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NO USE FOR RECIPROCITY

George Eulas Foster Airs His Views on Subject in London Standard

C. P. R. Protest Against Australian Government's Tariff Regulation--American Publications Excluded

(Special to The Daily News)

Ottawa, Sept. 26.—Writing to the London Standard, Hon. G. E. Foster states that he is of the opinion that reciprocity with the United States is not desirable for Canada. Afer tracing the history of the reciprocity movement, Foster proceeds: "From experience of the last forty years we have in Canada arrived at pretty well established convictions. First that it has been and is a wasted effort to seek for fair and candid trade treatment by the United States; second, that under the changed conditions we are wiser to develop our trade along other and independent lines. The United States has systematically and untactfully wounded our susceptibilities and amour propre. There has been constant intimation that there was no room for an independent British colony on the North American continent, that our destiny was to fall ultimately, as a ripe apple, into the lap of Uncle Sam, that if we really desired her trade advantages we had better come under her roof."

In a leading article the Standard asks what Canada would gain by breaking down her barriers. It opposes reciprocity.

The high commissioner in South Africa cables that 500 horses will be wanted for the South African constabulary between now and February. Horses have to be landed at Durban, where selection will be made not later than 15 days after disembarkation. Horses are to be three quarters bred and the constabulary must have the right of rejecting all or any part of the consignment. It is not likely that there will be many tenders from Canada under such circumstances.

The Canadian Pacific railway has protested to the Canadian government against the recent decision of the Australian government that inland freight in Canada would be included in calculating the rate of duty on goods destined for Australia, as this seriously hampers and restricts Canadian trade with the Australian steamship line, which is subsidized by both governments. The Canadian government has taken the matter up with Australia.

The Ottawa board of trade is inviting Larke, Canada's commercial agent in Australia, to deliver an address on trade between Canada and Australia.

Sir William Mulock, postmaster general, and officials of his department, have been engaged for some time past in revising the list of publications that are classed as newspapers and periodicals, consequently entitled to the minimum postage entering Canada from the United States. The result has been that some 38 publications now enjoying this privilege will require to have postage on each periodical at the rate of one cent for two ounces. The effect will be to exclude them altogether from the Canadian mails.

MIDWAY CITIZENS ORGANIZE

Protective Association Formed to Watch Over Welfare of Growing Burg

(Special to The Daily News)

Midway, Sept. 26—Construction on the V., V. and E. from Midway west is progressing rapidly notwithstanding the shortage of men occasioned by the large amount of help required to handle the harvest in this and other places. It is expected, however, that by November 1 there will be available all the men that can be worked to advantage.

The work of laying the track from Curlew to Midway is nearing completion and trains will shortly be running over this line.

The Midway and Vernon has quite a number of grading outfits at work between here and Rock Creek, while engineers are scattered all along the line preparing the work for further construction.

Midway is growing busier each day and the work of building has not subsided, there being at present a large number of buildings under construction.

The residents of Midway have formed an association called the Midway Citizens Protective association. It is composed of businessmen and residents of the town, its object being the taking up of matters and dealing with them in such a way as will prove advantageous to Midway. It has a large number of members and much good should result from such an organization.

John Withell, one of the directors of the Midway Company Ltd., has been in town for the past month conferring with the company's local agent upon matters of importance. He returned to Montreal last week, but will again return to Midway in six weeks or two months. Peter Lyall, president of the same company, was also here for a few days during the past week familiarizing himself with matters pertaining to the townsite that will come before his company at an early date.

Midway will no longer be under the jurisdiction and at the mercy of the Grand Forks licensing board, as a new board will be appointed immediately for this district. It is understood that the members will be George Cunningham, James Kerr and John R. Jackson. It is now expected Midway will be granted the number of hotel licenses it is entitled to.

VICTOR MANHART KILLED

ELECTROCUTED IN SEATTLE FIRE STATION YESERDAY.

FORMER NELSON BOY MEETS SUDDEN DEATH

(Special to The Daily News)

Seattle, Sept. 26.—Victor D. Manhart, driver at the Beacon Hill fire station, was electrocuted in the station at 1 o'clock this morning. A little less than an hour after 2000 volts of electricity had passed through his body the fireman died, never regaining consciousness from the time the shock struck him.

Miss Clara Manhart, a sister of the young man, is almost prostrated by the death of her brother. She has been visiting in Seattle for a week. Last night about 10 o'clock she called at the Beacon Hill station and said good bye to her brother. She had intended leaving this morning for her home at Nelson, B. C. Three hours later a messenger called on her and informed her that Victor had been fatally injured.

Victor D. Manhart has been a member of the Seattle fire department since October 10th, 1904. He was 25 years old, unmarried. He leaves a mother and several brothers and sisters, all residing at Nelson, B. C. Next month he was to have been married to Miss Josie Orgren, of Seattle.

Manhart was adjusting the weight at the stall door, which had dropped after crossed wires had sent in an alarm. A complete circuit was made when he touched each hand to a part of the metal joining together the little snap that places the weight in position. Instantly a flash was seen from the connecting point and Manhart's body was thrown with great force against the side of one of the stalls.

Fellow firemen immediately smelled burning flesh. They ran to the assistance of their comrade, who was then lying on the brick floor unconscious. Two physicians were summoned as well as fire chief Cook. All present worked to revive the young man, but the force of electricity that had passed through his body had already done its deadly work and in less than an hour every vestige of life passed away.

The heavy wind of the night was the cause of the fatal accident.

Victor D. Manhart was the eldest son of Mrs. J. P. Manhart, of Silica street, Nelson. He was 25 years of age. His sister, Mis Clara Manhart, was in Seattle at the time of the accident. A telegram received by the family last evening informed them that she would leave for Nelson with her brother's body at once. She is expected to arrive here this evening.

WANT WIDER REFORMS

INTERIOR ZEMSTVOES PASS PROGRESSIVE PROGRAM.

DESIRE REAL REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 26.—The congress of the representatives of the zemstvoes today was presided over by prince Dolgorouski.

The congress decided on a political program which includes: Complete responsibility in the eyes of the law for all private individuals and officials alike; recognition of complete equality in the personal rights of all citizens of the empire; equality of the rights of peasants with those of other classes of society; immediate recognition of the inviolability of person and domicile; guarantees of the freedom of conscience, faith, speech, meeting and association and of the press; abolition of the passport system; and the formation of a national assembly which shall participate in legislation.

The program also advocates the principle of direct representation in a national conference, and not on a class basis, the election of representatives being by universal and direct suffrage.

The congress declares that there must be organized a special representative body to be drawn from the zemstvoes formed on a democratic basis and extended throughout the empire.

WILL VISIT NELSON.

John Burns and J. Allen Baker On Their Way West.

Victoria, Sept. 26.—John Burns, the famous English labor M.P., who is making a tour of Canada, arrived here this morning. He was accompanied by J. Allen Baker, M.P. of London, England, and the two gentlemen after spending the morning in the city left on the midday boat.

On their return east they will proceed via the Crow's Nest line, going first to Chicago and then to the southern states, as it is Mr. Burns' desire to study the negro problem south of the Mason and Dixie line at first hand.

NANAIMO STRIKE.

Victoria, Sept .26.—A special to the Colonist from Nanaimo says that deputy minister of labor, Mackenzie King, this evening evpressed himself as very much pleased with his interviews today with the miners and management. He is confident that if today's mutual good feeling is continued the strike will not last another week.

GUARANTEE OF PEACE

Text of New Agreement Between Great Britain and Japan

For Next Ten Years Britain and Japan are United in Alliance to Maintain Each Other's Rights in the Far East

London, Sept. 27.—The text of the new agreement between Great Britain and Japan, which was signed by lord Lansdowne, the British foreign secretary, and baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister to Great Britain, on August 12, was issued by the foreign office last evening. The momentous document is a brief one, comprising less than eight hundred words, including eight articles and a preamble.

The preamble reads: The governments of Great Britain and Japan being desirous of replacing the agreement concluded between them January 30, 1902, by fresh stipulations, have agreed upon the following articles which have for their object:

(a) The consolidation and the maintenance of general peace in the regions of eastern Asia and India.

(b) The preservation of the common interests of all the powers in China by ensuring the independence and integrity of the Chinese empire and the principle of equal opportunity for the commerce and industry of all nations in China.

(c) The maintenance of the territorial rights of the high contracting parties in the regions of eastern Asia and of India and the defense of their special interests in the said regions.

The text of the treaty follows:

Article 1.—It is agreed that whenever in the opinion either of Great Britain or Japan, any of the rights and interests referred to in the preamble of this agreement are in jeopardy, the two governments will communicate with one another fully and freely and will consider in common the measures which should be taken to safeguard those menaced rights or interests.

Article 2.—Should either of the high contracting parties be involved in war in defense of its territorial rights or special interests, the other party will conduct a war in common and make peace in mutual agreement with any power or powers involved in such war.

