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BETTER THAN THE SWEDE

Dr. Milloy Says Chisholm Will Likely Prove to be Richer Property

Tells of Fortnight Spent in Visiting Mines of Poplar Creek--Rich Strikes Being Made in all Directions

The rich strikes round Poplar creek are not confined to the Swede mine, or to the properties of the Great Northern Mines company. The zone of phenomenally rich ore extends from Gold Hill to Rapid creek and probably east and west beyond both those points. There are at least two very rich properties that will compare favorably with the Swede and Lucky Jack. Specimens of ore and carbonates have been found on properties at Rapid creek, especially the Chisholm and Broken Hill mines, which are claimed to be superior to any of those brought down from the Swede by E. M. Morgan.

Dr. A. Milloy returned from Poplar last evening. He said:

"No one will believe until he sees it for himself, the wealth of that ore belt. I have been interested in mines in Kootenay for the last eight years, and I have never seen anything like this before.

"I had an interest in the I.X.L. some time ago, and sold out of it last January, which I regret very much now. The I.X.L. is a very rich property. It is in the same phenomenal ore belt which contains the Gold Hill mines, the Swede, Lucky Jack, Broken Hill and Chisholm.

"Some time ago I invested in the Chisholm. About a fortnight ago, influenced by the reports of the new strike on the Swede and the plans for development, I applied for 1000 shares of stock in the new International company. The application was conditional on the result of a visit I intended to make to look at the mines.

"I have spent ten days round Poplar creek. My application stands. To say that I am satisfied with what I have seen is too weak an expression.

"I visited the Swede, the Lucky Jack, the Chicholm, the Broken Hill, the Gold Hill mines and the Silver Cup and made a leisurely examination of each. At the risk of being charged with exaggeration I am bound to say that I have seen in the last week richer ore and carbonates than any that have been brought down for assay and exhibition. I think there are even richer specimens to be found on the Chisholm than on the Swede.

"The Broken Hill is equally rich. Those mines are all in the great zone that crosses Poplar creek. It has been proved from Rapid creek, and in fact from a little beyond that, to Gold Hill and beyond. It is covered with mines and mining claims all the way, many of them as yet hardly touched. If the whole zone proves to be as rich as the parts already proved indicate, the wealth of the district is incalculable.

"The reports from Gold Hill are away within the truth. All the strikes reported are genuine, and richer and more extensive than the very moderate statements would indicate.

"I also visited the Silver Cup. The new strike there has caused tremendous excitement in Camborne. It is far richer than anything ever found in the mine before, and its extent promises many years of life to the Silver Cup as a dividend payer.

"Yes, I am enthusiastic. No man can go through that country and look at the present showing on the properties I have mentioned, and not feel a little excited.

"Reports exaggerated? Not at all; it is almost impossible to exaggerate. If you refer to your own reports, they are tame in comparison with what I have seen in the last two weeks, not only at the Swede, but at the Chisholm and at three or four other mines in the same belt."

GOSSIP OF GRAND FORKS

Hardy Mountain Tunnel Project Revived—Tuesday's Fire Loss

(Special to The Daily News)

Grand Forks, July 26—In the year 1898 Fred Wollaston, P.L.S., made two surveys for a tunnel site underneath Hardy mountain, some four miles from here. It was then proposed to start the tunnel on the west side of the mountain on Fourth of July creek, right on the present grade of the Great Northern. It was the intention to penetrate the mountain some 4000 feet by which the tunnel would gain a depth of some 1800 feet. This would practically block out a tremendous body of ore, as the entire mountain under which the tunnel would run is thoroughly mineralized, good assaying croppings being picked up anywhere. From what your correspondent has learned it is altogether probable that the scheme will be revived at an early date. It has been estimated that the running of this tunnel would cost about $75,000 but this figure would be small in comparison with the returns to be derived from the treatment of millions of tons of ore, assaying an average of $20 per ton. With the opening up of this mountain by means of this tunnel a remarkably rich camp would spring up at the very threshold of Grand Forks.

It has been definitely ascertained that the damage done by the fire yesterday morning, was as follows: J. H. Hodgson's store building, $2500, merchandise in store, $4000; Hay and McCallum's office building, including contents, $1500; Thatcher's frame building, $1500. J. H. Hodgson only had $1500 insurance, Hay and McCallum, $900, and the Thatcher building, $1000, making a total of $3400, while the total damage done was about $9500.

The fire was first discovered by a hired man at Floyd's dairy, some three miles from here, who saw the fire start up beside Hodgson's store. He at once came to town and gave the alarm, it being then about 4 o'clock in the morning, but before the fire department arrived on the scene, fully half an hour had passed, during which time the flames had gained such headway that the only thing that could be done was to save the adjacent buildings, which was successfully accomplished.

PROGRESS AT AINSWORTH

FERNAU OPERATIONS LIVEN THINGS UP MATERIALLY

WORK RESUMED ON PACIFIC-BULLION CO.'S CLAIMS.

(Special to The Daily News)

Ainsworth, July 26.—Mr. Fernau's operations in this camp have served to materially enliven things. He has commenced work on the United and arranged to have a spur pipe line put in from the Taylor air compressor to supply that mine with power as well as the Glengarry, which later claim he has taken over during the past week. Machinery will be installed on each claim at once. With these claims and the Krao all regular shippers, the Krao flat will be such a scene of activity as it has not been since 1894.

D. F. Strobeck, for a long time an operator in the camp, has returned after several years spent in Spokane, and assumed charge of the Pacific-Bullion company's claims, the Spokane, Trinket and others, and is cleaning out the works preparatory to resuming work where left off 12 years ago. This company shipped extensively at one time but the same adverse conditions that affected the camp with the establishing of a duty on lead exported to the states, overtook the company. It is now confidently believed that it can work its mines to advantage. The recent strike in the shaft of the Highland is generally referred to as the best this mine has ever had and with the record of the mine's output so generally known throughout the Kootenays, it can be appreciated that the future is very bright. A further strike on the surface shows a large ledge of concentrating ore at a point that may mean a bigger tonnage than the mine ever promised before.

The King Solomon company has a force at work at the north end of the camp.

The shaft being sunk in the big Highlander tunnel continues in all kinds of ore and the opinion is generally expressed that this company is now reaching a point in its history that assures them a well earned reward for their persistent efforts.

The government is putting the main wagon road in first class condition and J. W. Powers of Slocan fame, has moved a portion of his teaming outfit down here and is steadily handling ore from the Krao.

There is prospect of the development of the Union claim south of the United. It is another of the zinc-lead showings of promise, grouped on the table land back of town. A nephew of Peter Larsen, who with Seattle parties, owns the Crescent and Eden, was here last week sampling the claims, and is expected to begin work on them very soon.

At the No. 1 mine the lessees are putting in a raise to connect with their ore body, when shipments will be materially increased. This mine has been a consistent producer through periods of depression as well as prosperity, and its present appearance is satisfactory in every way to its owners.

CANNOT ENTER UNDER ARMS

Ottawa Rifles May not so Enter State of Massachusetts

Boston, July 26—Adjutant-general Stopford of Massachusetts, has written a letter to lieutenant-colonel S. Maynard Rogers, commanding the 43rd regiment, Duke of Cornwall's Own Rifles, Ottawa, declining his request that the regiment be permitted to enter this state under arms next month.

This decision was reached after a conference with governor Douglas and after having received an opinion from the attorney general. The adjutant-general in his communication to the Canadian commander, points out that the statutes of Massachusetts are prohibitive and the only way to arrange the matter would be by the passage of a special act of the legislature which is impossible as the general court is not in session.

BENNINGTON INVESTIGATION

Apparently Confining Itself to the Question of one or more Explosions

San Diego, July 26—Another death has occurred among the injured of the Bennington's crew, the victim being V. Kennedy. The body will be taken for burial to Alliance, Neb.

The investigation into the disaster conducted by commander Young and lieutenants Yates and Wade, has been concluded and a report is being forwarded to Washington.

Nothing can be learned as to its contents from any of the three officers, but there appears to be reason to believe that they have decided only on one boiler exploding, but that the explosion broke the steam pipes of the other boilers and that these thus contributed their share to the death dealing steam.

JEWS ONLY TO BLAME

Governor of Odessa Issues an Extraordinary Proclamation

Charges Hebrews With Responsibility of Late Disorders and With Mutiny on Board the Kniaz Potemkine

Odessa, July 26.—The governor of Odessa has issued an extraordinary proclamation which when posted in the city tomorrow may have the effect of increasing the already bitter feeling against the Jews among the troops and more ignorant classes of the population.

The governor says he has received a number of annonymous letters denouncing persons as socialists and revolutionaries which he entirely ignores, believing that in most cases these communications were inspired by motives of personal vengeance. The proclamation continues:

"Letters have also come from the Jews charging the police with preparing for a Jewish massacre."

The governor then declares that such action is impossible and would not be permitted, but he adds:

"The governor is astonished at the Jews addressing such letters to him, seing that it is the Jews themselves who caused such disorders. The police invariably found revolvers, bombs and prohibited literature in Jewish homes. But for the Jews there would have been no disorders and no Kniaz Potemkine affair. Now the Jews have the impertinence to bring charges against the police."

