question was referred to the fire water and light committee.

C. H. Ink wrote the council: "If the city will build 50 feet of 6 foot sidewalk in front of my property on the corner of Ward and Hoover streets, I will build 120 feet of six foot sidewalk on Ward street."

Ald. Selous thought the offer was a good one and moved that it be accepted and alderman Kirkpatrick seconded the motion which was unanimously agreed to by the council.

The report of the finance committee recommended the payment of sundry accounts amounting in all to about $2000, some of the chief items being West Kootenay Power and Light Co. $930; Canadian General Electric Co., $48.20; Brackman-Ker Milling Co., $92.32. On motion the report was adopted. Ald. Bird said that the charge of the W. K. P. and L. Co. was double what it was last year owing to the non-arrival of the machinery sent to Chicago for repairs.

The mayor said every effort was being made to hurry the return of the machinery as the want of it was costing the city $500 a month.

A petition of the city manufacturers was read requesting the council to enforce section 13 of the license bylaw which provides that all travellers representing firms manufacturing goods outside the city pay a license fee for the privilege of doing business in this city. "This seems to us a reasonable request, as all manufacturers in this city pay a license and at present have no protection from outside competition."

The council seemed to think it would be difficult to enforce the law against all commercial travellers though alderman Selous said the line should be drawn strictly on pedlars.

Ald Kirkpatrick drew the attention of the council to the fact that the bylaw referred to those who sold by retail only, and the council agreed to this construction as a matter of fact after the clause in the bylaw had been read out.

It was suggested that counsel coming here to argue cases in court possibly should be taxed if the petitioners were right.

The feeling of the council was to help home manufacturers where possible. The question was finally referred to the city solicitor to ascertain what power the council had in the matter to pass a further bylaw.

Pay rolls for strets, electric lights and water works for $791.20 were passed and adopted.

The city engineer reported that so far $560 had been expended on the improvements on the recreation grounds and that two-thirds of the work had been completed.

The statement pleased the council in view of the tenders made for the work recently, the work now being done by the city by day labor, and probably further work will be done on the grounds than was originally intended. The board of works and the city engineer will consider the doing of further work including the fencing of the grounds. The board of works not to expend more than $500 in fencing.

The usual salary accounts will be paid at the end of the month on motion of alderman Selous seconded by alderman Smith.

Notice was gievn of a bylaw amending the fire limits bylaw and providing that wherever any yards, lands or premises contain anything which may be dangerous *in causing or promoting* fire, the city engineer may notify the owner to clean up the place so as to prevent fire and if the owner neglect or refuse to act, shall be liable to all the penalties of the fire limits bylaw. The bylaw was read a first and second time.

A properly signed petition for the submission to the vote of the ratepayers of the J. P. McGoldrick Sawmill Bonus Bylaw for $5000, was presented and the bylaw therefor was considered in committee and read a first, second and third time and will be submitted to the vote of the ratepayers on June 2nd.

At the next meeting of the council a conference will be held with the school trustees regarding improving the school ground and fencing same.

The council adjourned at 9:45 until Thursday, June 2nd.

DUNSMUIR IS DISPLEASED

Provincial Government to Issue Deeds in the E. & N. Belt

The Ex-Premier Contends That It is an Attempt to Take Away From Him His Lands

[Special to The Daily News.]

Victoria, May 20.—The provincial government, after taking into consideration the applications for land within the E. & N. belt by settlers, is prepared to issue deeds for a number of them. This will be done in a day or two.

There are about 150 applications for lands in the belt. The government has selected several of these as types of all the others, and will issue these. There is a strong probability that the E. & N. company will appeal to the courts in the matter to test the right of the province to grant these deeds. James Dunsmuir has opposed the act all along, which he contends is nothing more or less than an attempt to take from him his lands and hand them over to those who have no right to them.

Under the act the province bears the cost of the appeal. In order that the costs connected with it may be kept as low as possible it has been decided to issue what will be regarded as a typical one, so that it may be tested in the courts. The government will then know just what to do with the remaining applications.