Article 3.—Japan possessing paramount political, military and economic interests in Korea, Great Britain recognizes Japan's right to take such measures for the guidance, control and protection of Korea as she may deem proper and necessary to safeguard and advance those interests, providing the measures so taken are not contrary to the principle of equal opportunities for the commerce and industry of all nations.

Article 4.—Great Britain, having a special interest in all that concerns the security of the Indian frontier, Japan recognizes her right to take such measures in the proximity of that frontier as she may find necessary for safeguarding her Indian possession.

Article 5.—The high contracting parties agree that neither will, without consulting the other, enter into a separate arrangement with another power to the prejudice of the objects described in the preamble.

Article 6.—As regards the present war between Japan and Russia, Great Britain will continue to maintain strict neutrality unless some other power or powers join in hostilities against Japan, in which case Great Britain will come to the assistance of Japan; will conduct war in common, and will make peace in mutual agreement with Japan.

Article 7—The conditions under which armed assistance shall be afforded by either power to the other in the circumstances mentioned in the present agreement, and the means by which such assistance shall be made available will be arranged by the naval and military authorities of the contracting parties who will from time to time consult one another fully and freely on all questions of mutual interest.

Article 8—The present agreement shall be subject to the provisions of article 6, and come into effect immediately after the date of signature and remain in force for ten years from that date. In case neither of the parties shall have been notified 12 months before the expiration of said ten years of an intention of terminating it, it shall remain binding until the expiration of one year from the day on which either of the parties shall have renounced it, but if when the date for the expiration arrives either ally is actually engaged in war, the alliance shall be ipso facto and continue until peace is concluded.

The treaty is signed by foreign secretary Lansdowne on behalf of Great Britain, and by baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister, on behalf of Japan.

With the treaty was issued a despatch to the British ambassador at St. Petersburg, sir Charles Hardinge, with the request that the treaty be communicated to the Russian government. This despatch is explanatory of the delay in in publishing the treaty, due to the progress of negotiations looking to peace between Russia and Japan.

In it, lord Lansdowne says: "The Russian government will, I trust, recognize that this new agreement is an international instrument to which no exception can be taken by any of the powers interested in the affairs of the far east."

Continuing, lord Lansdowne says: "Great Britain, I believe, may count on the good will and support of all the powers in endeavoring to maintain peace in the Orient and in seeking to uphold the dignity of the Chinese empire and the principle of equal opportunities for the commerce and industry of all nations in that empire. On the other hand, the interests of the contracting parties are of a kind upon which they are fully entitled to insist and the announcement that those interests must be safeguarded is one which can create no surprise and need give rise to no misgivings."

Special mention is made of articles 2 and 3. Of the latter lord Lansdowne says: "It recognizes in the clearest terms the paramount position which Japan at this moment occupies and must henceforth occupy in Korea and her right to take the measures which she may find necessary for the protection of her political, military and economic interests in that country. It is, however, expressly provided that such measures must not be contrary to the principle of equal opportunities for the commerce and industry of other nations. The treaty at this point differs conspicuously from that of 1902. It has, however, become evident that Korea, owing to its close proximity to the Japanese empire, and to its inability to stand alone, must fall under the control and the tutelage of Japan. His majesty's government observes with satisfaction that this point has been readily conceded by Russia in treaty of Portsmouth, and there is every reason to believe that similar views are held by the powers with regard to the relations which should subsist between Korea and Japan. His majesty's government venture to anticipate that the alliance thus concluded, designed as it is, for objects that are purely peaceful and for the protection of rights and interests, the validity of which cannot be contested, will be regarded with approval by the government to which you are accredited. The British government is justified in believing that the conclusion of this agreement may not have been without effect in facilitating the settlement by which the war was so happily brought to an end and its members earnestly trust that the alliance may for years to come be instrumental in securing the peace of the world in those regions which come within its scope."

A similar despatch was addressed to sir Francis Bertie the British minister at Paris.

J. J. HILL VISITS FERNIE

INSPECTS COAL CREEK TIPPLE AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS

FRANK STRIKE SITUATION—STEEL LAYING ON CORBIN BRANCH

(Special to The Daily News)

Fernie, Sept. 26.—J. J. Hill and party arrived by special train over the Canadian Pacific this afternoon. They were met at the station by R. G. Drinnan, general superintendent, D. Davies, comptroller, and Mr. Wright, chief engineer, of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal company. Shortly after their arrival Mr. Hill's special conveyed the party to Coal Creek, where they spent half an hour looking over the new steel tipple and many other improvements which have been lately made. Mr. Hill left again over the Great Northern tonight.

General manager Hill of the Frank mine, accompanied by O. Jones, international board member of the United Mine Workers of America, lately deputed by president John Mitchell to enquire into the causes of the Frank strike, arrived here today and had an interview with president Sherman in respect to the matters in dispute between the management and the employees. A meeting with a view to a settlement of the differences will, it is believed, be held shortly.

Word was received today from Yahk to the effect that the laying of the steel on the Corbin branch to connect the C. P. R. with Spokane began today.

TYPHOON VISITS MANILA

Manila, Sept. 27.—A typhoon swept over this city yesterday. The storm lasted three hours, and at 2 p.m. the wind attained a velocity of 105 miles an hour. The property damage is estimated at $500,000. Ten natives were killed and 1000 rendered homeless.

WALTER SCOTT'S CONSTITUENCY

Winnipeg, Sept. 26—Hon. Walter Scott, premier of Saskatchewan, was unanimously chosen by a large liberal convention this afternoon as candidate for Lumsden constituency. He accepted the nomination.

YELLOW FEVER

New Orleans, Sept. 26—The yellow fever report o 6 p.m. is as follows: New cases, 31; total to date 2899; deaths, 5; total report to 6 p.m. is as follows: New cases, under treatment, 286; cases discharged, 2238.

FIRE AT GRAVENHURST

Gravenhurst, Ont., Sept. 26.—Fire last night destroyed seven million feet of lumber belonging to the Rathbun Co., and two or three dwelling houses.

BANK PRESIDENT ARRESTED

Minot, S.D., Sept. 26—J. A. Erikson, president of the Minot National bank, wrich is now in the hands of a receiver, was arrested today on a warrant charging him with makng a false report to the comptroller of the curency.

UNIVERSAL SUFFRAGE

A Question of Practical Politics in Austria and Hungary

Stormy Scene by Social Democrats on the Reassembly of the Lower House of the Austrian Diet at the Capital

Vienna, Sept. 29.—When the lower house of the Austrian diet re-assembled today the opening moments were marked by a tumultuous social democratic demonstration against the premier, baron Gautzsch von Frankenthurn, who has incurred the wrath of the social democrats by his attitude on the question of electoral reform, having advised the emperor to refuse to accept the introduction of universal suffrage in Hungary. The uproar lasted for some time amid cries of "Resign."

The premier ultimately succeeded in obtaining a hearing and reminded the house of the government's promise to execute faithfully its agreements with Hungary, provided the latter fulfilled her part, especially the continuance and completion within a stated time of the commercial treaty negotiations.

Should Hungary agree to the Austrian views on this point, the government would make up to it for the protection of Austrian interests. The premier further declared that an incorrect view had been taken of its attitude towards universal suffrage for Hungary. He claimed he had not exercised the influence alleged in the matter, and said that he made a principle of not interfering in the internal affairs of Hungary.

The premier added that he had in no way opposed the extension of the suffrage on the broadest basis, but in Austria especially there were difficulties in the way, as universal suffrage could only be established there on the firm and lasting foundation of a settlement of national affairs. There had been no change in the government's political line of action, he said, and at the right time he would introduce a bill dealing with the question of the language to be used in the Hungarian army. The premier added that the matter of the nationalization of the railroads was under consideration.

Dr. Kozel, the minister of finance, in presenting the budget, urged the reform of the national finances and the simplification of the administration system. He estimates the revenue at $364,405,462, and the expenditure at $263,808,442.

A BRITISH COLUMBIAN

Advocated as a Successor to Mr. Justice Nesbitt.

Victoria, Sept. 26.—In view of the rumored retirement of Mr. Justice Nesbitt from the supreme court of Canada, the Colonist tomorrow will advocate the selection of his successor from the bench or bar of British Columbia. This advocacy is based on the promise of the government to consider it when the vacancy arose, and also on the ground that such appointments belong to all provinces, and British Columbia has never had representation, and that there should be local representation in the same way that self governing colonies are represented on the judicial committee of the privy council.

J. J. HILL TRAVELLING

Reported He Will be in Boundary Today or Tomorrow With Party of Friends

[Special to The Daily News]

Phoenix, Sept. 26—Word has been received that James J. Hill, president of the Great Northern railway, accompanied by a party of railway officials and friends, will arrive in Boundary Wednesday or Thursday, visiting both the Granby mines and smelter while here. After visiting the Boundary the party will go direct to the Portland fair.

