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ROCKS SOLD AS ORCHARD

Pillsbury Land Company Creates Boom in Fruit Land

Kootenay Mountains Offered for Sale in Minnesota in 20-Acre Lots--Many Unfortunates Purchase

Letters in considerable numbers are being received in Nelson from Minneapolis, and other American cities, where a boom has been created in Kootenay lands, the property of the Pillsbury Western Canada Land Company.

Two were handed to The Daily News yesterday, one from Marshalltown, Iowa, and one from Minneapolis. In each case the writer is a purchaser, who wishes to know the value of his acquisition.

As has already been stated the Pillsbury company holds the northeastern part of the tract alleged to have been purchased from the G.N.R. company by the Rutherford syndicate. The railway company first reserved out of its grant all the low lying land which is or may be made arable. Its reserve includes all its land which approaches the shores of Kootenay lake, and also all that lies in the valleys of permanent streams.

The rest was valued at five cents an acre and is said to have been sold at that price. It may be found to contain small areas of possible ranch land, overlooked by the officials of the Great Northern company's land department when they were making their reserve. But the greater proportion of it, at least 90 per cent, consists of barren rock, mountain peak or side, at an average elevation of 4,000 feet above sea level. Unless it contains mineral it has no value at all.

Kootenay is a very mountainous country. Its fruit lands, which are deservedly famous, are limited in area, consisting only of strips of shore of the lakes and rivers. None of it can now be purchased for $1.00 an acre, the price modestly asked by the Pillsbury company for its tract of country rock.

The unfortunate investors may, if they wish, still secure good fruit land round Kootenay lake at fair figures; they will find Nelson a charming city and may easily secure employment here. But they will find the land which they have bought in good faith to be utterly worthless.

Every organization in Nelson which is interested in the welfare of the city and district, is doing its utmost to expose and prevent the misrepresentation of snow clad piles of rock as rich orchard land.

The company's two column advertisement in Minneapolis papers naively describes its land as "over-looking the metropolis of Kootenay, Nelson." It does, as the summit of the Rockies overlooks the fertile valleys of California. But the beauty of Nelson can be appreciated without investment in seats on neighboring mountain peaks.

SEIZURE ON HIGH SEAS.

Appeal on at Victoria in the North Case.

(Special to The Daily News)

Victoria, March 14.—In the supreme court today the appeal in the case of the ship North vs. the King, was heard and judgment reserved.

The judgment appealed from was rendered by Mr. justice Martin, the local judge of the admiralty court for the district of British Columbia, and confiscated the American schooner North, her boats, tackle, rigging, a part of her furniture, stores and cargo, for illegal fishing on 8th July, 1905, within the three mile limit off Vancouver island, with four dories out for that purpose. On being pursued by the Canadian protection cruiser Kestrel, she picked up two of the dories and stood out to sea. The Kestrel followed here and after picking up another of her dories and while in continuous pursuit, overhauled and seized the North, and her three doriesxti ed the North, about two miles out side the three mile limit. The North and her dories were then towed into the winter harbor of Quatsino sound where the fourth dory was also seized when it came in.

The chief ground of appeal was the insufficiency of evidence of illegal fishing and that her seizure outside the three mile limit and on the high seas was illegal.

TERRIFIC HURRICANE.

Wipes Two Pacific Islands Off the Map of South Seas.

Auckland, New Zealand, March 14.—The steamer Tavinui, from Samoa islands has arrived here bringing additional news of the storm which swept over the Society, Paumotu and Collas islands on February 7 and 8. The first indication of the tempest described at Papiti were the falling of the barometer on February 6, and increasing sea on February 7. The breaking of the waves on the foreshore caused the natives to evacuate their houses and move to higher ground. On the morning of February 8, the seas increased, many houses were shattered and trees were levelled by the tornado. At noon the worst of the storm had passed. The only white person who is known to have perished was a man named Lebolach, a caretaker who was drowned. The damage to the harbor at Papiti is estimated at $600,000 and on the whole island of Tahiti $900,000. It is believed that three schooners were lost at sea.

The warship Zeela reports that Paumotu, a low archipelago suffered more severely. The small islands of Vaero and Hikuru are said to have disappeared. Heavy seas swept over many islands the natives seeking refuge by climbing cocoa palms. Six lives were lost on the island of Tohiti including father Paul, a Roman Catholic missionary, who after having sought refuge in a tree for several hours, fell into the waves. Twenty-five persons were drowned on Ame island on which the once beautiful district of Tuirare was reduced to a bare coral strand. There were six deaths on the island of Motutonga, where native divers saved the lives of many people, who had been in the water 12 hours. It will probably be some time before the damage to the Paumotu islands is known.

SLAUGHTER UNAVOIDABLE

Moro Women Wore Trousers, After Custom of Mohammedan People.

Washington, March 14.—A cablegram from general Wood, regarding criticisms of the recent battle of Mount Dajo, on the island of Jolo, together with correspondence between the president and secretary of war Taft, on the subject, were made public today. General Wood's cablegram was in answer to one sent to him at the direction of secretary Taft, who called attention to the criticisms of "wanton slaughter of Moros," and asked him to send particulars.

General Wood's reply denies that there was any wanton slaghter and says a considerable number of women and children were killed in the fight because they were actually in the works when it was assaulted and that Moro women wore trousers and that the children were used as shields. The reply was sent by secretary Taft to the president with a note in which secretary Taft says that general Wood's answer seems to him to show most clearly that the unfortunate loss of life was wholly unavoidable to which the president replied that general Wood's andswer "is, of course, entirely satisfactory."

NEWS OF THE DOMINION

YESTERDAY'S HAPPENINGS ALL OVER CANADA.

RECENT OCCURRENCES OF VERY GENERAL INTEREST.

Toronto, March 14.—A. McIntosh Fisher, a Toronto World reporter, and Wallace Laut, a London newspaperman, both of whom are charged with theft of a document, the property of the Ontario government, are fugitives from justice. The authorities are of the opinion that they are both hiding in the United States. A description of the two men has been sent to the principal United States cities, and an arrest is looked for soon.