SENDOFF TO M. WITTE

Departure of Russian Statesman the Occasion of a Gathering at Paris

Paris, July 26—M. Witte, professor Maartens and a number of other officials, making up the party of the peace plenipotentiaries, left by the train at 9:20 this morning for Cherbourg, where they will embark this evening for New York on board the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse.

Many officials and diplomats gathered at the railawy station with whom M. Witte stood smoking and chatting, until the train pulled out. Madame Witte and her daughter accompanied M. Witte to Cherbourg where, however, they will leave him and go on to Brussels where they will remain during the period of the peace conference.

KOREAN DELEGATE ARRIVES

Wants Eventually Independence for Korea and Favorable Terms Generally

San Francisco, July 26—P. K. Yoon, who is on his way to Washington for the purpose of acting as an official delegate appointed to look after the interests of Korea during the peace negotiations, arrived here on the steamer Alameda from Honolulu yesterdaly.

Mr. Yoon is a minister of the Korean Methodist church in Honolulu. He was disinclined to talk about his mission, as he feared that an exposition of his sentiments might cause some ill-feeling among the Japanese. He said, however, that his object was to get the most favorable terms obtainable for Korea for the present, with a view of ultimately obtaining its independence.

BEHRING STRAITS TUNNEL

Proposal of an American Syndicate is Turned Down by Russians

New York, July 26—A Berlin despatch to the New York Times says that information from official sources in Russia is to the effect that the project of an American syndicate to connect America with Siberia by means of a railway which shall include a tunnel under Behring straits, has been rejected by the government commission which was appointed to investigate it.

The commission, it is said, will report that such a railroad might become a source of grave danger to Russia and that it would not be commercially valuable.

RIKSDAG IN SECRET SESSION

Both Houses of Sweden's Parliament Consider Committee's Report

Stockholm, July 26—Both houses of the riksdag have held secret sessions to discuss the report presented yesterday of the special committee appointed to deal with the crisis between Norway and Sweden.

Some regret is expressed at the resignation of the Swedish government before the riksdag had acted on the committee's report as it is feared that it may retard progress towards the arrival at a solution of the difficulty.

DID IT IN HIS SLEEP

Novel Plea Entered by Murderer of Wife and Child

Chicago, July 26—John Mueller, charged with killing his wife and child, makes the novel plea of epileptic somnambulism. Mueller declares there was no motive, that he slew his wife in his sleep and that his actions were due to a blow on the head received during a labor riot two years ago. He is conducting his own case.

Mueller killed his wife and child by shooting them and then hacking them with an axe.

FOUND DEAD NEAR YMIR

(Special to The Daily News)

Ymir, July 26—Lee Ward, a miner, last employed at the Second Relief mine, and who for the past few days was missing, was found dead last evening near Erie, the body being in a badly decomposed condition. Coroner Elliott of Ymir, left on the morning train with an undertaker. No further particulars can be obtained until the coroner's return.

This evening the ladies' aid of the Presbyterian church held a lawn social on First aveune at which refreshments were served and a musical program provided. The proceeds will be devoted to the church funds.

B. C. FRUIT.

Attracts Much Attention at Winnipeg Industrial.

Winnipeg, July 26.—(Special) —The British Columbia fruit at the Winnipeg Industrial fair is attracting great attention from visitors. The display is thoroughly representative of the province at this season. The principal feature has been the magnificent display of cherries. The supplies have been drawn from the Okanagan, the Kootenay, from the lower Fraser districts, and from Vancouver island. Early apples are also shown from all of these districts, as well as plums from Victoria and southern Okanagan.

DUNSMUIR THE WINNER

APPEAL OF ATTORNEY GENERAL IS DISMISSED.

GREAT NORTHERN TO PAY COSTS OF APPEAL TO PRIVY COUNCIL.

Montreal, July 25.—A London cable says that the privy council has dismissed the case of the attorney general of British Columbia vs. Wellington Colliery Co., by dismissal of appeal.

In the case of Renwick vs. Nelson & Fort Sheppard Railway Co., for dismissal of appeal, leave to appeal is not rescinded, but the appellant pays costs.

MANY PRIZES DONATED

OUTSIDE ENCOURAGEMENT GIVEN TO NELSON FAIR.

PRESIDENT PRESENTS A SILVER CUP FOR COMPETITION

Much interest is being taken in the Nelson Fair by people outside of the immediate district of Nelson and various prizes are coming in from far away points which at first sight would not seem to be affected by the issues of the Kootenay. This is being evinced by the donation of prizes for competition Among these are numbered no less than five prizes for bread and bun making, four for the first and one for the latter.

The Ogilvie Flour Mills company has presented the Fair committee with $15 for bread prizes and the Lake of the Woods Milling company has given an equal amount. The Calgary Milling Co. donated $10 and yesterday the Alexander Milling company of Brandon, a like sum. The bread, of course, will be made from the flours named. In addition A. Burpee of Philadelphia, who is a well known seed man, has given a special prize for the best buns made. Mr. Burpee has indeed forwarded three prizes, two for flowers and one for buns. all of which will be duly listed and thrown open to competition.

James Johnstone, the president of the Association, has presented a silver cup for the district prize. This will be open to competion by the several districts whose names have already been given by The Daily News. It will be competed for each year and will be known as the President's Cup.

The fair association is interesting itself at present especially in the attempt to increase the size of the fair grounds by taking a strip to the north of the present recreation grounds and throwing the fence back 30 feet. The idea is to build a third of a mile race track within the grounds. If this can be done, and commissioner Dennis of the C.P.R. land department, during his recent visit here, promised that he would do the best he could for the city, there will be proper accommodation for the chariot and other races which it is proposed to put on during the fair. Chariot races, pony raaces, and relay races have been mooted. The taking in of the extra ground might be managed before the fair. There would not be much levelling to be done. Just behind the present grand stand there is a little knoll which could be easily razed and thrown into the adjacent depressions. The moving of the fence back 30 feet would then complete the job.

Nothing further has as yet been done as to the proposed new grand stand. A motion was brought up in the city council some time ago asking for an estimate on a building which would accommodate 1200 people. This was carried and was referred to the city engineer. Nothing more has been heard of the matter. It would be a pity to pigeonhole such a proposition as the added size of the grand stand would undoubtedly mean added receipts. The cost is hardly likely to exceed $800 and the bank to the south of the recreation ground would be eminently suitable, while the removal of the present stand which will accommodate about 600 people, would increase the available area.

TO BE WAR OR PEACE

Issue Will be Settled at the First Meeting of Conference

Japan's Peace Terms are Believed not to Insist Upon the Cession of Vladivostok or of Southern Manchuria

Washington, July 26.—Whether there is to be peace in the far east or a continuance of war will be practically decided at the first business meeting of the Washington conference which will convene at the navy yard, Portsmouth, about August 5. Baron Komura will communicate to M. Witte the essentials of Japan's terms for further negotiations. This, it is declared, will not be done in a spirit of defiance. Indeed there are many evidences in the possession of the neutral governments that Japan is coming to the Washington conference not imbued with a desire to humiliate Russia, but only to exact terms which will purchase a lasting peace in the far east, and which will in a measure compensate Japan for its financial losses in the present conflict.

It is known that Japan will demand an indemnity that will approximately cover the war to date. The amount is still a secret. It will not fall far short of one billion dollars, according to advices reaching here from well informed sources. Japan's other essentials to the continuance of the negotiations are believed to be the handing over to Japan of Sakhalin, of the Liaotung peninsula, of the railway as far as Harbin, the recognition of Japan's predominating influence in Korea and the return of Manchuria to China.

WANTED, A NAME

C. P. R. Wants Suggestions for its Winnipeg Hotel

Winnipeg, July 26—The question of a name for the new C.P.R. hotel in Winnipeg is now being actively considered by the authorities. The preferred name of the many possible is the "Seepear" hotl. This is also said to be the choice, up to date, of Hayter Reid, manager of C.P.R. hotels. Mr. ..... during his recent visit to Winnipeg went into this matter among others concerned with the new hostelry and expressed his preference for the above name.

The aim of the company is to secure a title ..... will show its connection with the hotel and the phonetic spelling of the old familiar "C.P.R." seems to meet the idea. The only other name considered very seriously up to the present is "Selkirk," after the historic lord Selkirk, and while "Strathcona" would be desirable, the name is already borne by another of the company's hotels.

ASKING FOR COMPENSATION

Standard Oil Suing for Loss of a Cargo off Sakhalin Island

St. Petersburg, July 26—Acting on United States ambasador Meyer's recommendation in order to obviate months of delay, as in the case of the steamer Arabia, the Standard Oil company, as consignors of the cargo of the British steamer Oldhamia, which was seized by the Russian warships and burned off Sakhalin island, have placed their case in the hands of a local attorney, who is empowered to ask the prize court to act as adjudicator.

The cargo was valued at $123,000. The British ambassador is making representations on behalf of the British owners of the ship.

ANOTHER INVESTIGATION

Admiral Goodrich to Enquire into Bennington Disaster

San Diego, July 26—The United States gunboat Bennington is again afloat on an even keel and it will be towed by the Iris to the Mare Island navy yard to be thoroughly examined and repaired. The naval tug Fortune will escort the Bennington and the Iris. Divers are examining the Bennington's hull.