In the party are president Howard Elliott of the Northern Pacific, president Underwood of the Erie system, Jonathan Throne, Samuel Throne, Amos T. French, Grant B. Schley, G. M. Lane, Payne Whitney, Alex. Cochrane, Samuel Hill, J. L. Greatsinger, J. C. Stuart, Fletcher A. Baker and George S. Clarke, the latter two being directors of the Granby Consolidated.

Mr. Hill has never yet visited the Granby mines, nor has he been over the new line of road connecting Grand Forks and Phoenix.

SHAUGHNESSY AT WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, Sept. 26—Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president, and several directors of the C.P.R., reached Winnipeg this evening on their return from the Pacific coast. All speak in the most glowing terms of the conditions prevailing throughout western Canada. The party leaves by special train over the Soo line for Minneapolis tomorrow morning.

DEATH OF E. J. ODLUM

St. Catherines, Sept. 26—Edward J. Odlum, B.A., C.E., of this city, one of the best known civil engineers in Canada, died very suddenly at his home this morning after an illness of about an hour. The supposed cause of death is acute indigestion. He was 58 years of age and for the past 30 years had been on the engineering staff of the department of railways and canals, the greatest part of which time he spent on the Welland canal here.

COMMISSION SITS TODAY

CHAIRMAN KILLAM SPEAKS OF WORK OF LAST YEAR.

PROF. MILLS RECALLS VISIT TO FRUIT RANCHES.

The members of the railway commission and their entourage arrived in the city last evening by the late train from the coast. The party includes two commissioners, A. C. Killam and Dr. James Mills, secretary A. E. Primeau, J. Hardwell, R. Richardson, G. A. Mountain, T. P. Owens, T. Chandler, Mrs. Knight, of Winnipeg, and Miss Mills.

The commission will open in the court house this morning at 11 o'clock. It is hoped that the hearing of all complaints to be presented will be completed today, so as to enable the party to proceed east by the Crow boat tomorrow morning. The next session will be held in Macleod Friday morning.

Seen by a reporter of The Daily News last evening Mr. Killam said: "Yes, this is my first trip to Kootenay, and I have only one day to spend in Nelson. I am sorry, but this isn't a holiday trip by any means. I have been in British Columbia before, in Victoria, Vancouver and New Westminster. I see many signs of growth since my former visit.

"We have sat in Vancouver and New Westminster. We visited Victoria hurriedly but held no session there, Nelson is the only other place in the province where we shall sit.

"Yes, most of the matters that have come before us are local in their bearing. A few, however, are of far-reaching importance.

"Yes, we are going over again most of the ground that was covered last year by the commission. I can't say exactly what the relation between last year's work and this is. All the records have been preserved and are available. Many of the cases presented then were hurriedly prepared and presented in an off-hand manner that makes them very hard to deal with.

"Yes, Mr. Bernier is still a member of the commission. He remains at Ottawa attending to the work there."

Professor Mills, as soon as he arrived in Nelson recurred to his visit to Nelson orchards and inquired for James Johnstane his host on that occasion. He said: "I have since received many enquiries from people in the east and in the old country, on account of the opinions I expressed then, and which you published. I have replied to them all in the same way. My opinion of the fruit of this district given to you then was perfectly honest and deliberate."

Mr. Killam stated that the commissioners had been kindly offered the use of the court house by attorney general Wilson, whom they met in New Westminster.

As far as was known last night to H. E. Macdonell of the C. P. R. company, or to members of the Nelson board of trade, the only matter to be heard here is the charge of merchants of the Slocan district that they are discriminated against by the C. P. R. company in favor of Nelson.

BRINGING A LIBEL SUIT

C. P. R. WROTH WITH SEATTLE NEWSPAPER AGENCY

ACCUSED OF CARRYING PASSENGERS IN REEKING COACH

Winnipeg, Sept. 26—It is likely that an action for criminal libel will be instituted by the C.P.R. company against the Seattle newspaper which published a sensational story in connection with the suit which was brought there by interests representing Anna Haustad, whose mother died in Winnipeg of measles, while en route from Halifax to Seattle from Sweden.

The paper in question stated that Mrs. Haustad and her child had been transported from Halifax to Winnipeg in a reeking coach, in which scales from victims of scarlet fever could still be found, and that on arriving at Winnipeg they were placed in a vile pest house where they remained a month, when the mother died.

At the office of G. J. Bury, general superintendent, it was stated today that the woman and child were taken from the train about a year ago by J. L. Audrain, who was then depot master, and placed in a coach at the rear of the depot till the St. Boniface hospital could be communicated with. Then they were removed to the isolation department of that hospital. Dr. Blanchard, the company's physician, attended the patients and pronounced their malady measles.

They were given special care at the hospital by the medical and nursing staff, including Dr. Davison. The Sisters in charge of the hospital took particular interest in the patients as they were foreigners and could not speak English. Dr. Blanchard visited them once and sometimes twice a day while the woman lived. He went to Seattle as a witness in the case and it was proved in court by him and also by the medical man who attended upon the child after she arrived in Seattle, that the disease was measles and not scarlet fever from which they suffered. The jury disagreed and now the Canadian Pacific will seek redress in the courts for insinuations made against its service by the Seattle newspaper agency.

J. J. HILL AT NEW WESTMINSTER

[Special to The Daily News]

New Westminster, Sept. 26.—Jas. J. Hill of the Great Northern, is announced to arrive here on Wednesday morning by special train. He will stay over for the opening of the Dominion Fair.

WILL WORK IN HARMONY

Future Designs of Japan in the Development of Far East

Peace Plenipotentiary Baron Komura Talks Out on the Eve of His Departure for Home -Desires Foreign Sympathy

New York, Sept. 26.—Baron Komura, Japanese peace plenipotentiary, who will start for Japan tomorrow, gave to the Associated Press tonight the first authentic interview since he has been in this country on the peace mission and which he said would be the last.

Baron Komura feels deeply grateful for the many courtesies and kindnesses extended during his visit, and commended highly president Roosevelt's successful efforts in bringing the representatives of Russia and Japan together.

The baron said: "In leaving this country for home, I feel it my duty to express to the people of the United States, through the medium of the press, an assurance of my sincere and genuine appreciation of the respect, courtesy and friendliness shown me during my stay in this country.

"I am especially grateful for the many attentions and inquiries received from all quarters during my recent illness, and I go home with a most vivid recollection of the good will and friendliness of the American people for Japan, which has, I am convinced, grown immensely both numerically and in intensity.

"Availing myself of this occasion, I deem it fit that I should express my highest appreciation of the disinterested energetic and unremitting efforts of the president in the successful initiation and consummation of peace, and to him humanity owes a debt of deep gratitude.

"As a result of the war, Japan will undoubtedly secure a well recognized position in the far east. I have no hesitation in affirming that there will be no break in the continuity of Japan's foreign policy. Steadily and firmly adhering to the policy of peaceful expansion in commerce and industry, Japan will devote all her energies with renewed vigor to the development of her national resources.

"She will continue, as in the past, to scrupulously respect the acquired rights and legitimate interests of the powers in the far east; nor will she attempt to interfere in the least with the logical and legitimate development of those interests. In her pursuit of commercial and industrial expansion, Japan will count upon the cooperation of the United States, whose interests in the far east are completely identical with her own and whose traditional friendship for Japan has found fresh confirmation in the appreciative and sympathetic attitude maintained by the American people throughout the tremendous struggle in which Japan has been engaged.

"It is my sincere hope and earnest belief that the relations between the great republic and the empire of the east, which are based on mutual sympathy and identical interests, will continue to grow in strength and solidity."

LIBERAL ASSOCIATION

Annual Meeting Held Last Night and Officers Elected

After taking a long rest, as one member happily phrased it, the liberal association of this city met last evening for the transaction of business. There were a large number of liberals present and much interest was taken in the proceedings which did not terminate until close on half past ten, when a motion to adjourn was in order as the railway commissioners were expected from the coast.

The chief business of the meeting was the election of officers for the ensuing year and an examination of the accounts. These were pronounced to be in good shape by treasurer John Hamilton, who reported a balance in favor of the association. The officers elected were: President, A. B. Docksteader; vice-president, E. Ferguson; treasurer, John Hamilton; secretary, D. Proudfoot; executive committee, Dr. Hall, S. S. Taylor, W. G. Gillett, J. A. Turner, Dr. Arthur, T. Madden, A. Carrie, A M Johnson, J F. Hume, J. Burns, F. J. Deane and J. O'Shea..

Several new members were placed on the roll of the association and something like a dozen names were placed in application for membership, showing the lively interest that is being taken in the association by Nelson liberals.

Dr. Arthur suggested that a program committee be appointed for preparing subjects of public interest for discussion through the winter months at the monthly reunions of the association. His suggestion met with general approval.

The zinc commission was also taken up and there was a generally expressed desire that the scope and powers of that commission should be enlarged so as to have a thorough investigation of the resources and needs of the industry. The matter will be taken up with Ottawa.