Six hundred settlers and 60 cars of effects left here yesterday for the Canadian west. From advices received before North Bay was reached, another 400 joined the stream of migrators to the golden west.

Halifax, March 14.—Hon. Angus McMillan, the "grand old man" of Prince Edward Island provincial politics, died at his home at Wheatley river last night, aged 89 years. He was provincial treasurer and commissioner of crown lands from 1891 to 1897 when he retired from politics. He represented Summerside from 1876 up to his retirement.

The funeral of the late archbishop O'Brien, which took place this morning was one of largest and most imposing of the kind ever seen here. The clergy were represented from all parts of the province as well as Montreal and Ottawa including monsignor Sbaretti, the apostolic delegate. The interment took place at Holy Cross cemetery.

Havelock, Ont., March 14.—There is much suppressed excitement here over the discovery of silver reported to have been made some months ago by a resident of this town named McMillan. McMillan refuses to divulge the location of the silver deposit, but admits that it is in the township of Belmont, near Havelock.

Calgary, March 14.—The Bradstreet company, who have had a representative stationed here for some time past, have decided to open a fully equipped office. This move on their part is greatly appreciated, particularly by the local bankers and wholesalers and also by that trade which is more or less tributary to Calgary.

Hamilton, March 14.—The jury yesterday brought in a verdict of guilty against W. J. Walsh, charged jointly with members of the Master Plumbers' Association with conspiracy to restrain trade. Walsh was allowed to go on bail pending an appeal.

St. Catherines, March 14.—Among the names of the 17 United States soldiers who were killed in the recent attack on Moro outlaws in the Philippines, appears that of Louis Herr, of Ontario. He was a St. Catherines boy, 21 years old, but had served in the American army for seven years.

RUSSIAN GUARDS MUTINY.

St. Petersburg, March 14.—The rumor that the officers of a regiment of the guards had met and resigned in a body upon receiving orders recently to go to the Baltic provinces and participate in the pacification of the country was confirmed today. The officers belonged to the first regiment of artillery of the guards.

DOWIE'S DOMESTIC TROUBLES

Chicago, March 14.—Mrs. John Alexander Dowie, in an interview yesterday, according to the Chronicle, denies that there has been any estrangement between herself and Mr. Dowie, She was much affected by the published reports declaring that there was no foundation whatever for them. Her separation from her husband, she said, was due entirely to his impaired health, and to no domestic troubles. Asked if it were true that she had decided to cast her lot with Dowie's followers in Zion City, she replied: "I have cast my lot with John Alexander and shall remain faithful to him to the end."

FERNIE BY-LAW.

Supreme Court Quashes Company's Right to Supply Water.

(Special to The Daily News)

Victoria, March 4.—A bylaw of the city of Fernie granting to the Crow's Nest Pass Electric & Power company, the right to supply water to the city for a period of ten years, was this morning quashed by Mr. justice Irving. This action was taken on the application of J. A. Maclean of the city of Fernie. There appeared for him J. A. Macdonald, K.C., of Rossland. The city of Fernie was represented by A E. McPhillips, K.C., of this city. There also appeared J. Lawson on behalf of the Crows Nest Pass Electric & Power company, which asked to be represented in the proceedings as an intervener.

WILSON RESIGNS.

Victoria, March 14.—Attorney general Charles Wilson has sent in his resignation as a member of the McBride government. Mr. Wilson is at present in Ottawa. Hon. F. J. Fulton, provincial secretary, takes temporary charge of the attorney general's department.

CONFERENCE OPENS

Last Efforts Being Made to Avert the Big Coal Strike.

Indianapolis, March 14.—The series of meetings, the convention and conference, at Indianapolis in which an effort is to be made to deal with the labor crisis in the coal industry, was opened today by the sessions of the international executive board of the United Mine Workers. The miners special convention will begin tomorrow. All of the delegates that have arrived in the city thus far seem confident that a grave situation confronts them. A majority believe that there will be a strike on April 1. President Mitchell said today that the anthracite miners would hold another convention but that it would not be held until after the Indianapolis convention and joint conference. The international executive board's session today was held behind closed doors.

BIG MAJORITY

Liberal Elected in North Cape Breton For the Commons.

Halifax, March 14.—The election for the house of commons for the constituency of North Cape Breton and Victoria, rendered necessary by the appointment of the sitting member D. D. Mackenzie, to the bench, which took place today, resulted in the return of A. C. Ross, liberal, over ohn McCormick, conservative, by a majority of about 900.

At the last general election Mr. Mackenzie defeated Mr. McCormick by 51 of a majority.

MONTREAL'S HEAVY LOSS

CITY CALLED UP ON TO PAY HUGE SUM.

END OF LENGTHY AND COSTLY LITIGATION.

Montreal, March 14.—The city of Montreal is called upon to pay claims amounting to between a quarter and a half million dollars by the judgment given by the privy council in London, today in the case of the city of Montreal vs. Cantin.

Cantin contested the assessment roll for the Notre Dame street expropriation. The case was fought through the courts and the city won. But this took three years from the time the roll had been deposited, and when the supreme court rendered judgment against him Cantin refused to pay, claiming that the debt had been prescribed. The case was again fought in the courts, and as the supreme court held that prescription applied, the city appealed to the privy council, who today gave judgment in favor of Cantin.

On the result of this appeal over 60 similar cases were depending.

SMELTER MANAGER RESIGNS

Victoria, March 14.—Thomas C. Kiddie, until recently manager of the Crofton smelter, is in the city. Mr. Kiddie confirms the report that he has severad his connection with that company and has, with his two sons ,withdrawn from any connection therewith. Questioned with regard to the reasons for his retirement Mr. Kiddie said he prefered not to discuss them. He has been with the Britannia people for four months and previous to that was superintendent of the Tyee smelter for four years. His successor has not yet been appointed. H. C. Bellinger is now at Crofton.

WILL VISIT THE KING

London, March 14.—The Chronicle says that Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, when they visit London in June, will make a stay at Buckingham palace as the guests of the king. They will also visit ambassador and Mrs. Reid.