Admiral Goodrich is expected to arrive on his flagship tomorrow, when an official investigation of the disaster will be begun. Much interest centres on the question of what was the steam pressure on boiler "B" at the time of the explosion.

REPENTING AT LEISURE

Maud Gonne Illustrating Truth of Old Adage

Paris, July 26—The hearing of the suit for divorce brought by Maud Gonne, known as the "Irish Joan of Arc," against major McBride, formerly of the Boer army, was opened before the civil tribunal of the Seine today, Maitre Grupoe representing the wife and Maitre Labori, the husband. Maitre Grupoe severely denounced major McBride's alleged unfaithfulness and denied the husband's charge that his wife was not of genuine Irish birth. The case attracts much attention because of the prominence of the parties in connection with the Irish agitation.

BENEFIT TO BOAT CLUB

"Moths" Played to Good House—Thanks to all Who Helped

The play produced by the Sherman-Platt company as a benefit to the Nelson boat club last evening was a pratifying success. The attendance, and consequently the receipts, were excellent considering the season and the attractions of the lake.

At 8:15 punctually, as promised, the city band began an open air concert program on the opera house balcony. At the same time a row of red and blue lights from Baker street up Ward street to the opera house corner were lit. The effect was excellent and a large crowd was attracted.

The band concert ended with the ringing of the curfew and the stage became the centre of attraction. The house was better filled than on any preceding evening of the Sherman-Platt company's engagement. The play was well produced, the large audience evidently having an inspiring effect upon the players.

Between the acts attractions were offered by local artists. Mrs. H. C. Briggs and H. S Bodmer were unfortunately unable to be present Mrs. Melville Parry, and Messrs. Arundel and Mason were present and their songs were greatly appreciated and heartily encored.

The boat club committee desire to express their thanks to Mrs. Melville Parry, Mrs. H. C. Briggs and Messrs. Arundel, Mason and Bodmer, to the Sherman-Platt company, to the city band, and not least to Melville Parry, who originated the idea and to whose efforts the success is largely due.

The boat club's receipts from the performance are a little over $54. This sum will be a substantial contribution towards the $300 required to represent Nelson in the regatta at Victoria. The club has already arranged the expenses of the crew for Portland.

PRIVY COUNCIL RULINGS

SUNDAY LEGISLATION HELD TO BE DOMINION CONCERN.

GOVERNMENT MAY APPEAL FROM JUDGE ANGLIN'S DECISION

Montreal, July 26.—A London cable says the privy council today refused to grant the petition of the dominion government for leave to appeal in its Dominion Lord's Day Alliance case, which is the outsome of an appeal by the Lord's Day Alliance to the dominion government to pass legislation respecting the observance of Sunday. The dominion referred the question to the supreme court in order to ascertain if it had power or if the provinces had power to pass the necessary legislation. The supreme court declared that the legislation remained with the dominion government and the government sought to have this decision reversed.

The privy council also gave a decision granting the government the right to appeal in the case of Gain and Gilhula, the two Pere Marquette Railway officials of St. Thomas whom the government sought to deport because it was alleged they had violated the alien labor law of Canada, but were restrained from forcing the official to return to the United States by the decision of Mr. justice Anglin of Toronto, who declared the dominion government had not the necessary power to take this action.

The government, however, must bear costs of the respondents.

The privy council has allowed the cross appeal of the Rossland Kootenay Mining Company vs. Centre Star.

BANKHEAD COLLIERY DISASTER

Three Miners Blown to Pieces by an Explosion of Dynamite

Banff, Alta., July 26—A frightful accident occured here Tuesday in the Bankhead mine, two miles east of this place.

There was an explosion of many cases of dynamite. Three men were killed outright, literally blown to fragments. The dead are.

Thomas Smiley, an Irishman.

David Thomas, who came from Wales, and who leaves a wife and six children.

James .....ams, also a Welshman.

Of the three dead, there is hardly a piece of their bodies left by which they could be recognized. They were standing near the cases of dynamite when the explosion occurrd.

Just how the explosion came about no one yet knows.

CANADA CUP

Iroquois and Rochester Have now Won Four Races Each

Rochestqr, July 26—Three more trial races for the defender of the Canada's cup took place today. Iroquois won the first by 6 minutes and 19 seconds and the Rochester won the second and third by 1 minute and 28 seconds and 20 seconds respectively. Iroquois and Rochester have now won four races apiece.

MUNICIPAL CONVENTION.

Winnipeg, July 26.—At the sessions of the municipal convention today, municipality finance, municipal ownership, and the Ottawa electric fight occupied the attention of the delegates. F. Dagger, government telephone expert, was present and read a very valuable paper. The convention also decided to ask parliament to revoke any and all charters which interfere in any way with the complete control of highways and streets by the municipalities.

DELAYED IN SAILING

Cherbourg, July 27—M. Witte has not left Cherbourg owing to the non-arrival of the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, which was fog bound at Southhampton. He expects to sail early this morning. The senior Russian peace plenipotentiary and his party are spending the night at the hotel Casine, whence an extensive despatch in cipher was forwarded to St. Petersburg.

YELLOW FEVER EPIDEMIC

New Orleans, July 26—Six deaths from yellow fever were recorded today up to 6 p.m., making a total to date of 45. The number of new cases reported yesterday and compiled today is 11, making all told to date 165 cases. There are now 19 centres of infection.

ROJESTVENSKY IS BETTER.

Tokio, July 26.—Vice admiral Rojestvensky has undergone a successful operation; a wound on his forehead was opened and a small piece of bone extracted. His condition is now considered to be safe.

NEW MOVE BY JAPAN

Attempt Now Being Made to Seize Mouth of Amur River

Russian Position at Harbin Thus Seriously Threatened in Rear--Attack Upon the Russian Lines on the Tumen

St. Petersburg, July 27.—Despatches from Manchuria report the landing of a Japanese battalion and the seizure of a lighthouse on the Siberian coast near Dekastries, a post formerly called Alexdrovsk, 700 miles north of Vladivostok, after a preliminary shelling by torpedo boat destroyers. Military official here attach importance to the episode only in connection with the Sakhalin campaign and say that as the landing was effected at a place where the straits of Tartary are narrowest, apparently it is part of the strategy of the Japanese to prevent the escape of the Russian garrison in Sakhalin, across the straits.

London, July 27.—The Japanese landing at Dekastries which is the terminus of the only cable line connecting the mainland with the island of Sakhalin, is regarded by the London morning newspapers as an attempt to seize the mouth of the Amur river in order to enable the Japanese to despatch an army up that great waterway to threaten the Russian communications.

Japanese gunboats and torpedo boats could thus reach Harbin and give effectual assistance to any attack on the Russian fortifications. Both the Ussuri and Sungari rivers are navigable for vessels of light draft and thus the Japanese could advance inland in three different directions for a considerable distance. If, as is supposed, Japan has a river expedition in readiness the mere threat of its advance will suffice to change the plans of the Russians and compel the retirement from the Kirin and Fekhwaht districts upon Harbin.

Lond on, July 27.—The correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, at Tokio, sends a report received from Osaka to the effect that a Japanese army of several thousand men is attacking the Russian position on the Tumen river.

WILL CEASE OBSTRUCTING.

Redmond Warned That His Tactics Are Resented By Workingmen.

London, July 26.—John Redmond, the nationalist leader, and his followers, continued their obstructionist tactics of blocking private bills in the house of commons today, but according to the Morning Post, as the result of remonstrances which have reached them from all parts of the country, representing the injustice which such acts inflict on a large body of working men, they have decided to withdraw all further opposition to such bills.

NIJI NOVGOROD RIOTING

St. Petersburg, July 26.—The disorders at Niji Novgorod have now continued for four days with daily collisions between the rival camps into which the workmen and the rioting roughs have divided, but there has been no general rioting since Sunday's five hours' affray.

According to the government advices 12 men were killed and three were injured on Monday and Tuesday nights. On Sunday night a bomb was thrown against the school house in the suburb of Sormovo where a detachment of soldiers were quartered. The thrower of the bomb was killed.

PARENT PROVIDED FOR.

(Special to The Daily News)

Ottawa, July 26.—The cabinet was in session today and the appointment of Parent as chairman of the Transcontinental Commission was put through. Parent was here yesterday and left for home last night. He accepted the position. McIsaac, M.P., is expected here shortly and he will also be appointed a member of the commission.

MACDONNELL MAY RESIGN.

Dublin, July 26.—Sir Anthony MacDonnell, under secretary to the lord-lieutenant of Ireland, has recovered from the severe operation recently performed on him, but owing to the state of his health it is reported that he has decided to resign his position in the autumn.

BUMPER CROP EXPECTED.

Winnipeg, July 26.—The crops look excellent, the wheat is headed nicely and well filled, the weather is perfect and if present conditions continue for a couple of weeks the greatest yield in the history of western Canada is assured.

GIVES LEASE TO KENORA.