A committee of three consisting of J. A. Turner, Dr. Arthur and the president of the association, was appointed to receive the incoming members of the British parliament, Allan Baker, a Canadian, and a liberal member, and John Burns, the famous labor leader, with a view to get them to address a public meeting or at least the association.

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B. C. ZINC RESOURCES.

We publish elsewhere in this issue a lengthy article from the London Mining Journal reviewing the zinc industry of the state of Colorado.

This article will repay careful perusal by all of our readers who are interested in the development of the zinc resources of this province. They will learn that conditions in Colorado a few years ago were much the same as they are in this province today. The existence of zinciferous ores was hardly recognized, save as a source of embarrassment and loss to the mine owners. In the past two or three years a change has taken place and the zinc output for the state last year is estimated at $5,000,000.

The writer in the London Mining Journal states that the present condition of the zinc industry in Colorado is most encouraging. Zinc is now becoming an important and profitable factor of itself. The metallurgical experts have solved the problem of the successful and profitable treatment of the base zinciferous ores of Colorado and that state will hereafter supply a large percentage of the increasing demand for zinc.

The correspondent goes on to say: "The inevitable will be, and already is, that many mines containing even low grade zinciferous ores, carrying small amounts of gold, silver, copper, and lead, can now be profitably operated especially if supplemented with such reduced railroad freight rates as the low-grade character of some of the ores justifies and calls for. It means greater activity, increased output, and wonderful prosperity for all the mining sections of Colorado where ores exist in quantity carrying zinc in combination with the other metals."

These words apply with great force to the situation in British Columbia. The existence in the province of large bodies of zinciferous ores is now fully recognized. Some efforts are being put forth to exploit these ore bodies and we may safely look forward to an expansion in our mining industry consequent upon this development that will shortly place British Columbia in the front rank as a producer of zinc. The realization of these facts must impress upon those directly concerned in the prosperity of the mining industry the importance of the present enquiry into the zinc resources of the province and make obvious to all the necessity of having such an investigation as will place the possibilities of the industry in this province before the mining and investing public in the proper light.

The Victoria Colonist advocates the appointment of a member of the British Columbia bench or bar to the Federal supreme court bench in the event of the rumored resignation of Mr. Justice Nesbitt taking place. We can heartily concur in the view that this province should be represented on the supreme court bench of Canada. Many of the most important appeals to come before that court arise out of mining suits that originated in this province. A lawyer with a special knowledge of conditions in this province, particularly of our mining laws, should prove a valuable acquisition to the court. Presumably chief justice Hunter would be the choice, if the dominion government decided to appoint a British Columbian. The only objection that could be offered to that selection would be that it would inflict a severe loss upon our provincial supreme court bench, which, with all due deference to the present incumbents, cannot be said to be particularly strong.

Preparations are on foot for the fitting celebration in this city of the centenary of the battle of Trafalgar. There are few, if any, incidents in British history that lend themselves more appropriately to the whole-souled commemoration of Britishers the world over than this great naval victory of Britain's greatest admiral. It is to be hoped that the committee having this matter in hand will organize a celebration in every way worthy of the occasion.

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PEKIN PROTESTS

Objects to the Number of Railway Guards Remaining in Manchuria

London, Sept 26—The Chinese government has laid a formal protest before the Japanese and Russian governments objecting to the terms of the Portsmouth treaty with reference to Manchuria.

The Chinese note declares that nine months is ample time to allow of the removal of all the troops of both belligerents now upon the battle ground.

Further that the railway guards, numbering 15,000, is excessive and as such is a menace to China's administration of Manchuria.

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Regarding the number of men to be kept in Manchuria to guard the railroad, there is a clause in the Russian agreement with China concerning the operation of the railroad, which provides for guards and their number. If the matter of the number of guards comes up between China, Japan and Russia, this clause and its interpretation will probably have influence upon the settlement. Up to the present, however, neither quesion has become a matter for official communication, although both may require discussion and adjudication.

TO VISIT WETASKIWIN.

Scotch Capitalist Visits Nelson—May Settle in Alberta.

A. Thompson of Glasgow, Scotland, a retired banker, has spent several days in Nelson visiting his brother, W. R. Thompson. It is Mr. Thompson's first visit not only to British Columbia but to America.

He has heard and read of the prosperity of the farmers in the Canadian Northwest, and has come to see the conditions for himself with a view to removing from Scotland to Alberta.

He and his brother leave by the Crow boat this morning for Wetaskiwin. They will spend a couple of weeks visiting farms in that vicinity, and getting information as to land values, markets, and transportation.

A. Thompson reports that the industrial districts of Scotland are enjoying comparative prosperity now, and that many of the smaller towns are growing rapidly in population and wealth.

YUKON MAILS.

Postmasters have been notified that the last steamer for the north conveying all classes of mail matter will leave Vancouver on or about October 1. After that period only the following classes of mail matter can be sent onward from White Horse: Letters, post cards, singly wrapped newspapers and periodicals from the office of publication, addressed to public libraries, to newspaper publishers and to individual subscribers; transient newspapers and third class matter of all kinds except books, trade catalogues, circulars and patterns and samples of merchandise.

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THE QUIETING OF BAKU

Eleven Thousand Troops are Concentrated in Oil Regions

Baku, Sept. 26—Reinforcements totalling 11,000, with three batteries of artillery, have reached this city. The governor has issued another order forbidding the troops under any circumstance to fire on houses occupied by foreign consuls, should, however, shots be fired from these buildings at the troops, the landlords will be heavily fined.

The proprietors of the naptha wells and refineries have been ordered, under pain of arrest, to pay all the arears of wages due their employees.

CONTROL MACEDONIA

Six Powers Will Again Administer Its Finances

Vienna, Sept. 26—A collective note from the six powers has been handed to the porte, declaring their intention to resume international control of the finances of Macedonia. The note informs the Ottoman government that the foreign delegates appointed as controllers will arrive in Salonica on October 1, and request that the necessary instructions be sent to the provincial authorities so that the delegates may enter on their functions without delay.

SUEZ CANAL STOPPAGE

Eighty Tons of Dynamite Used in Blowing up the Chatham

New York, Sept. 26—A despatch from Alexandria, Egypt, to the Herald, says that intense exitement prevails at Port Said consequent upon the decision to blow up the steamer Chatham, which sank in the Suez canal. That the town will be damaged to any extent is considered unlikely. The vessel is nearly 12 miles distant. Batteries for the explosion are already at Karthoum, which is 14 miles distant from the ship. Among the preparations made the authorities have 1000 bags of sand ready for repairs and a large staff of workmen have been engaged as the fresh water canal has been diverted 222 yards.

Canal traffic ceases Wednesday evening. Then the 80 tons of dynamite on board the Chatham will be the greatest amount ever blown up at one time. Thirty tons of dynamite were exploded in 1893 on board a ship anchored at Santander, killing 600 people and injuring over 2000. Thursday's explosion will be far bigger than this, but as the canal runs through the open desert at this point and all necessary precautions have been taken, no danger is anticipated.

NEW RUSSIAN LOAN

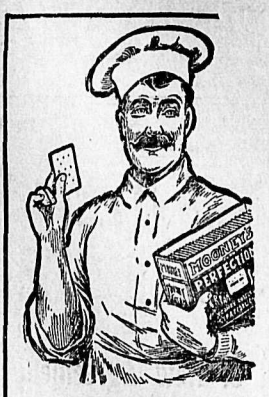
Will be Divided Between Geramny and France

Paris, Sept. 26—It is stated in well informed quarters that the plans for another Russian loan, to be divided between Paris and Berlin, have been practically concluded. The amount is understood to be approximately $175,000,000.

LOCATE THE GERM

Yellow Fever Bacteria Discovered in New Orleans

New York, Sept. 26—A despatch to the Herald from New Orleans says that doctors O. L. Pothier, Jos. F. Hume, F. H. Mason and H. Courett announced today they had succeeded in identifying the cells found in the blood of yellow fever patients and are making a diagnosis through reference to these. The report of the physicians is generally regarded as meaning that the greatest step, finding the active agent of the yellow fever, has been made and that having identified the animal organism that is always present in yellow fever blood, the next step, that of finding out the preventive of the disease, will be accomplished in the near future.



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Moyie, Sept. 26.—The upper terminal buildings of the St. Eugene mine tramway were destroyed by fire this morning, which broke out about 4.30 o'clock in the blacksmith's shop. It will take about two weeks to get out fresh timber and rebuild and in the meantime a considerable number of men will be idle. It will be possible to work only one shift at the mill and all the miners who were dependent upon the destroyed portion of the tram to remove their ore will be out of employment.

The loss on the buildings is estimated at about $2000. The most serious feature of the fire being the number of men who will be temporarily thrown out of employment.

