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BLOWS IN A FURNACE

Lead Stack at Trail to Start Operations at Once

Capacity of Refinery to be Brought up to 50 Tons Daily--Market in Orient Will Take Increased Product of Works

(Special to The Daily News)

Rossland, July 12.—Jules Labarthe, superintendent of the Trail smelter, was in the city today and made the important announcement that one of the lead stacks at the smelter will be started in operation this week.

With the ore from the St. Eugene and the other mines that produce silver-lead ores, it is anticipated that the lead stack can be kept in steady operation.

Mr. Labarthe stated that the lead refinery will soon be turning out 50 tons of pig lead a day, as it is being enlarged from a daily capacity of 20 tons.

There is a growing market for the lead and this has necessitated the enlarging of the plant.

The corroding works in Montreal will take a large proportion of the lead, while a larger portion is marketed in Japan and China.

He says there will be no trouble experienced whatever in marketing the increased output of the refinery when it is brought up to a capacity of 50 tons a day.

What the above means to Kootenay will be realized as the year goes on. In the meantime the first fruits of the improvements have aready been felt and felt in Nelson. B. C. Travis, of the Kootenay Engineering Works, in consequence of the new plans, has just received an order for a carload of castings which will keep him busy casting every day for the next month to come. These castings are for the new machinery for the addition to the refinery of which Mr. Labarthe speaks. Orders have been received that these castings are to be completed within a month and therefore it is sufficiently apparent that there will be no delay in the increasing of the lead refinery up to the 50 tons daily spoken of.

RAILWAY RIVALS ACTIVE

VERNON MAN'S VIEWS ON THE SIMILKAMEEN SITUATION.

BELIEVES C. P. R. WILL YET BE FIRST IN THE FIELD.

"The C. P. R. is preparing to contest with the Great Northern Railway for a share of the vast but potential tonnage of the Similkameen," according to S. C. Smith of Vernon. Mr. Smith owns a sash and door factory at Vernon, and is thoroughly conversant with conditions in the vast region lying west of Okanagan lake. He is now visiting Vancouver and told the local newspapermen of the activity in railway construction now prevalent in the Similkameen and Nicola districts.

"It is certain," Mr. Smith said, "that the road now being built from Spence's Bridge will form a link in the C. P. R.'s plan for tapping the Okanagan and Similkameen. Contrary to the general belief, the C. P. R. has not been caught napping, but will have an almost direct route between the Kootenays, the Boundary, the Okanagan and the Similkameen long before the Great Northern succeeds in getting west of the Hope mountains. The American road has made the first start, but the C. P. R. can make more rapid progress if it undertakes work simultaneously at Midway, Penticton, Summerland and a number of other points.

"I imagine, however, that the king fight will be waged over the ore traffic, which is destined to equal, if not surpass, that of the Boundary district, where the Hill road has been getting a large share of the ore tonnage.

"Of course, the people in the districts referred to will heartily welcome both railways. They have been waiting so long for railway facilities that they are not worrying over Mr. Hill's invasion; nor likewise are they concerned whether the C. P. R. and its rival engage in a death struggle. All such talk is rank nonsense, for no such sentiment exists in the upper country.

"Personally I rejoice at the restrictions requiring Hill to make his western terminus at Canadian tidewater, but just how many years will elapse before this line is extended across the Hope mountains is another question. The Great Northern has other business to attend to in the meantime. However, I feel confident there is nothing in the report that Hill will seek to haul the ores of the Similkameen to American smelters.

"In the first place most of the Similkameen ores are refractory, and of low grade ,hence they will seek treatment at home, for the reason that they cannot stand a long haul. By virtue of a simple economic law, the smelting industry is bound to develop in the Similkameen where large waterpowers abound. The C. P. R. will be a live competitor and judging from the manner it has recently looked after its interests at Rossland and Trail, won't allow the Hill road to do all the gobbling."

YET ANOTHER PROPHET

MEMBER OF ROOSEVELT'S CABINET PRAISES OUR NORTHWEST.

THINKS COUNTRY UNEQUALLED FOR GRAIN GROWING.

Winnipeg, July 12.—Mr. Victor Metcalf, minister of commerce and labor in the Roosevelt cabinet and the chief investigator of the beef trust, spent an hour in this city last night with a party of friends. He will travel to the coast over the C. P. R. stopping a few days at Banff.

"I have enjoyed my trip immensely so far," said Mr. Metcalf, "and though my position brings me closely in touch with Canadians, this is the first time I have had an opportunity to visit the country and see for myself what kind of a country it is which is stealing so many of our young men. I may tell you now that I am surprised—surprised that the opportunities which are so manifest here have not been recognized sooner. I have not seen much of the west yet, but what I have seen has impressed me greatly. Why it has been allowed to lie so long undeveloped is the mystery.

"I have heard of the grain growing possibilities of the Canadian west, and, judging from my own observations, it will one day develop into a great cattle raising country also. In the United States this latter industry has become the great factor in many districts which have not nearly the natural advantages of the districts which I have seen. It is a strong country and I should judge from this time on it will grow with unprecedented activity."

HOPE NOT ABANDONED.

Search for John Meyers Continues—Bloodhounds Not Available.

No further trace has been found of the unfortunate man John Meyers, who strayed away from Slocan Junction in a demented condition last Friday evening.

All hope of finding Meyers alive has not yet been abandoned and searching parties will again start out this morning to endeavor if possible to rescue the unfortunate man. The last trace of the missing man, on the summit of one of the numerous divides to the northwest of the junction, showed him to have steadily plunged on over one of the roughtest sections of a very rough country. His strength could not have carried him much further, and as in the case of the little Coulter boy, a year ago last spring, Meyers may have gone on until he dropped from sheer exhaustion. It is with the hope of finding him before the vital spark has fled that diligent search is still being prosecuted.

Provincial constable Young's bloodhounds are not available. Mr. Young had the dogs down at Salmo during the recent labor trouble there and some of the Salmo residents took offence, thinking the dogs might be used in case of trouble. The department accordingly instructed Mr. Young that the bloodhounds were not to be used under any circumstances. But for the provincial prohibition the dogs might have been used successfully in the Meyers case, as an undershirt cast off by the missing man, was picked up and would have put the dogs on the scent.

Up to midnight no word had been received at the junction of the lost man.

ELKS HOLD REUNION

Procession of the Grand Lodge Yesterday in Buffalo

Buffalo, July 12—The 20th annual reunion of the Benevolent Protective Order of Elks will be held in Denver in 1906. One ballot decided that in the grand lodge meeting today.

Early this morning the whole city was astir preparing for the great parade. It is estimated that 50,000 Elks marched over the wet streets. The day of the great procession dawned grey and threatening. Early showers seemed to portend a postponement of the event. About noon the skies cleared, but not for long. The long march was made in a drizzling rain. The streets were lined with an eager throng that had to be held in check along the entire line.

EXPOSES "THE SYSTEM"

Thomas W. Lawson Still After the Amalgamated.

Des Moines, Iowa, July 12.—The relation which Iowa and the west bears to "the system," was the theme of Thomas W. Lawson's address before the Chautauqua club, at Missouri Valley. He advised the people who owned stocks and bonds to sell them. He denied that he would advise them to sell, but that "the system" has advanced stocks and bonds to a high figure and must keep them there during the time which Lawson proposes to engineer on behalf of the people.

Mr. Lawson left Missouri Valley this evening for St. Paul.

KILLED BY A FREIGHT

Two Men Run Over at a Level Crossing at Brompton Falls.

Sherbrooke, July 12—Ernest Latour, a blacksmith, was instantly killed and his nephew, Fred Prence, seriously injured last evening at the Grand Trunk crossing, Brompton Falls. They attempted to cross ahead of a freight train and misjudged the distance. Both men were about 30 years of age and unmarried.

WITTE NOW APPOINTED

Muravieff Resigns Post of Plenipotentiary for Peace

His Successor is Hailed With Delight by Russian Peace Party as Likely to Put an End to the War

Washington, July 12.—Mr. Meyer, American ambassador at St. Petersburg, cabled the state department today that he learns from count Lamsdorff that M. Muravieff, the ranking Russian peace plenipotentiary, on arrival at St. Petersburg, has suffered an indisposition. Mr. Meyer does not mention any change in M. Muravieff's plans.

St. Petersburg, July 12.—The Associated Press is informed by friends of M. Muravieff, that the ambassador fully recognizes the difficulty and thanklessness of the role of negotiating a treaty of peace under the circumstances, and that he would welcome relief from the disagreeable duty.

It is also said that M. Muravieff is really not in good health. Nevertheless, the friends of the ambassador expressed the opinion that he would probably go to Washington.

St. Petersburg, July 13—M. Muravieff has resigned his position as chief peace plenipotentiary.

It may be regarded as practically certain that he will be replaced by M. Witte, president of the committee of ministers, who all along has been considered the Russian statesman pre-eminently qualified to undertake the difficult task of negotiating peace with Japan.

However, though the emperor, who on previous occasions flatly declined to accept M. Witte has now indicated his readiness to make the appointment, the commission will not be actually signed until foreign minister Lamsdorff, who throughout has been M. Witte's warm supporter, has an audience with the emperor today.

To that extent only, the matter may be regarded as uncertain, nothing being certain in Russia, as a prominent diplomat remarked last night, until the emperor's signature has been affixed. M. Witte's selection will undoubtedly be hailed as a practical assurance of peace.

While it would be a mistake to denominate him as a "peace at any price" man, M. Witte earnestly believes that the struggle should be ended, and should be succeeded by an understanding between Russia and Japan, which would ensure peace in the far east for half a century. Indeed, he is personally believed to be in favor of a Russo-Japanese alliance.

The conduct of the negotiations by M. Witte, it is felt, by the peace party here, would inspire instant confidence in Japan.

M. Muravieff's retirement, ostensibly owing to reasons of ill-health, is in reality due to the fact that the emperor became convinced that the negotiations might be jeopardized if he went to Washington. M. Muravieff himself, upon consideration, quite frankly stated his lack of diplomatic training and his want of acquaintance with the questions involved and with equal frankness expressed satisfaction that he had been relived.