Kenora, Ont., July 26.—The Ontario government has issued a lease of the east channel of Winnipeg river to the town of Kenora, which has power to expropriate land on either side. This will enable the town to make an agreement with the Maple Leaf Flour Mill Co., for the erection of their 2000 barrel mill.

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C. P. R. IMPROVEMENTS

Yesterday we gave some particulars of the arrangements being made by the C. P. R. to handle the immense wheat crop of Manitoba and the Northwest. In this connection the Toronto Globe points out that for the next two or three years the chief dependence of the Northwest must be on the Canadian Pacific railway as an outlet for its grain crop. The Canadian Northern is proving itself a good second, but time is required to enable it to complete its main line and provide more branches. The work of constructing the Grand Trunk Pacific has not yet been commenced, and months may elapse before the preliminaries are concluded. Under these circumstances it is satisfactory to learn, that besides building an immense number of additional box cars at the rate of fifteen a day, the Canadian Pacific company has decided to lay a second track from Winnipeg to Lake Superior. The contract for the work has been let, and it is to be completed within three years. Long before that interval has elapsed, however, freight traffic will be greatly facilitated by the new line. By the fall of 1906 a great many miles of new track should be laid in the middle of the section, so that trains may be able to pass each other without sidetracking for that purpose. There is good reason to believe that from this time forward the development of transportation facilities will be quite as rapid as the expansion of grain production.

The C. P. R. is also taking steps to meet the industrial expansion west of the Rockies. A start has been made on the Kootenay Central, contractors are busily engaged in building the Spence's Bridge branch to Nicola lake, and surveyors are in the field looking over the country north of Grand Forks, and an announcement that the C. P. R. intend to build from Grand Forks up the west fork would surprise no one.

In another direction the C. P. R. is extending its connections. The line now under construction from Yahk, on the main line of the Crow's Nest will shortly give the C. P. R. access to Spokane and, if rumors now current prove to be well founded, that line will in course of time be extended to Portland, Oregon.

The next few years will witness as great development of transportation facilities on the Pacific coast as on the great plains, and the indications are that the C. P. R. will be in the forefront of the race to provide those facilities.

The development of transportation facilities in this province, and particularly in east and west Kootenay, will naturally occasion disturbances in existing traffic and industrial conditions, and temporarily, at least, certain localities may suffer, but the ultimate effect will undoubtedly be to materially increase the general welfare of this territory and, in particular, Nelson, owing to its splendid location as a distributing centre, will benefit enormously by every forward move of the big transportation companies.

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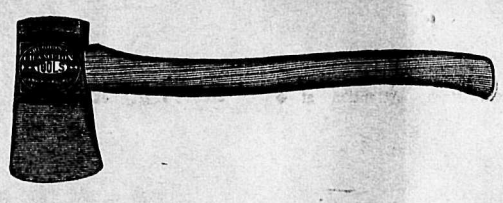

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

The controversy over the park between mayor Houston and J. F. Musselman is not of particular interest to the public. On the other hand the public is vitally concerned in the outcome of negotiations the mayor may have underway looking to the securing of a suitable lake front recreation ground. The recent spell of hot weather has done more to impress upon the public mind the necessity of the city possessing some cool, easily accessible breathing space, than reams of newspaper controversy could accomplish. It is intimated that the mayor has paved the way for the city securing a lease of a suitable pice of land on the lake front. It is to be hoped that this report is well founded. Failing this recourse it should still be possible to come to terms with the owners of the tramway park. We do not understand that the agent for the property is determined to insist upon a rental of $50 per month for the use of these grounds, a rental which we freely concede to be more than the city could reasonably be asked to pay. Of course, the best solution of the problem would be for the city to secure its own water front park and if the mayor's project can be expanded to this end, it should meet with the hearty support and encouragement of the entire council.

The grand old conservative party cannot complain of lack of advice these days. The paper are devoting columns to explaining the why and wherefor of present tory depression. The Toronto Telegram adds its screed as follows: Canadian conservatism would be votes in pocket today if its leaders had taken good advice five years ago. The wise and obvious policy for R. L. Borden and his advisers was to have dropped Quebec from their calculations, to treat anything the party picked up in Quebec as found money, and to adapt its policy to the ideals of Ontario and the west. The conservative leaders were afraid to contrast the activity of the census takers in Quebec with the apathy of the census takers in Ontario. They were afraid to expose or denounce the census that robbed Ontario of six members of parliament. They were afraid to declare for public ownership, when the west was ready to respond to such a declaration. Quebec was barren ground that should have been left alone while a wise party cultivated the rest of the country. The conservative leaders chose to neglect the rest of the country and cultivate Quebec. The results of their choice are writ large in the solidity and size of sir Wilfrid Laurier's French-Candian following.

TRAMWAY PARK SQUABBLE

J. F. Musselman Replies to Mayor Houston's Strictures

Editor The Daily News—Referring to an editorial in last night's Tribune, I find this statement: "The syndicate went ahead and acquired title to the land"—that is to the tramway park. Prior to this we were told that "the land" (this same land) "Belonged to the people, and were advised that the company had no rights there, in that the people are bound to respect, and that no attention should be paid to the company's notices. All this, and much more, before, as the mayor expresses it, I "opened fire." The mayor's peculiar claims in this connection could not have been born but of malice, and were intended only to mislead. He knew then, as he knows now, that the company owns the tramway park; if he did not know it, his ignorance is the least excusable feature of his offending. However, his full, albeit, indirect retraction, so far as it goes, is graceful enough, but if, as now appears probable, he desires to abandon his self imposed contract to put me out of business by a wholesale disregard of the truth and by sheer unjustifiable personal abuse and vilification, he should fully and openly retract the other false statements, villainous insinuations and vulgar epithets of which he has delivered himself in connection with this matter, and in future confine himself to legitimate comment and criticism, refraining from using his office to vent his personal spite. By so doing he would not only relieve his conscience, but might materially assist to a satisfactory adjustment of the difficulty. Otherwise, he will no doubt feel at liberty to continue his present admirable tactics.

Altogether, some half score of items relating to this matter have appeared in the Tribune at different times, each and every one of them more or less a diatribe. For the sake of harmony, I no doubt I should meekly submit to the mayor's brutal cudgel and amputate myself from the Kootenay landscape, but I am not accustomed to turning the proverbial other cheek and am acting in full consonance with my philosophy. I have characterized the mayor's treatment of this business as palpably faithless and malicious; presumably this constitutes the "mud slinging" to which last night's item refers, when, as a matter of fact, the characterization is not wholly true, because my interpretation was too liberal. But if I were disposed to throw mud, I certainly have a liberal quantity of a very choice article on hand, with which the mayor, himself, has generously provided me, a goodly portion of it, too, being in my possession before I "opened fire."

Now, as to the business aspects of the matter. I have already pointed out that the Fairview property cost the company in the neighborhood of $13,000, that it pays interest on the money and taxes on the property, and that, in fairness, it is entitled to revenue from anyone who desires to use the latter or any portion of it. The park was acquired along with some other land on the opposite side of the railway, so that it is impossible to say what it cost, but equalizing the cost of the different portions of the property with respect to the cost of the whole, we must fix that of the park at at least $3000, the interest on which at 6 per cent is $180 and taxes at 1 per cent, $30, total $210 per year. In a businesslike and courteous note, dated June 9th and addressed to the mayor and aldermen, I proposed to lease this land to the city for four months, the only months for which the city has need of it, at, $50 per month. No other revenue could be derived from it for the rest of the year. When I made this proposition it looked to me like a business matter, pure and simple, and nothing has since transpired to change my views in this respect, and, notwithstanding that the mayor, representing the city, cannot see it in that light, I have figures by me which seem to indicate that the mayor is not altogether infallible when sizing up a business proposition, not to mention providing a place of recreation for the people.

But let us review what the council did with this proposition, which will not take long, for it did nothing, practically ignored it, in fact, and, to date, I have not even a decent acknowledgement of its receipt. Not the slightest effort was made to come to an understanding with me. Further, every indication points to the fact that had my demand been for 50 cents or any other sum, instead of $50, it would have been handled in the same summary fashion. And the mayor? Well, everybody knows what the mayor did and is doing.

The park was not closed until a week after the mayor announced that I had posted notices, thus, by virtue of his remarkable intuition, anticipating my action by so much. No one regrets more than do I that women and children are denied the use of practically the only lakeside retreat easily accessible from town, but I am practically forced to take this course as the only possible action consistent with any degree of self respect and the retention of the confidence of my principals.

Regarding, as I must, the mayor's attitude towards and treatment of this business as official, I am bound, much against my inclination, to take him seriously. But if the people themselves, who know him better, will take him seriously, they should expect nothing else of a mere "sojourner."

J. F. MUSSELMAN

Nelson, B.C., July 26, 1905.

MORE MINES WILL OPEN

MINNEAPOLIS CAPITALISTS VISIT LARDEAU AND DUNCAN.

EXPECT TO BEGIN OPERATIONS THIS SUMMER.

There is every prospect that active mining operations will be begun this summer on the properties on the Lardeau and Duncan rivers, controlled by the Consolidated Mining & Smelting company. The annual meeting of the company was held at the Hume hotel yesterday afternoon. Directors were re-elected and it was decided that a party should visit the company's properties at once and determine on the course to be followed.