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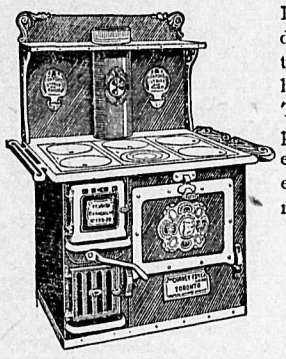

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COLORADO ZINC OUTLOOK

GROWTH OF INDUSTRY IN THAT STATE RECENTLY

SIMILAR CONDITIONS PREVAIL IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The following article dealing with the zinc industry in the state of Colorado, taken from the London Mining Journal, was forwarded to The Daily News by Mr. George Alexander, of Kaslo, with a request for publication. In his letter enclosing the article, Mr. Alexander says: The accompanying article is of peculiar value to British Columbia at the present moment as showing:

(1) The close resemblance between our conditions and those of Colorado before Colorado woke up to its wealth in zinc.

(2) The possibilities for our zinc resources when actively taken up.

(3) The strikingly favorable instant which is now at hand, in view of the revolution in metallurgical methods, for handling our zinc ores to greater advantage than competitors who are burdened with obsolete system.

It is interesting and of good omen to observe that, in Mr. Phillip Argall, we have now with us in British Columbia the pioneer of the zinc awakening in Colorado, which last year yielded to that state $5,000,000.

Notwithstanding the existence of vast bodies of zinciferous ores in numerous districts in Colorado, the zinc industry is comparatively new in this state, not having been of sufficient importance to merit recognition in the annual official statistics of the Colorado state bureau of mines prior to 1902.

So far back as early in 1889, Mr. Philip Argall, M.E., then a comparatively new arrival in the state from Swansea, Wales, realizing the vast amount of zinciferous ores in the state, notably at Leadville (where there were then upwards of 1,250,000 tons of such ore, of the average assay value of $15 per ton, either actually exposed in the mines or on the dumps), endeavored, but without success, to interest capital in the erection of a zinc smelter, with the Parnell process, as used by the Swansea Zinc Ore company and the Complex Ore works in Swansea. The situation then was that the amount of zinc in those particular Leadville ores was such that the lead smelters would not buy them without making a very high charge for treatment, zinc being such a very undesirable element in the lead furnace. At the then rates for smelting the silver in such ores was paid for upon a basis of 90 per cent, of their contents, at current New York quotations; the lead upon an arbitrary basis of 20 cents per unit, equivalent to 1 cent per pound of metallic lead; a deduction of from $15 to $20 per ton was then made for cost of smelting, and, of course, nothing was paid for the zinc, which was lost in all methods of lead smelting, then the only form of smelting applicable to these ores, as their character rendered them entirely unfit for reduction from spelter by any of the then ordinary zinc methods. Under such conditions zinciferous ores received but little attention from Colorado miners, and either remained in the mine or were cast aside on the dump.

All this, however, has been changed in recent years, and, according to the official statistics of the Colorado state bureau of mines ,the Colorado annual production of zinc calculated on the current market prices of spelter, has been: 1902, $2,544,933; 1903, $4,353,264. The official figures for 1904 are not yet compiled, but the average of three independent estimates places the zinc output of the state for last year at somewhere about $5,000,000.

ZINC PENALTIES.

Back in 1885 the Colorado zinciferous ores carrying other metals that, on account of the combined values, could be shipped to the lead smelters, and that were acceptable to the lead smelters, were penalized by the smelters on a 5 per cent basis, 50 cents per unit being charged in excess of such 5 per cent. About 1890 this zinc penalty basis was changed to 8 per cent, and from that time on it was gradually changed to 15 per cent, before charging the penalty. This liberal basis was continued for a time by the lead smelters on account of the immense bodies of zinc-iron-lead ores that were developed in the enormous sulphide deposits of Leadville, at a time when the iron-carbonate and lead carbonate deposits were becoming exhausted. This, together with the large expenditure in the erection of additional roasting facilities by the various large lead smelting plants in Colorado and at Argentine, Kas.,)all then independent plants), resulted in a keen competition for the time being for those ores. The largely increased tonnage of such ores, however, caused the smelter owners to realize that such competition was unnecessary, and the penalty basis was changed to 10 per cent.

Since the consolidation, in May, 1899, of the previously independent lead smelter plants into the American Smelting & Refining company, generally known as "The Smelter Trust," the zinc penalty basis has been again changed to the present rate of 8 per cent on carbonate ores, remaining at 10 per cent on sulphide ores, except in the cases of large contracts specially favored by the trust.

The general ore production of Colorado has been, and practically is up to the present time, more or less appreciably restricted in the zinc-producing sections, as zinc is still a by-product, and cannot, except in a few isolated instances, be mined alone, on a business basis for profit.

BEGINNING OF ZINC PRODUCTION.

From 1898 to 1900 the attention of eastern and European buyers of zinc became attracted to Colorado as a field for the purchase of zinc ores, some small shipments having been made to eastern points, notably the Kansas and Missouri zinc smelters and some to Belgium, the Colorado zinc industry thereby receiving a stimulus and increased investigation and consideration. This resulted in several zinc-concentrating plants being erected at Leadville and

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ordinary concentrating plants in other Colorado zinc-producing districts being equipped with apparatus for the output of: (1) A zinc concentrate, and (2) an iron-lead concentrate. These concentrates are in some cases first run over amalgamation plates to save the free gold as far as possible, the iron-lead concentrates being afterwards shipped to the precious metal smelters and the zinc concentrates to the zinc smelters. These mills, as a rule, consist of crusher, rools, jigs, concentrating tables (of various makes), and slimers.

This milling of zinciferous ores is now receiving a great impetus, by reason of: (1) Increased price of spelter; (2) greater demand for zinc ores and concentrates; (3) the preparations being made by the plants to treat and smelt the base zinc ores of Colorado, which require somewhat different treatment to the zinc ores o fJoplin, Mo., and Spain. As the result of the successful concentration and separation of the various metallic contents of Colorado zinciferous ores, many old Colorado mines have been or are being resuscitated and comparatively new mines opened up which were heretofore practically worthless.

As one instance among many, a certain Colorado mine was practically abandoned years ago by the owners, even though its ore, when assayed, showed the following values: Zins, 23 per cent; lead, 18 per cent; copper, 4 per cent; silver 12 ounces; gold, 40-100ths ounces. The combined value of the gold, silver, lead and copper contents was enough to make the mine a paying property but for the heavy penalties imposed by the excess of zinc. There being then no Colorado facilities for separating the zinc from the other metallic contents of the ore, the owners of the mine abandoned it. This property is soon to be reopened, however, as it is now feasible to first extract the zinc from the ore and then extract the gold, silver, lead and copper. An estimate of the value of this particular property may be formed when it is noted that the ore carries 23 per cent zinc, whereas the Joplin mines average about 4 1-2 or 5 per cent zinc.

The price at the present time for crude ore or concentrates carrying from 43 to 45 per cent zinc is from $20 to $23 per ton, f.o.b. Denver, with an allowance of from 50 to 75 per cent for the gold and silver contents. This basis now practically places zinc as the prime factor of such ores instead of being a mere by-product.

The zinc buyers offer from 75 cents to $1 per unit for each unit over 45 per cent, so that crude ore or concentrates carrying 50 per cent zinc and upwards are decidedly profitable to the producer. This premium is paid on account of this grade of ore being so much more desirable, as with high percentage of zinc there is less room for impurities; and the displacement feature in the manufacture of spelter, with the size of retorts still in use, is also a consideration.

COLORADO ZINC PLANTS

Perhaps the first successful zinc concentrating plant in Colorado was established at Leadville in 1899, operating on local ores . Practically, simultaneously, the Dewey brothers of Georgetown, having given the matter considerable attention, turned out a desirable zinc concentrate.

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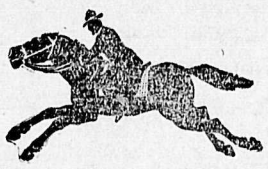

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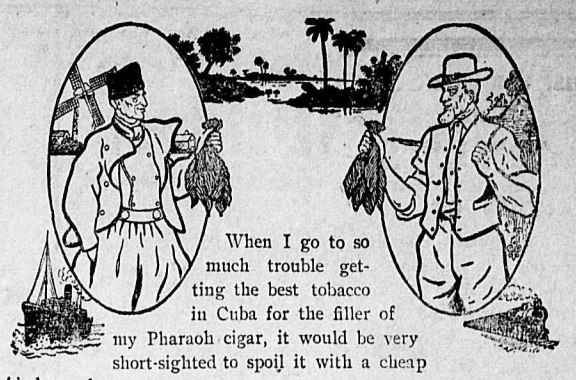

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duction company, who have greatly enlarged its capacity, and are active buyers of all classes of dry ores, which they run into copper matte; and for certain kinds of zinc ores they utilize the Bartlett process for saving the zinc fumes in a "bag house," the product being shipped to Chicago, from whence it is distributed among the paint manufacturers of the Middle West.