WILL STORM PORT ARTHUR.

Japan Cannot Afford to Let Russia Keep the Place.

Chicago, May 20.—A special to the Daily News from Tokio says: "Port Arthur is to be taken by storm the moment proper preparations have been completed. Siege guns have yet to be placed in position and the land forces appointed for the assault have to be strengthened. The unexpected loss of two fine vessels has emphasized the insecurity of the sea power and the authorities feel that no chances must be taken that would encourage Russia to send out the Baltic fleet, counting on finding a harbor of refuge in Port Arthur. It is realized that the storming of the fortress will inevitably cost many lives but it is said that the waters where the Japanese ships are forced to manoeuvre are becoming so dangerous because of floating mines that heroic measures are imperative. Under these ocnditions it is thought that life will be economized by storming the stronghold and eliminating it and the adjacent waters from the area of actual conflict."

WINNIPEG NOTES.

Fifty-Nine Special Immigrant Trains From Montreal.

Winnipeg, May 20.—So far this year 59 special immigrant trains have arrived from Montreal. One thousand new settlers came in on yesterday's three trains.

No trace has yet been secured of Stockman, the man who so mysteriously disappeared from Neepawa recently. His relatives in Vancouver are being communicated with.

It is reported at Brandon that Steve Hickling, a young Englishman, was drowned in the Assiniboine at Kelmy bridge last night. He is supposed to have gone bathing, as his clothes were found upon the bank. Search is being made for him now.

A PAINFUL ACCIDENT

[Special to The Daily News.]

Ymir, May 20—Fred J. Adle, J.P. of Waneta, met with a painful and nasty accident. While driving along the Pend O'Reille road towards Waneta, his buggy struck a stone and he was thrown out, striking his head on a stump, inflicting a very deep gash and bruising his body. He managed to get to Waneta when Dr. Wells of Northport was summoned, coming up on a handcar. The injuries received will keep Mr. Adle confined to the house for a period.

LAND MANY BATTALIONS.

Liao Chang, Thursday, May 10.—(Delayed)—Forty-five battalions of Japanese troops have been landed on the Liao Tung peninsula. In order to embarrass their advance the Russians have destroyed the railroad bridges. The Japanese have retired to Feng Wang Cheng though divisions are moving northward, there apparent destination being Mukden.

JAPS LANDING AT TAKU SHAN

London, May 20.—The Japanese legation today received the following official despatch: "Tokio, May 20.—A portion of one army commenced landing at Taku Shan at the mouth of the Yalu river yesterday.'

ANOTHER BISHOP ELECTED.

Los Angeles, May 20.—Dr. William Burt, of Italy, was elected bishop on the fifth ballot by the Methodist conference today.

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Men's Working Pants at.....$1.85 Regular $2.50
Men's Summer Washable Coats.....$1.00 Regular $1.75
Men's Christies, light grey soft Hats for.....$2.00 Regular $3.50
Boys' Wash Suits reduced to .....$1.00 Regular $1.50
Youths' dark Tweed and Serge Suits for.....$2.50 Regular $3.75
A few Boys' Suits in Sailor or Norfolk Style, fine material, to clear, from $2.50
Shoes for Men, Women and Children at actual cost price and lower.
Trunks and Valises in all sizes.

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The Bank of British Columbia.
HEAD OFFICE--TORONTO.
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Aggregate Resources Exceeding $83,000,000.
HON. GEO. A. COX, President. B. E. WALKER, General Manager.
Savings Bank Department Deposits Received and Interest Allowed.
Nelson Branch. BRUCE HEATHCOTE, Manager.

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CAPITAL (PAID-UP) .....$2,988,300 REST ACCOUNT $2,650,000
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SAWMILL BY-LAW.

J. P. McGoldrick and associates purpose erecting a sawmill at One Mile point with a capacity of 100,000 feet per day. The syndicate, which is embarking in this enterprise, is made up of experienced and responsible lumbermen of Minnesota, and the presumption is that they will fully carry out any agreement entered into with the city. At first they asked the city to donate them a site for their plant, but since the application for the site was made one has been secured. Now Mr. McGoldrick and his associates ask in lieu of the site a bonus of $5,000 in consideration of locating their plant in the vicinity of this city.