SPYGLASS TO RESUME.

Mine Will Be Working Within 30 Days. Directors Re-elected.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Spyglass Mining company was held in Nelson on July 11th. The meeting was attended by a large number. All the old directors were re-elected. A subsequent meeting of directors re-elected the old officers. The principal officials are: President and general manager, Bruce White; vice-president, J. A. Magee; secretary-treasurer, R. G. McLeod.

R. G. McLeod stated last evening to a reporter of The Daily News that plenty of money is being raised for all the development work that will be required and operations at the mine will be resumed within 30 days.

NANAIMO SITUATION.

There seems to be nothing doing at Nanaimo, and everybody is living quietly and awaiting the next turn of Fortune's wheel, says the Ladysmith Ledger. A large proportion of the men who have worked in the mines until the present shut down are away at work in other places, many having found work at Union. Some have gone to Fernie, Frank and Coleman, others have given up coal mining and have gone up the coast to different parts quite a number being at the Brittannia mine on Howe Sound.

PACIFIC BANK BILL.

(Special to The Daily News)

Ottawa, July 12.—The senate banking committee passed the Pacific bank bill, allowing six months' extension to take out licenses.

THREE LIVES ARE LOST

FURTHER PARTICULARS OF THE NORMANDIE ACCIDENT

YACHT WAS SUNK INSTANTLY AND OCCUPANTS THROWN IN RIVER

New York, July 12.—Three lives were lost by the sinking of the steamer yacht launch Normandie which was run down last night in the Hudson river off Dobb's Ferry by the Norwegian tramp steamer Volund bound for Hamburg.

The Normandie was under charter to John H. Rudd, of the Yonkers Yacht club, who last night invited Miss Dodge and John E. Greene, a banker of New York, to take a sail with him as far as Peekskill.

On the return trip when off Dobb's Ferry, the Normandie was hit amidships by the Volund and sunk immediately. Mr. Rudd, Mr. Greene and Jos. Hannigan, the deck hand, managed to keep afloat by clinging to wreckage until they were picked up by a boat from the Volund and were taken aboard. Nothing was seen of the three other persons on the yacht, and they are supposed to have gone down in the vessel.

ARE EXCELLENT SHOTS

BRITISH COLUMBIA MARKSMEN AT BISLEY MEET

FOUR WILL COMPETE IN THE MACKINNON MATCHES

Montreal, July 12.—A Bisley camp cable says that lieutenant Boult, captain Forrest, sergeant Richardson and captain Stuart, all of British Columbia, are included in the 12 that will represent the Canadian Bisley team in the Mackinnon matches at 800, 900 and 1000 yards tomorrow.

In the Armourer's company matches today at 900 yards, sergeant Richardson of Victoria, scored 42 out of a possible 50. Lieutenant Boult in the same match scored 43.

In the Kinoch match 1000 yards, captain Forrest scored 48 out of a possible 50.

In the Alexander Martin match, 800 yards, sergeant Richardson scored 45 out of a possible 50.

OPPOSITION WITHDRAWN

V. V. & E. BILL PASSES COMMITTEE OF THE SENATE.

NOTHING WAS RAISED AGAINST THE PASSAGE OF THE ACT

(Special to The Daily News)

Ottawa, July 12.—The Vancouver, Victoria & Eastern Railway bill was called in the senate committee today and Hal. B. McGivern explained its provisions.

The bill was passed without any opposition.

Senator Ferguson asked if the opposition to the bill was withdrawn and he got a reply that it was.

Senator Templeman had charge of the bill.

FUGITIVE FROM JUSTICE

San Francisco Bigamist Arested in Victoria for Perjury

Victoria, July 12—A warrant was issued tonight for the arrest of George D. Collins of San Francisco, who arrived here yesterday, on a charge of perjury. Collins is wanted in San Francisco on a charge of bigamy and arrived here yesterday and the local police were asked to arrest him on that charge. Subsequent negotiations with the San Francisco authorities resulted in the present charge and Collins was gathered in late tonight.

Mr. Collins for 16 years has been one of the most prominent members of the San Francisco bar, his specialty being criminal law. The indictment on the charge of bigamy therefore caused a startling sensation which was accentuated by the conspicuous attention the case received from the press. It is alleged that a marriage he contracted a short time ago with Miss Clarice McCurdy in Chicago is illegal because Mrs. Collins number one happens to be alive. Previous to the conclusion of the trial, however, Collins and his wife left San Francisco's balmy atmosphere and came north, travelling overland. They lost no time en route for Mr. Collins does not close his eyes to the fact that he is a gufitive from justice as administered in the Bay city.

WHITNEY RACE HORSES

Question as to Validity of Auction Sale is Raised

New York, July 12—Harry Payne Whitney as executor of the will of his father, Wm. C. Whitney, has taken proceedings in the supreme court to have his acts as executor ratified. Some question has been raised as to the propriety of the purchase by Hary Payne Whitney of the race horses belonging to the stable of his father, for about $300,000. The sale was at auction. The son selected the pick of the stable, selling to himself individually several of the horses by an agreement with his brother, Payne Whitney, who is entitled to share in the residuary estate.

He says the sale was made openly, the prices fair and reasonable and the total realized more than otherwise would have been paid.

SWEEPS ALL BEFORE HER

London, July 12—Miss May Sutton of Pasadena, California, beat Miss Moncton today in the first round of the Welsh lawn tennis championship meeting at Newport.

Miss Sutton has not lost a single set since she came to England to compete in the annual tennis tournament.

RICH FIND ON SWEDE

New Lead Struck Carrying Phenomenal Values in Gold

General Revival Throughout Lardeau Predicted as Result--New Company Being Organized for Development

A revival of mining in Lardeau is the latest development. Every property in the district practically is either resuming active operations or completing preparations for resuming. Every camp has taken on an air of cheerfulness and hopefulness. The latest news is of a phenomenally rich strike on the Swede group, of almost fabulous richness, and already proved to be of a great extent. The Swede is one of the properties owned by the Great Northern Mines company. Steps are being taken to separate the Swede from the company, and give it an independent executive.

E. M. Morgan and B. E. Crilly, of Poplar, and J. A. Lade, of Camborne, all directors of the Great Northern Mines company, came down from the north last evening to attend a directors' meeting to be held in the company's office today. To a reporter of The Daily News, Mr. Morgan said:

"I found the ore myself several weeks ago. I knew that it was richer than anything yet found in this country, but I didn't care to say much about it until I found out its extent. I have been working on it ever since.

"A mineral zone, about 1000 feet in width runs through the whole Poplar district. Our new lead crosses it obliquely. It is a quartz lead varying from 20 to 24 inches wide. There are already 50 feet of it uncovered, and I have practically proved it for another 50 feet.

"I am almost afraid to tell you its values. We have had several assays made. The lowest is over $5000 to the ton, and the best runs over $100,000. I couldn't make any guess at the average, but it easily the richest ore I have ever seen in my life.

It is not the only great strike at Poplar in the last few weeks. In the same belt as the Swede are the Smith and Rogers, and the Chisholm properties. Both have made phenomenal strikes lately. I think that anyone having a claim at Poplar is better off than if it were at Tonopah. All apathy is gone and Poplar will hum within a month."

B. E. Crilly, who has lately been through the whole district, tells of a strike on the Silver Cup made this week.

"It was made in the long tunnel being run under contract on the Silver Cup, referred to in an article in your paper this morning (Wednesday). All other work on that mine and the Nettie L. had been abandoned. The tunnel is being driven 400 feet below the former deepest workings, that is at a depth of 700 feet. The tunnel crosscut a good looking lead which, on examination, was found to carry far richer ore than had ever before been found in the mine.

"I can't speak for the management of the Silver Cup, but I think it is certain that the discovery will lead to a great increase in the force, and the restoration of the mine to the list of shippers at a very early date."

J. A. Lade, of Camborne, had also cheering news to tell.

"Camborne is the only camp in the Lardeau that has not suffered from the protracted depression. It is true that part of its activity has been due to the operations of lumber companies, more indeed than of mining companies. Still the mines have never actually closed, and now most of the chief ones are increasing their forces and extending operations.

"You have reports occasionally of the Eva and the Oyster-Criterion. Both are working steadily, and, I believe, with satisfactory results. In addition to those, however, the Silver Dollar, the Mammoth, the Del Rey, and many others, which were for a time barely kept open, are increasing forces and expanding their operations generally. Camborne has weathered the storms successfully, and it looks now as if prosperity had arrived, permanent prosperity."

At the meeting of the directors of the Great Northern Mines company to be held in the company's office today, a new company will be organized, probably wholly of directors of the larger company, to take over the management of the Swede group and, possibly, also of the Lucky Jack. The necessary funds for development have already been arranged for, and active operations on a large scale will be resumed within a month.

TROPICAL NEW YORK

Unaccustomed Heat Responsible for the Deaths of Many People

New York, July 12—Undiminished heat and humidity marked the fifth day of the torrid wave that has afflicted New York, and tonight there is no immediate prospect of relief. Ten deaths and nearly three score cases of prostrations was the record of the day.

The mercury climbed steadily until noon when it stood at 87, the highest point of the day. Some of the victims of the heat were rendered insane by their sufferings. In Brooklyn Daniel McCarthy sought relief by drinking carbolic acid, and died immediatel. Jery Lane, a coal passer in an uptown hotel, went mad in the boiler room and attempted to brain a comrade with a heavy pitcher from which they had been drinking ice water. Two policemen subdued Lane after a struggle, and removed him to the hospital.

REBUILDING THE NAVY

TASK BEFORE NEWLY APPOINTED RUSSIAN MINISTER OF MARINE

CZAR INDIGNANT WITH OFFICERS AND MEN BECAUSE OF MUTINY

St. Petersburg, July 13.—The announcement of the appointment of vice-admiral Birileff as minister of marine, in succession to admiral Avellan, which is gazetted this morning, is coupled with a highly significant rescript in which the emperor charges the new minister not only with the task of rebuilding the navy but also with reforming and organizing the whole system.