A zinc smelter of 50 tons capacity was erected at Pueblo, about two years ago, by the Guggenheims. It is on the old-fashioned Belgian lines, with no new features, and may prove to be obsolete in the early future. It is now being equipped with automatic appliances to minimize the amount of hand labor employed.

The Denver agent of E. O. Jacobson & Co. first shipped any appreciable amount of Colorado zinc concentrates to points outside the United States. The Vieille-Montaigne company, of Antwerp, has shipped large quantities of Colorado zinciferous ores to Belgium. Previous to these foreign shipments, considerable shipments as above mentioned, had been made to zinc-smelting plants in eastern Kansas and Missouri from Leadville, Georgetown, and Rico.

The Empire Zinc company of Franklin, N.J., with plant at Canon City and branch office in Denver, the Lanyon Zinc company of St. Louis, Mo., and the Cherokee Lanyon Zinc company, of Gas City, Kas., all part and parcel of the "Zinc Trust," have been for some time and are now active buyers of Colorado zinciferous ores and concentrates, and each of the three concerns mentioned are more or less identified with the concentration in Colorado of the crude zinciferous ores before shipment to their respective smelting plants at Joplin, Mo., Gas City, Kas., Iola, Kas., Pittsburg, Chicago, New Jersey and various other American zinc-smelting points.

The Colorado Zinc company in 1902 built a 60-ton zinc concentrating plant at Denver, using electrical methods of separating the zinc contents of the ores. The ore is first crushed and run over Wilfley tables, making, (1) high grade zinc slimes; (2) zinc-iron middlings; (3) finished lead-iron product. The middlings product is dried and passed over Wetherell magnetic separators, resulting in a 50 per cent zinc product. The tailings from the Wetherell machines pass to Blake electrostatic separators, where the final separation is effected of: (a) A shipping zinc product, and (b) a shipping iron product. It is said that the clean up for December last at this mill on Leadville ore showed a saving of 97 per cent of the total assay values in the ore.

A 250-ton mill is being built at Leadville, which will soon be in operation, for the treatment of the zinciferous ores from the Yak tunnel.

SMELTING METHODS OBSOLETE

There is a growing undercurrent of apprehension among the zinc smelters, particularly those producing spelter alone, as it is realized that experienced metallurgists have been experimenting with a view to the treatment of zinciferous ores by much improved methods, with resulting certainty of rendering practically obsolete the present plants opened on old lines. This new feature at several points in the United States is beginning to make itself felt.

For instance, it is now known that the Dewey patents, owned by the American Zinc & Chemical company, for the economical and successful oxidizing of the base zinc ores of all countries, have been fully allowed. The process is now being successfully operated at a Denver plant at the rate of 25 tons per day, which plant it is proposed to increase in units of 25 tons, until its total daily capacity will be at east 200 tons of crude ore and concentrates, within the next 12 months. Ample capital for the purpose has been subscribed by wealthy Pittsburg men, after having had the process investigated and reported on favorably by the most eminent zinc experts. The process will also be exploited at other points in the United States, as well as in Canada, Mexico, Europe and Australia.

The process, briefly stated, is as follows: The crude ore or concentrates, containing zinc and iron, are subjected to a preliminary oxidising roast, the metallic contents being subsequently transformed into a sulphate, and from the sulphate into an oxide. At present this oxide is sold to the zinc smelters for conversion into spelter. It is, however, expected that companies using this patented process on a large scale will themselves convert the oxide product into spelter or "zinc white" for paint, both of which can be done readily and economically.

One of the special features of the process is the feasibility of saving up to 90 per cent of the zinc in the original ore, leaving, in the form of concentrated residue, practically all the gold, silver, lead, and copped values of the original ore which concentrated residue is sold to the precious metal smelters. It is obvious that this process (1) creates a valuable and marketable zinc product; (2) furnishes the precious metal smelters with a residue containing practically all the gold, silver, etc., contents of the original ore, reduced to 60 per cent of its original weight, practically free from zinc; (3) earns a handsome profit both on the zinc product and on the gold-silver, etc., carrying residue.

This is not the only process in course of adoption as the result of recent investigation and experiments by eminent metallurgists in connection with zinc.

COLORADO ZINC OUTLOOK BRIGHT

The present condition of the zinc industry in Colorado is most encouraging. The market price for spelter for the past few years has been advancing, and today has reached $6.10—$6.20, which warrants the buyers for the various concerns in purchasing and contracting freely at the minimum rates. The effect of all of the above is that whereas Colorado zinciferous ores carrying other metals were, only a comparatively short time ago, a source of anxiety, embarrassment, and frequently positive loss to the mine owners, on account of the penalty at the lead smelters, the situation is now entirely changed. In Colorado zinc is now, under the improved conditions above enumerated, becoming an important and profitable factor of itself.

It is well known that the Joplin, Arkansas, and Wisconsin zinc-producing district cannot be relied upon for an infinitely continued large or steady zinc output. The metallurgical experts having solved the problem of the successful and profitable treatment of the base zinciferous ores of this state, Colorado must now be looked to for the supply of a large percentage of the increasing demand for zinc. The inevitable result will be and already is that many mines containing even low-grade zinciferous ores, carrying small amounts of gold, silver, copper, and lead, can now be profitably operated, especially if supplemented with such reduced railroad freight rates as the low grade character of some of the ore justifies and calls for. It means greater activity, increased output, and wonderful prosperity for all the mining sections of Colorado where ores exist in quantity carrying zinc in combination with the other metals.

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Quarts—Persons of eighteen years and over and joint stock companies holding free miner's certificates may obtain entry for a mining location.

A free miner's certificate is granted for one or more years, not exceeding five, upon payment in advance of $7.50 per annum for an individual, and from $50 to $100 per annum for a company, according to capital.

A free miner, having discovered mineral in place, may locate a claim 1500x1500 feet by marking out the same with two legal posts, bearing location notices, one at each end on the line of the lode or vein.

The claim shall be recorded within fifteen days if located within ten miles of a mining recorder's office, one additional day allowed for every additional ten miles or fraction. The fee for recording a claim is $5.

At least $100 must be expended on the claim each year or paid to the mining recorder in lieu thereof. When $500 has been expended or paid, the locator may, upon having a survey made, and upon complying with other requirements, purchase the land at $1.00 per acre.

Permission may be granted by the Minister of the Interior to locate claims containing iron and mica, also copper in the Yukon territory, of an area not exceeding 160 acres.

The patent for a mining location shall provide for the payment of a Royalty of 2 1-2 per cent of the sales of the products of the location.

Placer Mining—Manitoba and the N.W.T. excepting the Yukon Territory—Placer mining claims generally are 100 feet square; entry fee, $5; renewable yearly. On the North Saskatchewan River claims are either bar or bench, the former being 100 feet long and extending between high and low water mark. The latter includes bar diggings, but extends back to the base of the hill or bank, but not exceeding 1000 feet. Where steam power is used claims 200 feet wide may be obtained.

Dredging in the rivers of Manitoba and the N.W.T., excepting the Yukon Territory—A free miner may obtain only two leases of five miles each for a term of twenty years renewable in the discretion of the Minister of the Interior.

The lessee's right is confined to the submerged beds or bars of the river below low water mark, and subject to the rights of all persons who have, or may receive entries for bar diggings or bench claims except on the Saskatchewan River where the lessee may dredge to high water mark on each alternate leasehold.

The lessee shall have a dredge in operation within one season from the date of the lease for each five miles, but where a person or company has obtained more than one lease one dredge for each fifteen miles or fraction is sufficient. Rental $10 per annum for each mile of river leased. Royalty at the rate of two and a half per cent collected on the output after it exceeds $10,000.

Dredging in the Yukon Territory—Six leases of five miles each may be granted to a free miner for a term of twenty years, also renewable.

The lessee's right is confined to the submerged bed or bars in the river below low water mark, that boundary to be fixed by its position on the first day of August in the year of the date of the lease.

The lessee shall have one dredge in operation within two years from the date of the lease, and one dredge for each five miles within six years from such date. Rental $100 per mile for the first year and $10 per mile for each subsequent year. Royalty same as placer mining.

Placer Mining in the Yukon Territory—Creek, gulch, river and hill claims shall not exceed 250 feet in length, measured on the base line or general direction of the creek or gulch, the width being from 1000 to 2000 feet. All other placer claims shall be 250 feet square.

Claims are marked by two legal posts, one at each end, bearing notices. Entry must be obtained within ten days, if the claim is within ten miles of a Mining Recorder's office. One extra day is allowed for each additional ten miles or fraction.

The person or company staking a claim must hold a free miner's certificate.

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Work must be done on a claim each year to the value of at least $200.