MAY PROROGUE TOMORROW.

Winnipeg, March 14.—The Manitoba legislature is expected to prorogue on Friday.

TERROR WAS OUTCLASSED

Terry McGovern Finds He is no Match for the Battling Dane

Fight at Philadelphia is Looked Upon as a Fake by the Witnesses--Nelson Had Easily Best of Fighting

Philadelphia, March 14.—The lightweight match between Terry McGovern and Battling Nelson for a six round bout ended in a draw as there was no knock out and as the rules of the association prevent any decision being given under such circumstances. The fight, however, was all in favor of Nelson who had the best of all the rounds.

McGovern entered the ring at 10.05. He was given a tremendous ovation. His seconds were Hughy McGovern, Joe Humphreys, John Burdick, Samuel Harris and Terry Lee. Nelson came on at about the same time. He was followed by his manager, Billy Nolan, Kid Abell, Addie Kelly and Johnny Loftus, his seconds. The cheering for the Dane had scarcely ceased when the scales were brought into the ring and the weighing was done in full view of the spectators. The exact weights were not announced, but both were under 133 pounds. After a flashlight picture had been taken of the two men, the referee called the men to the centre of the ring and gave them instructions. A moment later the fight was on.

For the first three rounds the fight was a disappointment to the 5000 persons who paid fancy prices to witness the bout. There were scarcely half a dozen hard blows struck, the men wrestling from one end of the ring to the other with the referee powerless to separate them. It had been agreed that the referee was not to lay hands on the men but simply to warn them to step back when they rushed to the clinch. The repeated warnings had no effect on the fighters, and the crowd hissed and groaned, and cried "Fake," and "Take them out of the ring." At the beginning of the fourth round the men began to fight as though they meant business. Nelson kept right after McGovern and used a straight left to advantage. McGovern frequently countered with hard lefts and rights, but his blows failed to make an impression. At the close of the fifth round McGovern went to his corner in distress. When the men came up for the final round Nelson sent a left to the jaw and McGovern rushed to a clinch. His seconds cried, "Hold on Terry, hold on," and never were instructions carried out more thoroughly.

Every time that Nelson landed a stiff blow McGovern grabbed him around the body and hung on until Nelson threw him off by sheer force. It is doubtful if McGovern could have stood the gruelling for another round. There was some rough work in the early rounds by the Dane. He frequently used his right elbow and bored into McGovern repeatedly. As no decisions are rendered when both men are on their feet it is classed as a draw. Neither man was knocked down, during the fight but McGovern slipped to the floor in the fifth round while trying to escape the Dane.

Round 1.—Nelson missed a left and both clinched and it was 20 seconds before they were separated. The crowd hissed and Nelson led with left to head. They again clinched and the referee warned McGovern for holding. There was another clinch and McGovern sent a hard left to the head. They were clinched at the bell, and as they went to their corners there was nothing but hisses.

Round 2.—McGovern missed a left for wind, and then they began to clinch. McGovern sent left to wind and right to head. They rushed to a clinch and then McGovern drove a right to the head, which jarred the Battler. Nelson was cautioned for using his shoulder. Nelson missed a straight left, and again they clinched. The boys did not move six feet from the centre of the ring and were still clinched at the bell. Groans and hisses greeted them as they went to their corners.

Round 3.—McGovern tried the left to wind twice, but was blocked in both attempts. They clinched, and the referee could not get them to break. Nelson drove two lefts to face, and there was the same old clinch. McGovern drove a left to the jaw and missed a hard right. McGovern uppercut with a hard right, and then sent in a straight left to the jaw. Nelson sent a left to the head, and ducked a vicious left. Nelson sent another left to the face and they were clinched at the gong.

Round 4.—McGovern swung wild with his right, but drove a left to the wind, Nelson sent a left to the face, and then they clinched and wrestled across the ring, Nelson pounding McGovern's kidneys in the clinch. Nelson sent a light left to face, and McGovern missed a swing for the jaw. Nelson was growing stronger, while McGovern seemed to be weakening. Nelson sent a hard left and right to the jaw and McGovern was weak as he went to his corner. It was the first round in which there was any real fighting.

Round 5.—McGovern sent a left to the head, and Nelson countered with a left to the wind. Nelson sent a light left to the stomach. McGovern rushed to a clinch and refused to break when told by the referee. McGovern sent three lefts to the face, but the blows did not have any apparent effect on Nelson. When they broke, Nelson drove a terrible right to McGovern's jaw, which made the Brooklyn boy wobble. They clinched and as they broke away the bell sounded.

Round 6.—Nelson missed a right swing and then rushed to a clinch. McGovern missed a right for the wind, and then sent a right uppercut to the wind. Nelson sent a light left to the face and then missed a terrible right for McGovern's chin. Nelson drove McGovern into a neutral corner and landed two hard blows on the wind. McGovern was almost out when the gong sounded.

It was Nelson's fight.

TO COMBAT SOCIALISM

New League Has Been Formed in Great Britain.

London, March 14.—A new organization entitled the Citizens' National League was launched here today. The primary object is to combat all forms of state or municipal socialism and municipal extravagance. Sir Edward Sassoon, the well known Indian merchant, and marquis Douro, the eldest son of the duke of Wellington, and a member of parliament, are among the organizers, who expect the league to exercise a large influence in shaping legislation. A wide democratic net has been spread to catch members. Every adult British subject is eligible to membership.

ST. JOHN RELEASED.

Miners Union Official Was Improperly Held By Authorities.

Boise, Idaho, March 14.—Vincent St. John, president of the miners' union at Burke, Idaho, who was arrested on February 18, charged with complicity in the assassination of former governor Steunenberg, was released today on a writ of habeas corpus granted by judge George N. Stewart of the district court. Judge Stewart said that the probate judges ceased to have jurisdiction over St. John after March 2 when his preliminary examination should have been held.

PLOT AGAINST KING VICTOR.