The minister is instructed to eradicate faults which have developed under the stress of war, to remedy conditions which led to the recent mutinies in the Black sea, and to inspire the personnel of the navy with a new spirit of discipline and devotion.

Speaking of the "revolting events in the Black sea" the emperor holds officers and men of the fleet equally culpable, declaring that these events displayed a complete lack of discipline among the crews and neglect of duty on the part of the officers. The emperor insists on a full and careful investigation of the mutinies and that the most severe punishment be meted out to the guilty ones.

BRITAIN'S COLONIAL TRADE.

London, July 12.—A striking development in England's colonial trade is shown in a board of trade blue book just issued.

Since 1900 there has been a continuous increase in the exports from the United Kingdom to the colonies, while imports have recovered in a remarkable manner from the setback encountered in 1901 and 1902, and are now £15,000,000 better than in the former year.

The total trade of the United Kingdom and the colonies was just under £232,000,000 last year, and of the increase £14,000,000 is represented by imports of articles of food and drink.

Imports from British possessions have risen in these five years to the value of £10,377,000, and England's exports to them have gone up steadily by £17,500,000.

RARE SHAKESPEARE FIND.

London, July 12.—The announcement that the Shakespeare quarto of "Richard III" recently discovered in a little village in Buckinghamshire was to be put up for sale attracted a great crowd of book collectors and dealers to Sotheby's today. It is expected that the work will be knocked down for not less than $5000 or $6000 and the prediction is made that it will ultimately find its way to America. The book is of particular interest to Americans for the reason that it contains in five places the autograph of William Penn, the admiral, and father of the founder of Pennsylvania.

TO EXPLORE THE ISLAND.

Nanaimo, July 12—W. R. Thompson, C.E., and C. W. Regan, a timber cruiser, are here on their way to Comox for a preliminary run over the ground to prepare for the sending out of exploring parties which will likely start from Victoria, Duncans, Nanaimo and Comox at the end of next week, to go over the lands acquired by the C. P. R. from Mr. Dunsmuir. Messrs, Thompson and Regan will have the supervision of parties during the summer's work.

NOVEL WHEAT EXPERIMENT

Growing Wheat From the Nile in Manitoba Fields

Winnipeg, July 12—A. L. McLean recently brought a sample of wheat from Egypt, grown 190 miles up the Nile, to experiment with in Manitoba. It was sown in the southern part of the province and is now growing splendidly, being now three feet high and heavily headed.

The result of wheat accustomed to the climate of tropical Africa, growing in western Canada is being watched with much interest.

CHARLES MAY BE KING

Son of Denmark Would be Well Received in Norway

Christiania, July 12—The proposal to make prince Charles of Denmark, king of Norway is supported by those having power of deciding and also would be enthusiastically received by the majority of the Norwegian people.

LABOR LEADER TO HANG

Kansas City, July 12—Unless there is an eleventh hour respite from Governor Folk the execution of Edgar G Bailey will take place tomorow. Bailey was convicted of killing a non-union hack driver during the teamsters' strike here some time ago. Every effort has been made to save him from the gallows, the case being carried to the supreme court, which body refused to grant a hearing.

DEATH OF SENATOR M'GINLEY

Gloverville, N. Y., July 12—State senator Charles McGinley of Detroit, died suddenly today near Paul Smiths, in the Adirondacks. Senator McGinley was one of the most successful and best known criminal lawyers in Michigan.

GETTING AFTER SCALPERS

Winnipeg, July 12—For selling a Kenora campers' ticket not his own, John Phillips was prosecuted by the C.P.R. today and was fined $20 and costs.

OLIGARCHY PREVAILS

Emasculation of Proposed General Congress for Russia

Class Representation Will Retain all Real Power Within the Hands of Land Owners Who at Present Possess it

St. Petersburg, July 13.—According to a statement current here last night there has been another radical change in the program for a national assembly which will involve the suppression of the whole of minister Bouligan's project by one based distinctively upon class representation, a system against which the Moscow zemstvo congress took a stand. This new project, it is said, will be considered by the council of ministers under the presidency of the emperor, reinforced by the grand dukes and a number of high court officials.

The emperor's conversion to the class representation project is attributed to the influence and party leadership of the landed nobility, the views of whom were placed before his majesty in an address presented by count Bobrinsky, president of the constitutional conservative party, and count Shoremetieff, in behalf of what is denominated "the patriotic league." Despite the popular idea here as well as abroad, that Russia is ruled by the bureaucracy, it is nearer the truth to say she is ruled by a small oligarchy of grand dukes and about 30 noble families, who have access to the court, and who make the bureaucracy their tool.

With class instead of general representation they believe they can control not only the members of the nobility, who are extensive land owners, but the peasants who live on their estates.

The emperor himself is the largest land owner, owning more than all the peasants of European Russia and over 350 palaces.

WHYTE IS OPTIMISTIC

THINKS MANITOBA WHEAT CROP A RECORD BREAKER.

AT LEAST 100,000,000 BUSHELS TO BE SHIPPED THIS YEAR.

Fort William, Ont., July 12.—Wm. Whyte, second vice-president of the Canadian Pacific railway, and sir Daniel McMillan, governor of Manitoba, during a short say here today, on their way east, looked over the C. P. R. yards. Mr. Whyte, when interviewed, said:

"Outside of the work done at West Fort, very little will be done here. You have elevators enough for a while, I think, although they will be filled to their fullest capacity this year. This is going to be the greatest year in the history of the west. Mr. Peters, our general freight agent, puts the crop at 90,000,000 bushels. I go even higher and think a fair estimate would be 100,000,000 bushels. Why, there are over 4,000,000 acres under cultivation. In 1902 the average yield was 25 bushels to the acre. This year is certainly away ahead of 1902.

"But taking the figures for that year it will make the yield one hundred million, but I think the average yield will be nearer 30 than 25, so you can see I am keeping figures down when I say 100,000,000."

WERE DROWNED TOGETHER

Sad Boating Fatality upon Lac Grand Fourche

Quebec, July 12—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kerouac of St. Herbert, who have only been married about one year, have been drowned together in Lac Grand Fourche, in the county of Temiscouata, by the leaking and subsequent foundering of their boat yesterday in which they went out for a row.

Mrs. Dumont, sister of Mrs. Kerouac, who accompanied them, was picked up alive, after having floated on her back for two or three hours.

PEARY POLAR EXPEDITION

Funds Are Now Subscribed and Explorer Will Start

New York, July 12—With $35,000 subscribed today towards his expedition to reach the north pole, Robert E. Peary announces that he will sail this week for the north pole. Peary's new ship, the Roosevelt, has been waiting several days for supplies, which could not be bought on account of lack of funds. Morris K. Jessup, president of the Peary Arctic club, subscribed $25,000 today and Thomas Hubbard gave his cheque for $10,000.

DETAINED FOR ENQUIRY.

Japanese Barkentine Wants to Catch Salmon in Canadian Waters.

Vancouver, July 12.—The Japanese bankentine Hagishi, with a crew of 108 Japanese, is now at Port Simpson for the alleged purpose of catching salmon in Canadian waters. Upon orders from the department of marine and fisheries she is being detained at Port Simpson until an investigation can be made.

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No further information has been given out concerning the consolidated company which is to own and operate the St. Eugene, War Eagle and Centre Star mines. In time the C. P. R. syndicate which purchased the Gooderham-Blackstock interest, will doubtless make known their plans including some disposition of the minority interests, which Mr. Blackstock did his best to protect.

As far as can be learned the idea of amalgamation with the Le Roi has been quietly allowed to drop, but if the purchase of the War Eagle-Centre Star mines was intended to provide a large ore tonnage for the Trail smelter, the further amalgamation with the Le Roi would seem to be the logical outcome of the whole deal. Both the War Eagle and Centre Star have three compartment main shafts up which all the ore shipped must come, one of these compartments is used as a manway and for the pipes, and the other two have to be used for the introduction of timber and steel as well as for the hoisting of ore. The hoisting engines in both mines would require to be replaced by larger ones before the ore output could be materially increased over that sent out in the past.

It is safe to say that without large additional expenditure, the ore supply wanted by the Trail smelter could not be obtained from the War Eagle and Centre Star. The Le Roi on the other hand with its great five compartment main shaft and big hoisting machinery, laid out and installed by Bernard Macdonald, is already equipped to make a steady and enormous output, so great indeed, that combined with the ores sent down by the other Rossland mines it would severely tax the smelter's capacity to handle it. The acquisition of the Le Roi by the purchasers of the controlling interest in the War Eagle and Centre Star, would ensure a big tonnage for the Trail smelter and the C. P. R., and consequent reduction in treatment and freight rates so much desired. This being the case it is more than possible that the Le Roi amalgamation may yet be quietly brought about, as quietly as was the St. Eugene, Centre Star, War Eagle deal.

Mr. Hill is credited with trying to prevent the merger mentioned and his opposition, if it has taken form, is very understandable as the closing down of the Northport smelter would mean the loss of the ore haulage, which the Great Northern now gets from Rossland. Having experienced Mr. Hill's rivalry in east and west Kootenay the C. P. R. will probably make a strong fight to control the Rossland ore shipments, and the merger of the Le Roi is the easiest solution of the difficulty.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

Fire protection facilities are not all that they might be in the city of Montreal and as a consequence insurance rates have been advanced. The Montreal Star views this state of affairs with alarm, rightly contending that "we neither want our homes or our business places burned down, nor do we want to suffer almost as severely from the exactions of the insurance companies." The Star further remarks: "Now Montrealers are naturally anxious to have this loss as little as possible; and they are assured by the underwriters that, when they have taken certain precautions against fire, the rates will be reduced. And there is no reason to doubt the good faith of the underwriters. They are under the compulsion of competition to give us insurance at as cheap a *rate as will pay; and when they raise* our rates, it is only because their system of classification places the risk in this city at a higher figure. No time should be lost in putting the defence of Montreal on the best possible footing. Instead of carping at the hints of the insurance people, we should be grateful for them; for they are gratuitous expert suggestions as to how best we can prepare to protect our lives and our properties from the enemy that strikes without a moment's warning."