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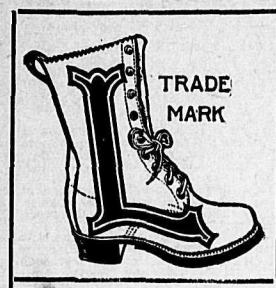

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VIEWS OF THE LEADERS

SIR WILFRID LAURIER AND R. L. BORDEN AT QUEBEC BANQUET

TALK TO MANUFACTURERS ABOUT TRADE AND TARIFF

Sir Wilfrid Laurier and R. L. Borden were guests at the recent banquet in Quebec city of the Canadian Manufacturers' association. Both Canadian chieftans contributed to the after dinner oratory.

Sir Wilfrid, in eloquent terms, referred to the beauties of Quebec, Ontario, Nova Scotia and other parts of Canada, and then reviewed the great prospects of the west. "Sir," he said, "I have just been west. I have been to the new provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan, and I must say we of the east must take a little off our former pride. If the garden of Canada is to be found anywhere—I say it with regret as a Quebecer, but with intense pride as a Canadian—it is to be found on the immense plains of the west. Nothing can give an idea of the possibilities of these great provinces of Manitoba, Alberta and Saskatchewan, until you have seen them. After seeing them I do not think you can realize what is the future of those great countries. Imagine 700 miles at least extending west from the city of Winnipeg, which some day will be every inch covered with flowing fields of wheat. Imagination can hardly grasp what the future means to us. Today we have just scratched the surface of a few acres, and we have a crop of at least one hundred million bushels of wheat.

"What shall it be in the future? We shall have a population of ten or twenty million of farmers, all told, all tilling the soil. The conception is so great it is impossible to form an adequate idea of it; but one thin gis certain, the manufacturers of Canada have a field worthy of their efforts. This western land has long been unknown—we scarcely know it ourselves—but its fame is rapidly travelling all over the world, and from all over the world settlers are coming."

Having predicted that before two years were over the number of immigrants would reach 300,000 a year, sir Wilfrid said these would be all growers of wheat, growers of cereals. They will require everything used by civilized man. Sir Wilfrid proceeded: "They will require clothes, they will require furniture, they will require implements, shoes and everything that man has to be supplied with. It is your mission, it is my mission also, that this scientific tariff of ours make it possible that every shoe worn in these provinces shall be a Canadian shoe; that every yard of cloth shall be made in Canada, and so on."

Sir Wilfrid said this did not necessarily mean that they should not trade with other nations. "For my part," he declared, "I want to trade with other nations, and I hope the scientific tariff will not prevent it. I want to trade with Great Britain. I have no hard feelings against the United States. I am ready to take a leaf out of their book. I am willing to sell them more than we have sold them already and I believe we shall arrange it. I never thought and for my part do not believe, that patriotism should be founded on hatred. I love my country, but that does not prevent me from having a love also for the country to the south of us. As it happens among neighbors, we have our little bickerings, but even then, I am proud to say, we are the best of friends and the best of neighbors.

"Let me tell you that if the Canadian manufacturers are to supply the growing west, it is not a question of tariff, but it is a question of frieght rates and of railway facilities. The policy of all parties, I am sure, in this country is to develop these railway facilities, to make the freight rate as light as possible and to equalize them as far as possible. We have done a great deal, I think, in this respect. We have still more to do on the same lines and all our efforts should be ever and ever to decrease the rates so as to make trade more easy and more free to go from the east to the west and from the west to the east. This is the question before us today; this is the question we are all engaged in, and this is the program in which I am glad to say the Canadian manufacturers are engaged in at this moment. If there is in any quarter of Canada a feeling against the manufacturers, I do not share that feeling. The manufacturers, I dare say, are human, like every one of us, and if they stand for number one I shall find no fault. I want everyone else to stand for number one, the farmers, the merchants and all classes and that is the only way we can make a success of the nation in which we have so much confidence."

In his concluding remarks sir Wilfrid referred to the relations existing between Canada and the motherland. "I think," he said, "we claim with some pride, that Canada has been the pioneer in the matter; that to Canada is due that England has been able to model her colonial policy, which has been a departure from the old system, and which has made it possible that we can have today under the British crown no longer colonies, but nations. In this I say the prime feature is due to Canada, and, gentlemen, upon this also our task is not yet completed. We shall have a great deal to do, and I trust that we and our descendants, like our fathers before us, will rise to our duty upon every occasion, whatever that duty may be."

R. L. Borden proposed the toast of the "Industries of Canada." He said:

"Now the toast I have the honor to propose, "The Industries of Canada," is a very comprehensive one. It includes not only the work of the factory, but also agriculture, mining, fisheries and lumbering, and I may be permitted to read to you two or three figures which I have compiled from the official records. I find that in the year 1905 our production passed the billion mark, the total products of Canada being valued at $1,100,000,000, of this the factories produced $650,000,000; the capital invested in factories was $500,000,000; there was annually paid in wages $100,000,000, and the number of employees was 350,000. Well, this gives us food for reflection. It points out that there has been marvelous development in Canada, and especially in the industrial life of Canada, as represented by the factories. What are the conditions as to imports? I leave these for those engaged on the tariff—for the tariff is, so to speak, sub judice—and I desire to say that when it is completed and presented to the house, it will receive the careful consideration of those to the left of the speaker. The imports in the fiscal year 1905 were $267,000,000, exceeding our exports by $63,000,000. Of our imports we bought from the United States $166,000,000, to which country we exported, 75,000,000, and of this about $20,000,000 was in the form of silver, gold dust, and other articles which are practically the same as bullion. We import more manufactured goods than we export; 48 per cent of our imports are manufactured goods, 20 per cent partly manufactured, 14 per cent are articles of food and 21 per cent raw materials. The United States figures are: Manufactured goods, 14 per cent, partly manufactured, 14 per cent, articles of food 14 per cent and raw materials 61 per cent.

If there is one thought I would like to give you tonight, it is that of the interdependence of the industries of Canada upon one another. I will illustrate it in this way. The farmers of Canada find their farms increased in price when they have near them some centre of population created by great manufacturing industries. I found on my tour through the west that among American farmers who had come into the Canadian west the one defect that existed in their minds as to their future markets was that they had not in their vicinity those great centres of population which have sprung up in the western states. You are interested in building up Canada on the lines which sir Wilfrid Laurier has pointed out. We have a great influx of population and this home population is the best market for the manufactures of Canada. I have not looked into the proportion of goods we may manufacture which we import, but I suppose nine-tenths of the goods can be manufactured in Canada. In the United States all but 3 1-2 per cent of their immense manufactured product is home consumed."

Mr. Borden said here that he had been struck in moving about Ontario and Quebec in observing the great benefit to the surrounding country which a manufacturing centre was, a centre perhaps started by a few enterprising men in a modest way and which in 15 or 20 years had grown into busy hives of industry. He only regretted that his native province of Nova Scotia, with her great natural resources, has not benefitted in this way as much as Ontario and Quebec.

HONOR TRAFALGAR DAY

PREPARATIONS FOR COMMEMORATION OF NELSON'S VICTORY

SCHOOL CHILDREN WILL TAKE PART IN CELEBRATION

As Trafalgar day grows nearer public interest in the observance of the great anniversary grows keener. Undoubtedly the city which bears the name of the victor will fittingly honor the day.

The exact form of the celebration will be determined at a public meeting to be held Saturday evening. In the meantime every aid is being enlisted. It is generally felt that the commemoration of an event which preserved the British empire in one of the greatest crises in its history, should include features that will impress its significance on the minds of the young especially.

Principal A. Sullivan of the public school was seen yesterday in connection with the matter. He expressed his entire agreement with the idea of including the school children in the program. It happens that Oct. 20, the day preceding Trafalgar day, has been chosen by the staff as the date for the annual school field day. That event has usually closed with a concert in the opera house at which the program is almost entirely furnished by the pupils.

Mr. Sullivan is of the opinion that the field day concert may be omitted this year. The training and practice usually devoted to the preparation for the concert may be given instead to the training for patriotic songs, of the navy particularly, to be sung at a gathering Saturday morning or afternoon.

Other features of the program, it is considered, should include one or more brief and appropriate addresses to the children on the subject of the great national event they are helping to commemorate.

Rev. F. H. Graham, who is a past president of the Sons of England, intends to hold a special thanksgiving service, whether on Trafalgar day or on Sunday immediately following, he has not yet decided.

Many suggestions as to the form of celebration which should be followed by the citizens generally, have been made. The one that seems to find most favor is that of a banquet at which the music and speeches should be all appropriate to a national celebration.

The local lodge of the Sons of England have naturally moved first in the matter, and the public meeting has been called on their initiative. From the general interest manifested it is certain that the meeting will be well attended and that Nelson's name and the greatest naval victory in history, will be fittingly honored in the city which bears his name. All who are interested express the hope that any valuable suggestions as to special features may be offered early .

TELEGRAPHIC TICKS

Two more cases of cholera are reported from Bromberg, Prussia.