The party includes judge J. L. Miller, of Truash, Col., H. L. Archer and Dr. C. S. Dudley, of Minneapolis, and W. B. Christy, of Chilcoten. The three first named are directors of the company. They will be accompanied by Mr. Morgan of the Great Northern Railway company. They leave for the north this morning and expect to return to Nelson in about a week.

In conversation with a reporter of The Daily News, Dr. Dudley said: "The company controls many properties on the Lardeau and Duncan rivers, some of them were held by joint stock companies, some were independent. They have been examined several times and reports were always favorable. The purpose of the present trip is to look over the properties again and to decide upon the course to be adopted in working them. I cannot tell you any more than that at present. When we return we may be able to make a more definite statement of our plans."

Judge Miller, who has had mining interests in Kootenay since the first days of Rossland's existence as a mining camp, and has been a frequent visitor to the district, said: "I still think, as I have thought for the last ten years, that British Columbia is the greatest mining country on the continent. The people here are too impatient. The country is hardly ten years old as a mineral producer. It has already done more than any other district ever did in the same length of time, and this is only the beginning. There is a great future for Kootenay. Capital will come in plenty. It is coming now. I am sorry to see a disposition in some quarters to decry the country. When a man is doing his best to develop a mine, he is not injuring the district but benefiting it. He should be supported by everybody.

"I am pleased at the reports of new rich strikes that are coming from all parts of Kootenay. Each one helps all the others. It was bound to come. It is only the lack of harmony and the apathy of the people here that have kept the country from being developed even more rapidly.

"There are ore bodies in this country, known but undeveloped, and almost unnoticed, which, if they were over in our country, would cause an excitement that Kootenay has never seen.

"I think it is to the interest of the whole country to assist the prospectors and mine owners. If they need capital for development, help them to make known the value of their properties. That is all that is required. Capital will come fast enough when the opportunity for investment is known."

FOLLOWING AUSTRALIA

Antipodean Scheme of Advertising Trade Adopted in New York

New York, July 26—Plans have been completed for an effort by an exporting company of this city to extend American commerce to foreign countries. A floating expedition will be equipped and sent on a tour of the world.

The American Floating Exposition, as it is called, will start from New York in 1906. It will carry a limited number of samples of the various merchandise of American manufacture. The samples are to be displayed at each of the ports at which stops will be made. Space will be allotted to exhibitors and to salesmen aboard the ship.

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DENTISTS MET AT PORTLAND

Dr. F. E. Morrison Describes International Gathering of Last Week

Dr. F. E. Morrison has returned from Portland where he took part in a convention at which an international dental association was formed. The convention was called by the Dental society of Oregon. Dentists were present from Oregon, British Columbia, Washington, California and eastern cities of Canada and the United States.

The convention lasted four days. The morning and early afternoon were devoted to clinical demonstrations and illustrations and the most modern devices that are used in dental surgery. From 4 to 11 o'clock p.m. each day was spent in hearing and discussing papers on dental operations. The convention was very helpful, especially to younger practitioners.

At the close of the convention a banquet was given to the visitors by the Oregon dentists in the American Inn. A permanent organization was then formed, representative of the profession throughout North America.

Dr. Morrison visited the exposition hurriedly. He says it is well worth a visit. Prices for board and lodging in Portland he describes as very moderate. He was struck with the popularity of the Canadian route among the visitors. Many who had come out to Portland over the C.P.R., intending to return by the Great Northern or Northern Pacific, have altered their arrangements to return the way they came because of the superior accommodations of the C.P.R. trains.

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London, July 26—The commons today refused to permit Winston Churchill to introduce a bill limiting the life of parliament to five instead of seven years.

Mr. Churchill explained that the bill would give fuller popular control of the executive. He said there was a growing diminution of parliamentary authority over the government and by this mechanical arrangement more frequent appeals to the country would be of national advantage.

The proposal was defeated by 239 to 176.

FOOLS AND FIREARMS

Reckless Use Injures Three Persons in the Scottish Highlands

London, July 26—The shooting case, involving J. S. and H. C. Phipps, sons of Henry Phipps of Pittsburg, was mentioned in the house of commons this afternoon, J. Galloway-Weir, representing the counties of Ross and Cromarty, wanted the lord advocate for Scotland to take steps to prevent the defendants from fleeing from justice.

The lord advocate, however, said that he had reason to believe that the young Phipps would be ready to meet any charge brought against them. One of the young men, he understood was now in Paris.

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The surveyors and a portion of the grading gang went to work on Monday last laying out and making cross sections of the route to be followed by the Kootenay Central railway. The entire party is working in the vicinity of Nicholson's ranch, where they are camped and all are busy, says the Golden Star. Considerable preliminaries have yet to be done before actual construction begins. Mr. McPherson who made the trip up the valley on a right of way purchasing expedition, was very successful, getting agreements of sale from the majority of the ranchers along the route.

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MACPHERSON, M.P., AT HOME

Tells Province Man he is Sure V., V. & E. Will be Built to Vancouver

R. G. Macpherson, M.P., returned to Vancouver Sunday evening in a happy frame of mind. The session is over and Vancouver's hard working member is busy with the glad hand and the effervescent smile uptown, downtown, and away out at the city limits.

"And do you really think the Great Northern will build a through line to Vancouver from the Similkameen," asked the Province of Mr. Macpherson.

"Certainly," was the reply. "I have no doubt but that is their intention. The chief engineer, Mr. Kennedy informed me that the line will be built through to Sumas. He said they would find a pass all right. Some of it may be in American territory, but that will be no disadvantage. It will be a great benefit to Vancouver, and, mind you, it is a case of free, gratis, for nothing as the Irishman says. The best route will be selected. I tell you the Great Northern builds lines to haul heavy freight trains upon.

"You know I really cannot appreciate this talk of patriotism," continued Mr. Macpherson. ...s is not the first time that an American road has come into this country. It is not the first time that a Canadian road has taken a route through the United States. Isn't the new fast service of the Great Northern between here and Seattle a good thing for Vancouver? Why of course, and so will this line from Similkameen be the best thing that could happen the town."

IN PERFECT CONDITION

Nelson Fruit Reached Winnipeg in Perfect Order

While the prizes for fruit exhibits at the Winnipeg exhibition have not been awarded, the hopes of local growers are high. Letters have been received by James Johnstone and by W. H. Carter from R. M. Palmer, secretary of the provincial bureau of information, stating that all the fruit shipped from the Nelson district to Winnipeg for exhibition purposes arrived in perfect condition.

In a few days the awards will be announced. If the Nelson fruit carries off the prizes or a considerable number of them, its position on the Winnipeg market, already high, will be assured.

Meanwhile the ordinary commerce shipments show no falling off. Yesterday several crates of raspberries were shipped to Winnipeg and others to Regina. Shipments of fruit and vegetables were also made to Boundary and East Kootenay.

FINAL RACE TODAY

Crews of Gillum and Teague Row for the Club Championship

The final heat in the four oared series of the Nelson boat club's midsummer regatta will be rowed on the harbor this afternoon at 4 o'clock between the crews of J. G. Gillum and J. Teague.

Five crews were entered originally stroked respectively by G. Ross, F. D. Arundel, H. Marshall, J. Teague and J. G. Gillum. The first day's races disposed of Arundel and Ross, who were defeated by Marshall and Gillum respectively. On the second day Marshall was defeated by Teague. Gillum defeated Arundel in an exhibition race. Gillum and Teague remain. The crews are: J. E. Lackie, bow; L. Stewart, 2; A. Pool, 3; J. Teague, stroke. H. Gallon, bow; J. W. Banfield, 2; F. V. Thompson, 3; J. G. Gillum, stroke. There is great rivalry between the crews as the stake is the club championship for the season.

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W. CLAYTON.
Thrums Siding, May 24th, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works at Victoria, to purchase 160 acres of land in West Kootenay District, and described as follows: Commencing at a post placed about half a mile north of the 3rd mile board south of Castlegar and marked J.A.C. S.E. corner, thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east to Columbia and Western railway, thence south along said railway to place of commencement.

May 24th, 1905.
J. A. CRYDERMAN.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works at Victoria, to purchase 160 acres of land in West Kootenay District, and described as follows: Commencing at a post placed on the west side of the Columbia and Western railway, about 200 feet south of the fourth mile post south of Castlegar and marked J.H.R.C. N.E. corner, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east to the Columbia and Western railway, thence north along said railway to place of beginning.

May 24th, 1905.
J. H. R. CHRISTIE.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works at Victoria, to purchase 160 acres of land in West Kootenay District, and described as follows: Commencing at a post placed on the west side of the Columbia and Western railway, about 200 feet south of the third mile board south of Castlegar, and marked P.W. N.E. corner, thence west 40 chains, thense south 40 chains, thence east to said railway, thence north along said railway to place of beginning.

May 24th, 1905.
PETER WARREN.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works at Victoria, to purchase 160 acres of land in West Kootenay District, and described as follows: Commencing at a post placed on the west side of the Columbia and Western railway, about 200 feet south of the third mile board south of Castlegar and marked H.F.A. S.E. corner, thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east to the Columbia and Western railway, thence south along the said railway to place of beginning.