Some time ago a movement was started in Toronto to advertise the city as a convention centre, and make known its advantages generally. The local press either ignored the idea or frowned it down, declaring it savored of "village tactics." The visit of many Americans this summer at different gatherings has apparently brought about a change of sentiment and an effort is now being made to bring Toronto into line with other centres in Canada and the states, which have long ago seen the foolishness of hiding their light under a bushel. The World takes the matter ser*iously, saying that: "It is a question if* Toronto is taking full advantage of her popularity as a convention city. We are bringing the people here all right, we are entertaining them, but we are not exploiting the business possibilities of the convention. We have been content with superficial results when a little more enterprise would have given the city valuable advertising all over Canada and the United States." Toronto has taken a long time to wake up to the situation, but perhaps a start will now be made in the right direction.

The good news from the Trail smelter announced in our special despatch from Rossland this morning will be thoroughly appreciated by the whole community. The starting up of one of the lead stacks and its continuous operation together with the enlargement of the refinery will demonstrate in the east that the lead industry out here is once more coming to the front and will fully justify those who have urged upon the government the strong necessity and advisability of aiding the industry to get a fair start.

NELSON HAS MENAGERIE

SKETCH OF FRED BOSQUET'S WILD BEASTS AND BIRDS

CREDITABLE AND REPRESENTATIVE KOOTENAY COLLECTION

Nelson has many attractions unknown to, and unsuspected by strangers, and even by many of its residents. Not the least of these is a private menagerie owned by Fred Bosquet.

T hecollection of beasts and birds is housed in an unpretentious but neat and substantial corral between Baker and Vernon streets, near the east line of Hendryx street. It is about 50 feet square. Inside, in rows around the enclosure are the cages in which its inhabitants live. The cages are inexpensive and ingenious; they are simply packing boxes covered with stout wire netting and each is fitted with a swinging door suitable to the size of its occupant.

The noisiest member of the happy family is a young lynx whose lungs have not suffertd from captivity. Mr. Bosquet exercises the lynx every evening but strongly discourages any approaches to intimacy.

A young brown bear is a quiet, good natured citizen. He is so tame that he is allowed the freedom of the corral, with his friend, the bull dog.

The latest addition to the class of large quadrupeds consists of two mountain goats, mother and kid, the former well grown and in perfect condition. They were brought to the city last Friday evening by the steamer Moyie.

One cage contals two coyotes, small, silent, restless animals, continually pacing the cage for an avenue of escape, and looking furtively at everything in sight.

Among the feathered inhabitants the most distinguished is the young eagle recently captured by the crew of the Minto near Fire Valley. He measures six feet from tip to tip now, and has probably *many years yet to grow. In another cage* are two solemn, silent owls, who take their circumstances philosophically and appear to enjoy the rest. A solitary crow cuts rather a pathetic figure. He is silent but looks rebellious and sullen.

In a shed within a corral are pheasants, pigeons of all kinds, and hens too numerous to count. The latter are the only remunerative part of Mr. Bosquet's collection. All the rest he keeps solely for the pleasure of looking at them.

Mr. Bosquet's name is well know to all *hunters and trappers in Kootenay, and he* invariably receives the first offer of a notable captive. He is always on the lookout for desirable additions and the population of the menagerie is increasing so fast that enlarged quarters will soon be required.

FIVE BOYS, ONE GIRL.

Prince and Princess of Wales Have Now A Large Family.

London, July 12.—A son was born to the princess of Wales today.

(The family of the prince and princess of Wales, besides the son whose birth is just announced, consists of four sons and one daughter; prince Edward, born in 1894, *in the direct* line to the throne; prince Albert born in 1895; princess Victoria, born in 1897; prince Henry, born in 1900, and prince George, born in 1902. Thus there are no lack of heirs to the throne.)

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NEW SMELTER CHARGES

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FAVORABLE TO PRODUCTION OF LOW GRADE ORES

The promulgation of a new schedule of smelting charges on Clear Creek, Colorado, ores, by the American Smelting and Refining company, signifies the retirement of the Independent Smelting and Refining company from the field as an active competitor for Clear Creek, Gilpin and Boulder county ores. Although the latter company announced that it had shut down only temporarily, it is apparent that the statement is not taken seriously by the *American* company.

Comment on the new schedule is generally favorable says the Denver Mining Reporter. Although the new rate is higher than that which obtained when the Independent company first entered the field and caused a great reduction of rates, the present adjustment is, nevertheless, more favorable to the production of low grade ores than that which was in force when competition was inaugurated. The fear that many low grade producers would have to cease operations is accordingly expelled.

Low grade lead ores are especially favored in the new schedule, by reason of of options granted, whereby the ore will be paid for according to the schedule most advantageous to the miner. While some *mines will suffer an* increase of $1 per ton, many more will profit under the new adjustment, which is conceded to be the most equitable that has been made for some time.

THE NEW SCHEDULE

The new schedule of smelting charges on ores of the Georgetown, Colorado district is given herewith:

Gold—$19.00 if 5-100 to 2 ozs.; $19.50 over 2 ozs per ton.

Silver—95 per cent of N.Y. quotation, when ore assays over 2 ozs per ton.

Copper—$1.25 per unit dry copper (1 1-2 off wet) to 5 per cent dry.

Copper—$1.50 per unit dry copper over 5 p.s. to 10 p.c. dry.

Copper—$1.75 per unit dry copper over 10 p.c. dry.

Copper—$1.00 per *unit dry copper* when lead is paid for.

Zinc—Limit, 10 p.c.; 50 cents penalty for each unit over 10.

Ores Carrying Over 65 p.c. Insoluble	
$14	$4.00 treatment
Over $14 to $20	5.00 treatment
" $20 to $25	5.50 "
" $25 to $30	6.00 "
" $30 to $35	6.50 "
" $35 to $40	7.00 "
" $40 to $45	7.50 "
" $45 to $50	8.00 "
" $50 to $75	9.00 "
" $75 to $100	10.00 "
" $100	11.00 "
Ores Carrying 65 p.c. Insoluble and Under	
$20	$5.00 treatment
" $20 to $25	5.50 "
" $25 to $30	6.00 "
" $30 to $35	6.50 "
" $35 to $40	7.00 "
" $40 to $45	7.50 "
" $45 to $50	8.00 "
" $50	9.00 "

25 cents per unit for lead if 5 p.c. or over.

The "Neutral" or "Flat" schedule of February 1, 1904, applied to lead ores if either figure better for the shipper than above schedule.

The prices are for carload lots of 28,000 *pounds or more.*

Usual sampling and freight to Denver when 28,000 pounds or more in one lot.

In addition to the above, which also applies to Gilpin county ores, the following schedule applies to concentrates produced in the latter district:

CONCENTRATES	
$35	$3.50 treatment
Over $35 to $80	4.00 "
" $80	4.50 "

Silica, limit 10 p.c.; 10c. penalty; zinc limit 5 p.c.; 30c. penalty.

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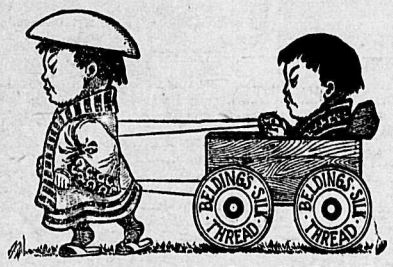

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JAPANESE LEAD MARKET

REPORT OF CANADIAN GOVERNMENT'S REPRESENTATIVE

PRICES OF METALS—IMPORT DUTIES AND OTHER DEAILS

The Canadian government's commercial representative in Japan writes as follows:

Having received an inquiry recently as to the probable prospect in Japan for the exportation of lead ores from British Columbia, I have made investigations on this subject. My information is to the effect that it will be difficult to do this unless the ore is sufficiently low in price to leave a margin of profit after paying freight and other charges. The fact is that the three or four principal firms who are doing the smelting and refining of lead are mine owners themselves, and have their plants at the mines, which, as a rule, are inconveniently situated as regards transportation by water.

The only refinery that is situated at a convenient seaport is one at Osaka, owned by the Mitsu Bishi Kaisha. The refinery has, however, been established for the refining of copper produced at the company's mines. That of lead is done only as subsidiary work. As will be gathered from the figures following there has been a gradual falling off in the production of lead in Japan in recent years. This is not owing to the scarcity of lead to be mined, but because of the less remunerative nature of mining on account of the depreciation in value of silver and lead, and also the comparatively low price of imported lead, which chiefly comes from Australia. In consequence of this, some of the lead mines have suspended working while others are being worked only irregularly.

The mining people here seem inclined to the belief that the importation of lead ores to be smelted and refined in Japan will not pay. The following Jap-Japanese firms, who are engaged in coal, copper and lead mining, have their own smelting and refining works:

Takata Shokai, Yaesucho, Tokyo; Mitsu Bishi Goshi Kaisha, Yaesucho, Toyko; Mitsui Bussan Kaisha, Kayabucho, Toyko; Sumitomo & Co., Toyko.

PRICES OF VARIOUS METALS

The following were the standard prices of the various metals in the Yokohama market during December, 1904:

Zinc sheet, per 133 lbs	$ 5.70
Zinc for roofing, per 133 lbs	5.00
Brass plate	24.00
Lead (Australian) per 133 lbs	4.50
Tin, per 133 lbs	42.00
Copper plate per 133 lbs	29.00
Spelter (best) per 133 lbs	8.25
Spelter (medium) per 133 lbs	6.50
Tea lead, per 133 lbs	6.40
Sheet lead per 133 lbs	4.75
Paints, white zinc 4 tins, each containing 25 lbs	9.40
Paints, white lead 4 tins, each containing 25 lbs	6.25
Paints, red lead, 4 tins, each containing 25 lbs	6.00

IMPORT DUTIES ON METALS

The import duty on metals is as follows, per 133 lbs.:

Zinc, block, ingot and slab	$0.28
Zinc sheet	0.70
Brass plate	3.40
Lead, pig, ingot and slab	0.21
Lead sheet	0.49
Lead pipes and tubes	0.55
Tin, block, ingot and slab	1.68
Tin plate and sheet	10 p.c.
Yellow metal, sheet	$2.00
Copper, plate and sheet	3.60
White zinc	1.00
Lead paints	1.00

The duties mentioned above include the increases to be made on and after July 1, 1905, as war taxes. Zinc sheet No. 2 and tin lead are free from duty.