New York, March 14.—A cable despatch to the Herald from Rome says: The Gazetta del Tribunal says that a prisoner who is ill in the infirmary of a prison, has confessed that he was present at a meeting of anarchist in which a plot was concocted to kill the king of Italy on the occasion of the inauguration of the Milan exhibition on April 18. A searching investigation of his story has been ordered.

DEAN SMITH ILL

Kingston, March 14.—Dean Smith of St. Georges cathedral was stricken with paralysis at service yesterday but regained consciousness during the night. While his condition is critical, he is holding his own. Dr. Smth is about 70 years of age.

GOVERNOR JONES DEAD

OLD TIME LIBERAL PASSES TO HIS LONG REST.

ENTERED THE DOMINION HOUSE IN 1872.

Halifax, March 14.—Lieutenant governor Jones of Nova Scotia, died tonight. Governor Jones retired as usual last night and awoke shortly after midnight complaining of a pain in the chest, and passed away before medical aid arrived. Heart failure was the cause. He was 82 years of age, and was lieutenant governor since 1900.

[Alfred Gilpin Jones was born at Weymouth, N.S., on the 28th of September, 1824, a grandson of captain Jones of the King's American Dragoons, who came to Nova Scotia at the close of the revolutionary war. He was educated at Yarmouth academy, Weymouth, and went into the shipping business, becoming a leading merchant in the West India trade. Entering the dominion house in 1872 he represented Halifax county and city at Ottawa until 1887, during which time he was minister of militia and defence during the administration of Alexander McKenzie. Afterwards he was appointed to the legislative council of Nova Scotia and in 1896 represented the Canadian government at the conference at the British colonial office on the Pacific cable. In 1900 he was appointed lieutenant governor of Nova Scotia.

UP AGAINST IT.

Kansas' Big Fight Against the Railroad Rebates.

Kansas City, March 14.—The interstate commerce commission today completed its investigations into the methods of the Standard Oil Company and the railroads in dealing with the independent dealers of Kansas. The committee adjourned to meet at a time and place to be designated later. Commissioner Cockrell tonight said; "This is just a start, we will go to Washington and investigate the oil and coal business. We must secure a great deal of information from the railroads. The question of the ownership of the railroads must be settled; the trouble will come when we undertake to learn the ownership of all these concerns."

DECLARE LARGE PROFIT.

Toronto, March 14.—The annual meeting of the Canadian General Electric Company was held here at noon today. The profits for the year amount to $936,000, an increase of $25,000.

SUPPRESS BLACK HUNDRED.

St. Petersburg, March 14.—At today's session of the cabinet premier Witte, who was warmly supported by prince Alexis Obolinsky, procurator general of the holy synod, count John Tolstoi, minister of education, insisted upon the suppression of the organization known as the league of the Russian people, through which the agitation of the reactionary "black hundred" is propagated. It is reported that he was forced to arrive at this decision but this is not absolutely confirmed.

FOR STANLEY CUP.

Ottawa is Defeated by Wanderers With a Large Score.

Montreal, March 14.—In the first of the two games to decide the tie for the championship of the eastern Canada hockey league, with which will go the possession of the Stanley cup, the Wanderers of Montreal defeated Ottawa here tonight by nine goals to one.

Upwards of 6,000 people saw the game. The champions were played off their feet from the start of the game. The half time score was four to nothing.

The second of the two games will be played in Ottawa on Saturday, majority of goals in the two games to count. Speculators sold for $10 each the $1 seats.

CANTON-HANKOW RAILWAY.

Canton, March 14.—The rush of applicants for shares of the Canton-Hankow railway issued today was so great that the streets were blocked with Chinese and the soldiers were called out to maintain order. The concession of the Canton-Hankow railway was controlled by J. Pierpont Morgan of New York until China cancelled it in August last, paying to the owners of the road, the American-China Development Company, $6,750,000.

ABOLISH HARBOR BOARD.

Montreal, March 14.—Both the council of the board of trade and the chamber of commerce at their meetings today passed resolutions calling upon the dominion government to abolish the harbor board which at the present time manages or mismanages the port of Montreal.

The meetings of the board have in the last two years become farcical, the members generally undoing at one meeting all that they decided to do at the previous meeting.

IN THE NICK OF TIME

PART OF CREW OF CATTLE BOAT PICKED UP IN ATLANTIC.

VESSEL FOUNDERED AT THE MOMENT OF RESCUE.

Boston, March 14.—The Phoenix line steamer British King, foundered at sea last Sunday and only 28 out of 56 on board are known to have been saved. News of the disaster was brought to this port today by the Leland line steamer Bostonian from Liverpool. The British King was bound for Antwerp from New York. The disaster is said to have been caused by barrels of oil and other wreckage which had been lost from the vessel in a violent storm and which the waves threw back against the hull until an aperture was made through which the water rushed. The Bostonian had on board 17 of the survivors, the 11 others known to have escaped were picked up by the German tank steamer Manheim from Hamburg to New York.

The survivors on the Bostonian say that there is little doubt that the 28 missing persons perished. Among the rescued was captain James O'Hagan of the British King, but he died later on board the Bostonian from the effects of his injuries. Among the others rescued by the Bostonian were Thomas Flanagan, the second officer, J. D. Crawford, the chief engineer, Adolphus Breck, the fourth engineer and W. J. Curry the steward. The rescue work of the Manheim and the Bostonion was effected at the risk of the lives of the rescuers. The first boat launched by the Bostonian was crushed to pieces in the sea and the boat's crew were saved with difficulty. The second boat was at once launched and the crew on this succeeded in taking off 13 men from the sinking steamer including captain O'Hagan. After the sailors had been placed on the Bostonian this life boat too was smashed and the crew, like the other, was in grave danger but eventually all were taken from the water.

The five others rescued by the Bostonian were removed from a piece of wreckage to which they were found clinging by a boat's crew from the Bostonian after the British King had gone to the bottom. The five included second officer Flanagan, chief engineer Crawford, fourth engineer Breck, and two cattlemen. The British King was lost near Sable island in one of the most powerful gales ever witnessed by the sailors. The rescue of 11 of the crew of the British King by the steamer Manheim was equally as thrilling and fraught with as great danger as that performed by the men from the Bostonian.