May 24th, 1905.
H. F. ANNABLE.

NOTICE is hereby given that we, the Yale-Columbia Lumber Co., Ltd., of Nakusp, B. C., intend sixty days after date to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the undermentioned tract of land: Commencing at a post on the south limit of the Columbia and Western railway about half a mile east of Westley station and marked "Yale-Columbia Lumber Co.'s north west corner," running thence south 20 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 20 chains more or less to the south limit of the Columbia and Western railway, thence westerly along said railway to the point of commencement.

YALE-COLUMBIA LUMBER CO., Ltd.
W. R. ROBERTSON, Secretary
July 14th, 1905.

TIMBER NOTICES

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special licence to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands situated in the Little Slocan, West Kootenay district, commencing at a post planted at the south end of Hall's ranch and marked Alphonce Provost N.E. corner, running south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

Located July 3rd, 1905.
ALPHONCE PROVOST
F. PROVOST, Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special licence to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands situate in the Little Slocan, West Kootenay district, commencing at a post planted one half mile north of the 8-mile post of the east line of block 8, and marked Melei Provost S. W. corner, running north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

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Coal—Coal lands may be purchased at $1 per acre for soft coal and $20 for anthracite. Not more than 320 acres can be acquired by one individual or company. Royalty at the rate of ten cents per ton of 2000 pounds shall be collected on the gross output.

Quartz—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.

The discoverer of a new mine is entitled to a claim 1000 feet in length, and if the party consists of two, 1500 feet altogether, on the output of which no royalty shall be charged, the rest of the party ordinary claims only.

Entry fee $10. Royalty at the rate of two and a half per cent on the value of the gold shipped from the Yukon Territory to be paid to the Comptroller.

No free miner shall receive a grant of more than one mining claim on each separate river, creek or gulch, but the same miner may hold any number of claims by purchase, and free miners may work their claims in partnership by filing notice and paying fee of $2. A claim may be abandoned and another obtained on the same creek, gulch or river, by giving notice and paying a fee.

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

A certificate that work has been done must be obtained each year; if not, the claim shall be deemed to be abandoned, and open to occupation and entry by a free miner.

The boundaries of a claim may be defined absolutely by having a survey made and publishing notices in the Yukon Official Gazette.

Petroleum—All unappropriated Dominion Lands in Manitoba, the Northwest Territories and within the Yukon Territory are open to prospecting for petroleum, and the Minister may reserve for an individual or company having machinery on the land to be prospected, an area of 1920 acres for such period as he may decide, the length of which shall not exceed three times the breadth. Should the prospector discover oil in paying quantities, and satisfactorily establish such discovery, an area not exceeding 640 acres, including the oil well, will be sold to the prospector at the rate of $1 an acre, and the remainder of the tract reserved, namely 1280 acres, will be sold at the rate of $3 per acre, subject to royalty at such rate as may be specified by Order in Council.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.
Dept. Interior, June 30, 1904.

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A rich strike is reported from northeast Kootenay. Prospectors on the north fork of Toby creek, an affluent of the Columbia, have found a vein of very high grade silver. The location is near the line of the Kootenay Central railway.

S. S. Fowler, who has lately returned from a visit to the Paradise mine, states that, while work is progressing in many mines and claims in the Golden district, no definite advance can be made until transportation facilities are secured.

"We are working at the Paradise," said Mr. Fowler, "with a force of half a dozen men. Everything is satisfactory so far. There is no object in hastening development. We can't ship until the railway is through.

"I don't think anything has been done yet towards beginning railway construction. There is a party of about 15 men, chiefly Galicians, in camp about five miles south of Golden. They are said to be the advance guard of a construction party.

"Yes there is some excitement in the district. It began just as I was leaving there. A strike of very high grade silver has been made on the north fork of Toby creek. I didn't hear the name of the mine or of its owners, but the strike is apparently genuine. The whole district is excited. I believe the vein is silver, with very little lead in it."

Regarding the above mentioned strike the Golden Star says: Messrs. G. A. Stark and H. B. Washburn report the discovery and location of what is believed to be one of the richest and most important strikes yet made in northeast Kootenay. The Star has learned that they have a ledge four feet wide, uncovered in places for 100 feet, showing ore 15 inches in width. The lead is in carbonates. It is silver lead ore and runs 300 ounces in silver. The discovery was made on Toby creek above the north fork.

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FACTS AGAINST THEORY

DEFENDANTS CLAIM NEW WORK PROVES THEIR CASE.

EXPERT SIZER DECLARES MORE WORK IS NECESSARY

The second day of the re-trial of the famous Sandon extra lateral rights case brought out prominently the contentions which later will be urged by both the eminent counsel engaged, and further illustrated what the new work now asked for by the plaintiffs, was really desired for.

During the morning and afternoon sessions yesterday, it being found cool enough to indulge in an afternoon session, the chief interest centered upon the testimony offered in chief by expert for the defendants, William J. Elmendorf, upon what was really disclosed by the experimental work done by the direction of the court since the last trial, and Mr. Davis' very able cross-examination of the witness, part of which was directed to the effect of still further work which the plaintiffs want done to the south of the point where it is alleged the black fissure cuts off the Slocan Star vein, and where according to the defendants the Slocan Star vein turns *at right angles or nearly so to the north.*

Mr. Davis pressed the witness very closely and persistently for a long time as to what the proposed new work might demonstrate and as to the effect it would have upon the evidence if the black fissure was found to extend to the south past the turning point in question either in ore or as a barren vein. The duel between counsel and witness led the former to put certain assumptions to the latter which the witness would finally say were impossible, adding that he could give no opinion in consequence. Then counsel pressed further and presupposed that all his assumptions of fact were impossible, could not an opinion be given by a properly qualified mining engineer, and the witness replied cautiously and with many reservations, until counsel suggested that possibly he, the witness, was trying "to be funny," an accusation that Mr. Elmendorf denied with some warmth, and the cross-examination went on. Mr. Elmendorf's evidence given yesterday all went to prove that his opinion given at the previous trial, as to the existence and continuity of the Slocan Star vein, from the turning point to the north, and from there along over, *what the plaintiffs* call, the line of the black fissure, was confirmed absolutely by the experimental work since done, and that further, the work in question had demonstrated the falsity of the black fissure theory, advanced by Mr. Sizer originally, Mr. Sizer being mistaken in his expressed views. Witness spoke unfalteringly and clearly and proved again that he was a difficult subject to handle upon cross-examination, as most experts are.

Contrary to general expectations, Mr. Davis put expert Frank L. Sizer in the box immediately after Mr. Elmendorf stepped down and the afternoon session of the court was continued until 4.25. Mr. Sizer whose re-examination in chief was not completed, declared that the views he previously expressed had not been shaken either by the new work done or by Mr. Elmendorf's evidence in relation thereto. He added that in several instances he disagreed with Mr. Elmendorf as to what happened on December 17, 18 and 19 last on the occasion of their joint examination of the new workings with the chief justice. He was credited with making statements he had not made and some of the matters he had referred to then had not been stated in court. He was convinced that further work was necessary and that his contentions could be proved or disproved by the work asked for.

The court opened at 9 o'clock promptly and Mr. Bodwell at once asked W. J. Elmendorf, already sworn, to enter the witness box. Mr. Elmendorf stated that on the 17th, 18th and 19th of December last, in company with chief justice Hunter and Frank L. Sizer, he made a tour of the mine workings in question, with a special view of inspecting results obtained. Before starting out a general program was agreed upon and subsequently followed. On the first day, December 17th, they visited No. 5 level, going to the eastern end, passing along to the western extremity, and subsequently examining the surface. At the eastern portion of No. 5 level several points inspected along the admitted line of the Slocan Star vein, showed the characteristic vein filling found in the black fissure and relied upon by the plaintiffs as one of their proofs for the fissure's existence, separate and apart from the vein. This vein filling occurs at points all over the mine, and all along No. 5 level from end to end. Special attention was drawn to this at the time by witness at No. 5 crosscut in No. 5 level. Another point where porphyrp appeared on both sides of the level was noted. A good deal of time was spent at the points where the plaintiffs claim the Slocan Star vein is cut off by the black fissure. Mr. Sizer and Mr. Elmendorf then explained their views to the judge, giving practical illustration by the new work. It was seen that the slate stratification instead of being at right angles to the vein, as would be expected if a cut off existed, really turned in. Counsel read extracts from Mr. Sizer's testimony at the first trial as to what would be found at the cut off, and the witness told of what they actually saw exposed by the new work, in his opinion, contradicting Mr. Sizers' prediction. At another cutting off point immediately above the shaft in a stope about 30 feet up, and again in another stope where the cut off was claimed to be clearly demonstrated by Mr. Sizer on the previous trial, the new work proved that Mr. Sizer was mistaken. He had stood for the appearance of the footwall of the black fissure, the defendants for the hanging wall of the vein. The new work demonstrated the truth of the defendants' contention beyond question. What is now seen is the hanging wall of the Slocan Star vein beyond peradventure. The ore here is formed against the porphyry.