LEAD AND ZINC.

The import of lead and zinc during the four years ended 1903 was as follows:

Lead—block, ingot and slab:	
1900	$463,576
1901	438,114
1902	255,356
1903	313,047
Zinc—block, ingot and slab:	
1900	$343,040
1901	115,279
1902	127,500
1903	200,984
Zinc plate No. 2:	
1900	$298,404
1901	254,752
1902	390,934
1903	354,859

Lead is chiefly imported from Australia and the United States, and zinc and zinc plate from Germany, Belgium and Great Britain.

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STOESSEL UNDER ARREST.

His Defence of Port Arthur at Last Opened to Question.

St. Petersburg, July 12.—The Nashanian prints a report that lieutenant-general Stoessel has been placed under arrest at Tsarskoe-Selo in consequence of the revelations made by the commission which has been investigating the defence and the capitulation of Port Arthur, and that the sword of honor donated by a number of French admirers of general Stoessel will not be presented.

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AN OMINOUS INCIDENT

LEARNED COUNSEL LANDS UPON THE ROCKS.

POWER COMPANY'S CASE WILL BEGIN TODAY.

The city of Nelson clearly won out yesterday in the first round of the struggle with the West Kootenay Power & Light Company.

It happened this way. The learned judge who is to try the case, together with counsel and some of the experts, visited the city's power site at upper Bonnington Falls, in the morning. It was desired that the court should view the locations and their surroundings so as to better understand the evidence offered later.

The party had crossed the swiftly running Kootenay river, inspected the city's power site, and were recrossing to the northern shore when an ominous incident happened.

In the rowboat ferry were Mr. Justice Irving, registrar Bowman, Pete Wilson, A. H. MacNeill, of Rossland, and Paddy Miles. Wilson and Paddy Miles were toiling at the oars and the boat was slowly crossing the stream. The load was an extra heavy one and the boat sat mighty low in the water. In midstream a couple of lurches set everyone's nerves jumping, and as a fact the boat nearly went over. The learned judge took instant action.

"Mr. MacNeill," he said, "you're the heavy man of the party; you're too heavy, and you'll have to get out."

Mr. MacNeill like the rest of his profession, is used to walking on slippery places, but not on water, and with every desire to obey the injunction of the court, the Rossland K.C. did not see his way exactly clear.

"You'll have to go MacNeill," whispered the registrar, "or there won't be any court held this sitting."

Various suggestion were hurled at the weighty man without results and finally Paddy Miles came to the rescue with the proposal that MacNeill should be marooned on a small island in midstream, a little lower down.

"All right," said the court, "but hurry there or we'll go down."

With infinite skill Paddy dropped the ferry down stream and the island was reached in safety. MacNeill hoisted himself out and on to one of the rocks and the now buoyant boat was safely rowed to the north shore. A special crew of rescuers subsequently brought Mr. MacNeill over, and the inspection of the sites continued. Paddy Miles thoroughly enjoyed the incident and hinted that Mr. MacNeill's case would finally land where he did—on the rocks.

No session of the supreme court was held yesterday. It was decided by the court on consultation with counsel, that a view of the two sites involved in the dispute between the power company and the city, was desirable before any evidence was taken and accordingly a special C. P. R. train was obtained and a view was had. The party consisted of Mr. Justice Irving, registrar Bowman, P. E. Wilson, city engineer McCulloch, W. J. Elmendorf, L. A. Campbell A. H. MacNeill and Henry Holgate. They left the C. P. R. station at 11.30, were ferried over to the city's power site, inspected it, had lunch with Dave McBeath and recrossing viewed the company's new site, and finally the intake and present plant of the company. The city was reached again about 5.20 p.m.

This morning at 10 o'clock the court will open and the power company will commence the presentation of its case. Mr. Justice Irving has intimated that he does not propose to sit later than 4 o'clock each day. It is expected that at least four days will be taken up in hearing the case and argument of counsel.

The Providence cases are set down for Monday next, and this morning a time will probably be fixed for hearing the Coulter motion in Coulter vs. Houston.

The city's power site, where excavating is going on, is situate on the south bank of the Kootenay just below the upper falls. The river widens at this point and directly across the W. K. P. & L. Co., are constructing the works for their additional plant. A little below both these sites the river narrows for a short stretch and gradually widens out until the lower falls are reached, alongside of which is the intake for the power company's present plant. The company claims that in blasting rock for its power plant into the river the city is raising the level of the pool below the first fall by choking up the narrow outlet, to the detriment of the company's new plant, the company desiring to lower the water in question and so obtain a greater fall. The company also claim that rock blasted by the city is drawn down into the company's intake alongside of the lower fall thus interfering with the company's plant now in operation. They also claim that the city can proceed with its work without sending the rock into the stream.

The city denies the case made out by the company and claims damages for the injunction obtained by the plaintiffs at the coast some six weeks ago.

Among the witnesses who will be called by the city are Clement Herschel, the well known New York engineer, W. J. Elmendorf, who made such an excellent impression on all who heard his evidence here in the celebrated Sandon mining case; G. A. Keefer, C. E., New Westminster.

For the power company, L. A. Campbell, general manager, J. D. McDonald, electrician Henry Holgate, C.E., Montreal, F. W. Guernsey, C.E., and R. E. A. Young, are on hand.

E. V. Bodwell, K.C., and P. E. Wilson will appear for the city, while A. H. MacNeill, K.C., of Rossland, will appear as counsel for the company.

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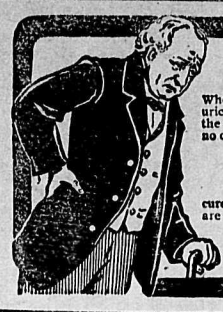

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NELSON'S FIRST DELINQUENT SALE HELD YESTERDAY

MORE PROPERTY TO BE AUCTIONED NEXT TUESDAY

Nelson's first delinquent tax sale was held in the city hall yesterday at noon by collector W. E. Wasson, assisted by C. A. Waterman. There was very little competition. The sale was adjourned to Tuesday July 18, at the same time and place, to enable intending purchasers to discover the location of some of the lots.

In only one case, that of lot 6, block 92, Baker street west, was the bid more than the amount of the arears of tax. As the collector could not accept more than the amount of arrears, he could sell only a proportionate part of the lot. August Collin purchased a part of the lot, 12 1-2 feet wide, on which Dominico Monteleone's fruit store stands, and is now joint kandlord.

Pending the probable redemption of the property by the owner, C. P. R. superintendent J. S. Lawrence is proprietor of a bowling alley, and Dr. W. O. Rose owns the Home Temperance hotel.

The following properties were disposed of:

Lot 4, block 6, owned by the Irene Arnold estate, sold to J. S. Lawrence for $96.73.

Lot 14, block 7, owned by colonel Brayton, sold to Joseph Sturgeon for $8.71.

Lot 24, block 58, owned by Annie Smyth, sold to G. B. Matthew for $13.50.

Lot 12, block 66, owned by Irene Arnold estate, sold to J. E. Annable for $23.69.

Lots 23 and 24, block 68, owned by Irene Arnold estate, sold to Dr. W. O. Rose for $59.82.

Lots 21 and 22, block 44E, owned by H. Byron Johnson, sold to J. Ingram, for $38.74.

Part of lot 12 1-2 feet) 6, block 92, owned by Frank Fletcher, sold to August Collin for $110.41.

Lot 12, blolck 2 in 150, owned by Mrs. W. M. Gamble, sold to J. J. Campbell for $14.36.

Lot 3, block 13, owned by R. G. Harvey, sold to J. E. Annable for $9.09.

Lots 1 and 2, block 21, owned by Mrs. J. M. Douglas, sold to Frank Deacon for $15.41.

Lots 11 and 12, block 23, owned by Julia W. Henshaw, sold to Mrs. John Bell for $37.03.

Lot 5, block 43, owned by Mrs. E. E. Richards, sold to Frank Deacon for $4.02

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 in block 10 owned by F. C. Innes sold to J. E. Annable for $9.10.

Lot 13 in block 10, 1 and 2 in block 11, and 1 to 13 inclusive, owned by F. C. Innes, sold to J. E. Annable for $41.89.

Lots 14 to 20 inclusive, in block 12, owned by F. C. Innes, sold to J. E. Annable for $14.18.

Lots 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 in block 20, owned by F. C. Innes sold to C. H. Sewell for $19.20.

Lots 13 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20, in block 20 owned by F. C. Innes sold to C. H. Sewell for $21.72.

Lots 1 2, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 45 owned by F. C. Innes, sold to J. E. Annable for $21.67.

Lots 11 and 12, in block 20, owned by H. Byron Johnson, sold to C. H. Sawell for $12.09.

Lots 9 and 10 in block 28, owned by H. Byron Johnson, sold to Mrs. J. Patterson for $38.82.

ANNUAL OUTING TODAY

Novel Attractions for Methodist Sunday School Picnic

The officers of the Methodist Sunday school are taking advantage of the weekly half holiday this afternoon to hold their annual picnic. The grounds at Procter have been engaged for the day. The children, their teachers and some of the parents will go this morning by boat at 9 a.m. A train will leave the city at 1 p.m.

While the first function of the picnic is, of course, to provide an outing for the children, provisions have been made for amusements suited to the tastes of adults. The chief attractions are two basketball games. The first will be between the senior and junior teams of the girl's club. The second will be between teams of men representing the grocers and dry goods interests respectively. As none of the players know anything about the game it should be well worth watching. The usual program of races and athletic events will be provided, and an impromptu tug of war will end the proceedings.