DISARMING THE COLONY.

Kingston, Jamaica, March 14.—As a result of the new policy followed by Great Britain in the disposition of her naval and military forces, the local legislature today refused to pass the appropriation for the maintenance of the Jamaica militia which, with the exception of probably 100 men of the artillery for garrison duty, will be disbanded.

DIED OF HEART DISEASE.

Kingston, March 14.—Gorge Richardson, of the firm of James Richardson & Sons, one of the largest grain dealers in the dominion died this morning in Bermuda whither he had gone for his health. Heart disease is supposed to have been the cause of his death, as that was his ailment. He was about 55 years of age.

YORK LOAN CASE.

Toronto, March 14.—Before chancellor Boyd this morning Mr. Duvernet, on behalf of Joseph Phillips, president of the York County Loan and Savings Company, made a motion for an order insructing the crown to give further particulars of the charges against Phillips. Chancellor Boyd asked Duvernet for more authority to show why a higher court should interfere with the lower and reserved his decision.

MADE A PENAL OFFENCE.

Washington, March 14.—Representative Hearst introduced a bill today prohibiting secret rebates, discriminations and concessions and providing imprisonment from one to ten years as a punishment for giving or receiving such concessions or rebates.

CONFERENCE IS STOPPED

France and Germany Both Reluctant to Make Concessions

Other Delegates Are Powerless to do Anything Further--Germany Talking of Austria's Irreducible Minimum

Algeciras, March 14.—The Moroccan conference has reached a peculiar stage. It is completely helpless to solve the deadlock which has arisen over the remaining details of the police and bank questions. The sessions are temporarily suspended, without knowing when they will be summoned. The French and German delegates are bound by their instructions and therefore unable to make any further concessions and the conference, not having judicial or representative powers, cannot settle the differences by a majority. It remains for the governments themselves to intervene.

Berlin, March 14.—This is regarded here as the critical period of the Algeciras conference, the German government through diplomatic channels, is expressing to the powers, not directly concerned in the controversy, its determination to yield no further. Germany depends to some extent on the advice of the neutral powers to persuade France to accept the irreducible minimum contained in the Austrian proposals, although the precise functions of the international inspectorship will be subject to regulations yet to be agreed upon. King Edward, it is asserted here, is exerting his personal influence with the United States in an effort to induce them to become conciliatory.

FRENCH POLICY STEADY

WILL PERSIST IN SEPARATION OF CHURCH AND STATE.

MAKES NO CHANGE IN ATTITUDE AS TO MOROCCO.

Paris, March 14.—The new ministry presented itself to the chamber of deputies today and outlined its policy as follows.

"The government intends to carry out the church and state separation law with inflexible determination and to establish responsibility for the resistance to the taking of inventories.

"Concerning Morocco we intend to follow the policy of the preceding ministry, hoping that the equity and dignity of our position will permit an early and satisfactory solution.

"The cabinet approves of the French-Russian alliance."

NARROW ESCAPE.

Two Men Nearly Drowned at Carson Bridge—Personals.

(Special to The Daily News)

Grand Forks, March 14.—To be upset from a boat into fifteen feet of icy water with a blizzard blowing 30 miles an hour, was the painful experience of R. Hull, and O. G. Ableman, two of the bridge crew at present engaged in the construction of the Carson bridge. While the two men were employed in taking soundings in a row boat on Monday the current upset the boat. The men managed to get to the shore after a hard struggle. They were assisted up to the bridge by the rest of the crew, in a thoroughly benumbed and speechless condition.

Owing to the delay in the shipping of some heavy span timbers from the coast, work on the Carson bridge has been somewhat delayed. It is stated that should the timbers arrive here this week the bridge will be completed within a month.

Messrs. McDonald, proprietors of the Grand Forks steel works, have ordered $4,000 worth of machinery from the Jenckes Machine Company of Sherbrooke, Quebec, the machinery to be delivered here within three months.

Ex-alderman Neil McCallum and Mrs. McCallum returned yesterday from a two months trip through eastern Canada, Mr. McCallum says that the weather in the east has been extremely mild all winter.

INSURANCE COMMISSION.

Superintendent of Insurance Examined Before the Commons.

(Special to The Daily News)

Ottawa, March 14.—The insurance commission met here today and held its first business session. The provinces of Quebec and Ontario, as well as the dominion were represented by counsel.

Today's proceedings were confined to the examination of W. Fitzgerald, dominion superintendent of isurance, who testified to the manner in which the work of inspection was carried on. He pointed out that the securities which were deposited by insurance companies were carefully inspected each year. He did not know of a case in which the department had to call upon any company to increase its securities because of depreciation. The companies afays did so voluntarily. Several Canadian companies deposited more than was necessary by law because they thought it helped them in getting more business. Some provincial companies thought they had a right to do business in other provinces without a dominion license.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.

New York, March 14.—Majestic from Liverpool.

Halifax, March 14.—Sicilian from Liverpool.

Liverpool, March 14.—Southwark from Portland.

Queenstown, March 14.—Teutonic from New York; Saxonia from Boston.

CHICK FOOD

Holly Chick Food, 100 lb. sacks
Beef Scraps, 10 lb. sacks
Granulated Charcoal
Fine Bone Meal
Poultry Tonic
Carnefac Poultry Food
Carnefac Stock Food

The Hudson's Bay Stores

Imperial Bank of Canada

HEAD OFFICE: TORONTO

CAPITAL PAID UP .....$3,880,000 REST $3,880,000

D. R. WILKIE, President. ROBERT JAFFRAY, Vice-President.

Branches in British Columbia

ARROWHEAD, CRANBROOK, GOLDEN, NELSON, REVELSTOKE, TROUT LAKE, VANCOUVER, VICTORIA.

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT

Deposits received and interest allowed at current rates from date of opening account and credited half-yearly.

Nelson Branch J. M. Lay, Manager

The Canadian Bank of Commerce

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PROOF OF MALADMINISTRATION

Consideration of the following facts will serve to give point to the contention so frequently advanced in these columns that the McBride government have signally failed to properly administer the assets of the province.