The draft of the Scandinavian treaty has been laid before the Norwegian storthing.

The city of London has conferred the freedom of its citizenship upon general Booth.

Rescued British subjects from Baku report that the details which reached the public minimized the real truth.

It is reported that Cuban liberals are considering the advisability of asking the intervention of the United States.

Editor Kayahira of the Tokio Choho, declares that Komura will have anything but a pleasant reception on his return to Japan.

A bomb thrower at Kovno, Russia, managed to escape after having killed with his missile the chief of police and three of his men.

Alfred Dobell died in Winnipeg yesterday morning from injuries received last Saturday in watching a fire which occurred on that night.

Because of the visit to king Victor Emmanuel from archbishop Ferrari of Milan, it is thought that the vatican is relinquishing its irreconcilabe attitude.

The Standard Oil group of financiers are reported to have acquired $83,000,000 worth of traction securities in Indiana and Ohio for an expenditure of $50,000,000.

Admiral Fourier of the French navy, expresses the opinion that the naval base at Singapore will give Great Britain the power of at any time cutting off communication between Europe and China and Japan.

ZINC IN COEUR D'ALENE DISTRICT

The zinc concentrates to be produced in the Soeur d'Alene district of Idaho are being turned out by the Success mill for the old Granite mine. Heretofore zinc has been considered a detriment to lead ores in this district and the object has been to get rid of the zinc, not to save it. Thus the zinc values in the Coeur d'Alene ores have gone to waste down the streams. The Granite mine was once abandoned as worthless because of the high percentage of zinc in the ores. The average assay value of the mill feed is 20 ounces silver, 25 per cent lead and 25 per cent zinc. The lead concentrates run 40 ounces in silver and from 50 to 65 per cent lead, while the zinc concentrates contain very small values in silver, only 3 per cent lead and from 45 to 50 per cent zinc.

STOCKS AND GRAIN

The opening on the New York stock market this morning was very irregular and sold off some during the early part of the session, closing around the high prices for the day. B.R.T. opened at 69 7-8, which was the low mark for the day, selling up to 72 1-8 on the close; C.P.R. opened at 174, advanced a half, sold down to 173 3-4, closed strong at 174 3-4; sugar opened at 138 1-2, which was the low for the day, advanced to 139 3-4 on the close; Amalgamated opened at 82, sold off a quarter and closed at 83 1-8; U.S.S., common opened at 37 3-8, the low mark, closed 38, the high, preferred opened at 104 1-2, selling off a quarter, advanced to 104 and closed 104 3-4; Met. opened at 125 1-8, selling off a quarter, closed at 126; St. Paul opened at 181 1-8, and closed at same price; R. I. opened at 32 7-8, which was low, sold up to 33 1-2 and closed at 33 1-8; U.P. opened at 132 1-4, sold down to 131 7-8, closed at 132 1-2, the high mark for theday. Mo, Pac, opened at 105 3-8, closed at the same figure; L. and N. opened at 153 3-4, the low for the day, sold up to 154 5-8 and closed at 154 3-8; Atchison opened 89 7-8, sold off an eighth ond closed at 90 1-4; Erie opened at 50 1-8, closed at 50 1-4; S.P. opened at 68 1-4, closed at 68.

Grain—December wheat opened at 85 1-8 @ 1-4 and closed at 85 @1-8. Outside of professional trading there was very little dealing today .

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RAILWAY TUNNEL MURDER

Young Woman's Body, Horribly Mutilated, Found on the Track

London, Sept. 26—The body of a young woman, whose name has been discovered to be Mary Mooney, was found this morning in the Streatham tunnel, just after the passage of a fast south coast train on the London and Southeastern railway. A long veil was found crammed in her mouth, acting as an effectual gag. The theory of the murder formed by the police is that she was travelling in one of the isolated compartments, common to these railways, and her body thrown out of the window when passing through the tunnel.

On the arrival of the train at Red Hill, a distance of some 13 miles, the next stop, all the compartmen doors were found closed and from this it is inferred death could not be one of suicide. The affair is a complete mystery. No ticket was found on the body and no one has been able to learn under what circumstances the young woman entered the train, or where she was going. If she were murdered, as is supposed to be the case, the murderer disappeared without leaving any trace. The cars furnish no clue to the crime.

FRICTION WITH PORTE

British Ambassador Demands Reparation for Piratic Attacks

Constantinople, Sept. 26—There is increasing friction between the British ambassador and the porte in consequence of the delay in the payment of an indemnity to the owners of the British scows attacked by Arab pirates in the Red sea. The ambassador's latest note pointed out that unless the matter were satisfactorily settled soon, the incident would assume a grave aspect.

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NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

A. S. Goodell, manager of the Northport smelter, states that the plant will probably be closed down about Nov. 1.

A special meeting of the board of school trustees is called for this evening at 8 o'clock in the board room of the public school.

This afternoon at 2 o'clock C. A. Waterman will begin the auction sale of the household furniture of Mrs. E. Lowe at her residence, Silica street, between Ward and Stanley.

T. McNeish, merchant of Slocan City, arirved last night and is at the Hume. He is here to assist in presenting the grievances of the district to the railway commissioners today.

Silver suffered a slight decline yesterday on both the London and New York markets. Lead gained four points on the London market and now stands at £14 2s. 6d. Electrolytic copper gained 1-4 point.

Reports from the Rambler-Cariboo mine indicate that the managers of the property expect to get in ore by May 1. Twenty-one men are driving a 4400 foot tunnel to cut the ore shoot 1400 feet below the surface. The tunnel is now in 3000 feet and is being driven at the rate of 200 feet a month.

William Cauldwell, manager of the Canada Paper company of Montreal, spent yesterday in town on his way home from a combined business and holiday trip across the continent. Mr. Cauldwell was accompanied by his wife and together they have been leisurely touring Canada and noting the marvellous developments in the west in the past two years.

In the police court yesterday morning the case of Gravelins vs. Pierre for wages, was resumed. Magistrate Crease ruled that he had jurisdiction to try the case. A. M. Johnson contended that it was not a suit to recover wages earned, but for wages that might have been earned but for an alleged breach of contract. The hearing of the case will be continued today.

At a general meeting of the Success club held in the club rooms last evening, it was unanimously resolved that, while the club had done good work and had in a measure achieved the object for which it was organized, it had not received general support enough to warrant its continuance. It was decided to collect all available assets, meet the club's indebtedness and dissolve. A movement is already on foot among the members to organize a debating society to fulfill one of the most important functions performed during the last three years by the Success club.

The members of Aberdeen Hive L.O.T.M. are requested to be present at the regular review tonight if possible, as important business will come before the hive.

George W. Steele and A. McDonald, of the staff of the provincial gaol, have resigned and have been succeeded respectively by James Hardy and R. Elliott.

The Young People's society of the Methodist church held a rally and social evening in the church last night. Next Sunday's services will be specially devoted to the work of the society.

H. Geigerich of Kaslo, Sandon and Ainsworth, the protagonist of the opponents of the Nelson wholesalers' special railway rates, arrived in the city last evening to be present at the session of the railway commission here this morning.

A reception was tendered Rev. F. H. Graham on his return from his summer trip to the old country by the members of the choir of St. Saviour's church at the home of Mrs. Goepel last evening. A very enjoyable evening was spent in which music, naturally, formed a part.

Charles Burt, agent for the Lemp Brewing company of St. Louis and of Pither and Leiser of Victoria, has offered through G. W. Bartlett, to contribute $100 for the expenses of a football match on Trafalgar day in Nelson. Mr. Bartlett, in whose hands the matter is left, wishes to raise enough to cover all expenses of a good outside team and enough more for a substantial purse for the winner, to give the Nelson team a chance to clear incidental expenses.

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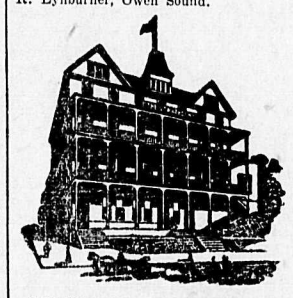

STRATHCONA—Dr. Mills, Miss Mills, J. Hardwell, G. A. Mountain, R. Richardson, T. P. Owens, T. Chandler, E. A. Primeau, A C Killam, Ottawa; J E. McMullen, Montreal; Mrs. Knight, Winnipeg; P. O. Gensland, Chicago; S. A. Hoyt, St. Paul; M. Gintzberger, New Denver.

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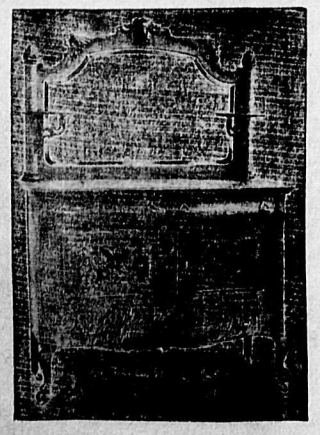

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