It is urged on behalf of granting the subsidy that the mill and its attendant logging operations will furnish employmentt oover 100 operatives and that these men and their families, residing, as the most of them will, within the city limits, and trading at the local stores, would in a very short time return the amount of the bonus to the city. The payroll of the mill and its logging plants would amount to from $5,000 to $7,500 per month, according to the number of hands employed, which would vary with the condition of the market, supply of logs and other factors.

The council has prepared and published a by-law providing that the bonus shall be given to Messrs. McGoldrick and his associates. This by-law wil be found in the advertising columns of this issue. A vote on this by-law will be taken on Thursday, June 2nd in this city.

The matter is now squarely before the people of the city for adoption or rejection. If they think the establishment of the sawmill here will aid in the upbuilding of the city and be worth more than the money which they are giving as a bonus they will vote for the by-law; on the other hand, if they think to the contrary they will vote against the by-law.

The Daily News belives that the proposition of the McGoldrick syndicate is a good one, and that the location of the sawmill here will be of great benefit to the city, sufficiently great for the citizens to aid it to the extent of $5,000. Nelson is the natural site for such manufacturing enterprises as can be successfully carried on in this section, and the more factories can be centralized here the larger and more important the city will grow. With 100 more people finding steady employment here it should add 500 to the population. The $5,000 is an investment which will be returned to the city manifold.

Vote for the by-law.

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BY-LAW NO. 145

A By-law Granting aid to a Sawmill to be Erected at Nelson.

WHEREAS, J. P. McGoldrick and other associates are about to undertake the erection of a certain sawmill at One Mile Point on Kootenay Lake, being about one mile from the City of Nelson

AND WHEREAS the Corporation of the City of Nelson is desirous of aiding the said sawmill by way of a grant of money.

AND WHEREAS a petition has been presented to the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Nelson, signed by the owners of at least one-tenth of the value of the real property of the said City (as shown by the last assessment roll) requesting the said council to introduce a By-law to raise the sum of Five Thousand ($5000.00) dollars for the purpose of granting aid to a sawmill to be erected near Nelson, and within five miles therefrom

AND WHEREAS it is deemed expedient to borrow the said sum of five thousand ($5000.00) dollars for the purposes aforesaid.

AND WHEREAS the whole amount of rateable land of the said City, according to the last revised Assessment Roll is one million two hundred and forty-nine thousand three hundred and forty ($1,249,340) dollars,

AND WHEREAS it will be necessary to raise annually by rate the sum of four hundred and eighteen ($418.00) dollars for paying the said debt and interest.

NOW THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Nelson enacts as follows:

1. It shall and may be lawful for the Mayor of the Corporation of the City of Nelson to borrow, upon the credit of the said Corporation, by way of Debentures hereinafter mentioned, from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same as a loan, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of Five Thousand ($5000.00) dollars, and to cause all such sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Corporation for the purposes and with the objects hereinbefore recited.

2. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said Corporation to cause any number of Debentures to be made, executed and issued for such sum or sums as may be required for the purpose and object aforesaid, not exceeding, however, the sum of Five Thousand ($5000.00) dollars, each of the said Debentures being of the denomination of One Thousand ($1000.00) dollars, and all such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the Corporation and signed by the Mayor thereof.

3. The said Debentures shall bear date the first day of August A. D. 1904, and shall be hade payable in twenty years from the said date in lawful money of Canada, at the office of the Treasurer of the City of Nelson, in Nelson aforesaid, which said place of payment shall be designated by the said Debentures and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest and the signatures to the interest coupons may be either written, stamped, printed or lithographed.

4. The said Debentures shall bear interest at the rate of five per centum per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable semi-annually at said office of the Treasurer of the City of Nelson, in Nelson aforesaid, in lawful money of Canada, on the first day of February and the first day of August respectively in each year during the currency thereof, and it shall be expressed in said Debentures and coupons to be so payable.

5. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of said Corporation to negotiate and sell the said Debentures or any of them for less than par but in no case shall the said Debentures or any of them be negotiated or sold for less than ninety-five per centum of their face value, including the cost of negotiating and sale, brokerage and all other incidental expenses.

6. There is hereby granted, and the Mayor and City Treasurer are hereby authorized to give and grant unto the said J. P. McGoldrick or his assigns the sum of Five Thousand ($5000) dollars for the purpose of aiding the said sawmill upon the following conditions:

(a.) The said bonus shall be paid to the said McGoldrick or his assigns as follows:

Two Thousand Five Hundred ($2500.00) dollars when the said McGoldrick or his assigns have let a binding contract for the erection of a sawmill at said One Mile Point capable of cutting one hundred thousand feet of lumber per day, and the balance of Two Thousand Five Hundred ($2500.00) dollars, when the said sawmill is complete and ready for operation as a sawmill.

(b.) The said McGoldrick shall covenant and agree to erect or cause to be erected with due diligence the said sawmill with the said capacity, and the necessary buildings, plant and other machinery on said lands, or lands adjacent thereto, for the purpose of manufacturing and selling lumber, and to begin the erection of said sawmill on or before January first, 1905, and the same on completion shall be operated as a sawmill as conditions permit.

7 An agreement embodying the provisions in this bylaw shall be forthwith executed by the Corporation of the City of Nelsoon and by the said J. P. McGoldrick, binding each of the parties hereto to the provisions of the Bylaw.

8. There shall be raised and levied in each year during the currency of said Debentures the sum of two hundred and fifty ($250.00 dollars for the payment of interest and the sum of one hundred and sixty eight (168.00 dollars for the payment of the debt due under the said Debentures by a rate sufficient therefor on all the rateable land in the said Municipality.

9. It shall be lawful for the said Municipal Council to re-purchase any of the said Debentures upon such terms as may be agreed upon with the legal holder or holders thereof or any part thereof, either at the time of sale or any subsequent time or times, and all Debentures so re-purchased shall forthwith be cancelled and destroyed and no re-issue of Debentures so re-purchased shall be made in consequence of such re-purchase.

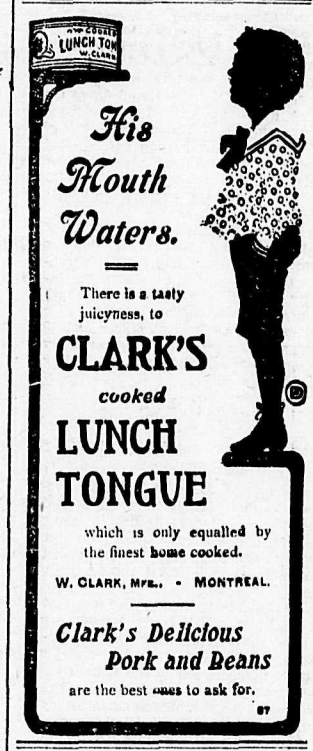
10. This By-law shall take effect on the 1st day of August A. D. 1904.

Done and passed in Council at the City of Nelson on the day of A. D. 1904.

NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that the above is a true copy of the proposed By-law upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken at the City of Nelson on Thursday, the 2nd day of June, next, between the hours of 8 o'clock a.m., and 4 o'clock p.m., for the East Ward at the City Hall, on the south side of Victoria street, and for the West Ward at the Board of Trade rooms, on the corner of Victoria and Kootenay streets.

D. C. McMORRIS, City Clerk.
Nelson, May 19th, 1904.



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THE NOTABLE DEAD

Toronto, May 20—The death is announced *of the Rev. Malcolm McVicar*, Ph. D, L.L.D. first chancellor of McMaster's university, Toronto, and brother of the late Dr. McVicar of the Presbyterian college, Montreal, aged 75 years.

RIOT AT CALLAO.

Police Have a Collision With the Striking Dockmen.