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Russian Officers Placed Under Arrest By Authorities

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LAND NOTICES

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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.

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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 Company, Limited, of Nakusp, B. C., intend sixty days from 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 Limited of Columbia & Western Railway, about one half mile east of Westley Station, marked Yale-Columbia Co.'s northeast corner, running thence south 20 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 20 chains, more or less, to the south Limit of the Columbia & Western Railway, thence westerly along the said railway 80 chains to place of commencement.

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C. HAIRSINE.
F. PROVOST, Agent.
Located May 24th, 1905.

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

H. PROVOST.
F. PROVOST, Agent.
Located May 24th, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situate on Lemon creek, West Kootenay, District, B.C., commencing at a post planted about seven miles from the mouth and marked Paul Martin S.E. corner, running west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, to point of commencement.

PAUL MARTIN.
F. PROVOST Agent.
Located May 27th, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situate on Lemon creek, West Kootenay, District, B.C., commencing at a post planted one mile west of Oro and marked Callex Bray N.W. corner, running east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement.

CALLEX BRAY.
F. PROVOST Agent.
Located May 29th, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situate on Lemon creek, West Kootenay, District, B.C., commencing at a post planted one mile east of Oro and marked W. Leduc S.E. corner, running west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chais, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.

W. LEDUC.
F. PROVOST Agent.
Located May 28th, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situate on Lemon creek, West Kootenay, District, B.C., commencing at a post planted and marked S.W. corner Joseph Saulter, running north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thenct south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, to point of commencement.

JOSEPH SAULTER.
F. PROVOST, Agent.
Located, May 24th, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situate on Lemon creek, West Kootenay, District, B.C., commencing at a post planted about one mile east of the first falls on Lemon creek, and marked Alexander Martin N.E. corner, running south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, to point of commencement,

Located May 27th, 1905.

ALEXANDER MARTIN.
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 license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situate on Lemon creek, West Kootenay, District, B.C., commencing at a post planted two miles east of Oro and marked Peter Leduc N.E. corner, running south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement,

PETER LEDUC.
F. PROVOST Agent.
Located May 26th, 1905.

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

RAUL PROVOST.
F. PROVOST, Agent.
Located May 24th, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to make application to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for one special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situated on the east side of the Little Slocan Lake, in the West Kootenay District, commencing at a post planted on the east bank of the aforesaid lake, about 120 chains from the head, running north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, to point of commencement.

GEORGE SOUSEY.

Slocan, B. C., May 24, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situated in the Little Slocan, West Kootenay District, commencing at a post planted and marked N.E. corner Clair Mabee, running south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, to point of commencement.

CLAIR MABEE.
F. PROVOST, Agent.
Located May 24th, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situated in the Little Slocan, West Kootenay District, commencing at a post planted and marked A. D. Hardie, running west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, to point of commencement.

A. D. HARDIE.
F. PROVOST, Agent.
Located May 24th, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situated in the Little Slocan, West Kootenay District, commencing at a post planted and marked E. R. Mabee, running south 160 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 160 chains, thence east 40 chains to point of commencement.

E. R. MABEE.
F. PROVOST, Agent.
Located May 24th, 1905.

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

ELI PROVOST
F. PROVOST, Agent.
Located May 24th, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situated in the Little Slocan, West Kootenay District, commencing at a post planted and marked N.E. corner Fred Cooper, running south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, to point of commencement.

FRED COOPER.
F. PROVOST, Agent.
Located May 24th, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situated in the Little Slocan, West Kootenay District, commencing at a post planted and marked S.E. corner William Currie, running west 40 chains, thence north 160 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 160 chains, to point of commencement.

WILLIAM CURRIE.
F. PROVOST, Agent.
Located May 24th, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situated in the Little Slocan, West Kootenay District, commencing at a post planted and marked S.W. corner Joseph Saulter, running north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thenct south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, to point of commencement.

JOSEPH SAULTER.
F. PROVOST, Agent.
Located, May 24th, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situate on Lemon creek, West Kootenay, District, B.C., commencing at a post planted about one mile east of the first falls on Lemon creek, and marked Alexander Martin N.E. corner, running south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, to point of commencement,

Located May 27th, 1905.

ALEXANDER MARTIN.
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 license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situate on Lemon creek, West Kootenay, District, B.C., commencing at a post planted two miles east of Oro and marked Peter Leduc N.E. corner, running south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement,

PETER LEDUC.
F. PROVOST Agent.
Located May 26th, 1905.

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

RAUL PROVOST.
F. PROVOST, Agent.
Located May 24th, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to make application to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for one special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situated on the east side of the Little Slocan Lake, in the West Kootenay District, commencing at a post planted on the east bank of the aforesaid lake, about 120 chains from the head, running north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, to point of commencement.

JAMES M. FARRELL.

Slocan, B. C., May 24, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to make application to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for one special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situated on the east side of the Little Slocan Lake, in the West Kootenay District, commencing at a stake planted 90 chains from the foot of Little Slocan Lake, running north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, to place of commencement.

J. M. RAE.

Slocan, B. C., May 24, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situated in the Little Slocan, West Kootenay District, commencing at a post planted and marked, N.E. corner Joseph Lalonde, running south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to the point of commencement.

JOSEPH LALONDE
F. PROVOST, Agent.
Located May 24th 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situated in the Little Slocan, West Kootenay District, commencing at a post planted and marked N. E. corner Frank French, running south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, to point of commencement.

FRANK FRENCH.
F. PROVOST, Agent.
Located May 24th, 1905.

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

CHARLES PROVOST
F. PROVOST, Agent.
Located May 24th, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situated in the Little Slocan, West Kootenay District, commencing at a post planted and marked N.E. corner Narcise Legrod, running south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, to the point of commencement.

NARCISE LEGROD
F. PROVOST, Agent.
Located May 24th, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situated in the Little Slocan, West Kootenay District, commencing at a post planted and marked S.W. corner H. A. McMillan, running north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, to point of commencement.

H. A. McMILLAN.
F. PROVOST, Agent.
Located May 24th, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situated in the Little Slocan, West Kootenay District, commencing at a post planted and marked N.W. corner Percy Milliman, running east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, to point of commencement.

PERCY MILLMAN
F. PROVOST, Agent.
Located May 24th, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situated in the Little Slocan, West Kootenay District, commencing at a post planted and marked N.E. corner Joseph Martin, running south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, to point of commencement.

JOSEPH MARTIN.
F. PROVOST, Agent.
Located May 24th, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situated in the Little Slocan, West Kootenay District, commencing at a post planted and marked N.E. corner P. Lablanc, runing south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

PETER LABLANC.
F. PROVOST, Agent.
Located May 24th, 1905.

SOCIETY CARDS

ABERDEEN HIVE, No. 12, L. O. T. M.—Meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. of each month in K. of P. Hall, Vernon Street, next to post office. Visiting members cordially invited.

MARY MATTHEW, L.C.
MINNIE RITCHIE, Record Keeper

NELSON LODGE, NO. 59, INDEPENDENT Order of Good Templars, meets every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in Fraternity hall. Visiting members are cordially invited to attend.

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CRANBROOK MAN JAILED

RUN DOWN IN MONTANA AFTER LONG CHASE.

WASHINGTON PRESS MEN AT FERNIE.

(Special to The Daily News)

Fernie ,July 12.—James Gill, of Cranbrook, late secretary of the Standard Lumber Co., and confidential clerk to V. Hyde Baker, has been arrested at Eureka, Montana, after an exciting chase by constables Dow, of Wardner, and Morris, of Cranbrook. Gill had been arrested the day before by a justice of the peace at Elko, from whose hands he escaped on the same day. Constables Dow and Morris were despatched from Cranbrook in pursuit. The officers arrived in Fernie by the 5 o'clock train and immediately took up the chase. Gill, in escaping, had made his way on foot as far as Desrosier's where he had procured a team and started across the Tobacco Plains for the international boundary line. The officers in pursuit travelled without intermission all night and finally caught up with him at 9 o'clock at Eureka, Montana. So soon as arrested Gill waived extradition proceedings and consented to return with the officers without giving any further trouble. The prisoner and officers arrived here by the Great Northern last night and their prisoner was lodged in jail to await the west bound train for Cranbrook this morning.

The journalists of Washington, D.C., who have been touring B. C. of late, arrived in this city on the east bound train at 12.30 p.m. They were met at the station by his worship mayor Stork and Mr. Drinnen, superintendent of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Co., and Mr. Reading, the local agent of the C. P. R. His worship welcomed the scribes to Fernie and hoped that their stay would be of sufficient length to admit of their seeing the industries of the city and its surroundings. His worship informed them that every preparation had been made for making their stay pleasant as well as instructive. Mr .Drinnen also extended to them on behalf of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Co., a very hearty welcome. He said that the company had arranged for their viewing the coke ovens and also for a special train to carry them to Coal Creek.

To the great disappointment of both of these gentlemen, the journalists stated that the arrangements made by the C. P. R. for their transit did not admit of their staying in Fernie more than a few moments. Speaking to Mr. Drinnen, one of the journalists remarked that he understood that the coke made here was next in quality to that made in Pennsylvania, which was the best in America. Mr. Drinnen politely corrected the gentleman by saying that it was the other way about—Fernie made the best coke in America and Pennsylvania was second. The same journalist enquired of Mr. Drinnen if any estimate had been made of the extent and quantity of the coal contained about the Fernie district. Mr. Drinnen replied that the dominion geologists had made a computation which was to the effect that if there was a daily output of 6000 tons there was a sufficient quantity to last 10,000 years. This was evidently too much for the gentleman from Washington, who exclaimed:

"Oh! I say! Where's Cy? that's one that will suit him!"

The C. P. R. had evidently not made any arrangements for more than an apologetic "stop" and after a half hour's conversation the locomotive with its long tail of cars pulled out for the east.

PROGRESS OF MARYSVILLE

Town Lots Are Now on the Market—New Furnace About Completed.