A land subsidy of 20,000 acres per mile was granted to the British Columbia Southern Railway company, then known as the Crow's Nest and Kootenay railway, by chapter 40 of the provincial statutes of 1890. In pursuance of this Act on the 18th of August, 1899, and again on 3rd of October, 1901, seven parcels of land were granted to the said railway, amounting in all to 3,755,733 acres, from which the following acreage must be subtracted: Sold and agreed, 76,417, dominion government 50,000, Morrissey townsite 371, Fernie townsite 640, and the Crew's Nest Pass Coal company 215,548, in all 342,548 acres, leaving a balance of 3,413,184 acres

By section 11 of the said Act it was provided as follows: "The lands acquired by the company shall not be subject to taxation unless and until the same are used by the company for other than railway purposes, or leased, sold or alienated, so long as such lands shall be offered by the company for sale and settlement upon liberal terms, to the satisfaction of the lieutenant governor in council, and the capital stock and all property, other than lands aforesaid, shall be free from provincial and municipal taxation until the expiration of ten years from the completion of the railway."

By order in council 781, dated 6th day of December, 1899, by arrangement between the railway company and the province, it was provided as follows:

"On the recommendation of the honorable the chief commissioner of lands and works, and under the provisions of 53 Vic., Chap. 40, his honor the lieutenant governor of British Columbia, by and with the advice of the executive council, doth order as follows: That the terms upon which the British Columbia Southern Railway company shall offer their lands for sale and settlement shall be the same as are provided for by the land laws of this province. That a certified copy of the enclosed report of the chief commissioner of lands and works be forwarded to Mr. L. A. Hamilton, the local commissioner for the British Columbia Southern Railway company."

The aforesaid 3,413,184 acres have not been offered for sale under the conditions set out in the order in council above quoted, which has as a matter of fact, been absolutely ignored by the railway company. Notwithstanding this, it is a fact that no portion of these lands has been assessed or taxed as required by the laws of this province, and whilst the government are well aware that this is the actual state of affairs, they have not taken any steps to assess or tax these lands.

Further by chapter 8 of the statutes of 1896 a land subsidy was granted to the Columbia and Western Railway company on certain lands upon specific conditions therein set out and under the terms of this act 543,312 acres of land were conveyed to this railway company under date of October 3, 1903. These lands were to be taxed when alienated by the company or agreed to be sold.

The Columbia and Western Railway company conveyed or agreed to sell 271,656 acres to F. Augustus Heinze, of Butte Montana, as appears by the public records of this province, by a written agreement dated March 18, 1898. Yet the McBride government, which came into office on June 1st, 1903, have neglected their duty since that time to tax the land of the British Columbia Southern Railway company and the lands of F. Augustus Heinze.

The loss of revenue to the province of British Columbia by reason of the government's failure to perform their plain duty in this regard, is upwards of $450,000 since the first day of June, 1903.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Toronto News: Mr. R. L. Borden, speaking in New York before the civic federation put the essentials of good government into three proposals: Honest expenditure and appropriation of public money, the appointment of public officials upon considerations of efficiency and personal character, and not of party service, and clean elections. We imagine Mr. Borden would have been well advised in putting his second proposition first. The reform of civil service would do a great deal towards clean elections and honest administration. Under present conditions in Canada an appreciable proportion of "the workers" in any election have one ideal, a job. The more earnestly they work the more likely they are to secure some appointment when their party comes to power. To bring that party to power quickly, or to keep it in power as the case may be, becomes a personal consideration with this sort of politician, and if there is a screw loose in his moral machinery corruption is the result. If only successful candidates in a competitive examination were admitted to the service, if efficiency rather than party service, was demanded, the country would soon get rid of the politicians for revenue only, and at least some of the expenditure of public money for the debauchery of constituencies would cease.

Calgary Albertan: "The board of trade of Regina proposes to ask the city council for $10,000 to spend in publicity purposes. The Calgary board of trade nearly took the breath away from the aldermen of Calgary when the asked for an appropriation of $5000. Calgary is a much larger city than Regina, but it will not continue to be larger very long if the Calgary city council overlooks ordinary business principles in dealing with civic affairs." Nelson is not quite so large a city as either Calgary or Regina, but based on the figures quoted above the city council should make a liberal grant to the publicity scheme now well underway, provided there is a reasonable guarantee that the funds will be carefully and wisely spent and properly accounted for.

The first session of the Alberta legislature opens at Edmonton today, marking an epoch in the affairs of this new western province. Premier Rutherford is credited by even the opposition press with good intentions, and as the Calgary Herald says, "the government enters on its duties under the most favorable auspices." The Herald closes a lengthy editorial on the opening of the session, by saying, "the efficient legislation is demanded, and nothing else will satisfy the public generally, regardless of party feeling."

MUST NOT DEFRAUD.

Postmaster General Warns Against Misuse of Dominion Mails.

Postmaster Gibson has received a circular from the postmaster general, Hon. A. B. Aylesworth, calling attention to acts to defraud the dominion of postal revenue and ordering prosecution of all offenders.

Special attention is called to three particular offences: the using of postage stamps already used and cancelled, the removing of marks from cancelled stamps with fraudulent intention, and the attempt to enclose in a parcel or newspaper any writing or communication serving the purpose of a letter or post card. In the third instance printed circulars or statements are exempt from the prohibition.

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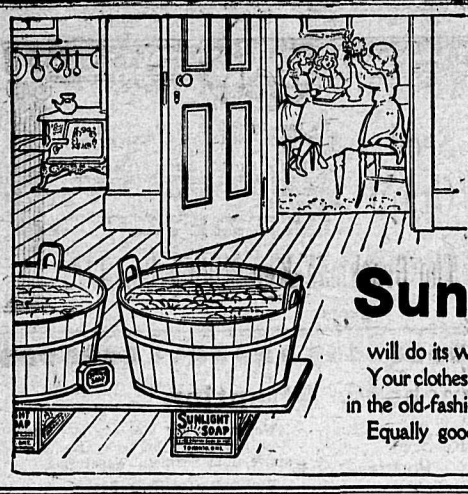

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The Nelson University Club, which is responsible for the agitation of the last few years in favor of a provincial university, and indirectly provoked the legislation of the session of the provincial legislature just closed, making temporary provision for university teaching in provincial high schools by the faculty of McGill university, is again to the fore with definite proposals for the future.