Callao, Peru, May 20.—When the *striking dock employes were going* towards the dock yesterday the police interfered and attempted to dispurse them. The police arrested one of the strikers and his comrades made an effort to rescue him. A fight ensued in which the police fired over 40 shots which were answered by a shower of stones. One of the strikers was killed and seven wounded. The police arrested the members of the board of directors of the strikers' union. The people of Callao have become alarmed and business houses are closed. The streets are constantly patroled by cavalry.

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NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

The Kokanee will take the Kootenay Landing run Sunday 22nd, leaving the city wharf at 7 a.m.

There promises to be a musical treat at the song service in the Methodist church on Sunday evening next.

Travel through theSlocan is increasing. The steamer Slocan on the trip from Rosebery to Slocan City yesterday carried 87 passengers.

Travel through the Slocan is increasing K. and S., is in the city and reports that his road is in good condition and that trains have been running on time for the past ten days.

James Lawrence, formerly manager of the Ashdown Hardware Company's store in this city, but now manager for the same company's store in Calgary, is in the city on a visit.

Frank Phillips, who has been appointed to represent the Nelson Miners' Union at the W. F. M. convention at Denver leaves this morning for the meeting and expects to be away for some weeks.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of school trustees was held in the office of Dr. Arthur last night, all the members of the board being present. Only routine business was transacted and an early adjournment was taken.

The funeral of the late John Campbell took place yesterday afternoon. The body was removed from the residence at 2:30 to the Presbyterian church, where Rev. J. T. Ferguson held the funeral services. The interment was in the city cemetry.

Tickets for S.S. Kokanee for Kaslo on May 24th will be placed on sale today at the city ticket office. Number of passengers limited to 200. On this date the Kokanee will call at Procter, Pilot Bay, and Ainsworth only. Passengers from river landings should take the Moyie on the 24th.

An emergency meeting of Nelson Royal Arch Chapter No. 123 is called for this evening at 9 o'clok, when the R. A. degree will be put on. Visiting companions are expeted from Rossland, Colville and Northport. Visiting companions in the city are cordially invited.

Mrs. J. Laing Stocks will sing the illustrated song "The Holy City" this evening at the Salvation Army hall. The other members of the Baptist choir will also take part. The scenes depicted on the canvas tonight will represent around the world in 80 minutes.

R. S. Lennie, A. H. Kelly, W. P. Tierney, John A. Turner, and Blake Wilson visited the May and Jennie mine on Wednesday. They are directors in the Reliance Gold Mining Company, which is operating this mine. They explored the various workings and were surprised, they said, at the large showings of ore blocked out. There is so much that a mill reducing 100 tons per day will be kept in motion for a long period. Now that the roads are in good condition the intention is to haul in the plant, which will be of the Hendryx type, with a suitable quartz crushing plant to the ore to the proper size for cyaniding.

Members of the board of trade when seen yesterday, regarding the charge made the executive of the Provincial Mining Association for the use of the rooms of the chamber of commerce, said they deeply regretted the incident. They further stated that there were one or two members of the Nelson board of trade present as members of the exechtive of the Provincial Mining Association and say that they should have been able to have fixed the matter so that the charge would not have been made, as there was no intention so far as the large majority of the members of the board of trade are concerned of making such a charge.

The lawn social last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Laing Stocks, in connection with the Baptist church ladies' aid, proved a distinct success. There was a good turnout and a most enjoyable time was spent. Refreshments were served by the ladies and they more than maintained their excellent reputation as purveyors. Games of various kinds were indulged in while the proceedings were enlivened by selections from the Methodist orchestra and vocal music by the glee class, besides a reading by Miss Newcombe. A candy and ice cream stall did a good business. During the evening the result of the "Talent" scheme was announced. From the "Talent" scheme and the social over $100 were realized.

At the Dominion Day celebration meeting held at the city hall last night, the mayor presided and it was decided to hold a two day celebration on July 1st and 2nd. Bruce Heathcote was appointed treasurer and B. N. Sharp, secretary. Special committees were appointed to take charge of the different departments and another meeting will be held shortly after the committees have conferred and prepared thei rseveral reports.

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