(Special to The Daily News)

Marysville, July 12.—Now that the smelter here is in active operation and there is every promise of permanent activity, the Marysville Townsite company, with head offices in Spokane, has decided to place lots on the market. The demand for building sites has been increasing of late, both on the part of smelter employees and business men, but the townsite company declined to sell until such time as there was satisfactory assurance that the smelting industry was firmly established. The company now feels that this time has arrived, and Frank P. Hogan, president of the company, has appointed E. J. Clayton, of this place, townsite agent.

F. D. Weeks, superintendent of the smelter has gone to the coast for the benefit of his health.

In a recent match with Cranbrook the local football team won out by a score of 1 to 0.

An arrangement had been entered into by local storekeepers to close on Sundays and at 7.30 p.m. week days, except Saturdays and paydays. This plan worked well, but its success is now threatened by one of the parties thereto failing to live up to the agreement. Six days a week, and twelve hour days at that, ought to satisfy any storekeeper, no matter how anxious he may be to dispose of his goods.

It is expected that with the completion of the new furnace at the smelter the force of men employed will be considerably increased.

GOOD CROP PROSPECTS.

Extensive System of Irrigation Canals Is Doing Excellent Work.

Winnipeg, July 12.—There are in Lethbridge 20 miles of completed irrigation canals and 75 miles in course of construction, which will serve 340,000 acres of land.

Last year 11,900 tons of beets were produced, including 3,170,000 pounds of refined sugar averaging a net profit to the producer of $24.25 per acre. There are about 35,000 acres of fall wheat to be harvested this year.

There are between 70,000 and 80,000 acres under cultivation this year.

GOOD ADVICE POSSIBLE

Vladivostok, July 12.—Captain Rousine has left Vladivostok for Washington, where he will participate in the peace negotiations.

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NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

Born, in Toronto, July 9th, to the wife of Frank Pullen, formerly of Nelson, a son.

Thursday, the 27th instant is the date of the Sunday school excursion of St. Paul's Presbyterian church.

Miss Hunter and Master Arthur Marshall of Medicine Hat, arrived in Nelson last evening on a two months' visit.

Just one location was recorded at the mining recorder's office on Wednesday, the Kitchener, on the southeast slope of Goat mountain by R. Henderson.

Two small boys named Jeffries, who disappeared from their home near Bonnington Monday evening, were taken home yesterday morning by their father, who found them visiting friends in Nelson.

Members of the senior lacrosse team are urgently requested to turn out for practice at the recreation grounds every evening. The team has four important matches ahead, and hard and regular practice is necessary if Nelson's athletic reputation is to be maintained.

A force of men are busily engeged in repairing the road up the north fork of the Salmon river, near Erie. The complaint made by the residents more than accomplished its object. Orders have been given that the whole length of the road be made fit for travel.

W. F. McPhee, formerly of Halifax, N.S., has arrived in town accompanied by his wife and child, to assume the position of district manager of the Confederation Life Insurance company, vacated by Melville Parry's acceptance of a similar position with the Equitable Life. Mr. McPhee will make Nelson his headquarters.

Paul Peuplier, head brewer for the Nelson Brewing company, and formerly with R. Reisterer and company, is about to change his scene of operations. Mr. Peuplier intends to build and operate a first class brewery in Vernon. He has recently returned from a trip through the Okanagan and Similkameen and is convinced that that territory offers a fine opening for a man who can make good beer. He proposes to start construction of the brewery building immediately and will install a thoroughly modern plant, costing upwards of $10,000. Mr. Peuplier has lots of backing and intends to make his Vernon brewery the equal of the best in the province.

BYRON WALKER EXPLAINS

Tells Why Government is Paying Banks To Collect American Coins.

"We want all the United States money spent in Canada possible. We want to encourage Americans to spend money here, but we want also some method of making this money circulate."

This is the statement of Byron E. Walker, general manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, in reference to the announcement of Hon. Mr. Fielding minister of finance, that the dominion of Canada had decided to pay the banks for collecting United States silver and sending it out of the country.

"What loss," Mr. Walker was asked, "does Canada suffer by reason of the circulation of United States silver here?"

"She does not suffer any loss. It is simply a question of inconvenience. We want to encourage in every way the people of the United States to trade with us; we want to make it possible for them to spend their money without discount whenever they like. In the case of notes there is no difficulty, because Canada is always paying money in New York, and the United States banks take the notes at par, but silver is a bulky, inconvenient thing to handle consequently, when it is brought to Canada, as it costs money to send it out of the country, it simply circulates around and around, without any chance of its being presented to United States institutions in payment of debts. In western Canada it is estimated that from 25 to 40 per cent of the coin circulation is in United States coin, and in all Canada it is about 15 per cent. It is now proposed that the dominion government shall pay the banks three-eighths of one per cent to collect this silver, and will pay the express charges on the silver going back to the United States. This will not wholly recoup the banks but the gain in making silver circulate like paper causes the banks to gladly co-operate."

ADVERTISING KOOTENAY FRUIT

Opportunity is Afforded Next Week at the Winnipeg Fair

An opportunity is being afforded to Nelson growers to exhibit at the Winnipeg fair which is to take place towards the end of next week. The fruit growers' association desires that the fullest advantage shall be taken. A telegram was received yesterday afternoon by James Johnstone from R. M. Palmer, fruit inspector for this province and also secretary of the bureau of information. The wire requests that growers wishing to exhibit will forward their fruit to Winnipeg through the ordinary channels on July 17, 19, 21, and 24, marking each crate distinctly "R. M. Palmer."

It is arranged that Mr. Palmer will take charge of these, placing them on exhibit fresh daily as they arrive and then selling them to the local market, giving the grower the market price of that day. Mr. Palmer desires that the fruit shall be sent daily in this manner in order to make sure it will present an inviting appearance and not appear wilted.

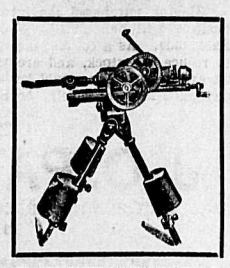
These crates will all appear as coming from the Kootenay lake section and the name of each exhibitor will be entered as in the ordinary manner. It is desired that the exhibitor will not only send upon the first day mentioned, but keep up his shipments for the four days, although it has not transpired that this is absolutely necessary. The fruit growers' association are holding a meeting on Saturday and would like by then to have the names of all those who are willing to send their fruit forward in this manner.

CROP IS UNDAMAGED

Electrical Storm Burst Fiercely Over Manitoba

Winnipeg, July 12—Enquiry throughout the west today assures that no damage to the crops whatever was done by the fierce electrical storm of last night. The same sanguine tone is noted everywhere which has prevailed throughout the season.

JACKSON HAND POWER ROCK DRILL



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DELCASSE IS EMPHATIC

THINKS GREAT BRITAIN FRANCE'S BEST ALLY

DISAPPROVES OF MOROCCAN CONFERENCE AS MISTAKE

Paris, July 12—Former foreign minister Delcasse, in the course of an interview published by the Gaulios upon the course of the French naval amenities at Brest, declares regarding his policy relative to Great Britain and Germany:

"The policy of nations nowadays is not based on sentiment or antipathy, but upon their material interests. As between Germany and Great Britain, the commercial balance shows where our interests lie. Great Britain is our best customer, while Germany buys almost nothing of us, and tries to sell us all she can. Moreover, it is evident that we could not leave open an irritating controversy with Great Britain, which might precipitate an armed struggle. Great Britain holds undisputably the empire of the sea. For every warship we build she builds four or five. The value which British co-operation would give us in certain eventualities is of the greatest intrinsic value. Such co-operation would preclude the possibility of Germany making war upon us."

Delcasse did not consider the recent menaces in connection with Morocco as serious.

"In case of war Great Britain would surely be with us against Germany. Then what would the infant fleet of Germany amount to? What would become of her ports, her commerce, her merchant marine? It would mean annihilation. That is the real significance of the present exchange of visits between British and French squadrons. An understanding between the powers and the condition of their navies would create a naval war machine so powerful that neither Germany nor any other power would risk conclusions upon the sea. It is the sea which it is necessary to command today; the war in the far east has conclusively demonstrated that."

Continuing, M. Delcasse discussed the possibility of the policy which has been pursued.

"The Anglo-French cordial understanding was an achievement towards a definite understanding between Russia and Great Britain, and this further understanding would have been the work of the French minister of foreign affairs. With success, such a task would have strengthened our influence in British councils, and assured for a long time the peace of the world."

M. Delcasse was asked for his opinion of France's accepting a conference on Morocco, to which he gave the following text: "To go to a conference is a mistake, and such a mistake."

INFLUX INTO NORTHWEST.

Startling Facts Relative to Scandinavian Immigration.

Winnipeg, July 12.—Bernhard Hage, correspondent of the Scandinavian-American press, arrived in the city today. The object of Mr. Hage's visit to Canada is to inspect the various Scandinavian colonies throughout the west.

The immigration authorities believe his letters will serve to stimulate greatly the movement of Scandinavians from the United States to Canada. Mr. Hage will go to Edmonton and will make a zigzag journey from that point home. He states that his interest in the Northwest was very much deepened when at the last meeting of the Norwegian Lutheran synod in Minneapolis, 26 new Canadian church congregations applied for admission to the association.

UTTERING BOGUS BANK BILLS

Francis Grazianna is Arrested on Criminal Charge in Vancouver.

Vancouver, July 12.—The police have arrested Francis Grazianna, charged with uttering bogus bank bills, a number of which have been passed. The notes are of the New Brunswick State bank of New Jersey, said to have been out of existence for many years.

The prisoner is believed by the police to be one of a gang engaged in circulating these bills in the British Columbia towns.

CHINA NOT A PARTY.

Disclaims All Connection With the Terms of Peace.

St. Petersburg, July 12.—According to information obtained at the foreign office, it seems that China has not asked for representation at the Washington conference, but simply notifies Russia and Japan that if she is not represented at the conference and her consent secured to any stipulations to a treaty affecting Chinese territory, she will not consider herself bound to it.