Mr. Sizer pointed to the spot where he said the vein was cut off and suggested the doing of still further work, but the witness replied that further work would not prove the continuance of the black fissure. A visit was then paid to the intermediate above No. 5, showed by Mr. Sizer in his former evidence by sketch G. This sketch showed a crack or crevice going off, so Mr. Sizer had testified, into country rock and slate. Some six feet in length of new work had been done here since the last trial, showing some 25 feet of ore, where Mr. Sizer's sketch showed country rock. The ore lies very flat at this point and has been taken out.

Counsel read from Mr. Sizer's former testimony where the expert said the point in question was a "good example" of his cut off theory, and the witness said the facts disclosed by the new work flatly contradicted Mr. Sizer's previously expressed views. On the contrary some sketches put in by witness at the former trial, showing what would be disclosed by further work had been proved correct by the new work actually done. At another point, a spot in a small crosscut in the Heber fraction which was visited, the facts found were directly contrary to Mr. Sizer's previous contention. His sketch of the location showed the point of contact of vein and fissure, with the slate stratification turned down, but only a portion of the crosscut was shown in Mr. Sizer's sketch. An examination of the whole of the crosscut showed one half of the slates going one way, down and the other half the other way up, showing merely a rolling slate formation and nothing more. Counsel read from Mr. Sizer's former evidence citing this slate formation as one of the "most cogent reasons for supposing that the fissure cut off the vein."

At the first turning point on No. 5 level, the witness continued, the floor had been dug up since the last trial, and ore was fully exposed. This ore had no appearance of drag ore. It did not have any characteristics of drag ore. It was in place continuously along the west side of the drift. If the vein here exposed was a separate vein as claimed by Mr. Sizer, it would have to be 140 feet wide. There were no indications throughout the workings of the existence of drag ore as claimed by the plaintiffs' witnesses. Witness and Mr. Sizer had agreed between themselves as to what constituted "a vein." They agreed that if the ore in the acknowledged Slocan Star vein continued around the turning point and came into the black fissure and was found there, then the vein and the fissure were one and the same.

This proposition was strongly contended by Mr. Davis, who said it was wholly a question of law, and the witness went on to say what was done on December 18th, the second day of the inspection. The western end of No. 5 level was examined, the work done in the drift at point 37 showed the vein to be 19 feet, all in ore. The vein had flattened in going around C. Mr. Sizer had admitted that the Silversmith vein was a separate vein and the Silversmith working were not visited. The witness declared that what was described as the Silversmith vein was undoubtedly the westerly extension of the Slocan Star vein. If the end of the Slocan Star vein and the end of the Silversmith vein could be connected it would support defendants' contention for one continuous vein. Witness examined the western turn at point C, inch by inch, and found continuous vein matter. The ground at this point is blocked, broken and shattered to an unusual extent, and all sorts of conditions can be found in the slates. General deductions made from such conditions would be valueless for the purposes of the suit. Continuity of vein matter does exist. The finding of porphyry as was done, was important, as it indicates that the porphyry was there before the formation of the Slocan Star vein. The acknowledged Slocan Star vein is found extended through a tongue of porphyry, showing that Sizer's contention was wrong. Siderite or spathic iron could not be found in the black fissure. It decomposes at very low temperature.

On the third day a visit was paid to the Silversmith tunnel No. 4 At the drift about 40 feet in, ore was encountered, in what witness called a vein, but which Sizer was doubtful of. Ore in place was found 120 feet in. It was continuous.

On visiting the surface outcrop above the continuous trench connecting pits 49 and 46 was examined. The material found there was acknowledged to be the outcrop of a vein, but Mr. Sizer said it was the Silversmith vein. Witness asked Sizer to point out where black fissure outcrop and Silversmith vein outcrop began and Mr. Sizer said that could not be done accurately.

Pit 19 was visited and witness suggester putting in a shot to show that ore was there, some of which he dug out. Mr. Sizer said a shot was not necessary. Pit 19 1-2 was examined and samples taken. Ore in place was easily seen.

Sizer's sketch of the intermediate below No. 5 level at turning point was undone by the new work. At many points in the admittedly Slocan Star vein, the vein has narrowed down almost to nothing, a natural condition in slate formation. Black walls, exactly similar to black fissure walls, come in repeatedly in the Slocan Star vein. The fissure had no characteristic width as described by Sizer. In the Gem mine in Idaho, examined for purchasers by the witness since the first trial, the vein was between granite and porphyry, and long stretches of barren places existed. One such stretch was 1500 feet long. The ore occurrence was no larger than is shown in pit 19 1-2 here.

Then Mr. Davis took the witness in hand and the general direction of the Slocan Star vein was gone into. The broadest part of the vein as exposed was from 80 to 100 feet, but this was not all mineral, there was a horse introduced at this spot. The widest spot in the fissure was about 20 feet.

Witness thought the age of the porphyry was vital to the plaintiffs' contention. They had to account for the most extraordinary state of affairs in a vein ever heard of. It was wiped out, obliterated and never heard of again.

Mr. Davis—Wiped out?

The witness—Yes, certainly.

Mr. Davis—Cut off and not found again?

The witness—According to Mr. Sizer the vein was annihilated by the black fissure.

Mr. Davis—Mr. Sizer said "cut off and thrown somewhere else," not annihilated and melted up,

Continuing the witness said that a fault fissure might throw a vein 10 feet or several thousand feet. Assuming that the porphyry caused the fault and throw, its age was important. Assuming existence of black fissure cutting off Slocan Star vein; proving its existence by other ways than the earth movement causing it, the age of the porphyry would be immaterial. Work done to the south of the abrupt turn, where the fissure cuts off the vein would show whether a fissure extended in that direction. A drift out into the country rock, and a crosscut might show if a fissure exists there but that would not help in this case.

Mr. Davis—Do you think that work could be done at this point as I have stated, that would prove our contention is wrong?

The witness—No, sir; I think that is done already.

The work suggested would not prove anything, continued the witness, because the ore continued here, right around the turning point. It went right from the vein into the fissure, turning almost at right angles. A vein could so turn and still be the same vein. If the work suggested was done and ore was found it would then only be a question as to what was the main Slocan Star vein. Assuming the same conditions to the south as ascertained to the north, i.e., a continuous ore body, it would not assist the cutting off theory of the plaintiffs and the existence of the black fissure in the new ground.

After the adjournment for lunch, Mr. Davis suddenly struck a strong definition streak, and he asked Mr. Elmendorf such questions as: What are fault fissures? What was the cause of faults? What was the difference between a normal and a reverse fault? The witness said that fault fissures were lines of displacement between the rocks, were barren of ore, and had other well recognized characteristics. When a vein was faulted it was generally picked up again at a greater or less distance further on. Faults came from various causes and the cause would not necessarily appear at the present time. In a normal fault the slide was down, in a reverse fault the slide was upwards. Assuming that the black fissure faulted the Slocan Star vein and had thrown it over into the Silversmith ground, where what is known as the Silversmith vein had been located, it would be a normal fault; the witness thought, off hand. Drag ore is a portion of ore from the vein carried by the fault out of its course. It was carried in the direction of the fault. Its known characteristics include ore usually broken up and ground up. If recemented the ore appeared in more or less rounded masses of quartz or other material. If a fault has thrown the Slocan Star vein to where the Silversmith vein now is the direction of the drag ore would be from the eastern part of the vein north and from the western portion, south. Generally, the drag ore extends the length of the fault. The witness declined to say to what further length it might be carried. He considered the Silversmith vein as described was really the extension westerly of the Slocan Star vein. He found siderite or spathic iron all the way from the shaft to point 27. Siderite was only found in the black fissure associated with ore, never in the barren stretches. From point C to D 27, the new drift, the vein matter was made up of crushed slates, graphitic shales, and finely ground up material along the line of fraction, and quartz. He could not say whether the quartz was primary or secondary quartz. The vein matter here is continuous. He found slickensides on the hanging wall side. The vein in the Silversmith ground was, roughly, about 20 or 30 feet wide at its widest point. The witness had not taken the dip of the Silversmith vein. It could only be got accurately by measuring it at all the workings.

To Mr. Bodwell—Unless in stratified rock it was very difficult, if not impossible, to say anything as to the direction of a throw. The best way would be to locate the vein again. With loose slate formation there is nothing to show whether the fault is a normal, or a reverse fault. Counsel then read a long definition of normal and reverse faults from LeConte's work on geology and the witness approved of it. In concluding his evidence the witness gave a black board lesson illustrating the vein and fault, and what would happen if one ore body crossed another, at the same formation as to time, and at different formations, the latter being declared impossible.

To the court—The vein filling was clearly continuous from C to D27 in the new drift.

Apparently the defendants here closed their case on the new evidence, and Mr. Davis promptly placed Frank L. Sizer in the witness box. Mr. Sizer was already sworn, and without any circumlocution, he proceeded to explain some of the frequent references made to himself and his supposed views, by the previous witness. He had listened attentively to Mr. Elmendorf's testimony, and declared that he, the witness, had never said that the black fissure had cut off and obliterated or annihilated the Slocan Star vein. It had thrown it—just where was an open question. He had been present in December last with the chief justice and Mr. Elmendorf when an examination of the workings was made. He had at this time suggested several places where work done would prove or disprove his contentions given at the previous trial. If his lordship did not so understand him, there had been a mistake, as he had clearly asked for the work to be done at several places, proving or disproving the fault fissure. He was still of the same opinion, if the work was done to the south of the first turn in No. 5 level and it was found that the black fissure is not continued on to the south then, "I am wrong."