Since bills 23 and 24 have become law, they have been the subject of discussion in all parts of the province among university graduates, and all who are connected with the teaching profession as teachers or trustees.

The arrangements made by the government with the authorities of McGill University have been generally approved, but everywhere it has been emphasized that the province, independently of any extra-provincial institution.

"British Columbia is the largest and potentially the richest of all the provinces of the dominion. It should therefore have eventually a university establishment proportionate to its wealth and importance.

"While the present population of British Columbia is not great enough to support such an establishment, it is of the greatest importance that provision should be made at once for a future foundation. The present arrangement with McGill University is guaranteed for only five years, at the termination of that period the government should be in a position to safeguard its own institutions and reserve their support for a future provincial university.

"Early provision would also have an invaluable result in preventing the dissipation of the resources and energies of the people in the foundation and maintenance the provision is only temporary, and that steps should be taken at once looking to a permanent provincial foundation.

The views of some of the graduates at the coast, in the cities of Vancouver and New Westminster, have been published in most of the daily newspapers of the province, in a letter signed by Frank Richards, of Vancouver. Mr. Richards recommends the setting apart at once by order-in-council of 380 square miles of land, approximately 250,000 acres, as a grant for the maintenance of a provincial university.

The proposal and the recent enactments were fully discussed at the last meeting of the University Club of Nelson. It was felt that the land grant suggested in Mr. Richard's letter was wholly inadequate, unless the most valuable land in the province not yet pre-empted could be secured. That condition, it was agreed, would be extremely difficult to fulfill. A committee was appointed to draft a suitable resolution setting forth the views of the club. The committee consisted of the president, Dr. E. C. Arthur, the secretary, C. McLean Fraser, and R. J. Clark.

The committee met yesterday afternoon in the office of A. L. McKillop and drew up the following resolution, which will be communicated to the government after being signed by the club,

"The University Club of Nelson records its gratification that means have been provided whereby British Columbia students may receive a part of a university course without leaving the province.

"The arrangement made with the authorities of McGill University for the accomplishment of such work, while undoubtedl an advantage at the present time, can not be regarded as other than a temporary provision.

"The vast area of Canada and the heterogeneous character of its population, it will probably be impossible, at least for an indefinite period, to have one university system for the dominion. By the terms of the British North America Act public education has been made a function of provincial governments. It is therefore the duty of each such government to make due provision, as early as circumstances permit, for the education of the youth of of small and necessarily weak denominational colleges, an unfortunate development in the older provinces which has been and is deplored by all educationists.

"The club recommends and advocates the setting apart at once of 10,000,000 acres of public land, a little less than one-twentieth of the area of the province still available for such purposes, or, in the alternative the reservation annually of five per cent of the provincial revenue from the public domain, to form a permanent fund for the establishment, equipment and maintenance of a British Columbia University.

"The adoption of either course, we believe, would create, before the expiration of five years, sufficient funds to make possible the beginning of a university establishment under purely provincial public auspices, which must be the desire and the aim of all friends of learning in British Columbia."

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GRAIN AND PROVISIONS STRONG—PRICES ADVANCE.

Conditions on the exchange were reversed today from those of Tuesday. The stocks were active and fairly strong but and the whole showed a slight average decline. The grain and provision markets on the contrary showed substantial advances and closed at or near their high quotations for the day.

Sugar opened 140 3-8, closed 139 3-4; amalgamated copper opened 108 3-4, sold up to 109 1-2, and down to 107 5-8, closed 107 5-8; steel common opened 41 1-4, sold off to 40 1-2, closed 40 1-2; steel preferred opened 108, closed 105 3-8; Brooklyn opened 85 1-4, and was very active and firm, the high mark was 86 5-8, and the low 84 3-4, closed 85 1-8; St. Paul opened 176 5-8, sold up to 177, and down to 176 1-8, closed 176 1-8; Union Pacific opened 153 1-2, 153 5-8 was the high mark and it closed at the low mark, 152 1-2; Mo. Pac. opened 100 1-2, closed 99 1-2; L. & N. opened 149 1-8, sold up to 150 1-2 and down to 149, closed 194; Atchinson opened 95 -8, sold off to 93 3-8, closed 93 3-8; Erie opened 43 1-8, closed 66 3-8; Sou. Pac. opened 67 1-2, closed 66 3-8; C. P. R. opened 170 5-8, sold off to 170, closed 170; Penn. opened 128 1-2, closed 127 3-4; Reading opened 128, sold up to 129 1-4 and down to 127 5-8, closed 127 3-4.

May wheat opened 76 5-8, sold up to 77 1-2, and closed 77; July wheat opened 76 7-8, sold up to 77 3-8, closed 77 1-4; corn opened 42 3-4, closed 43. Pork opened $15.70 closed $15.70.

Reported by Sharp & Irvine, Nelson, March 14th.

ST. PATRICK'S CONCERT.

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PROGRAM.

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3. Humorous duett—Miss Bell and Master Jack Grant.
4. Recitation—Father Malloy — Master Leo McKinnon.
5. Song—Ireland, I Love You—Acushla Machree—Miss D. Gravelle.
6. Vocal trio—A Bird in Hand—Three Corkies.
7. Recitation—How Pat Contrived to Save His Bacon—Master James Grant.
8. Violin selection—Master Jules Thurman.
9. Physical exercise—"Shilelah Wielding," by five maids of Erin.

PART II.

1. Song—Father O'Flynn—Mr. A. Sullivan.
2. Song—(a) The Rosary—Nevin; (b) Killarney—Balfe—Mrs. Melville Parry.
3. Recitation—Shamus O'Brien—Mr. T. J. Scanlan.
4. Song—Selected—Mrs H. C. Briggs.
5. Song—Handful of Earth—Mr. George Brown.
6. Solo—The Last Rose of Summer—Mrs. Melville Parry.
7. Quartette—O. P. R. O.—Mrs. C. H. Benedict, Mrs. Ida Johnston, Mr. Benedict and Mr. T. J. Scanlan.