SULTAN WINS A BATTLE

Tangier, July 12.—Mohammed el Torres, the representative of the sultan here for the foreign office, has received information that the imperial forces had won a victory over the Moorish pretender near Udja, in northeast Morocco. The pretender escaped leaving 180 men dead.

ANOTHER MISSED HOLE

ITALIAN MINER IS KILLED IN THE WESTERN COLLIERY.

INQUEST ON BODY OF CARMICHAEL ELICITED NOTHING NEW.

(Special to The Daily News)

Frank, July 12.—Word was received here this afternoon from Lille that an Italian miner, named Joe Spene, had been instantly killed by a delayed shot in No. 1 mine of the Western colliery company. An inquest will be held at the place of accident tomorrow by coroner Beach.

The deceased was seriously injured in a similar accident at Coleman about a year ago.

An inquest was held here today by coroner Beach over the remains of Tom Carmichael, who was killed in the mine here yesterday in a coal chute. The jury reported the death as due to accident and no further particulars, beyond those already made public, have been elicited.

GOSSIP OF GRAND FORKS

(Special to The Daily News)

Grand Forks, July 12—A proposed amendment to the liquor license bylaw was discussed at length at last evening's meeting of the city council. The amendment provides for the abolishing of bottling licenses. No action was taken, the matter to be finally disposed of at the next meeting The council has decided to appoint a competent man to inspect 1st street bridge and if found necessary the bridge will be closed to traffic at once.

Alderman Clements, chairman of the fire, water and light committee, has recommended to the city council against purchasing the Kettle Valley railway water main on the Ruckles Addition.

It has now been ascertained that the damage done by the fire of last Saturday night far exceeds the figures first mentioned. W. K. C. Manly, the hardware merchant informed your correspondent that the damage done to his stock and store was in the neighborhood of $10,000. The damage done to Morehead's grocery and the Palm fruit store will amount to about $1000, making in all some $11,000, which is fully covered by insurance. The official appraisers of the insurance companies will be here in a few days when the exact damage done can be ascertained.

The present season has been an exceptionally good one for trout fishing in the immediate vicinity of Grand Forks. Every day fine strings of speckled beauties are caught within the city limits, but probably the largest fish of the trout species every caught in the valley was captured last evening by John Carmichael, commonly known as "Candy Jack," who succeeded in landing a trout some 24 inches in length and weighing about 10 pounds. This fine specimen was caught near the 1st street bridge.

Chief engineer Kennedy of the V. V. and E. railway, has just removed his family to Midway, which will be his headquarters for the summer. The residence lately occupied by Mr. Kennedy has been rented by Mr. Parker, who with his family is at present out camping some few miles from town.

Mr. and Mrs. Hale who have just returned home from their wedding trip to Portland, left here yesterday for Midway where they expect to make their home for the present.

Mr. Argue, superintendent of schools for Vancouver, and Mr. Thompson, high school teacher of Rossland, who have been conducting the teachers' examinations here for the past week, left yesterday for their respective homes.

YMIR NEWS NOTES

(Special to The Daily News)

Ymir, July 12—Miss Mary Keefe and Maurice Van de Bogart, both of Ymir, were united in matrimony today at Northport. The wedding party left on the morning train from here, the bride and groom being accompanied by the following: Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Rotherham, Miss Lilly Keefe, George Moffatt, and L. R. Van de Bogart. The newly married couple after the ceremony left for a trip to Rossland; after which they will return to Ymir where they will reside.

Richard R. Shrum, Ymir's boss fisherman, on Monday afternoon caught 230 brook trout in Boulder creek. N. L. Kneeland, who was with him, took out 64.

W. J. Hilligoss, chief cruiser for the Great Northern land department, is here with a party and is leaving in the morning for the head of Porcupine creek where he will examine the company's land.

ONE DOLLAR SAVED REPRESENTS TEN DOLLARS EARNED

The average man does not save to exceed ten per cent of his earnings. He must spend nine dollars in living expenses for every dollar saved. This being the case he cannot be too careful about the unnecessary epxense. Very often a few cents properly expended, like buying seeds for the garden, will save several dollars outlay later on. It is the same in buying Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It costs but a fe wcents but a bottle of it in the house often saves a doctor's bill of several dollars. For sale by all druggists and dealers.

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Synopsis of Regulations for Disposal of Mineral on Dominion Lands in Manitoba, the Northwest Territories and the Yukon Territory.

Coal—Coal lands may be purchased at $10 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 $5 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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NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

A meeting of the board of trade is called for this evening at 8:30.

The baseball game arranged with Cranbrook for today has been indefinitely postponed.

General manager McNicoll of the C.P.R., is coming west and is due to arrive in Vancouver tomorrow.

Born, in this city on Wednesday, July 12, to the wife of Frank Keeley, Cedar street, a daughter. Vancouver papers please copy.

A. A. Richardson, insurance adjuster of Vancouver, has gone to Grand Forks to appraise the loss by fire at the Manly hardware store last Saturday.

The regular weekly band concert on Ward street will be given this week on Saturday evening instead of Thursday, owing to another engagement this evening to which reference is made elsewhere.

Ralph Smith, M.P., and Walter Sloan, M.P. have returned from Ottawa and are now busily engeged in the Alberni bye-election on behalf of the liberal candidate, Hugh Aitken.

A band concert on the lake is the treat offered to Nelson by the boat club this evening. If the weather continues favorable Irwin's band will begin its program at the club house at 8 o'clock.

J. A. Thomson, dominion steamboat inspector for British Columbia, arrived in Nelson last evening. He will be in or near Nelson for about a week while he inspects all the craft on the navigable waters in Southern Kootenay.

K. Mackenzie of Winnipeg and Mrs. Mackenzie, arrived from the east last night on a summer trip. Mr. Mackenzie was a contractor on the Nelson and Fort Sheppard road during construction and knows most of Nelson's old timers.

C. H. Gibbons, the Victoria newspaperman, arrested on June 18th last for shooting J. K. Macredy, a commercial traveller, who, it is alleged had been paying undue attention to Mrs. Gibbons, has been committed for trial.

A branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce will be opened in Princeton, in the Similkameen district, in the course of a few days. C. W. Hallamore, manager of the Kamloops branch, is at present in Princeton and will in the meantime be in charge of the new agency.

"Better than ever in its history and everything pointing ahead hopefully," was the way in which S. H. C. Miner spoke of British Columbia in an interview in Vancouver. Mr. Miner is one of the most largely interested of eastern men in British Columbia resources. He gave a direct denial to the report that he was withdrawing his money from British Columbia investments. He was retiring as far as possible from active management but his money would remain, as he did not think he could place it better. Mr. Miner is a quiet man, but he became almost enthusiastic when he spoke of the Granby smelter and the mines at Phoenix. "Why," he said, "our is the only copper mine in the world that is being operated by a steam shovel. I am very glad that I ever struck British Columbia."

Fruit growers are reminded of the quarterly meeting of the British Columbia Fruit Growers' association to be held in this city on Saturday next. There will be afternoon and evening sessions and the proceedings will be of special interest to all concerned in fruit growing in Kootenay. It is earnestly desired that the attendance be as large as possible.

At last evening's regular meeting of Nelson Aerie, No. 22, F.O.E., Jacob Dover was authorized to secure as many volunteers as possible to join in the search for the missing John Meyers, who is an Eagle and a member of Nelson Aerie. Anyone willing to join in the search wil be paid his expenses on application to W. Gosnell or John Malone. Trains for Slocan Junction leave at 8:10 and 9:10 a.m.

The junior intermediate lacrosse match between Nelson and Rossland teams, will be called this afternoon at 2:30. Both teams are in good form and will probably give a good exhibition. The lineup of the home team will be Goal, Carley; point, B. Davison; cover point, Ray Ball; 1st defence, Manhart; 2nd, Blackwell; 3rd, Johnson; centre Greyerbiehl; 3rd home, R. Bell; 2nd, Edwards; 1st, Jackson; outside, L. Jackson; inside, Kinahan; W. McCulloch of the Nelson seniors will referee.

GOOD PLAY AND GOOD ACTORS

Success Scored in "Siberia" Last Night at the Opera House

Those of Nelson's citizens who have not yet been to see and hear the new company that is now at the opera house ought to take the opportunity before the end of the week. The company although new to this city is nevertheless worthy of support and is far in advance of most that come to the city. Indeed one enthusiastic lady, a spectator, was last night heard to remark that the company was indeed the best. This is high praise but those who will go will want to repeat their visit.

The play last night was a tragedy, and a tragedy well acted. The heroine, Helene Warde, was tragic, but properly so and lived her part. And this praise can be well shared by Hayden Stevenson, who was distinctly above the average. The company in general well supported the leading parts and Sydney Platt, Theo. Joos and Ivy Lyons in particular distinguished themselves.

The staging was also excellent and the scenery, especially in the fourth and fifth acts, was noteworthy. The same play will be repeated this evening.

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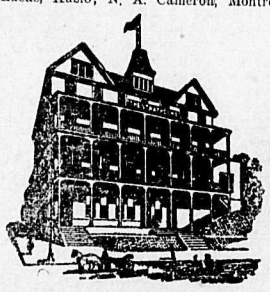

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HOOKER PROCEEDINGS

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Albany, July 12—A sensation was introduced in the Hooker proceedings before the legislature today. John R. Staunchfield, counsel for justice Hooker read aloud an editorial in the New York press. It charged that powerful influences are at work to keep justice Hooker on the bench and refers to the use of politics and boodle.

Senator Raines introduced a resolution to subpoena Ervin Wardman, another of the press, to give testimony on the case before the legislature. The motion was carried and Mr. Wardman has been commanded to appear at once.

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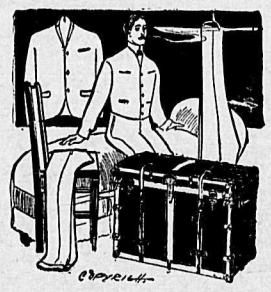

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