In the breast of the No. 5 tunnel in the east working the vein filling contained crushed slate, dark material, similar to the black fissure, that had never been disputed by him. At the turning point in the shaft on No. 5 level, it shows the fault fissure going north, and this is more clearly shown in the stope above. The experimental work done here was done across the vein. The ore disclosed merely shows the greater width of the Slocan Star vein at this point. It is about 46 feet wide, and there is still ore where the measurement was taken. The work done across the vein has resulted in exposing the width of the ore body only. Nothing is shown to demonstrate the turning of the vein as claimed by Mr. Elmendorf. It has resulted in exposing three sides of the ore body. If the fourth side was exposed, as he asked it should, it would prove the correctness of his, the witnesses', theory.

The court—Has not the appearance changed since the new work was done? You do not see any two walls coming together now, as you did originally, do you?

The witness—I did not observe any change. The position is as clear to me now as it ever was.

Continuing Mr. Sizer said there was just a large mass ot ore exposed in the stope. No line of fraction was shown. Just this large body of ore up against the cut off made by the black fissure. The vein is wider at this point, that is all. The end of the vein in butting up against the fissure has widened out and this has produced the mass of ore exposed. The point where the vein butts up against the fissure can plainly be seen today. He described some other details in which he disagreed with Mr. Elmendorf's conclusions. He found nothing inconsistent with his own views in the presence of porphyry, and demonstrated to the court the correctness of some of his sketches so strongly attacked by the previous witness. All the work done demonstrated simply a greater width of vein, and he thought that probable before.

It showed a width of 60 feet at D and possibly the same width at G, but nothing to show where the hanging wall is.

At the cross cut in the Heber fraction, the slates still remain and can be seen today. What their position indicates was a matter of interpretation. He differed from Mr. Elmendorf's view but had not altered his original opinion an atom.

As to the drag ore near point 27 and Elmendorf's deductions concerning it, the witness said it could not be proved whether it was drag ore or not, without taking up the tracks, and digging up and removing all the loose material scattered along the floor. But the ore was getting smaller as it went north, was proof to him that it was drag ore. There was no opportunity given to actually determine the fact. Drag ore was found in large bodies and mined. He had mined drag ore himself. It would be carried for long distances, particularly where the main ore body was a large one.

To the court—I should say that some of the drag ore in question came from the Slocan Star vein, and some from what I designated in my previous testimony as the No. 2 vein. Some additional work done at this section would demonstrate whether there is an independent vein here and if it is cut off by the black fissure, as I think it is.

To Mr. Davis—Mr. Elmendorf and the witness agreed as to the dip of the vein around the turn, but he had no recollection of ever agreeing to the definition of the vein as stated by the previous witness, and had not done so. As to the new work done in the drift at the west end from C to D 27, the witness differed strongly from Mr. Elmendorf's evidence. There was no vein material in the turn at B; there is no evidence of a vein and he never said there was. There was nothing shown in the new drift from C to D 27 that looked like a vein and nothing new was disclosed that was not shown in the old workings.

To the court—I found small pieces of slickensides but not vein filling, at the point just mentioned.

At Mr. Davis request the work done on the Silversmith ground since the last trial will be placed upon the models shown by both parties.

The court then adjourned until 9 o'clock this morning, with Mr. Sizer's examination in chief still in progress.

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NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

W. A. Galliher, M.P., left Ottawa for Nelson on Monday

Dr. E. C. Arthur has returned to Nelson from Grand Forks and will remain here.

Miss Donaghy of Vancouver, is in the city, the guest of Mrs. F. E. Morrison, Silica street.

J. C. Gwillim, formerly of Nelson, now professor of mining engineering and metallurgy in Queen's university, Kingston, arrived from the east last night and is at the Strathcona.

A case of diphtheria has been reported near Park road, just outside the city limits. Dr. Hall, district provincial health officer, has quarantined the residence of the patient to prevent contagion.

The meeting of the Eagles last evening was largely attended. A. W. Von Rhein of Victoria, provincial grand deputy, addressed the members, congratulating them on the growth and prosperity of the aerie.

Lead advanced another two points on the London market yesterday and is now quoted at £14. It is more than two years and a half since lead touched that figure before. On the present price the bounty is only $7.50 a ton.

A moonlight excursion on the steamer Kokanee will be given under the auspices of the city band on Tuesday evening next, August 1st. The boat will leave the city wharf at 7:30 and will leave Procter for home about midnight. Mr. Procter has placed the dining room of the Outlet hotel at the disposal of the excursionists for dancing.

A special meeting of the board of school trustees was held in secretary R. J. Steel's office yesterday morning. One of the recent appointees to the public school staff, Miss Montgomery, has had to decline the position. The secretary is in correspondence with another applicant, but had not received a definite reply last evening.

The steamer Kokanee leaves the city wharf this morning at 9 o'clock with the first contingent for the Presbyterian Sunday school picnic at Procter. A train will leave the station at 1.15 this afternoon with the remainder. The girl's basketball match will be called at 3 o'clock. A good program of children's sports has been prepared by captain P. McL. Forin.

Receipts from the city street railway service for last week show a decrease of $35.95 from those of the corresponding week of last year. The figures are: For 1904, $187.75; for 1905, $151.80; passengers carried during the week: 1904, 3481; 1905, 2711. The receipts for the year to date are $3036.40, against $2304.45 for a similar period of 1904, an increase of $731.95.

Anyone knowing anything of the present whereabouts of Thomas Bruce, who in 1896 resided in British Columbia, about 300 yards from the boundary line in the Kootenay valley, the nearest then post-office being Ockonook, Idaho, should communicate with his brother, John Bruce, West Montrose, Ontario. Possibly some of the Creston readers of The Daily News will remember this man and be able to assist in locating him.

The regular quarterly meeting of Nelson lodge Independent Order of Good Templars, for the election of officers, will be held at 8 o'clock this evening at Fraternity hall. Visiting members are cordially invited to attend the meeting.

H. H. Claudet and L. C. Wynne have bought out the Rossland assaying business of Richard Marsh and on August 1 next will open offices on Columbia avenue. They intend giving special attention to control and umpire work, that department being under the supervision of Mr. Wynne who was formerly assayer for the Le Roi Mining company.

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3 Sewing Machines, new. Price $65, at $25 each.

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324 Dozen Dixon's Lead Pencils, No. 270, regular 5c line at 15c per dozen.

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the $1.00 kinds such as Peruvian Tonic, Quinine Wine and Iron, Beef Iron and Wine, at 75c per bottle.

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Odd lots of various well known makes, regular 25c and 35c per per box at 15c per box.

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Regular 50c per oz, at 30c per oz.
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Cakes. To introduce this unrivalled shaving soap we will sell during July two gross at 10c per cake,(the regular price is and will be 15c).

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Hair Brushes and many other lines of sundries at 25 per cent off.

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SWIMMING THE CHANNEL

More Attempts Made to Swim Across from Dover to Calais

Dover, July 26—Edward Heaton of Liverpool, started from here this morning in an attempt to swim the channel, his intention being to land near Calais. The conditions were favorable to the success of the attempt.

No less than nine aspirants are now in training for the self-imposed task of swimming the channel in rivalry to captain Webb. Miss Kellerman of Australia also made the attempt, but after being in the water for 12 hours was overcome by seasickness. She had outdistanced Heaton by a mile when compelled to abandon the attempt.

BEAT COLONEL BOGIE

Records Established by Professionals at Genessee Golf Club

Rochester, July 26—Willie Anderson, the open champion of the United States, and Bernard Nichols, once a winner of the English title, this afternoon met on the links of the Genessee golf club, Nichols defeating Anderson by 3 up and 2 to play.

The professionals played the bye holes for the course record, which both broke. Anderson made the 18 hole course in 75 and Nichols made it in 73, with colonel Bogie at 80.

ADMITS THE IMPEACHMENT

Montreal, July 26.—Hon. S. N. Parent, former premier of Quebec, is in the city. He admits having accepted the chairmanship of the Transcontinental Railway Commission in the place of the late F. B. Wade.

Monkey Brand Soap removes all stains, rust, dirt or tarnish — but won't wash clothes. 26

INFORMATION WANTED — Thomas

Bruce, formerly of Woolwich, Waterloo Co., Ontario, residing in January, 1896 in Kootenay district, near Ockonook, Idaho, has not been heard of since. His brother, John Bruce, the administrator of the estate of the late James Bruce, another brother, is anxious to receive word of his whereabouts. Address John Bruce, West Montrose P.O., Ontario.

NEW CHIEF OF POLICE

Chicago, July 26—Mayor Dunne today appointed captain John M. Collins as chief of police of Chicago, to succeed Francis O'Neill, who resigned a few days ago. The new chief has risen from the ranks and was a patrolman in the front line of police at whom the anarchist bomb was thrown in the Haymarket many years ago.

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