God Save the King.

CRANBROOK NOTES.

(Special to The Daily News)

Cranbrook, March 14.—A new lumber company has been formed here with a capital of $300,000, the promoters being V. Hyde Baker, C. D. McNab and James Ryan, all of this city, and the chief shareholders of the Standard Lumber Co., which is one of the successful companies of this district. The name of the new concern is the Baker Lumber Co., Ltd. The company has under license near their mill, over 200 million feet and this will give some idea of the scope of the new undertaking. Lord Cobham has purchased 90,000 of the company's $1 shares, besides this over $140,000 has been subscribed. C. D. McNab is to be the manager. The work of building the new mill is to be proceeded with at once and pushed with all expedition.

McRussie & Robinson's sawmill southeast of Cranbrook has had a very narrow escape from being wiped out by fire; as it was they lost the planing plant, but the damage outside of this was nominal. They expect to close down the mill for a considreable time in order to alter their arrangements, so as to be able to work more economically, and bring their plant up to date.

George Hillier of the C. P. R. is seriously ill, much to the regret of his many friends.

The buildings that were badly burned some few weeks ago have been refitted up and divided into two new stores or offices. Miss Macleod has taken one side and M. C. Buck the other.

AT THE THEATRE

The Verna May Opera Company will open a week's engagement at the Nelson opera house next Monday night, March 19th. The company has a band and orchestra of its own. They carry six big vaudeville acts and introduce the latest specialties between acts, with a change for each performance.

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NELSON'S NEWS OF THE DAY

J. C. Drewry, of the St. Eugene Mining Company arrived from Moyie yesterday and left for Rossland by the evening train.

The auction sale of the stock of the Fred Irvine Co., Limited, ended yesterday afternoon with the sale of a box of remnants for 25c cents.

The annual general meeting of the Nelson Conservative club is called for Friday night at 8 o'clock, in the board of trade rooms.

A salad supper will be served in the Salvation Army barracks on Tuesday, March 20th, from 5 to 8 p. m. At 8 a program of vocal and instrumental music will begin.

Rev. F. W. Anvache, pastor of the Baptist church of Grand Forks, was in Nelson yesterday on his way to Rossland to look after the interests of the church there.

Procter, which boasts of a Middlesex county player, has challenged the Nelson cricket club to try conclusions just as soon as it likes on the opening of the season.

A. G. Gamble, formerly of Nelson, now assistant manager of the Tiger Mercantile Company's business at Mullen, Idaho, is convalescing from a serious attack of typhoid pneumonia.

H. Mayne, who was injured by a fall at upper Bonnington falls yesterday, is at the Kootenay Lake general hospital. His injuries are serious and his chances of recovery uncertain.

The Nelson office of the superintendent of C. P. R. navigation on B. C. inland waters is now equipped with a telephone, 208. Hitherto the divisonal superintendent's telephone has served four offices.

There will be a meting of the Liberal association in the board of trade rooms this evening at eight o'clock. At half past 8 the doors are opened to the public for the debate which will be on "better terms."

The following Nelson curlers will go to Greenwood in a few days to compete for the tin trophy won last year: G. Nunn, G. O. Tierney, Jim Neelands and F. A. Starkey, skip; C. C. Clark will accompany the rink as manager.

It is announced from the office of captain Gore that there will be no steamer service on the Arrow lakes south of Nakusp until further notice. On Monday the steamer Kootenay went ashore about 30 miles south of Nakusp.

Silver and lead both made substantial advances yesterday. Silver gained six points on both the London and New York markets and is now quoted at 63 7-8 cents an ounce. Lead rose four points on the London metal market and is again above the bounty limit.

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John J. Dwyer, attorney of Hartford, Connecticut, wants the address of Dennis and Ellen Mullings, brother and sister. An estate awaits them. Anyone knowing of the whereabouts of the parties will confer a favor by advising The Daily News.

At the curling rink this afternoon and evening there will be a grand local points competition open to all members of the Nelson curling club. There will be three prizes for the three top scores, and a valuable "Booby" prize for the unfortunate at the foot of the list.

Driscoll's team defeated Kinahan's in the bowling tournament last night with an average of 639 to 602. The scores were: Driscoll, 347; Lorsch, 427; McCandlish, 328; Wadds, 372; Potter, 444; total, 1918. Kinahan, 321; E. G. Irwin, 384; Fraser, 324; East, 463; Kirk, 314; total, 1806.

The board of license commissioners for the city held its statutory quarterly meeting in the city hall yesterday afternoon. The mayor, alderman Rose and P. Lamont were present. Two applications for transfers were received. The license for the Manhattan saloon, now the No Place Inn was transferred to Archie F. Reid. An application was received for the transfer of the license of the Nelson hotel from Ink & Boyd to Ink & Ward. The application could not be granted as the statutory requirements had not been complied with. It will be dealt with at a special meeting of the board to be held at the call of the chair.

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GRAND CENTRAL—C. Berg, Calgary; J. C. Moen, G. Doherty, New Denver; H. L. Whiteside, Revelstoke.

ROYAL—H. W. Milnes, P. Thompson, Cranbrook.

SHERBROOKE—H. Bagnall, Moyie; G. Muse, Vancouver; O. Egelstad, F. Larson, Grand Forks; F. Hopking, Slocan.

The consolation cup series of the Nelson curling club is over. In the semi-finals McIntyre defeated Starkey and Wallace won from Fox. Wallace and McIntyre were playing the final at a late hour last night.

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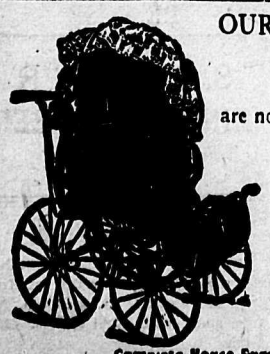

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